A Note from the SME Board:

Thanks for those who attended our October Meeting at the Colorado School of Mines. Our presenter Rhett Howell, Maptek, presented on Digital Underground Face Mapping of the Eagle Lundin Mine. Great presentation and turn-out from our members and the students!

Our meeting for November will be a Happy Hour in the Denver Tech Center (November 17)!

Keep up to date and get more details on events by visiting the SME CO Section Website.

Health and Safety

The most dangerous holiday? Thanksgiving!

Believe it or not, the most dangerous holiday in the United States is Thanksgiving! Between icy roads and families experimenting with turkey fryers, this holiday is packed full of hazards.

Turkey fryers are the leading cause of nearly 4,300 fires and nearly $27M in property damage during the holiday season.

Plan and prepare for any trips or travels you’re taking and pay attention while on the road. Be safe and enjoy some time off with family and friends!

SME Colorado Section Member Renewals

Please renew your membership with the SME Colorado Section! Section dues for 2022-2023 are $35.

Mail (cash or check) to:
Phil Martin – SME Colorado Section Treasurer
1400 Wewatta St, Suite 850
Denver, CO 80202-1471

Online Payment (PayPal):
https://community.smenet.org/colorado/membership
Happy Hour in DTC @ 5:30pm – November 17th, 2022

Tap & Burger – Bellevue Station
4190 South Newport St.
Denver, CO 80237

Join your fellow SME Colorado Section members in the Denver Tech Center for a Holiday Happy Hour!
More event details here: November 2022 Happy Hour

Western Museum of Mining and Industry [Colorado Springs]

In the Colorado Springs area? Consider stopping by the Western Museum of Mining and Industry for a tour to explore mining history from past to present!
The November monthly lecture series is featuring “Gold Mining and Exploration in Nevada Today” – don’t want to miss that! [Nov. 8, 2022]
Check out their website here: https://wmmi.org/ Lecture Details: here!

Event Calendar

January 19, 2023: Virtual Krumb Lecture – Lunch & Learn
February 16, 2023: Monthly Meeting with Colorado State University
March 16, 2023: Mining4Beer Joint Event
April 2023: Miners Give Back Event
May 2023: SME Gala - TBD

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SME CO Section Minerals Education Coalition hosts display at Girl Scouts Day at Dinosaur Ridge
[October 8, 2022]
Volunteers from the SME CO Section / SME Minerals Education Coalition, Women in Mining, and the Colorado School of Mines SME Student Chapter visit with Girl Scouts, parents, and families to discuss the vital role that mineral resources and mining play in our lives. Many thanks to CO Section and WIM volunteers Dick Beach, Stacy Boase, Bobbi Martinez Hernandez, Karen Jass, and to Mines Student Chapter volunteers John Dill, Sean Findley, Kendal Helbig, Trinity Kelly, and Jen Kinch, who had a great time staffing the display. (Dick Beach photos)

SME CO Section and CO School of Mines
[October 20, 2022]
Students and CO Section Members held a joint meeting in October at the Colorado School of Mines campus. Speaker, Rhett Howell, presented on “Digital Underground Face Mapping at the Eagle Lundin Mine.”

Thanks to all who attended the dinner and event! We look forward to seeing more members and students at future events and meetings! (Richard Schwering photo)