

The 37th 1000 Island Gem Mineral Jewelry & Fossil Show

2025 APPLICATION & ENTRY REGULATIONS

Saturday Aug 30th - Sunday Sept 1st

Saturday 10:00 - 6:00; Sunday 10:00 - 5:00; Monday 10:00 - 4:00

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The 35th Gem and Mineral annual show was held in 2013. In last September, we successfully revived the 36th in Clayton NY - a beautiful area bringing together Lake Ontario and St. Lawrence River. Now, the 37th 1000 Island Gem Mineral Jewelry and Fossil Show is on the way

1. Location and time of the show:

➤ The 37th 1000 Island Gem Mineral & Fossil Show will be held **Saturday, Aug 30th from 10:00 - 6:00; Sunday Aug 31st 10:00 - 5:00 and Monday Sept 1st 10:00 - 4:00 at the Cerow Recreation Park Arena, 600 E Line Rd, Clayton NY 13624.**

2. Setup:

➤ Vendors are welcome to begin to set up on **Friday at 8:00am, August 29th, 2025.** Vendors can pack up immediately following the close of the show on Sunday or if they prefer, they can pack up between the hour of 8:00am - 2:00pm, Monday Sept 2nd 2025. There are two over head doors at each side of the Arena Building. Trucks or other vehicles are allowed, with permission of the Cerow Recreation Park Manager, to drive into and on the Arena floor for the express purpose of loading or unloading inventories. This should be done in a timely fashion. And please make sure there is no leaking of engine oil.

➤ 8' tables and chairs are provided. No nails and glue on the tables and floor. Vendors are responsible for any and all damage to the facility.

➤ Electric outlets for power are provided with an extra charge from the ceiling of the Arena Building. There is concession area which provide hot/cold beverages and food. We also have two food trucks and one ice cream truck outside the building and the building is air cooled. Electricity is only used for lighting merchandise.

3. Hold harmless and clean:

➤ There will be 24 hours security inside the facility from 3:00pm Friday 8/30/2025 until 4:00pm Monday 9/2/2025.

➤ Applicant agrees that any damage, loss or theft of merchandise will be on their own risk during the course of the show or after show hours. Applicant is aware that they may obtain insurance at their own expense, against all risks associated with their participation in the show.

➤ No open flames or torches are permitted inside the facility. Smoking, alcohol, burning candles or incense is strictly prohibited.

- All tables must be neat and presentable, covered with fire retardant materials.
- No animals are permitted in the facility except as otherwise provided by law.

4. Applicants are accepted on a first come first served basis.

- Please complete and return the signed application. We prefer to receive it before May 31st, 2025. Deadline is July 31st 2025.
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- **Make checks payable to: RisingAurora and mailed to: PO Box 381, Clayton NY 13624. Confirmation of your booth space will be sent back to you upon receiving of your payment. When you come to setup, you have to show the copy of the contract signed by RisingAurora.**
- Any checks returned to RisingAurora will incur a \$25 fee
- Cancellation of contract and refund shall occur only after the available space has been re-assigned and will be issued after the completion of the show.
- If it is required to cancel the show because of war, fire, flood, calamity, pandemic, disaster, act of terrorism, applicant receives full refund of their payments.

5. Training and Education for children

- Teaching classes will be held at the second floor conference center from 1:00pm – 4:00pm Saturday 9/1/2025. Free of charge
- We have 10 large round tables for beading, wire wrapping demonstration **\$100** each for three days.
- Schedule of Education for children will be distributed all over the school districts of Jefferson County to let the parents aware it is a fun activity to bring children over and see the show

6. Advertise

RisingAurora will try all its best through on line and news paper to make a big sounder and flyers will be posted in all the Gem show upstate and Universities with Geology Department. We will have road signs post around the whole Jefferson County. **Billie Jo Muller**, the successful host of Herkimer Dimond Show will be in charge of online marketing of our show. I am very confident we will have much higher attendant counts for 2025.

8. Applicants shall not sublease or share any portion of table booth with another without advanced permit from RisingAurora

9. A copy of NY sales ID is needed when submitting Your application.

Contact RisingAurora, Guangxia(Sue) Hazlewood for application form:

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