



THE FOSSIL CLUB of AUSTRALIA Inc.

ACTIVITIES BULLETIN

August 2019

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Please use these email addresses in preference to the Yahoo address.

BACK ISSUES OF THE FOSSIL NEWS – All available back issues of FOSSIL NEWS (there are some issues during the late '80s and early '90s missing) have been scanned and are available on a single DVD. The DVD will be available to **members only**, at the Club activities at a cost of \$10 each, or \$15 posted.

NEW FOSSIL CLUB of AUSTRALIA SHIRTS

They will be black polo shirts with the Club logo on the left breast, in men's sizes only- XXXL, XXL, XL, L, M, S and XS. Price- \$20 each pick-up at club activities, or \$25.00 posted.

You can pre-order your shirt by advising Club Secretary Albert of your size and depositing the relevant amount into the Club's bank account.

SEPTEMBER 17TH-18TH

* Blaxland Gem & Mineral Annual Show, Glenbrook Community Hall, Glenbrook

SEPTEMBER 28TH-29TH

* GEMKANA 2019 – Hawkesbury Agricultural Society Showground, Clarendon

NOVEMBER 24TH

CLUB MEETING and CHRISTMAS PARTY

August 3rd-4th

FIELD TRIP to TAMBAR SPRINGS

Pleistocene megafauna – bones and teeth of Diprotodon, Giant Kangaroo and Marsupial Lion
Trip Leader Ian, has arranged access to more properties.

Register your interest with Ian Schoon ianschoon@hotmail.com or 0410 550 830 to receive further details

September 22nd

FOSSIL CLUB ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING and SOCIAL DAY

10.30 am

Parramatta-Holroyd Lapidary Club, 73 Fullagar Road, Wentworthville

Guest speaker : to be advised

Office bearers and Management Committee members are elected at the Annual General Meeting. Attached is a Nomination Form for those members who may wish to nominate themselves, or another person, for one or more of the positions. Family members may use the same form.

There is no need to find a seconder, who will be called for at the meeting.

For catering purposes, please advise the Club Secretary Albert, of your intention to attend.

Cold meats will be supplied at \$3 each. Please bring a salad or dessert to share.

As usual, for all attendees there will be a free fossil, frig magnet or publication from the Club's stock.

September 26th

FIELD TRIP to VICTORIA

Mt Disappointment, Bullengarook, Bacchus Marsh, Batesford (Geelong) and Portland
Early Silurian trilobites, graptolites, starfish and nautiloids. Leaves, marine teeth and corals
to October 2nd and then to MANNUM, SOUTH AUSTRALIA (see below)

Register your interest with David Hindmarsh dhindy@bigpond.net.au or 0414 383 076 to receive further details

October 5th-13th

FIELD TRIP to Mannum, SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Miocene echinoids, shark teeth, brachiopods, molluscs and much more

Register your interest with David Hindmarsh dhindy@bigpond.net.au or 0414 383 076 to receive further details

*This is not a Fossil Club activity. Information only for those members who may wish to attend.

ANNUAL FEES ARE DUE BY 30 JUNE 2019 FOR THE 2019-2020 YEAR.

Financial members only are eligible to receive the FOSSIL NEWS and attend FOSSIL CLUB activities.

Membership Application and RENEWAL FORMS are available at the website www.fossilclubaus.org.au

Please ensure you forward a renewal form with your remittance or email to treasurer@fossilclubaus.org.au

Personal Accident insurance is compulsory for all members attending field trips and other Fossil Club activities, except those over 90! The annual cost is \$3.50 per member and must be paid before registering for the first field trip or activity. If you are a member of another lapidary, gem or mineral club affiliated with the Gem & Lapidary Council of Australia, and pay insurance to that club, you will already be covered.