



**SURREY ROCKHOUNDER**  
(The Original Rockhounder Newsletter)

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Newsletter of the Surrey Rockhound Club.  
Members of the BC Lapidary Society  
Gem and Mineral Federation of Canada  
Arts Council of Surrey

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Ways and Means	Kavinder Puri
Workshop Maintenance Committee	Stuart Watts, Franz Derungs, Simon Cantin, De Morgan

Meetings
<p><b>General Meetings are held on the fourth Wednesday of each month at 7:30 P.M. in the workshop.</b></p> <p><b><u>The Next General Meeting is Scheduled for</u></b></p> <p>Next General Meeting is Wednesday November 28th, 2018 at the Sullivan Hall workshop. 7:30 pm</p> <p>The Next <b>Executive Meeting</b> is December 12th 2018 in the workshop</p>

**WORKSHOP**  
The workshop is located in the basement of Sullivan Hall, 6306 152nd Street, Surrey, B.C.

**\*\*\*\*\*MEMBERSHIP\*\*\*\*\***

**Membership becomes due in September of each year.** Prices are \$25.00 single or \$35.00 per family (includes children 18 years and under)

**Dues must be paid by the end of the calendar year or people will not be included in the club list.**

**Come out and renew your membership (if you haven't) already**

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### Workshops:

The workshop is located in the basement of Sullivan Hall, 6306 152nd Street, Surrey.

**Please Note** that for insurance and safety reasons;

**You must be a club member in order to use the workshop machinery.**

The workshop is just a small part of the Club's activities. If you wish to use the workshop facilities, please plan on attending some of the regular monthly meetings.

**Workshop fees: \$3.00 per session plus cost of any supplies and large saw usage**

<b>Beginners</b>	<b>Monday 7 to 9 p.m. - Lapidary Instructor Franz Derungs</b>  Possibly more sessions if trained volunteers become available
<b>Faceting</b>	<b><u>Not at this time</u></b>
<b>Meetings</b>	The second Wednesday of the month is the Executive meeting and the fourth Wednesday of the month is the General meeting. All held in the workshop at Sullivan Hall.
<b>School Sessions (for school children to learn about us)</b>	<u>Wednesday Mornings</u> by appointment from interested school groups. Contact Gail Hall
<b>Sculpture / Carving</b>	<b>No planned classes but the shop is set up for you to bring your soft stone and carve</b>
<b>General Open</b>	<u>Thursday</u> 6:30 to 9 PM : De Morgan  Tuesday and Friday 6:30 to 9 pm when a foreperson is available.  Other nights are being worked on but check at meetings to be sure.

**Wire Wrapping and Silversmith classes are being arranged. Ask at a meeting.**

**Please Note** that for insurance and safety reasons, you must be a club member in order to use the workshop machinery.

**When working in the workshop....**

IF ANYTHING SEEMS BROKEN OR WORKING POORLY PLEASE STOP USING IT AND ALERT THE FOREPERSON OF THE PROBLEM. This is for everyone's safety and to help make the machines last. Also please clean up after yourself and at the end of the night, chip in to clean up with the rest .

### General Meeting October 24, 2018

President Gordon Venn was in an accident and has our wishes for a speedy recovery. In his place Vice President Steven Gauci chaired the meeting. Recording Secretary Jonah Marshall was also not present so Second Vice President Tom MacPherson took the minutes. The following is the best I could reconstruct from what I had.

Fred

1. Call to order:
2. Attendance:
3. Minutes of September 26, 2018 as circulated/published?
4. Treasurer's Report:
5. Correspondence:
6. Old Business:
  - a) SRC 2018 Annual Show Report Financial report to be given by Michelle Jager.
  - b) SRC Christmas Dinner December 7th  Volunteers still needed! We already have Sullivan Hall booked for December 7th, Sheollagh and Norah are cooking 20 lb turkeys with stuffing and gravy. Others are assigned to the potatoes and cranberries. The rest of the membership is to bring other veggies, or a salad or dessert. We agreed on a \$10 gift for the gift exchange. If you bring a gift you get a ticket and as the tickets are drawn you choose a present from under the tree.
  
  - c) SRC 2019 Annual Show Theme Choosing (October 12-13)  Conducted by De Morgan o Name decided and to be published in the new year.
7. New Business :
  - a) Repair or Replacement of the Genie Machine
  - b) Open Floor
8. Committee Reports:
10. Ways and Means Draw
11. Meeting adjourned:

Slide show by Harley Waterson about petrified wood.

## Rock and Gem Shows

### Creative Jewellers Guild of BC

When : December 8, 2018 Saturday 4:00 PM - 9:30 PM

Where: VanDusen Botanical Gardens, 5251 Oak Street, Vancouver, BC

### Maple Ridge Lapidary Club

Demostrations, vendors, stones, tools & supplies. Live auctions, kids' crafter, snack bar and more.

When: February 23 & 24, 2019

Saturday 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Sunday 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Where: Pitt Meadows Heritage Hall

12460 Harris Road

Pitt Meadows, BC

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