

Call for Entries

Rock, Mineral, and Fossil Photography

Deadline for submissions: Friday, August 2, 2013

Entry Fee: None

Event: Mid-Hudson Valley Gem & Mineral Society's 44th Annual Gem, Mineral, Fossil, & Jewelry Show & Sale

Dates of show: Saturday & Sunday, September 21-22, 2013

Location: Gold's Gym Family Sports Complex, 258 Titusville Road, Poughkeepsie, NY

The Mid-Hudson Gem & Mineral Society (www.mhvgms.org) is seeking entries for its Second Annual photographic exhibit to complement their annual gem & mineral show event. The theme is "Rocks, Minerals, and Fossils."

The two categories are "Micro Mineral Photography" (photography with the aid of magnification) and "Macro Mineral Photography" (photography without the aid of magnification). Photographs must clearly display an individual or set of rocks, minerals, or fossils. Please do not photograph jewelry.

There is no entry fee or limit on the number of submissions, however no more than one or two photographs will be selected per applicant, per category.

The annual gem & mineral show & sale will occur September 21-22 at Gold's Gym Family Sports Complex in Poughkeepsie, NY. The photography exhibit will accompany the gem & mineral show. Admission to the gem & mineral show will be necessary to view the exhibit. Photographs will not be for sale, however business cards and/or artist contact information may be left at the show for distribution to the public. The photographs may be judged.

Please submit a digital copy of your submission to stephanie.p.larose@gmail.com by August 2, 2013. Please include the subject line "Photography Submission" in your email.

Applicant, if selected, must mat and frame their work in a frame size not to exceed 16"x20" (exceptions may be allowed, but please request an exception). Submissions must be wired for hanging purposes.

Applicant, if selected, must be prepared to deliver their work for setup on Friday, September 20 between 1pm and 5pm at Gold's Gym Family Sports Complex at 258 Titusville Road, Poughkeepsie, NY. Applicant must pick up their work between 4pm and 7pm on Sunday, September 22.

Submission of artwork is at your own risk. The Mid-Hudson Gem & Mineral Society and Gold's Gym Family Sports Complex are not responsible for works displayed at the show or works not picked up at the end of the show.

Any questions, please email stephanie.p.larose@gmail.com.

A copy of this announcement may be obtained at
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