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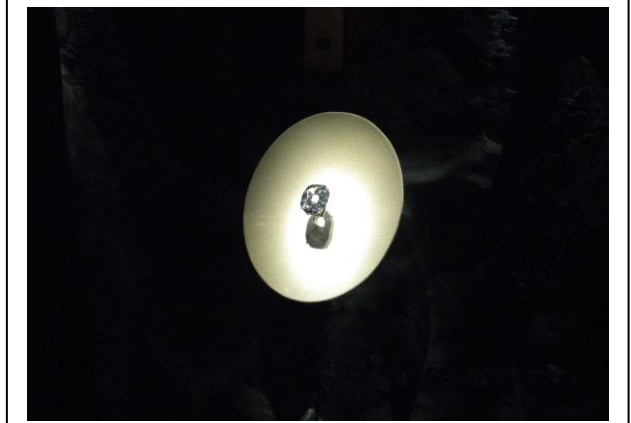
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The Hope Diamond

Upcoming Meeting Details

Executive Board Meetings are normally on the last Tuesday of the month at 7pm.

This year executive meetings will be held at Lou Fazzinas' rock shop (Apple Valley Minerals)
7 Homestead Avenue
Smith field, RI 02917
*Homestead is off Farnum Pike.

There will be no general meeting or executive board meeting this month

For additional information , see below..



Portsmouth,
Rhode Island

News

Due to the current pandemic and uncertainty of resolution of the disease, All future meetings will be cancelled until further notice. We will let you information as it becomes available and will keep you informed as to meetings, progress and when we will resume our normal procedures.

New information will be in the newsletter each month and additional information with be sent in separate emails as they become available.

If you have any information to pass along please let me know.

The board wants everyone to be safe so we can all get together as soon as possible. Please make sure you stay safe distances from others, keep your hands away from your face. Wash your hands frequently and use your hand sanitizer. Even if you wash your hands with hand sanitizer because you are not near a sink, wash them with soap and water again as soon as you can. Soap breaks down the fatty barrier that viruses use for protection.

Hand sanitizer is anti- bacterial not antiviral so be careful. Just because you use hand sanitizer doesn't mean you are 100 percent safe.

Bleach, hydrogen peroxide can be used. Both can be used on hard surfaces but have a bleaching action of cloth and clothing. Bleach should always be mixed with water before using it . Hydrogen peroxide of at least 3% can be used as is. Leave these solutions on the surface you are cleaning for at least a minute if not more. Isopropyl alcohol can be used if it is above 60 proof. It won't bleach cloth.

There are lots of things you can make on your own if there are shortages at the store.

You can make your own bread, cheese, butter, yogurt, sour cream, vinegar, pasta, soup, candy, beer, wine and maple syrup (the syrup season is pretty much over),just to name a few . You can make your own cloth masks and soap and candles. Make gourmet meals at home, experiment with new recipes. If anyone has any suggestions on how to make something or where to buy scarce products let me know and I will forward it to club members.

Shop around for the goods you need or search online. You also have the resource of ordering things online and then picking them up at stores like Walmart or Target.