

**Canon City Geology Club**

**Wire wrapping class**

**November 3<sup>rd</sup> or November 17th, 2018**

**Where:** Habitat for Humanity conference room at 727 So. 8<sup>th</sup> St. in Canon City. Take Hwy. 50 to 9<sup>th</sup> St. in Canon, and head south to Griffin. This is about one mile. Turn west on Griffin and go over the RR tracks to the next block on your right. Turn north on So. 8<sup>th</sup> St. and go to the Habitat Store on the left side of the street. The facility is handicap accessible. You will be meeting in the room on the west end of the building.

**When:** November 3<sup>rd</sup> or November 17th at 9:30 a.m. **Choose one date only.** Class will end at approximately 3 p.m. and we will have an hour break for lunch.

This class is being instructed by Daniel Nichols and Jack Woolsey. Both are master craftsmen at jewelry made from minerals and crystals.

**How to sign up:** Sign up is a 3 step process:

- You must sign up by e-mail by 5:00 p.m. on October 30 for the class on the 3<sup>rd</sup> or by 5:00 p.m. on November 13<sup>th</sup> for the class on the 17<sup>th</sup>. E-mails must be sent to: [cjyoung2010@live.com](mailto:cjyoung2010@live.com)
- Wait for a reply e-mail to let you know if there is room in the class.
- Once you are notified that there is room in the class, mail a \$10 minimum reservation fee to: CCGC, P.O. Box 522, Canon City, CO 81215. This money will be applied towards the \$35 fee for the class. The reservation fee must be received by the day prior to the class.

E-mail signups will be placed on the wait list in the order received. Once your reservation fee is received, you will be added to the class roster. If your reservation fee is not received by the deadline, the next person on the wait list will be invited to join the class.

Special notice: Each class is limited to 6 people. Sign up for one class only.

You must be a CCGC current member in good standing.

**Description: Basic Wire wrap for the Rock-hound.** You will learn the characteristics of wire, learn two techniques to wire wrap cabochons, crystals and irregular stones. The objective of this class is to wire wrap one cabochon and one crystal or irregular stone by the end of class.

**PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU NEED TO CANCEL. WE WILL HAVE A WAITING LIST.** Cancellation must be received by 24 hour prior to class in order to receive a refund. Cancellations after that time will be considered a donation to the scholarship fund.

**Cost: \$35.** Your deposit goes towards this fee. If your deposit does not cover the full cost of the class, please bring cash or a check payable to CCGC with you to class.

**What to Bring:** 2 stones: your own crystal, or an irregular stone and a cabochon.

The best size for cabs would be 32mmx50mm or 1x2". The cabs should be around 1/4 inch thick or narrower and should be 1/2 to 1 1/2" long.

Crystals should be 10-15x10-20 mm or around a half inch or so, but not more than 1 1/2" long.

Jack and Daniel will have some stones for sale.

**Tools for student to bring:**

Chain nose pliers

Wire cutters or flush cutters

Round nose pliers

Small round mandrel, wood dowel or pencil (for making tight curls with the wire)

Ruler or tape measure

Knife with a smooth blade—not serrated (pocket knife works well)

Sharpie pen

Painters blue tape

Flat nose pliers

Wire wrapping and cutting tools are available at Hobby Lobby, Harbor Freight, and Wal-Mart. Hobby Lobby has a 40% off coupon on line.

**Wire – Teachers will supply:**

21 Ga. Square wire, half-hard in copper

21 Ga. Half round wire, half-hard copper for Bezel wraps

21&22 gauge sterling silver square and half square wire

