

Becoming a Member

As you sign up to be a member of The Helena Mineral Society, take a minute and ask yourself why you want to become a member of such a wonderful club. Is it because you want to learn where to find stones/fossils/crystals by going on club field trips? Is it because you want to learn about rocks and geology by coming to meetings and hearing the presentations? Is it that you want to be a part of the community aspects of the club, the camaraderie of being with like minded people? Is it because you want to help with the many committees and events of the club? We are hoping all this is why you are joining the The Helena Mineral Society.

There are many places for a person to volunteer and help the club.

- *Board Positions
- *Committee Positions
- *Helping at the Club Show
- *Giving a presentation at a meeting
- *Claim Trail Maintenance
- *Cleaning and organizing the storage units
- *Teaching at the cabochon workshops and at other events during the year where our help is asked for, (like at The Montana Learning Center and other school and library requests)
- *Helping at the Annual Picnic and Club Christmas Party
- *Breaking up stored club stones for tumbling
- *Tumbling the stones for grab bags
- *Sewing the grab bags
- *Filling the grab bags at the yearly event for the show
- *Helping to organize a field trip

There are so many places to be an active participant of the Helena Mineral Society.

Becoming a member requires you to **attend meetings** and to **be a help to the club** in some way. Please try and think of where you fit in to do so.

We look forward to having you be a member and being an active participant.
The “**BEHIND THE SCENES**” is the most fun of the club.