



GeoFair 2018

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Learn About Minerals & Fossils From Keynote Speakers At GeoFair - May 5 & May 6 At Sharonville Convention Center

GeoFair is Cincinnati's largest non-profit gem, mineral, fossil & jewelry show. The 53rd annual GeoFair will highlight "Calcite Crystals" and "Fossil Echinoderms."

10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Saturday, May 5
Sharonville Convention Center
11355 Chester Road

11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, May 6
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GeoFair has scheduled four illustrated lectures by internationally distinguished experts to enlighten and entertain guests for this year's show. Lectures take place at 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. each day.

Saturday, May 5, 2018

1:00 p.m. "Calcite: Beautiful, Intriguing and Important"
Dr. Carl A. Francis,
Maine Mineral & Gem Museum

3:00 p.m. "Earth Extinction Events"
John Moffitt, Paleontological Educator,
Houston, Texas

Sunday, May 6, 2018

1:00 p.m. "Calcite: Habits and Varieties"
Jeff Scovil, Professional Photographer,
Phoenix, Arizona

3:00 p.m. "The Mississippian Age of Crinoids"
Dr. David Meyer,
University of Cincinnati

Admission to GeoFair is \$9 for adults and \$3 for children. A two-day adult pass is available for \$12. Plentiful parking is free at the Sharonville Convention Center. Scouts in uniform get free admission, as do teachers with identification when accompanied by a paying adult. (A coupon for \$2 off adult admission is offered for download at GeoFair.com)

Since 1965, GeoFair has introduced thousands of families to the pleasures of the earth sciences including collecting minerals and fossils, making jewelry and studying geology. Experts at GeoFair will identify any fossil or mineral specimens or any items of jewelry. Dozens of displays showcase the rare "finds" of amateur collectors. GeoFair is produced by the Cincinnati Mineral Society and the Cincinnati Dry Dredgers, an association of amateur paleontologists.

For more information on GeoFair 2018, see our website at GeoFair.com