LAKELAND GEM & MINERAL CLUB

Agenda for Monthly Meeting: Tuesday June 24 at 6:30 PM

Church of the Pines, 415 Chippewa St., Minocqua, WI.

<u>Show & Tell: Starts at 6:00 PM</u>, for 30 minutes before official meeting starts. Bring your rocks to share! Club now has a 12X light desk magnifier to get a close-up view of your treasures. UV flashlight will be there if your rocks glows. **Bring your painted rocks for Gem Show contest!**

Welcome: Introduction of Club Officers and meeting attendees.

Business Meeting

<u>President's Report</u>: Bruce Bacon. - Welcome. - Ideas for programs & field trips needed. Scholarship was awarded to a Lakeland Union H.S. senior. Final sign-up for volunteers for July 18 & 19 Gem Show. Club brochure now available.

Vice President's Report: Roger Pilsner

<u>Secretary's Report</u>: Ross Pettit. - Discuss and approve previous Meeting minutes.

<u>Treasurer's Report</u>: Mary Krueger. – Review & Approve Treasurer's Report.

<u>7:00 PM Program</u>: Bill_Reardon will show us how to use metal detectors for finding treasure. Or beer can tabs... Members will add in their favorite techniques. See what equipment is used.

Standing Committees

<u>Annual Gem & Mineral Club Show</u> (JULY 18 & 19, 2025): Dan Erickson. Update & request for volunteers. Bring your painted rocks to June meeting to use in display at show to inspire kid's rock painting.

<u>Membership</u>: Mary Krueger. - Membership renewals for 2025 are due. Bring your dues \$. <u>Recruit new members!</u>

<u>Field Trips</u>: Chair is **Vacant**. Need volunteer(s) to organize trips! Need ideas for trips. Officers will help. We have approved Field Trip Waiver for participants.

<u>Programs</u>: Chair is **Vacant.** Responsible for organizing monthly meeting presentations. Officers will help. We need ideas for future programs. June will feature Bill Reardon and his metal detecting experiences. July will feature members' favorite rock books they use to find and I.D. rocks, minerals, and gems. In August we will discuss fossils, led by Barbara.

<u>Publicity:</u> Scott McDougall: Put monthly meeting notices in local papers, etc.

Website: Ross Pettit. Check out our web's updates!

(Past President: Barbara Sironen; Board members at large: David Piccard & Marshall Teschner)

(Next Meeting: Tuesday, July 22, 2025 @ 6:30 PM Church of the Pines, Minocqua, WI)

Mission Statement: "The Lakeland Gem & Mineral Club was founded in 1964 and incorporated in 1970 to promote general interest in this remarkable planet on which we live, specifically in the areas of geology, minerology, paleontology, citizen science and the lapidary arts, through evidence-based educational programs, field trips, and our annual Gem & Mineral Show."

Website: lakelandgemclub.org