

Canberra Outdoor Rock-On Gem and Mineral Show 2nd/3rd March 2005



Janet and Mel trading on behalf of Murraylands Gem & Mineral Club.



Bathurst Gemboree 25th/28th March 2005



Anne Armstrong minding her and Ian's trading stall.



Crowd slowly makes its way to the Exhibition Halls.



Janet watching over the MGMC trading stall, next to Anne and Ian's trading stall.



Janet Jones and Anne Armstrong.



Anne Armstrong and Ian Everard.



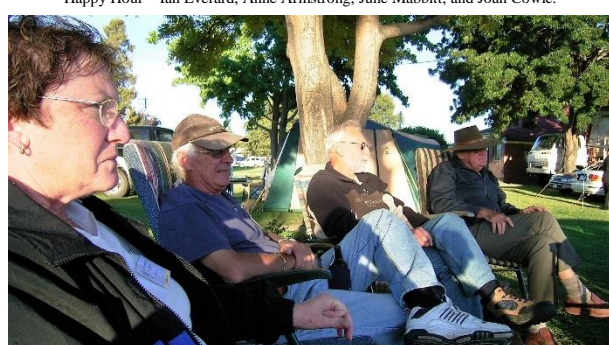
Janet Jones chatting with Maria Howard while potential customers peruse the goods for sale.



Coffee break - Janet Jones, Anne Armstrong, and Ian Everard.



Happy Hour – Ian Everard, Anne Armstrong, June Mabbitt, and Joan Cowie.



Happy Hour – Denice Edwards, Granton Edwards, Terry Mabbitt, and Albert Cowie.



Happy Hour – (clockwise from front centre) Anne Armstrong, June Mabbitt, Joan Cowie, (Brenda Cowie absent in van) Les Cowie, Janet Jones, (Mel Jones absent taking photo) Denice Edwards, Granton Edwards, Terry Mabbitt, Albert Cowie, and Ian Everard.

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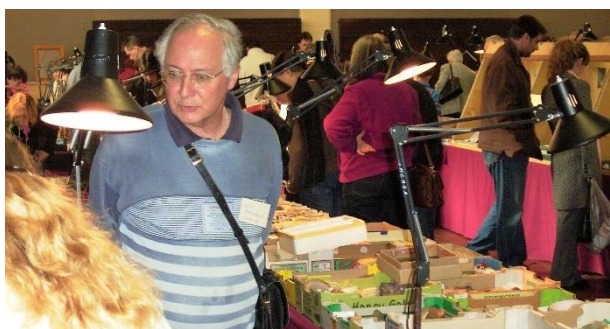
Early morning preparations – Beryl and Doreen.



Doreen, Edith, and Augie.



Gus Paskalis's trading stall, with his mother helping in the foreground.



Gus Paskalis.



Ken and Beryl.



Busy as!



Alan, Doreen, and Augie.



Augie Gray's trading stall.



Irene's trading stall



Members' display of lapidary and special facets of their collections.



Choosing the right 'grab bag' is a challenge.



On the right – Ann, Deane, and Irene.



Entry Ticket Officers - Gerry, Mal, and Deane, and Ian (Exhibition Overseer).



Anne and Ian.



Beryl making an offer.



Janet, Vince, and Marilyn.



Edith (Raffle Tickets) and Doreen (Wire-wrapping jewellery).



Marilyn, Edith, Irene, Ann, John, and Deane (standing).



Get together evening meal after a busy day. Anne, Ian, Janet, and Marilyn.



Ian, Alan, Vince, and John (back facing).



Club mineral trading stall – Janet and Blue Higgins.



Club mineral sales went well.



Ditto.



Busy elsewhere too.



Alan and John ran the Gemmological Association gem identification stand.



Graham managed the micromount stand which interested many young visitors.



Club catering was quite popular.



The club mineral trading stall became more popular as the day progressed.



Marilyn and Vince's trading stall.



Ann carefully prepared a specimen for the young boy to view.

Kanmantoo Mine Fieldtrip 5th October 2005



On track...



The mines thataway boys! – Ian Everard, Terry Mabbit, Kym Loechel, Rubein Geister (and absent Mel Jones – taking photo).



An overview of the Kanmantoo Mine in 2005.



From the (L) – Jeff Tonkin, Vince Peisley, Rubein Geister, Mine Supervisor, Kym Loechel, Ian Everard, and Ashleigh Walsh. (Kym what are you suggesting...that is a semaphore letter 'F'?)



Your'e kidding me...lookup and you will see the hole ahead of you!



Woo...wow!



Looking for specimens are we?



Having a cuppa before entering the pit for a fosick – from the (L) Vince Peisley, Ian Everard, Don Lymn, Kym Loechel, Jeff Tonkin, Mine Supervisor, and Grant Supple.



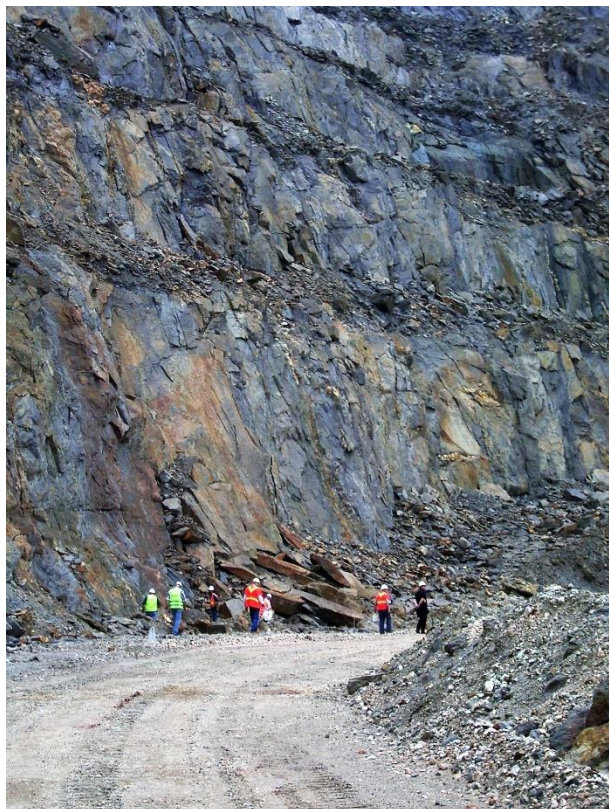
Can't remember what distracted them – Vince Peisley, Ian Everard, Mine Supervisor, Don Lymn, Kym Loechel, Ashleigh Walsh, Jeff Tonkin, and Grant Supple.



Now, that I have your attention...! – clockwise from the front centre: Rubein Geister, Mine Supervisor, Vince Peisley, Ian Everard, Don Lymn, Kym Loechel, Ashleigh Walsh, Jeff Tonkin, Grant Supple, and Terry Mabbitt.



Anticipation.



Still looking.



Waiting.



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The nearby dumps from older mine workings provided interesting specimens of azurite, malachite, and almandine garnet.