

# Beehive Buzzer

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#### **Note from the President**

Hi Fellow Rockhounders,

We are getting close to the end of the year and boy the year has gone fast! That probably is because club has so many fun activities throughout the year! A big Thanks! to Darrell and Darlene McKnight our fieldtrip leaders. They put so much time and effort into finding us great places to find rocks and minerals. This year I'm expecting 6 of you to give them a hand with leading fieldtrips. We will be looking forward to seeing what places you come up with to go rock hunting. Also, Georgina DuFour has done a great job overseeing the programs for monthly meetings. She will need members to help this coming year with ideas for the programs. Please talk to her about what you would like to learn about.

Everyone have a wonderful Thanksgiving holiday with friends and family! Debbie



### November's birthstone is Topaz

Topaz is an aluminosilicate mineral. It is one of the hardest naturally occurring minerals and has a low index of refraction. It is found in many places in the world. Most popular places are Brazil and Russia. In Utah we can find the colorless crystals. Common topaz crystals in it's natural state are colorless, though trace element impurities can make it golden brown to yellow-orange

in color.



# Year End Henry Mountains Field Trip





# **This Month's Club Meeting**

When? November 25, 2025

Where? Golden Hours Senior Center, 650 25th St, Ogden UT 84401

What time? 6:00pm we will have our meet and greet & silent auction (Bring some cash) & 6:30pm our meeting will start.

## **PROGRAM**

## **November Meeting — Show Us Your Favorite Find**

Celebrate the season by bringing your single most-loved rock of the year to our November meeting. Maybe it's the pattern inside a slice, the color that stopped you in your tracks, an unusual shape, or a scene you can't stop seeing — whatever makes it special, we want to hear the story behind it.

### What to expect

- **Show-and-tell:** Members who wish may present their rock, briefly explain what makes it their favorite, and pass it around for close viewing. Presentations should be short so everyone interested has a turn.
- Casual discussion: After each showing there will be a few minutes for questions, identification tips, or quick stories about where or how it was found.
- **Photo option:** If your specimen is fragile or large, bring a photo or small display instead.





## Yearly Membership Dues time is here!

Please pay Tom Larsen at the November meeting for the 2026 year.

- \* Families/Couples \$20
- \* Singles \$15

# Our Club is in need of Officer Position Volunteers!

# Please think about stepping up and helping our Club! \*\*2026 Officer Election at the November 25th meeting\*\*

We will be having the election of officers.

The club needs your help! We are still looking for someone to step up & volunteer for the VICE PRESIDENT position.

Vice President – It shall be the duty of the Vice President in the absence of the

President to perform all duties incumbent upon the President. The Vice President may fill in for absent Board members or any committee chairman unless already filling in for the President. In addition, the Vice President will oversee the program committee.

President – Debbie Larsen is running for that position again.

Secretary- Kathy Stevenson has volunteered to run for that position. Thank you so much for helping the club Kathy.

Treasurer – Tom Larsen is running for that position again.

(Anyone who would like to run for any of the officer positions please let someone on the board know. Thank you)

## **Christmas Dinner**

# Golden Corral in Layton December 2nd 1624 North Heritage Park Blvd

Cost: \$13/person plus, Drink and Tip

If you want to be part of our fun gift exchange please bring a \$10 wrapped gift

Deadline to sign up and pay is at the club meeting on November 25th





### LAST MONTHS MEETING: JARED KELLER AND LYN LOGLIN FLINT KNAPPERS



























### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Christmas Market

We had a fun time at the Christmas Market. There is fantastic talent in our club! There were so many wonderful gifts/items to be bought!





































## **Need to Contact Us?**

### Club Officers

President: Debbie Larsen (385) 319-2808

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**Treasurer:** *Tom Larsen* (801) 390-8270

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