

Field Trip to the San Bernardino County Museum Saturday, August 26, 2017

Escape the Dog Days of Summer with a visit to the San Bernardino County Museum!

The museum's Earth Sciences division includes displays of paleontology, mineralogy and geology. The extensive mineral collection includes 55,000 specimens and 10,000 micromounts. In the fossil area are fossils of extinct vertebrates and invertebrates, primarily from the southwestern United States with an emphasis on ones found in San Bernardino and Riverside Counties.

The Museum is about a 1 hour drive from Pasadena and is located at 2024 Orange Tree Lane in Redlands, California, 92374 — midway between Los Angeles and Palm Springs, and just north of Interstate 10. Take the California Street exit from Interstate 10 in Redlands, turn north, then right onto Orange Tree Lane and left into the Museum parking lot. Parking is free and the museum is air-conditioned and accessible to visitors with disabilities.

We will meet there as a group at 8:45am. The museum opens at 9am and is working to plan a special speaker for our group, but we are free to visit the exhibits for as long as we want to.

Admission: Adult: \$10

Senior (60 or over) & active Military: \$8

Student (with I.D.): \$7 Child 5 through 12 - \$5

Child under 5: free

Museums For All participants with EBT Card: \$1

Museum Members: free

Mark Nelson is leading this month's field trip. Confirm your participation with an email to <pasadenalapidary@aol.com> or a call or text to (909) 996-1784. Watch the web site and your email for updates.

Because of the activity of our members in 2017 the American Federation of Mineralogical Societies recognized the Pasadena Lapidary Society as the #1 lapidary society in North America!