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**The Culver City Rock and Mineral Club, Inc.
*57th Annual Fiesta of Gems
Fact Sheet***

- WHO:** The Culver City Rock and Mineral Club, Inc.
- WHAT:** 57th Annual Fiesta of Gems Show
Featured Gem is *Jade*
- WHERE:** Culver City Veterans Memorial Auditorium
4117 Overland Ave., Culver City
Corner of Overland Ave and Culver Blvd
<http://www.culvercityrocks.org/>
- WHEN:** Saturday, June 23, 2018 -10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Sunday, June 24, 2018– 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
- WHY:** To celebrate the 57th anniversary of the Culver City Rock and Mineral Club
- PURPOSE:** The Fiesta of Gems is an annual event to introduce the community to minerals, gems, earth sciences and the art of jewelry making. We offer jewelry making and lapidary demonstrations, jewelry making classes, and children's programs. This event helps to support community programs which introduces, educates, challenges, and inspires elementary students in Earth Science activities and provides donations to the Culver City Boy Scouts, Troop 113, and the Culver City Senior Center.

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DEMONSTRATORS: TBA

EXHIBITS: Museum Displays, Designer Jewelry, Mineral and Gem Specimens, Fossil Collections

GENERAL Free parking

INFORMATION: Free admission
Children's games – Kid's Zone
Door Prizes
Grand Prize Drawing
Over 30 Gem and Jewelry Dealers from California, New Mexico, Arizona and Nevada
Book Sales
Tool Dealers

ABOUT THE CULVER CITY ROCK AND MINERAL CLUB

The purpose of the CULVER CITY ROCK & MINERAL CLUB is to bring together persons interested in the earth sciences, to engage in research and study in this realm, and to assist members in the collection and preservation of rocks and minerals and in the study of lapidary and related arts.