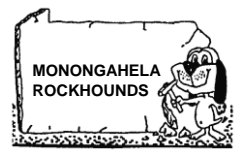


Monongahela Rockhounds Membership Application



Mission Statement The Monongahela Rockhounds promotes, among its members and the general public, an interest in the collection of minerals, fossils and associated items, their use in lapidary work and the study of minerals, gemstones and other items of such nature.

Meetings Meetings are held the first Saturday of each month, except for July and August, at 7:00 pm at the Munhall Borough building, 1 Raymond Bodner Way, Munhall PA 15120. Note: Occasionally, there are changes to the schedule due to conflicts with collecting trips and holiday weekends.

Affiliations The club is a member of the Eastern Federation of Mineral and Lapidary Societies, Inc. and the American Federation of Mineral Societies, Inc.

Meeting Agenda and Activities The Monongahela Rockhounds monthly meeting typically consists of the following activities. Meetings usually begin with a presentation by an invited speaker or club member on a topic of mineral, fossil or lapidary interest. Following the presentation is a social break with snacks and drinks and a silent auction of donated hobby related materials, the proceeds of which are used to support club activities and operations. Following the break, there is a show-and-tell period followed by the club's business meeting during which various topics of club interest are discussed such as volunteer activities and club trips. The Monongahela Rockhounds usually sponsors two collecting trips per year and has a summer picnic and holiday party.

Operations The Monongahela Rockhounds membership year runs from January 1st to December 31st. Club officers are elected every other November for two year terms.

Membership Fees Individual: \$10.00 per year. Family: \$20.00 per year. (Note: For new members, dues paid September 1st or later are good through the following membership year. Family memberships include only immediate family members living in the same residence. For family memberships, please list only the family members that will be participating in club activities.)

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Additional family members: _____

Address: _____

E-mail: _____

Newsletters will be emailed to all members. They will also be available by member login on our website:
www.monongahelarockhounds.org

Individual: \$10.00 Family: \$20.00 New applicants check this box:

Bring application to meeting, give to club officer or mail to _____ (Make checks payable to *Monongahela Rockhounds.*)

Monongahela Rockhounds
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Monongahela Rockhounds privacy policy: The Monongahela Rockhounds maintains a database of member names, addresses, telephone numbers and e-mail addresses for club operations. For member privacy, this information is only made available to the current club officers. The Monongahela Rockhounds officers will never knowingly distribute your personal information to any other group or organization for any purpose

As a condition of membership and in consideration of the valuable hobby related activities and other educational opportunities available to me as a club member, I hereby agree to hold the Monongahela Rockhounds and its officers, directors, committee members, general members and agents harmless, and to indemnify them against any loss and claims arising from my or my family's participation in Club activities from the date of this signing forward. Further, by signing this application, I agree to abide by the Club's Constitution, By-laws and Code of Ethics.

REQUIRED:

Signature of adult member: _____ Date: _____