



Pasadena Lapidary Society 2015 Ballot for 2016 Rockhound Of The Year and Junior Rockhound Of The Year

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Instructions:

Listed below are the candidates nominated by the membership. Please vote for ONE candidate for Rockhound Of The Year and ONE candidate for Junior Rockhound Of The Year. Please place a mark in the box next to your choice, fold it in half to obscure your vote, and place it in the ballot box as designated at the meeting.

Voting By Mail: To cast your ballot by mail, please mark your ballot, print your name on the line at the bottom of this ballot and mail it to the Society at P.O. Box 5025, Pasadena CA 91117-0025. Ballots received by October 20th - the date of the election - will be accepted.

Rockhound Of The Year — Please vote for one candidate only:

Valerie Stathatos Valerie is responsible for making our current workshop available to the Society. Her generosity has resulted in attracting many new members and for the education and enjoyment of our hobby and Society by our members. Valerie participates at meetings, field trips and our Annual Show.

Philip Lahr Phil is at all field trips, is so willing to help - and he is a prince in the workshop saw room. What would we do without all his help?

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Junior Rockhound Of The Year — Please vote for one candidate only:

Jennifer Nishimura Jennifer is a very active member of PLS. She regularly attends the general meetings and field trips, writing for the monthly bulletin and she submitted a winning display at the 2015 California Federation Show in Lodi!

Jared Nishimura Jared Nishimura's willingness to serve where needed has contributed to the betterment of PLS. He represented the club by entering showcases and serving at both the CFMS Gem Show in Lodi as well as the annual PLS Rock Show. His congenial demeanor and enthusiasm enabled him to be successful at selling raffle tickets, which is a major part of PLS fund-raising. He shares his knowledge with others, makes new members feel welcome and passionately gives member talks at PLS general meetings. His last speech, "Fossil Anomalies," kept the audience entertained and informed. Jared has become quite skilled at making cabachons. He regularly rock hunts, reads the newsletter and attends workshops to advance his skills and knowledge base. Jared invites his friends to attend general meetings and join PLS rock trips, thus exposing prospective new members to our club and the fascinating world of rock hunting. Jared is a great asset to our club and an exceptional candidate for Junior Rockhound of the Year.

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Ballots are distributed at the October meeting and via the web site. All ballots are confidential.

If voting by mail please print your name here: _____