

# Nampa, ID Chapter GPAA Newsletter

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## **Presidential Nuggets**

At our March meeting, I mentioned that I'd like to start a section of our meeting agenda entitled 'Good and Welfare' where we can report/update news on our members welfare. Please let me know of anyone in the club who is in the hospital or is recovering from an illness.

We care about our club members!

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## **April Outing**

### **View From the High Bank**

Outings Director, Jason Tully is considering an outing to the Owyhees the 22<sup>nd</sup>. He and a few others are going out to take a look. Anyone interested please contact him next week at [owyhee8902@aol.com](mailto:owyhee8902@aol.com)

The outing is tentative and 'weather permitting'. 4-wheel drive will be necessary if it has been raining.

If anyone is going near Pioneerville or Placerville in the next week or so, a report on the conditions would be helpful! Thanks!

## **Sluice Box News**

Tom Ashworth gave an informative program on dredging entitled 'Geology for Dredging / General Prospecting' at our April 4 meeting. He had great stories on 'How Not to Move a Dredge' and educational drawings on the white board as to where gold can be located in the rivers.

Hope everyone took notes!

He suggested using a 4" dredge for all-around weekend use in Idaho.

Check it out: [www.tomashworth.com](http://www.tomashworth.com)

Coyote Short, Geologist and Idaho Mining Museum Director, will return in June for a discussion on 'Kitchen Chemistry'. For information about the museum go to

[www.idahomuseum.com](http://www.idahomuseum.com)

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## **Snake River Elementary School Is The Meeting Place**

The Nampa Chapter GPAA meets at Snake River Elementary School cafeteria, 500 Stampede Drive, Nampa.

Mining Meeting starts at 7:00p.m.

See you next meeting, Tuesday, May 2!

## **Secretarial Pannings**

If you have any tidbits that you think our fellow members would benefit from, please contact me I'll be glad to put them in the newsletter!

I will have the roster at our next meeting, please check your information for accuracy.

I get several email failures when sending out the newsletter. Want to keep you in the loop!

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## **Welcome**

### **New Prospectors**

Dennis & Bonnie Abrams

Kim & DeAnne Kirkham

Coyote Short

Joe Sloss

## **Happy April Birthday**

To our April birthday folk, we wish you the best of good times and excellent prospecting for your coming year.

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