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General meetings will tentatively be held the second Tuesday of the month, except in September and December. Board meetings are usually held the second Monday after the general meeting.

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General Meeting: Tuesday, September 9, 2008

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Place: 17018 Silverwood Drive, San Antonio, Texas

Just East of Hwy 281 on Donella Drive

Refreshment

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| Marcell Klaftenegger | Debbie Krause |
| Don & Anne Kolle | Fernando Lozano |
| Bob Lucas | Jim & Eva Meloche |

If you can not attend, please let Jim Meloche or Debbie Krause know so they can bring refreshments. Thank you for your consideration.



Health Updates of Our Members

Please put the following members in your prayers. I wasn't at the last meeting to know exactly what they're ailments are, but that they could use our prayers: Tom & Marie Banta, Doris & Ray Santee, Richard & Connie Moultrup and Eva Meloche.

Please let myself or Gail Hyatt know if any of our members need to be remembered with prayers and mentioned in this newsletter. Thank you.

Greetings from the President

No message 'cause Bob is out a gallivanting! Lucky guy.....

Please visit our website at www.swgemandmineral.org

Announcements

Happy Birthday to Frank Whitehead. He is now 95 years young!

Christmas party is scheduled for December 2nd at Harmon's Bar-B-Q in Cibolo, Texas. More details will follow in next few months.

Upcoming Show Dates

- Aug. 30-31 Arlington Gem & Min. Soc. Show, Arlington Convention Center, Arlington, TX
- Sept. 20-21 Pleasant Oak's Gem & Min. Club Show, EMGI Bldg. at Brookhaven College, Farmer's Branch, TX.
- Sept. 26-28 AFMS/SCFMS Show & Convention hosted by the Houston Gem & Mineral Society @ the Humble Civic Center
- Sept.27-28 Texoma Rockhounds, Denison Senior Center, Denison, TX
- Oct. 11-12 Tri-city Gem & Min. Soc. of Temple, TX @ Mayborn Civic Center
- Oct. 17-19 Victoria Gem & Min. Soc. of Victoria, TX @ Victoria Community Center
- Oct.24-26 Austin Gem & Min. Soc. of Austin, TX @ Palmer Event Center

Please let me know of any other events or shows coming up so I can include the information in the newsletter.

Meeting Minutes

None were taken

Did You Know?

Sorry, nothing I know this month!

Meeting Minutes

Bob Bowie called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m. following the Pledge of Allegiance.

Jim Meloche gave another outstanding Treasurer's Report. His reports are always so very exciting and colorful. Thank you, Jim.

We had a terrific raffle with quite a few treasures...Thanks to all who participated.

Our program, by Bob Bowie, was Bob's trip of a lifetime to the Yukon. We saw beautiful and exciting slides narrated by Bob. He read all the signs to us out loud!!! Certainly looks like a trip to think about taking sometime. Thank you Bob.

Meeting adjourned...A GOOD TIME WAS HAD BY ALL!

Gail Hyatt

Mini Classifieds

This space will be for anyone wanting to sell something or is looking for something that someone else might be able to help them with.

Debbie Krause is looking for any used equipment or tools. Call her on 659-7125.

LOST-N-FOUND

Thank you to the person who found Bob Bowie's DVD. This person should be flogged and banned from every borrowing items again. How could someone be so thoughtless!

(my sincere apologies to everyone 'cause it was me, Debbie, that didn't even remember I borrowed it. That was my 1st meeting back after surgery and they must've taken my memory along with the cancer!
