



Issue June 2017

Newsletter

Summer Playtime!

Wahoo!! Summer time is here and the kids are out of school meaning plenty of fun water time, vacation time, and time for Amanda and I to go to Denver for the International New Age Trade Show (INATS). We will be restocking textiles, all the fun metaphysical items and tools, plus adding brand new products that are being introduced at INATS. We will also be gathering names of presenters for future events in our Community Event Center such as book authors, tarot card designers and new activities producers. Be sure to follow us on social media and visit NTRocks.com for notices of new arrivals and special events.

Summer time also means our Summer Solstice Clearance Sale. This is the time when we clean house so we put out flats of crystals, fossils and miscellaneous items marked down from 30% - 75%. For those of you who experienced our Solstice Sale last year, you'll remember the boxes of treasures with colored dots for \$1.00 - \$3.00 - \$5.00 - \$10.00.....even some opportunities to "make an offer." We look forward to all of our crystals making their way into a good new home.

With the kids out of school, remember Nature's Treasures is a perfect place to spend an afternoon helping them to learn about the natural sciences in a hands-on environment. E-mail our geology specialist, Michael, and schedule a time for a special one-on-one guided tour for a group of friends or plan a special birthday party. Just because children are not in school doesn't mean they can't continue to learn in a fun, creative and visual way that they will remember for years. Learning how to hunt fossils and minerals around town can be a fun family event for the weekend that helps everyone reconnect with Mother Nature, and we all know how important that is for our total well-being.

We are still looking for someone who loves to be around rocks and who can lift up to 50 lbs. on a regular basis. This could be a great summer job to earn some extra cash or a filler job for someone who has other responsibilities, but can spare a few days. If you know someone let them know to contact us for further details.

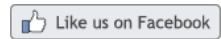
Hope to see y'all at our clearance sale and remember to take and post pictures of your spectacular buys.



May Blessings
Karen Richards
& the Nature's Treasures Staff

Check out these special offers!

LOOK FOR US ON SOCIAL MEDIA!



[Join Our Mailing List!](#)

What's New?

In The Store



Citrine Cathedrals

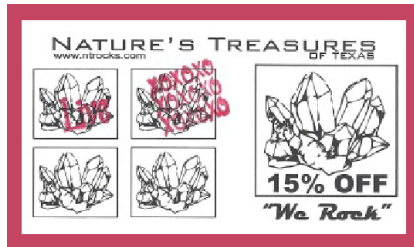


Amethyst Stand Ups

At The Counter



BOXES OF COLOR DOT DEALS for \$1.00 - \$3.00 - \$5.00 - \$10.00
 Want to buy in BULK? Make an offer on our Rock Yard Pallets



Every Tuesday is 2 Stamp Tuesday!

Simply "like" our 2 Stamp Tuesday reminder on Facebook or Instagram every Tuesday and show the staff at check-out to receive 2 stamps instead of 1 for your purchase on that day.



Vedic Astrological Malas



Esprit Creations

In the Community Events Center



Toltec Spiritual Community Summer Solstice Celebration
 June 17 * 5-8pm * NT Studio

Quartz Crystal Singing Bowls are mesmerizingly played, creating a unique sonic experience that not only is heard with the ears but also felt within the body... a powerful immersion into the vibration & tones of crystal singing bowls.



In The Depot



Tibetan Monk Tour Ceremony
 NT Studio
 Saturday, June 24
 2:00-3:30pm

The monks of Gaden Shartse Dokhang Khangsten are



traveling across the United States in order to raise donations necessary to rebuild the living quarters and prayer hall of this renowned monastery. The Gaden Shartse was originally founded in 1409 and became the origin for the Gelugpa School or Yellow Hat Sect of Tibetan Buddhism.



Fairs & Festivals

Spiritual Life Fair
Saturday, June 10th

Raise Your Vibration!

10:00am - 5:30pm
Free admission



Inner Radiance Spiritual Fair

**BODY/MIND/SPIRIT
METAPHYSICAL FAIR**

Offering Personal Guidance With
Intuitives * Tarot * Mediums/Psychics * Astrology * Energy
Healing * Holistic Practitioners * Exhibitors * Vendors *
Skin Care & more!!!

****NEW****

Sunday, June 11th
12:00pm - 5:00pm

Inner Radiance Spiritual Fair
NT Auditorium

Harmony Healing Arts Oasis
Saturday, June 24th
10:00am - 5:30pm
Auditorium

Holistic healing festival offering a variety of healing products

<https://www.facebook.com/events/1789001131385086/>

<https://www.facebook.com/HarmonyHealingArtsCenter/>

FREE admission

Harmony Healing
Arts Festival

10:00 – 5:30

A holistic festival bringing
you a sense of peace, balance
and well being

FREE ADMISSION



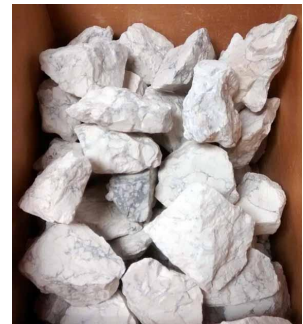
**Lortone 20 lb Commercial
Tumbler for \$690.00**



**Lortone LU6X Combination Saw
& Arbor for \$827.00**

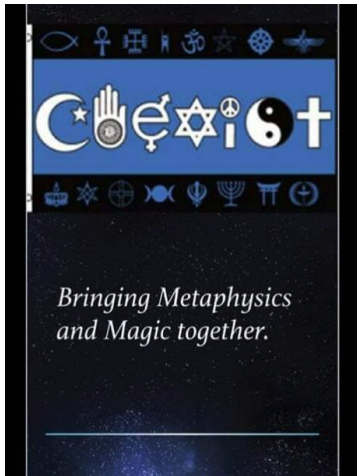


**Covington 6" Cab King for
\$1,678.80**



Howlite, \$8 per lb

and well being
FREE ADMISSION



Coexist Festival
Sunday, June 25th
10:00am - 5:00pm
NT Auditorium &
New Studio Space Addition!
Classes/talks will be held 12 - 3pm

Athena Morningstar
coexistfestivalsa@gmail.com

<http://allevents.in/austin/904206233017675>

FREE admission



Jet, \$30 per lb



Orbicular Jasper, \$17 per lb

NATURE'S TREASURES IN THE COMMUNITY

Nature's Treasures welcomed the Boys and Girls Club of Thurmond Heights on 05/24 for an educational, guided tour with a focus on the minerals and gems from the popular cartoon, Steven Universe



On 05/26, our geology specialist visited the Blubonnet School in Cedar Park to teach preschoolers about rock textures, colors, shapes and even density! This was a 'Thank You' note from Ms. Jackie's class!



New Online Store CrystalsByNature.com



Crystals By Nature is now listing New Arrivals on their website in addition to email marketing.

New Arrivals will be sent to customers on Wednesdays and Fridays.

Shipping out of town?
Shop online at
CrystalsByNature.com

Want to get the updates on new blogs, products, sales, and promotions from our online store? Click [HERE](#) to Subscribe for the CrystalsByNature.com newsletter!



June's Gemstone

The owner of Nature's Treasures graciously sponsored the employees to have a spot in the 5th Annual Woodland Faerie Trail at Zilker Botanical Gardens. Please go by the gardens to check out the 'Faerie Sentries for Every Season' display we created until July 30th.

<http://www.austintexas.gov/page/zilker-faerie-homes-gardens>



Alexandrite

Alexandrite is a stone of prosperity and longevity. It balances mind and emotion, pacifying the soul to promote spiritual growth. Alexandrite, a rare gem variety of Chrysoberyl, was originally discovered in 1834 in emerald mines of the Ural Mountains of Russia. In the daylight it is of bluish-green or even emerald-green color, and in the artificial light it may be red, crimson, purple-red and violet-red. It is has been referred to as "emerald by day and ruby by night." Originally the dense-green stone was mistaken for an emerald; however it was harder than an emerald, and in the candle light it lighted up with a blood-red fire.

Alexandrite was named for the future Russian Czar Alexander II. Since red and green are national Russian colors, Alexandrite acquired wide popularity in Russia and was generally considered as a stone of good fortune. Its popularity led to this precious gem being mined out with some lesser quality specimens later being discovered in Brazil.



THANK YOU JOANN AND MAX

Photo via: *Portland Press Herald*

We would like to offer a warm thank you to JoAnn Parks for her visit to Nature's Treasures, and for another successful year of bringing Max the Crystal Skull to the Austin community! We look forward to her next visit in 2019!



Monthly WINNER!

\$25 Giftcard Winner is:

Christine K.

Be sure to enter the drawing next time you're in the store!

Looking Ahead



RENU LAL

Join **Renu Lal**, native of New Delhi, India, renowned henna artist, gifted intuitive healer and palm reader to experience "PRAYERS YOU CAN WEAR". Renu has an ability to tune in with your energy and draw your personalized SACRED SYMBOLS onto your body with henna. Renu will share with you the meanings of traditional symbols and discuss which symbols best enhance your life purpose. Henna is an unspoken language of sacred symbols which are used as an offering, and the color it leaves behind is a blessing. Renu offers her henna services at Nature's Treasures, **11am-6pm Thursday July 13, and Friday, July 14.**

[Register Here!](#)

SHARON SAMPSEL

Gifted clairvoyant and a master of spiritual communication with 20+ years of experience. Sharon Sampsel is an international known, award-winning psychic and a master of spiritual communication. She has numerous 5-star ratings and an 85% - 95% accuracy rate. She is one of California's most popular lecturers and television personalities. Check out her radio shows "Psychic Talk" and The Two Psychic Chicks Radio Show" on The Voice of



DAILY IN-STORE PRACTITIONERS

11:00AM - 6:00PM

Thursday, June 1- Elaine Ireland
Tarot reading & psychic work

Friday, June 2- Tara Ventura
Numerology/Tarot; Clairvoyant
Psychic; Intuitive Counseling; Energy
Healing (chakra)

Saturday, June 3- Maria Prinz
Transformational healing combining

Sacramento!! 11am-6pm Thursday July 13, and Friday, July 14. [Register Here!](#)



aromatherapy intuitive reading/spiritual guidance

Registration is OPEN and already filling up Register TODAY to secure your appointment

Saturday, June 3- Anaya Swann Priestess, artist, musician, a Reiki master, and a magical seamstress and healer. Tarot readings

Sunday, June 4- Adrienne deWolfe Angel harp therapy, psychic and Tibetan Reiki master

Sunday, June 4- Tracy St Croi Evidential medium, psychic

Monday, June 5- Eva Lott Metaphysical minister, reiki master, stress management

Tuesday, June 6- Mia Michel Intuitive, and healer, Akashic Records Consultations, Past Lives and Soul Readings

Wednesday, June 7- Laura Tree Reiki Master Teacher, Divinely Inspired Intuitive readings and Sanskrit mantra therapy), Crystal Consultant, Atlantean Healing, Diamond Violet Flame Transmutation

Thursday, June 8- Richard Cisneros Psychic medium

Friday, June 9- Anne Berlin Psychic medium, psychometry, work with archangels & Ascended Masters

Saturday, June 10- Michael "Zar" Zarchian Higher Guidance Psychic, Akashic Library, Angelic-Ascended Master Readings Energy healing, Past lives

Saturday, June 10- Jen Jen Sosler Reiki, sound healing, and card readings

Sunday, June 11- Sohan Kaur Spiritual support, reiki healing, angel card reading

Sunday, June 11- Leslie Werling Psychic medium, tarot card reading

Monday, June 12- Thumper Donnelly Medium, clairvoyant psychic, energy healing, past lives

Tuesday, June 13- Kramer Wetzel Astrology chart & reading, tarot, good humor

Wednesday, June 14- Adrienne Goff Author, teacher, healer, connecting you with your crystals

Thursday, June 15- Elaine Ireland Tarot reading & psychic work

Friday, June 16- Tara Ventura Numerology/Tarot; Clairvoyant Psychic; Intuitive Counseling; Energy Healing (chakra)

Saturday, June 17- Sara Hansen Clairvoyant, life path and flower readings, sacred geometry pendants, and Young Living essential oils

Saturday, June 17- Sheryl Martin Psychic medium, dream interpreter,

PERSONAL CRYSTAL READINGS & SHOPPING SERVICES



What are your crystals telling you?

Dianna, Austin's Crystal Whisperer offers her Personal Crystal Readings to help you find, understand and connect with the rocks, minerals and crystals that are perfect for you!

Rates start as low as \$15.00 for 10 minutes

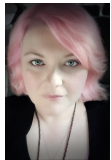
<http://austinscrystalwhisperer.com/calendar>



Nature's Treasures Exclusive

WELCOME NEW PRACTITIONERS

We would like to welcome four new practitioners to the NT Practitioner Team! Visit the schedule to find their days, and click their names to learn more about their unique gifts.



Christine Martensen - Crystals knowledge, Reiki, and empathic connects to Angels, Guides, Spirit Animals and Ascended Masters through clairvoyance and clairaudience.



Sheryl Martin - Psychic medium, dream interpreter, reiki master, spiritual counselor, intuitive, life coach, & empath



Susan Starlight - Certified in Reflexology, Reiki, Angelic Reiki, Atlantean Healing, Pranic Healing and the soul integration technique



Anaya Swan - Priestess, artist, musician, a Reiki master, and a magical seamstress and healer. Tarot readings

How Do YOU rock?

Accepting submissions via social media! #NTrockNews



Jeremy loves showcasing his treasures in a lit display case next to his rockin' guitar. He enthusiastically builds his collection with dragons guarding his hoard.



We Rock!

The Treasure Tome: A Trove of Knowledge

Encoding Enchodus

By Diane Parma

Enchodus, also known as the Sabre-Toothed Herring, can be identified by its 4 distinct fangs that look like a saber-toothed tiger's. In fact, the Enchodus is completely unrelated to the herring fish and is actually more closely related to salmon.



http://www.fossilworld.com/FW/F_Enchodus_Tooth.html

As Enchodus grows, new fangs form out of the skull. This can be seen by looking at the scars on the palatine or dentary bones that form the equivalent of jaws in fish. Teeth that form on the lower jaw called mandibular while those forming on the upper jaw are known as maxillary teeth.



Maxillary tooth

Enchodus is a type of Osteichthyes, a group of fish known more commonly as "bony fish." Bony fish have gill covers to breathe and a bladder they can also see in color. Enchodus also belong to the class of fish known as Actinopterygii or ray-finned fish. This class of fish is characterized by webbed skin held together by spines. There are many species of Enchodus. Enchodus Gladiolus sp. specifically has a notably large pectoral fin that may have been used in much the same way as modern day "flying fish." The largest species, Enchodus Petrosus sp., had a body length of almost 5 feet with fangs measuring 2.4 inches. Enchodus Parvus sp., the smallest species, had a body length of only a few inches.

Enchodus lived during the late Cretaceous to the Eocene (100 to 33 million years ago) even surviving a major extinction event at the Cretaceous-Paleogene boundary. In addition to living for a long time, Enchodus could be found worldwide much like modern ray-finned fish that can be found in Polar Regions, tropical climates, both fresh and salt water, and in shallow and deep waters. The fact that its closest living relative is so adept at surviving in a diverse range of environments is the same trait that probably contributed to Enchodus' survival for 10s of millions of years.

Based on its bone and tooth structures, Enchodus was likely a predator. Despite this fact Enchodus had a great many predators of its own as evidenced by its bones being found in the rib cages of Mosasaurs, Plesiosaurs, sharks, and even sea birds.



Mosasaur tooth

Enchodus tooth

reiki master, spiritual counselor, intuitive, life coach, & empath

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Empathic, intuitive knowing and awake channel gifts

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Sunday, June 25- Amber Soberon
Reiki Master

Sunday, June 25- Sheryl Martin
Psychic medium, dream interpreter, reiki master, spiritual counselor, intuitive, life coach, & empath

Monday, June 26- Thumper Donnelly
Medium, clairvoyant psychic, energy healing, past lives

Tuesday, June 27- Kramer Wetzel
Astrology chart & reading, tarot, good humor

Wednesday, June 28- Teri Davenport
Soul sessions, clairvoyant and laying on of hands

Thursday, June 29- Ricardo Gonzales
Psychic

Friday, June 30- Ricardo Gonzales
Psychic

Dedicated Weekday Subs
Monday~ Kathy Cabarcas
Tuesday~ Susan Starlight
Wednesday~ Kathy Cabarcas
Thursday & Friday~ Ricardo Gonzales

AURA PHOTOS

Meet Our Staff



Amanda Reynolds hails from Florida where she grew up with her grandparents. She took classes at Pensacola State College before moving to Austin in 2012. She is a walking encyclopedia and appreciates sponging up knowledge. Amanda dabbles in amateur modeling and loves working on her own portfolio with Renaissance fairs and cemeteries as her preferred backdrops. When she is not in the Rock Depot or at the Front Counter, you will find her helping us out at various trade shows all over the great state of Texas.



Aura, Meridian & Chakra
Photos & Video

Tuesday & Wednesday by
appointment only

Thursday through Monday
Walk-ins Welcome!
12:00pm-6:00pm

Starting at \$15

Take a Virtual Tour

Can't get into the store? Want to take a virtual tour? Google came out and did a VR of Nature's Treasures. Check it out here!



Just can't stop thinking about Rocks?



We are currently looking for motivated individuals skilled in the following areas:

Customer Support/Sales

This is a part-time position with full-time potential. The ideal candidate will answer phones or chat and assist callers with product questions, order entry, tracking, and miscellaneous inquiries, while exhibiting excellent organizational and communication skills. Must exercise mature judgment in regards to our business priorities, team and customer needs. You will also work with other members of the team to meet individual and collective goals. Must have high attention to detail, punctuality, reliability, and a strong motivation for team work and flexibly to shift between multiple workstations.

For more details on this job, please email:
jeff@crystalsbynature.com

Nature's Treasures Inventory

This is a part-time position. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to, stocking, organizing, and cleaning showroom shelves; helping with daily projects and merchandising. Must be able to lift 50 lbs unassisted.

For more details on this job, please e-mail: amanda@ntrocks.com

Nature's Treasures Sales Counter

This is a part-time position and will require cross-training between the Retail Showroom and Rock Depot. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to, assisting & checking-out customers, cleaning, Rock Yard maintenance. Must be able to lift 50 lbs unassisted.

For more details on this job, please email: michaelk@ntrocks.com

Our Affiliates



Get creative with our friends at Creative Side Jewelry Academy!

[Wire Wrapping Classes](#)

[Beginning Jewelry Classes](#)

[Welding and Sculpture](#)

Visit www.CreativeSide.org for a full class calendar!





Wholesome Generation™
We Raise Organic Children



Contact Information

Phone: 512.472.5015

NTRocks.com
CrystalsByNature.com

Main Store Hours

Sunday - Thursday 10:00am - 7:00pm | Friday & Saturday 10:00am - 8:00pm
Depot Store Hours
Sunday - Thursday 10:00am - 7:00pm | Friday & Saturday 10:00am - 8:00pm



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