

Cincinnati GeoFair® 2023

Sharonville Convention Center
11355 Chester Road
Sharonville, Ohio 45246

DIRECTIONS FROM I-75

Northbound traffic take Exit #15 (Sharon Road); turn left on Sharon Road, passing under I-75. **Southbound traffic** take Exit #15 and turn right on Sharon Road. **All traffic** go one block West to Chester Road and turn right. The Convention Center is located ½ mile on the left.

DIRECTIONS FROM I-71

Northbound traffic from Kentucky take I-75 North and follow the above directions from I-75. **Ohio traffic** go West on I-275 and follow the directions below.

DIRECTIONS FROM I-275

East- and Westbound traffic follow I-275 around the north side of the outer belt and take Exit I-75 South. Go one exit south to Sharon Road (Exit #15). Turn right on Sharon Road and go one block to Chester Road, then turn right. The Convention Center is located ½ mile on the left.

FREE PARKING

Admission

Adults.....\$12 Two-day pass.....\$18

Children.....\$5 Uniformed Scouts free

Scout leaders pay adult rates

Teachers free with ID and paid adult companion

\$2 OFF ONE ADULT ADMISSION

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May 6 & May 7

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FREE PARKING 2023.3

FREE IDENTIFICATION “Ask the Expert”

Fossils, Minerals, Rocks & Meteorites:

Saturday and Sunday 11 to 3

Gemstones and Jewelry

Saturday and Sunday 1 to 3

ILLUSTRATED EARTH SCIENCE PROGRAMS

SATURDAY, MAY 6

1 - 2 pm – *Marvelous Midwest Minerals*

Dr. Carl Francis, Maine Mineral & Gem Museum

3 - 4 pm – *Fossils of Big Bone Lick, Kentucky*

Dr. Glenn Storrs, Cincinnati Museum Center, Ohio

4:30 pm - Friends of Mineralogy Midwest Chapter

SUNDAY, MAY 7

1 - 2 pm – *Mineral Collecting Adventures*

Mr. Les Presmyk, Gilbert, Arizona

3 - 4 pm – *Strange Fossils*

Dr. Collin Sumrall, University of Tennessee

SWAP for MINERALS, FOSSILS & ROCKS

The swap is open from 10 to 6 on Saturday and from 11 to 4 on Sunday. Material must be swapped *or* purchased with “swap dollars” available at the swap registration desk.

GEOLOGY EDUCATION CENTER

Learn more about minerals, rocks and fossils, or receive Scout Merit Badge assistance at the Education Center operated by GeoFair and geology students and educators from the University of Cincinnati and Miami University.

FREE MINERAL COLLECTION FOR KIDS

Everyone under age 12 can select mineral specimens and begin their own collection. Mineral specimens are compliments of www.geofair.com.

GEODE CRACKING

Visit the geode cracking booth in the annex and decide if you want to open a quartz crystal-lined geode.

DISPLAYS: Gems, Minerals, Fossils & Jewelry

from over 60 public and private collections

Featuring: *Midwest Minerals and Fossils*

Museums

Ben E. Clement Mineral Museum

Cincinnati Museum Center

Indiana State Museum

Limper Geology Museum, Miami University

Maine Mineral and Gem Museum

Wayne State University Geology Museum

Wittenberg University Geology Department

Organizations

Cincinnati Mineral Society

Dayton Gem and Mineral Society

Friends of Big Bone

Greater Cincinnati Lapidary & Faceting Society

Jeff’s Geodes

Ohio Geological Survey

Private Collections & Show Vendors

HOBBY MAGAZINES

Mineralogical Almanac

Moscow, Russia

Rocks & Minerals

Philadelphia, PA

The Australian Journal of Mineralogy Australia

HEADQUARTERS HOTEL

Fairfield by Marriott, 11440 Chester Road, Sharonville, Ohio 45246 (across the street and north of GeoFair). To reserve call 513 / 842-9112 and ask for the special GeoFair or Gem Show rate.

GEOFAIR SPONSORS www.geofair.com

GeoFair 2023 is co-produced by two Cincinnati geoscience organizations that welcome new members. Visit the websites for more information or stop by the GeoFair Information Booth.

Dry Dredgers – an organization of amateur paleontologists & fossil collectors.

www.drydredgers.org

Cincinnati Mineral Society – an organization of amateur mineralogists & mineral collectors.

www.mineralsociety.rocks

Gem, Mineral, Jewelry, & Fossil Vendors

Accent on Nature	Columbus, OH
Alan's Quality Minerals	Mt Laurel, NJ
Amber America	Bath, PA
Arrowwood Minerals	Lexington, VA
Aurora Mineral Corp. (wholesale)	Freeport, NY
Bernie's Gems	Seneca, SC
Bob's 2 nd Act Collectibles	Lavallette, NJ
Cosmic Artillery	Summertown, TN
Cosmic Rock Star Gifts	Shelbyville, IN
The Crystal Circle	Morrow, OH
DanZ Rock Shop	Arvada, CO
Dimitridon Studios	Alexandria, KY
Dublin Rocks and Minerals	Dublin, OH
Earth Essentials	Henrico, VA
The Enku Connection	University Heights, OH
Excel Gems & Minerals	Canton, MI
Finding Hidden Treasures	Helen, GA
Gem Art Studio	Staten Island, NY
Gem Miracles	Maineville, OH
Gems by Celestial Dancer	Carmel, IN
Gosney's Collection	Cincinnati, OH
Heads Up Trading Company	Cincinnati, OH
Hollow Mountain Industries	Louisville, KY
J & J Jewelry	Culpeper, VA
J K Stone (wholesale)	Denver, CO
J L Jewelers	Fairfield, OH
L & L Art Craft	Louisville, KY
Larimar International	Amboy, IL
Lost Cove Minerals	Marion, NC
Mannings Rock Shop	Troy, OH
Mearth Star	Sunman, IN
Midwest Minerals (wholesale)	Tucson, AZ
Mighty Earth Minerals	Louisville, KY
The Mineral Crypt	Cincinnati, OH
Minerals Plus	Dowagiac, MI
Momma's Rocks	Akron, OH
Natural Selection Crystals	Greenfield, WI
North Lake Trading	Avon Lake, OH
Nski Paleo art	Cincinnati, OH
One of a Kind Jewelry Designer Cabs	Branson, MO
Out of this World Minerals	Nashville, TN
PhatRocks	Knoxville, TN
Pretty Things	Kent, OH
Roy Hurlburt Minerals	St. Louis, MO
Saga Minerals	Mahomet, IL
Savage Creations	Anderson, IN
Sharks Underground	Louisville, KY
The Silverlady II	Mason, OH
Stones & Bones	South Bend, IN
Sunshine Rock Co.	Little Chute, WI
Tiny Critters	Alexandria, KY
Velima's Crafts	Gate City, VA
Village Morocco (wholesale)	Sachse, TX
Wonders of the Earth	Centerville, OH

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58th Annual
Gem, Mineral, Fossil & Jewelry
Show of Greater Cincinnati

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May 6
Saturday
10 am to 6 pm

May 7
Sunday
11 am to 5 pm



60 Displays featuring
Minerals & Fossils
From the Midwest

Illustrated Earth Science Programs

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