

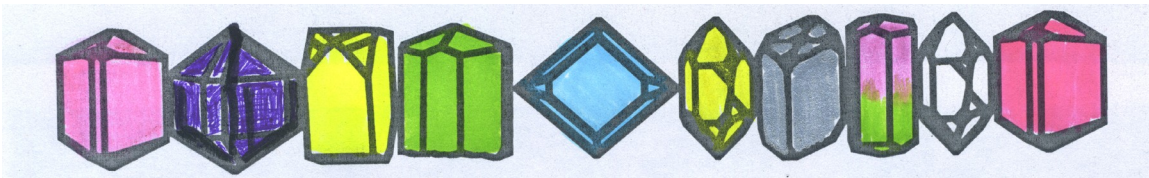
JULY 2026 SHINSKINNER

PREZ NOTES:

Tis the season for picnics, and July is our next one on July 19 at the Jim King Memorial Park. In Athens, take Front Street across the river and hang a left on Glen Valley Road and follow it around and the park will appear on the right. Or continue on Front Street and hang a left into Kirby Street and when you meet Glen Valley Road again, you have the park on your right. Gather at noon, eat pulled pork at 1:00. Bring a dish to pass, your own table service and liquid preference.



Our working club is not a large club by any standards but we still keep trying. By the same token our pebble pups is also a nice small fun group and if it weren't for Inga, we would not even have that. Inga, we thank you so much for all you do for and with the pups club.



VP NOTES:

Hi everyone on the board,

The families of the Pebble Pups and I would like to thank the Che-Hanna board members for our outing to Eldridge park yesterday. This was in place of the dinner for working at the show and helping with publicity for it.

We still do not know why the Vanderpool family wasn't able to join us and hoping that everything is ok.

The Lindhorst kids had never been to Eldridge park, they had a ball.

It was really nice to send Duane off to do stuff with the kids while we women watched and got to know each other a little bit better.

I think members getting to know one another becoming friends is an important part of every club.

I bought tickets for the rides with my credit card and we bought food and drink with cash. Since the Lindhorst kids couldn't find proper allergen free food, they stopped on the way home for some food with the rest of their refreshment money.

Margie Brennan, the Lindhorst kids grandma that brings them to meetings, was brave enough to ride those fast spinning things with the kids. She was feeling a bit out of sorts afterwards.

Duane, Ashley and I stuck to the merry go round. Ashley brought her 1 year old twin grandbabies and they were lots of fun.

I think Duane has two tickets left. He did a good job with the kids. They definitely tired him out.

Our Facebook pictures show the kids in TShirts and us old people with turtleneck and coats. Ashley ended buying a sweatshirt because the wind was cold.

So, the scientific explanation, we need more warmth as we age. 🤔

Duane would like to asked the club to sponsor the kids next group outing - a trip to the farm sanctuary in Chemung where we will try zip lining.

We used to have an annual picnic there with previous pebble pups and they had to write a poem or a short story that they had to read out loud while there.

It's my joy and task to help the kids to get out of their comfort zones by doing some public speaking, starting with their group, and then the public, as part of their communications badge.

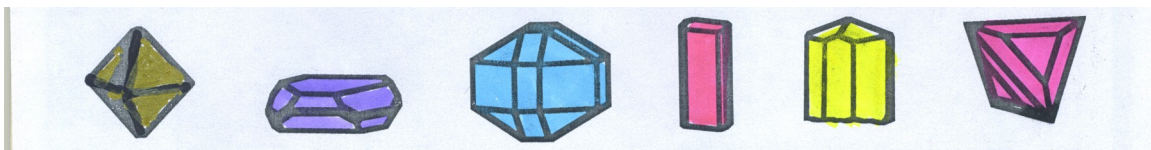
This year, they will write again about the GOAT, the greatest of all times. Could be about a rock, food, a sports celebrity, and so on.

I still have photos of previous kids doing that. It was a hoot.

I will give a printout of the receipt for the tickets to Trish. She can reimburse me in September and add the pavilion rentals for the picnic to that. That would be the July one in Athens Township receipt. I think she took care of Hornbrook. Eastside park in Towanda is free.

I'm planning a kid's meeting at my house this summer to make bismuth crystals and might invite a few club members to that with an interest in doing that.

Thank you for your time,
Inga



SUNSHINE REPORT

Hope everyone is doing well and coping with the heat and humidity. Just can't get a half way in between. It's either too hot, muggy and rainy or it's too cold, rainy and windy. Hang in there. It's going to get better for all of us.

Happy Birthday and Happy Anniversary to those that celebrate in the month of July. Hope you have a great day.

Let's keep those in our thoughts and prayers that are having medical issues or not feeling too well right now. Hope you all feel better real soon.

Hope to see you at the picnic, Sunday, the 19th, Jim King Park in East Athens. Good time of socializing, eating and fun games.

If you know of someone who needs some cheer, please let me know and I will do my best to get in touch with them. Always nice to get a card or phone call when you're not feeling well.

Take care. Stay safe. Stay hydrated.

JoAnn
Lady Sunshine

