



The Rock Record – January, 2020

2019 Executive

President

Mike Thomas

Vice-President

Taylor Forsyth

Secretary

Andrew Morley

Treasurer

Dillon Johnstone

Business Manager

Samantha Van De Kerckhove

Program Chair

Alex Pollard

Assistant Program Chair

Kim Kreis

Past President

Erik Nickel

Committee Chairs:

Education and Outreach

Kate MacLachlan

Field Trip Committee

John Lake

Geological Calendar & Highway Map

Ralf Maxeiner

Williston Basin Core Workshop

Andrew Morley

Annual General Meeting

Samantha Van De Kerckhove

Honour Roll

Dave Macdougall

Geological Open House

Jason Berenyi

Please contribute to the SGS Newsletter

The SGS Newsletter is produced by the SGS executive. Letters, announcements, notices, comments, photos, news and information about SGS members, etc. are always welcome. Call an executive member or write to us at:

Saskatchewan Geological Society
P.O. Box 234
Regina, SK S4P 2Z6

SGS e-mail address:

Sask.Geol.Soc@hotmail.com

SGS Website: www.sgshome.ca

[‘Like’ SGS on Facebook](#)

In This Issue

- **Winter – Spring 2020 Lecture Schedule** p. 1
- **Annual General Meeting, February 15, 2020** p. 1 & 2
- **Curling Bonspiel, March 21, 2020** p. 1 & 3
- **Field Trip Planning Meeting, TBA** p. 1
- **2020 Membership renewal, & el Presidente’s final blurb** p. 3
- **2019 Corporate Members and Sponsors** p.4

Winter – Spring 2020 Lecture Schedule

After a 2 month “Christmas” hiatus, our Winter-Spring Lecture Program for 2020 will begin again on February 4th at Bushwakker with Alec Pollard’s talk on his Masters thesis work. Talk notice with abstract will be out to membership this week.

Talk schedule as follows:

Feb 4 – Alec Pollard (that’s next week)– Widespread pedogenesis of Early Mississippian carbonate sand bodies from the Williston Basin in southeastern Saskatchewan.

Feb 10 – Todd Hoffman – SPE distinguished lecturer at PTRC – EOR for unconventional reservoirs: The next big thing?

March 3rd – Lionel Jackson – The backward flowing Yukon River.

March 19 – Brian Brunskill – Alternative energy ideas.

April 1st – Jeff Bader – Structural inheritance and the role of basement anisotropies in the Laramide structural tectonic evolution of the North American Cordilleran Foreland, Wyoming and Montana.

April 30th – Colin Card – Some of his research, he wasn’t specific but his date is confirmed. (Good old Colin).

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, Saturday, February 15.

This year’s AGM will be held again at the Atlas Hotel (formerly the Travelodge), 4177 Albert Street (*Event poster included on page 2 of this Rock Record*). The “later than normal” scheduling this year into mid-February could not be helped and, we’ve heard, bumps into Valentine’s Day and Family Day weekend. So this, of course, is an excellent opportunity to bring your Sweetie and / or Family along to this prestigious event for the business meeting year end review, and cocktails / dinner / Awards / introduction of the 2020 Executive, and so many other cool things its hard to remember them all. The outgoing executive hopes to see you there.

Annual Curling Bonspiel, Saturday, March 21 at the Callie Curling Club

Held in partnership with the D.M. Kent Geology Club, the venue for this event has been booked and the ice is being carefully prepared for our arrival. Poster with details follows.

Field Trip Planning Meeting

Field trip coordinator, Mr. John Lake will be notifying us when & where he’ll be scheduling this meeting, likely sometime in February. All are welcome.

2019 Awards Dinner & AGM



Saturday, February 15th, 2020 at the Atlas Hotel,
4177 Albert St.

Business Meeting (Mezzanine Room)	5:30 pm
Coctails	5:30 pm
Buffet Dinner	7:00 pm
Awards & Honour Roll	8:00 pm
Presidential Address	9:00 pm

Mike's Awesome Geology
Textbook Tour



Tickets: \$40
Student Ticket: \$20

Please purchase your tickets **online**
before February 10, 2020

<https://sgshome.ca/events/registration/all-registration>

For more information or to purchase your tickets in cash, please contact:
Samantha Van De Kerckhove @ samantha.vandekerckhove@gov.sk.ca



Saskatchewan Geological Society and the D. M. Kent Geology Club

ANNUAL CURLING BONSPIEL




Callie Curling Club
2225 Sandra Schmirler Way

Saturday March 21, 2020
@ 3:00 pm

Please sign up by March 17th

Register online at
<https://sgshome.ca/events/registration/all-registration>
and email your team list to
andrew.morley@gov.sk.ca



**pizza and snacks
will be provided**



\$15/person

Don't forget to renew your memberships for 2020

El Presidente's final blurb

It's been a real pleasure for me to be El Presidente for 2019, to see first hand all of the workings of this Geological Society, to see the Executive and the various committees proceed with the tasks at hand with such energy. I've met a lot of great people this year. Thanks for this opportunity. My outgoing Executive has rounded up an Executive for 2020, with some old and some new. We'll be introducing them at the upcoming AGM on February 15. We hope to see you all there, to raise a glass, to toast the New year, to celebrate the Society's 69th year. Drinks are on Kim.

Cheers,

Mike Thomas, outgoing El Presidente



OUR 2019 CORPORATE MEMBERS:



Robertson
Trading
Company

