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6:00 P.M. at the French Connection Cafe
(social hour starts at 5:00)

Speaker: Christal Glinka
Florida Gulf Coast University

Topic: Core Analysis of Shallow Subsurface
at CRS Rinker Mine, Lee County

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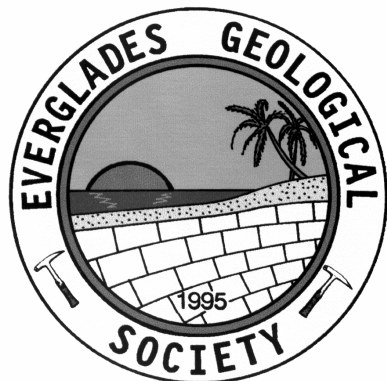
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EGS MEETING THIS MONTH TUESDAY September 17, 2002

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Members Come Join Us!

This year's lineup of guest speakers is being arranged by our new Vice-President, Julie Montano. Watch this space for upcoming speakers.

DATE	SPEAKER	TOPIC
9/17	Christal Glinka	Core Analysis, Lee County
10/15	TBA	TBA
11/19	Dr. Michael Savarese	TBA
12/17	Dr. Robert Maliva	TBA

Note to Members

Sign-in sheets will be used at each meeting as attendance may be used for continuing education credits. Field trip participation can also contribute continuing education credits.



President's Message

By Amy Tobias

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I hope all of you have had a nice, relaxing summer. I have been busy doing field work at the south Collier regional water treatment plant. Although there are long working hours some days, our field site is off the beaten path and I have come across panther, bobcat, bald eagles, and many deer. The sightings have made it a more enjoyable field experience.

Although it was a rainy day, we had a nice turnout for the end of the year EGS picnic. We met at 9:30am on Saturday June 22nd at Bowditch Park on Fort Myers Beach. In addition to the nibbles everyone brought, we ordered pizzas so that we did not have to grill in the rain. When the rain let up, we walked along the beach, collected shells, and played frisbee.

It was also at this event that the ballots were tallied for this club year's EGS officers. We thank all of last year's officers for a great year. They include: Jack Breland (President), Amy Tobias (Vice President), Terry Bengtsson (Editor), Curtis Klug (Secretary/Treasurer), Duane Dungan (Director), and Dan Acquaviva (AAPG Delegate). We know that the new officers will make this an unforgettable year. This year's officers include: Amy Tobias (President), Julie Montano (Vice President), Terry Bengtsson (Editor), Curtis Klug (Secretary/Treasurer), Duane Dungan (Director), and Clyde Dabbs (Director/AAPG Delegate).

Julie Montano is lining up speakers for the fall meetings. In addition, we are planning field trips and have many fundraising ideas to help support EGS. If you have any ideas (whether field trip or fundraising) or know of someone you think would be a great speaker, do not hesitate to contact your EGS officers. We want to make this a great year.

Please mark your calendars! Our first EGS meeting for the 2002-2003 club year will be Tuesday September 17. That day marks halfway to St. Patrick's Day so it has been suggested that after the talk at the French Connection Café, we adjourn to Shannon's (near the French Connection Café downtown) for unlimited barbeque and import beer tasting for dinner. We look forward to seeing all of you again and hopefully meeting new members.

THIS MONTH'S SPEAKER

Core Analysis of Shallow Subsurface
at CRS Rinker Mine, Lee County

By

Christal Glinka

Florida Gulf Coast University

The purpose of this research and study was to form a better knowledge of the stratigraphy of the Southwest Florida area. This would be done by studying and describing ten ground cores taken by the Alico Corp., now owned by CSR Rinker. The information would then be used to identify what types of paleoenvironments are represented in the Ochopee Limestone, Ft. Thompson and Caloosahatchee Formations. Additionally, it will be used to discover what spatial and temporal relationships might be found in the facies described.

BIOGRAPHY

Christal is currently attending Florida Gulf Coast University (FGCU), and will graduate with a Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in Earth Systems Science in December 2002. She began this program in the Fall of 1998. While at FGCU, Christal conducted field work which involved taking cores to study the effects of sea level rise in Estero Bay. She is currently involved in a project relating the effect of El Niño and La Niña on the number and intensity of hurricanes in the Atlantic. Christal began her internship work with the SFWMD in May, 2002. She has had a variety of work experiences at the Water Management District.

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Meets on the Third Tuesday of each month at the French Connection Cafe on First St. in downtown Fort Myers, Florida. Social hour starts at 5:00 PM. The meeting begins at 6:00 PM. No meetings are held in July or August



EGS MEETING CALENDAR 2002

- September 17
- October 15
- November 19
- December 17

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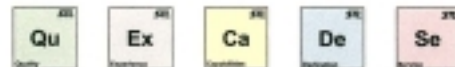
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