

The Midwest Faceter

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Special News Items

Picnic Meeting July 14th and Election of Officers at October Meeting

NOTE: DATE CORRECTION

Seminar Weekend August 11th Saturday and 12th Sunday

Letter from MWFG President:

We seriously want to grow our club. We need your ideas, help and participation. Please contact me with any ideas or if you are willing to sponsor an event.

On June 30th and July 1st, we met at Melvin and Ruth Ann Lehner's house for a Free Frat. We had 12 people there, most for both days, Saturday and Sunday. Of course, there was lots of good food and fun conversations. Thank you, Melvin and Ruth Ann for hosting us.

We were pleased to see two New Members there, Scott Scoles. and Sandi Hartman. They both plan to be at August Seminar, give them a warm Welcome.

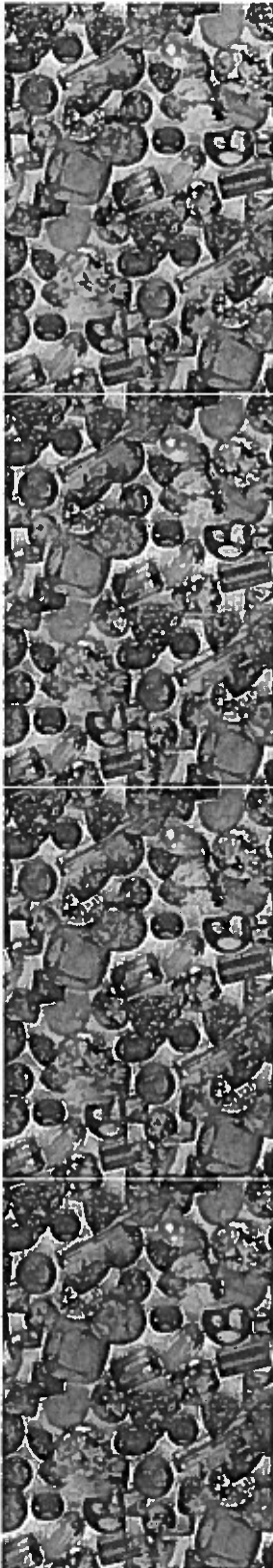
Our next meeting is a Picnic Meeting (July 14th). Melvin and Ruth Ann Lehner are having it at their church; it is air conditioned. Hope you can come. We need to finalize plans for August Seminar and set committee October election of officers. Would anybody like to be Officer next year? Please let me know.

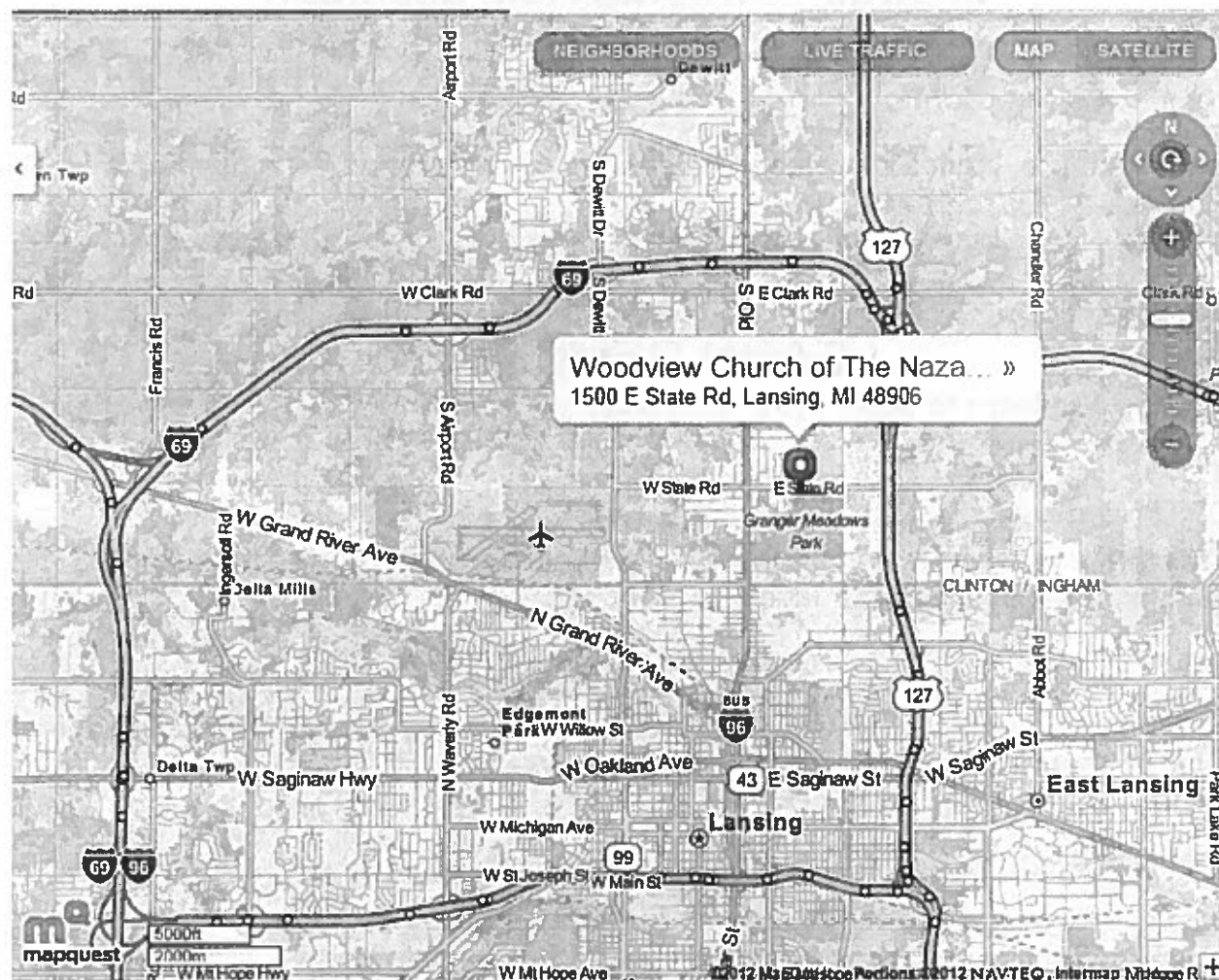
Our yearly Seminar in August :

- Your competition stones must be turned in at August Seminar or mailed to Barbara Yost post marked by Aug 11, 2012.
 - We have eliminated fees for entering Competition. We will only charge you, if have to mail your stone back to you in October. If you pick up your stone at October meeting or authorize someone else to pick yours up, there will be no charge.
 - Certificates will be given out at October Meeting.
- We are adding a Beading Class to Seminar, cost will be \$50 to benefit MWFG. Two Bead kits will be provided FREE, cost for additional Bead Kits TBD. I will be teaching class; have plenty of tools and books to look through. You may bring your own projects, however cost is still \$50 and benefits MWFG.
- Please bring a dish to pass, there is a kitchen for us to use.
- We may have Special Speaker on Saturday Evening.

October 27th Meeting will include Election of Officers be on weekend of the Mason Show, the details will be coming. Mason Show is Oct 27th, from 10:00 a.m - 9:00p.m, and Oct 28th 11:00 - 5:00p.m at the Ingham County Fairgrounds 700 East Ash Street, Mason , Michigan.

Sincerely yours,
Linda Badger, MWFG President





Picnic Potluck and Meeting July 14th at Woodview Church of the Nazarene, 1500 E State Street, Lansing, Mi. Contact Ruth Ann Lehner for more information 517-643-4406 ruthie48@netzero.com.

- 11:00-----Pot Luck (NO CHIPS PLEASE). Linda is bringing Hotdogs. Bring your own eating tools and a drink.
- Meeting will be at 1:00.
- Everyone please bring a helpful hint and a pattern to share. We have access to a copy machine.
- You are welcome to bring guests.
- Please come and share the fun!!!
- Raffle prizes.

Midwest Faceters' Guild Seminar
August 11th & 12th, 2012 Tallmadge Township Hall Michigan
FACETINGFACTS***FRIENDS***FUN***
O-1451 Leonard St NW, Grand Rapids, MI 49534
REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Note: We have a limited number of machines available for Introduction to Faceting on a first come first served basis.

Select one of the following Classes:

Cost

_____ Introduction to Faceting \$95.00
Need a machine? Yes _____ No _____

_____ GemCad Learn to create your own designs \$95.00
Computer required

_____ Open Faceting \$50.00
Bring your machine, supplies, design and stone
and join us for a weekend of faceting.

_____ Beading \$50.00
Two Beading Kit Projects will be provided Free and
additional projects available at cost TBD. You may bring
your own projects, if you prefer to get some help on them.
Cost is same though proceeds to benefit MWFG. Tools and
books will be available to use at Seminar.

Make all checks payable to **MIDWEST FACETERS GUILD**

Return paperwork to: Barb Yost
O-11105 Thomas NW
Grand Rapids MI 49534

For information contact: Barb Yost Phone: 616-254-9777
Email: barbandben@gmail.com

If you desire confirmation, please include a self-addressed and stamped envelope (SASE) Otherwise your cancelled check is your receipt.

Registration Deadline August 1, 2012
NO REFUNDS

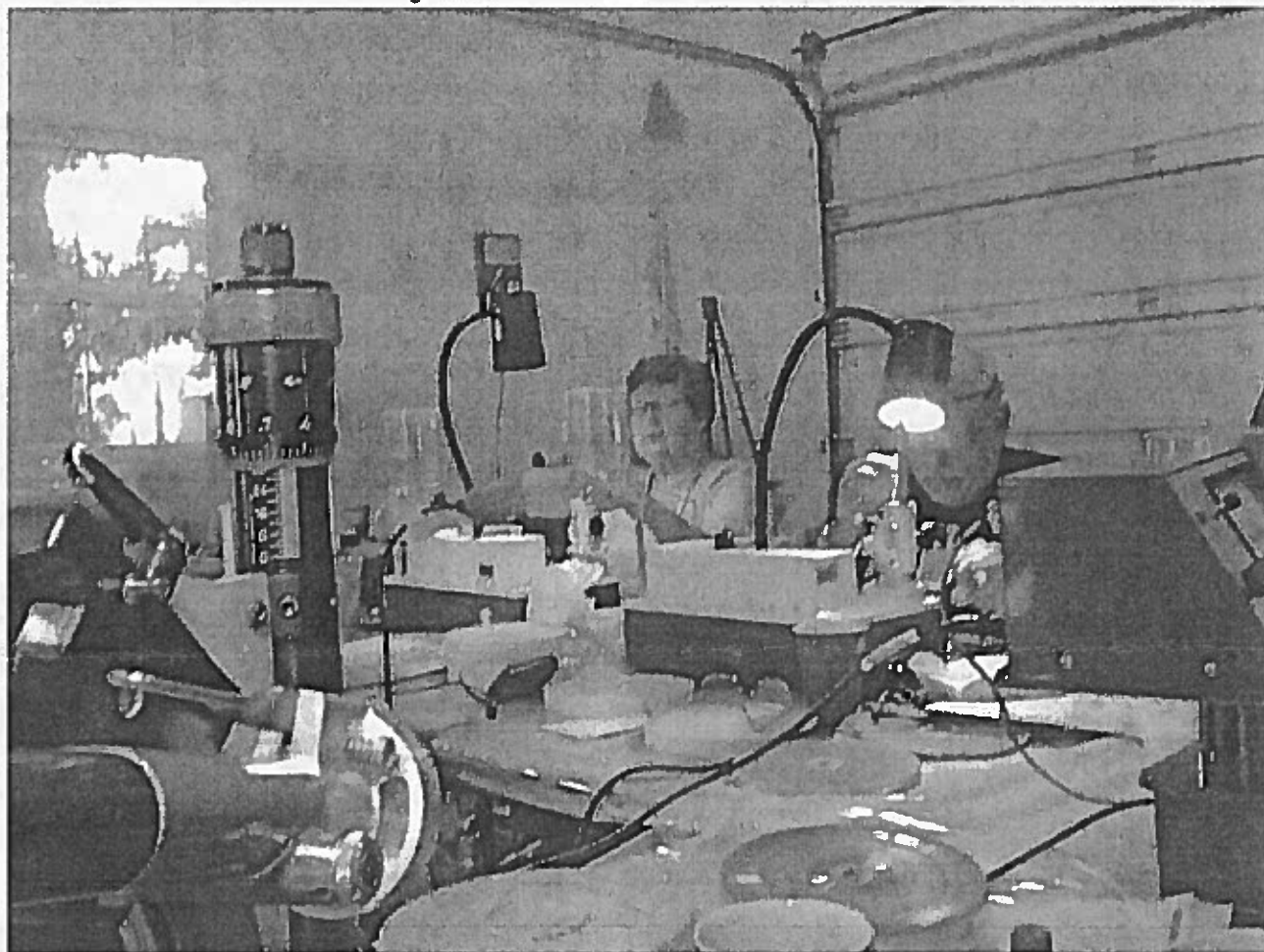
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Check No. _____ Date Received _____ Reg. No. _____

Pictures are from June 30-July 1, 2012 FREE FRAT at the Lehner's house.

Note the garage was air conditioned, so we were quite comfortable.

Quote from Ruth Ann "My Motto: It's all about the **SPARKLE!**"



President Linda Badger brought the FRAT July 14th meeting to order. Not an official meeting scheduled, we had majority of officers present: Linda Badger, Melvin and Ruth Ann Lehner and needed a timely decision made.

Upcoming events in July will be a meeting being held in North Lansing at 1500 East State Street at the Woodview Church of the Nazarene. Please bring a dish to pass and your own eating tools and a drink. We will have chips, some drinks available like coffee and ice tea. Linda Badger is donating Hot Dogs and buns so please bring dishes to go along with this. Contact Melvin at 517-643-4407 or Ruthann at 517-643-4406.

Bmwmel@netzero.net or ruthie48@netzero.net

Barb Yost was contacted by Lorraine Demerly and asked if they could bring rough to August Seminar. Denerly's were members of MWFG for many years. After discussion Barb Yost made a motion to let Demerly's bring and sell their faceting rough and supplies at the August Seminar. Dianna Dunaway seconded and motion carried. Linda Badger will call and invite Demerly's to confirm.

Respectfully submitted, Ruthann Lehner, Sec

PS...Note from Linda Badger, I did contact Demerly's and talked to Lorraine. She wanted to check their calendar, before committing to August Seminar, however they are interested. I told them there would be no charge for them to come as it benefits our membership, however that we could not guarantee them any sales. Hope we can make it worth their trip, so they might come back. It would be nice to have rough supplier there to buy from. I always prefer to see what I'm buying.

Dennis and Lorraine Demerly
Demerlys Rocks & Art Works

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Hope Diamond OLD Setting and NEW see <http://www.smithsonianmag.com/science-nature/Testing-the-Hope-Diamond.html>

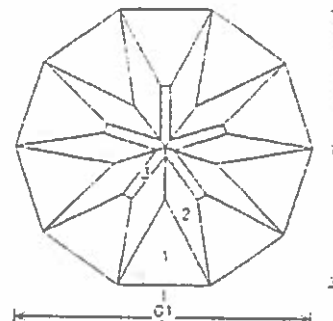
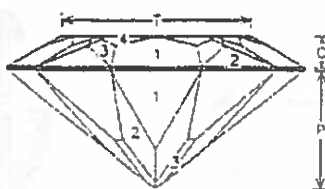
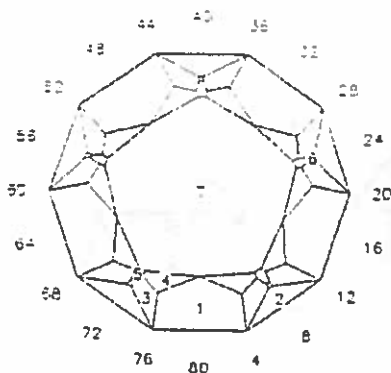
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Butterflies

by Walt Heitland via Meet Points Feb. 1998

**BUTTERFLIES**

by Walt Heitland

80 index Angles for R.I. = 1.76

66 facets + 10 on girdle = 76 5-fold, mirror-image symmetry

L/W = 1.051 T/W = 0.666 T/L = 0.634 P/W = 0.427

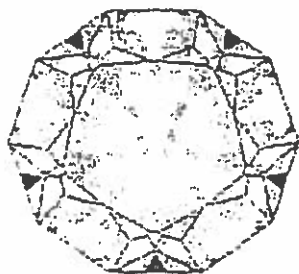
H/W = (P+C)/W+0.02 = 0.560 P/H = 0.763 C/H = 0.201

Pavilion:

G1	90.00	80-08-16-24-32-	set diameter
		40-48-56-64-72	
1	42.39	80-08-16-24-32-	level girdle
		40-48-56-64-72	
2	39.40	04-12-20-28-36-	meet 1-1-G1
		44-52-60-68-76	
3	38.00	08-24-40-56-72	watch widths

Crown:

1	30.00	80-16-32-48-64	set girdle width
2	43.70	08-24-40-56-72	level girdle
3	29.99	03-13-19-29-35-	meet 1-2-G1
		45-51-61-67-77	
4	25.50	01-15-17-31-33-	Watch shape of
		47-49-63-65-79	group 3
5	24.52	08-24-40-56-72	place by eye
6	30.00	08-24-40-56-72	(optional)
T	0.00	Table	meet 1-4-4



Brightness:
COS = 81.9
ISO = 91.7

Notes: C4 has no meetpoints so the shape of C3 is critical as you cut group 4. Only when the table is placed, will the butterflies take their final shape.

C5 and the optional C6 (for larger stones) are also cut by eye - don't let the butterflies' bodies get too thick. Cut in med. to light shades of

True Love is Like a Butterfly...
The More Freedom You Give It
The More Likely It Is To Return To You