

We need your help as a volunteer this summer



SAN DIEGO COUNTY FAIR GEMS & MINERALS DEPT.



Del Mar Fairgrounds

June 12 – July 7, 2024

Want to help make the fair a success?

Volunteer for two-hour shifts:

Children's sandbox of "buried treasure"

Demonstrators

Answer Questions (supervisor will train you)

The times for each day are 11-1, 1-3 and 3-5

How do I sign up to Volunteer?

Contact Asst. Supervisor Jennifer Stapp

858-829-1723 or Gems@SDFair.com

*Besides the satisfaction of volunteering,
you'll be rewarded for your effort
with a free Fair ticket and parking pass*

SDMG and other clubs throughout San Diego get involved in the Gem & Mineral Department by signing up to demonstrate skills or to run the children's sandbox filled with tumbled rocks.

Volunteers are needed who can demonstrate faceting, metal fabrication, sphere making, casting, rock carving, wax carving, chain making, wire wrapping, or answer questions and explain what you are doing. People are mesmerized when they see these skills demonstrated before their eyes.

Children are intrigued by the sandbox, but they need to be shown how to dig for "buried treasure." They also need help identifying the minerals/rocks they choose to take home for free. (There are two displays with pictures of rocks and their names to help you identify them.)

The physical presence of volunteers and their interaction with the public is a big part of what makes the Fair a success. It's fun for the kids and also for the adults who are still kids at heart.