

Bellevue Rock Club

Meeting Minutes

February 4, 2014 7:00—9:00 p.m.



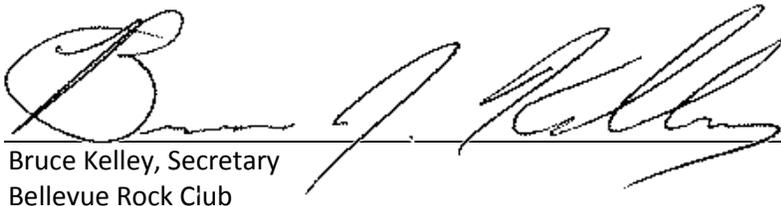
New Business

- Attendance: 26, 2 guests
- Treasury: [REDACTED]
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Current membership is 82
- Show Report
BruceH bought 7 commercial restaurant bussing tubs for slabs
We currently have 2 8-foot tables open and a waiting list of vendors to fill them.
- EastKingCo show is March 1-2. Please show up to help work the club booths or setup/cleanup.
- Field Trip and Activity Report
 - BruceH: Still no response from Denny, re: Kalama.
 - Sort Rocks at BruceH's when the weather warms up.
 - Arvid went on the East KingCo trip to visit RoseMae's museum and shop in Bellingham.
 - Aaron is planning a trip for Idaho garnets. Bill will keep us apprised.
 - Bill is planning a March or April Saddle Mtn. trip.
 - Dave's yearly summer trip is going to be Nevada this year.
- BruceH: Price to build a new larger tumbler is about \$1200 for 2 40-lb + 6 15-lb barrels. Should cut electricity use/pound of rock. A motion was made to allocated \$1200 +/- \$200 for Bruce to complete this project. Passed.

Program

- We had many bragging rocks including
 - Kevin Rust: China Hollow agate, Reeser Creek agate, Ellensburg Blue (the real deal), Owyhee jasper, and Khemer WY petrified wood with insect tunnels.
 - Jim Carrol: Sequim, Clallam Bay fossil clams and scallops. Near Coast Guard station at low tide only!
 - Emery Bayley: First Creek agates
 - Bobbi Premo: An unknown specimen
 - Bruce Kelley: Micro-mineral photos
- Door prizes and a silent auction
- We watched a video from the 2012 "A Celebration of Agates" symposium titled "Between Legend and Science: The Mystey of Agate Formation" by Jenz Götze.

Approval:


Bruce Kelley, Secretary
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