

MARCH

PROGRAM - The speaker for March 21 will be one of our own members, Delores Owen Montgomery. She will present a slide-and-talk program on "The Making of a Geologist." It will include, among others, some of her experiences and pictures from her weeks in Alaska.

The program given February 21 as appreciation of our Society's activities and our members' talents was enthusiastically received. Many thanks go to Sally Barber for planning this lively meeting. There was a great buzz of interest as people moved from one area to another examining the displays and talking with the members who brought them. Subjects exhibited, and the members who brought items for display are:

Hand polishing Petoskeys - Frank Rickerd	Identification Sources - Read Myers
Fossils - Ila Rickerd	Silversmithing - Homer Godfrey
Mushroom designs - William Rogers	Stones of the states - Eleanor Owens
Tumbling - Bessie Rogers	Petrified wood - Loyd Pearson
Carving - Lloyd Conklin	Wood wheels - Carlisle Barber
Kenneth Kurtz	Artifacts and agates - Millie Malkin
Trimming Specimens - John Passaneau	Oddities in rocks - James Avis in charge
Micromounts - Jay Lamoon	Onyx - Bonna Roberts
Lapidary - Frank Card	Inlay - Ed McMahon
Frank Swagart	Wood carving - Harold Martin
Faceting - Judy Hocking	Opals - Howard Cheney
Katie Hornbeck	Field Trips, Safety, and Anti-Litter - Sue Hodgson and Milo Hillis
Rock Decorations - Annie Passaneau	Geodes - David Toman
Crystal Shapes - Bettie Patterson	Historian - Nora DeLashmutt
Fluorescents - Irene Brett	
Angie Godfrey	

There will be a Round-Robin field trip Sunday, March 24, commencing at 2:00 p.m. at the Malkin's, 5830 Lake Lansing Drive, Haslett. At 4:00 p.m. the tour will move on to the Pearson's, 6975 Foster Road, Haslett. Don't miss this tour. Both homes have many lovely and interesting specimens to see.

EDUCATION - Sally Barber and committee wish to thank all who helped at the February meeting. Response was wonderful.

Four class groups are meeting on schedule. They are carving, crystal study (two), and silversmithing.

Frank Card tells us that an adult lapidary club will be allowed to use the Lansing Board of Education lapidary equipment at the former West Junior Building, signing an agreement on a cost-of-equipment basis. For complete information, call Frank Card, not the Board of Education office. Call 882-6270.

Sally and Bettie Patterson are preparing a scrapbook of club activities the past year to be sent in to the AFMS Community Service Recognition Committee.