



THE MINERALOGICAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES INC

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NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 2022 Supplement

The 44th Annual Seminar of the Joint Mineralogical Societies of Australasia

Will be held in New Zealand over the 29th and 30th of October 2022 by virtual mode.
The following information has been provided by the New Zealand organisers who have asked that it be circulated to all Society members. The link to connect in to the Seminar proceedings is as follows :-

Joint Societies Mineralogical Seminar - Saturday
Time: Oct 29, 2022 09:45 am Canberra, Melbourne, Sydney

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4068415204>

Meeting ID: 406 841 5204

The program: Please note that all times are in NZ DST which is two hours ahead of Australian EDT.
The Seminar commences at 9.45 am, Sydney time, on both days and each day will be ~2hrs 45mins.

Topic: **ZEOLITES**

Sat 29th October.

- 1200 – 1215 Intro and welcome
- 1215 - 1300 Erionite in NZ **Rod Martin**
- 1300 - 1330 Geological occurrence and mineralogical character of erionite in New Zealand:
toward a risk assessment **Janki Patel**
- 1330 - 1415 A mineral collecting trip to the Faroe Islands **Luis Martins**
- 1415 - 1445 Vanadium in Aranga Q **Rod Martin**

Graham Ogle is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.
Joint Societies Mineralogical Seminar - Sunday
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Sun 30th Oct

1200 - 1300 From unknown to new mineral **Tony Kampf**

1300 - 1400 Minerals of Wales **Martin Stolworthy**

1400 – 1445 Oamaru Mineral Breccias **Rod Martin**

1445 -1 500 45th Seminar in Tasmania information?

"Geology is a capital science to begin with as it requires nothing but a little reading, thinking and hammering." Charles Darwin, 1835.

"Travel is fatal to prejudice, bigotry, and narrow-mindedness, and many of our people need it sorely on these accounts. Broad, wholesome, charitable views of men and things cannot be acquired by vegetating in one little corner of the earth all one's lifetime." ~Mark Twain

November 4th SOCIETY GENERAL MEETING

KIDS WITH CANCER SALE

At the November Meeting of the Society there will be the sale of minerals donated for the **Kids with Cancer Foundation**. Members have been asked to look through their collections and select specimens to donate for the Sale and bring in to sell. All proceeds will be sent to the Kids with Cancer Foundation.

Members have been asked to advise in advance what specimens they will donate so that a list can be circulated with the next Newsletter. The details can be communicated to Peter Beddow by e-mail:- plbeddow@tpg.com.au, or telephone 8810 8446, who will compile the list. This would not be essential and specimens could always be brought in on the evening without prior notification.

To date Peter Beddow has not received any offers or information about specimen donations so members are urged to consider what material they have which would be surplus and which they can donate.

Specimens to be sold should be provided with the name, location if known, and the donor's recommended sale price. This should be a realistic figure, ideally we would hope that all specimens donated for sale will be bought by members and not have to be taken away later by the donor.
