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# 2013 Jan - New Adventure Safaris Dinosaur Learning Center Displays

Remodeling was started in January

## Review of Past History First Museum in our Living Room

Feb. 2010







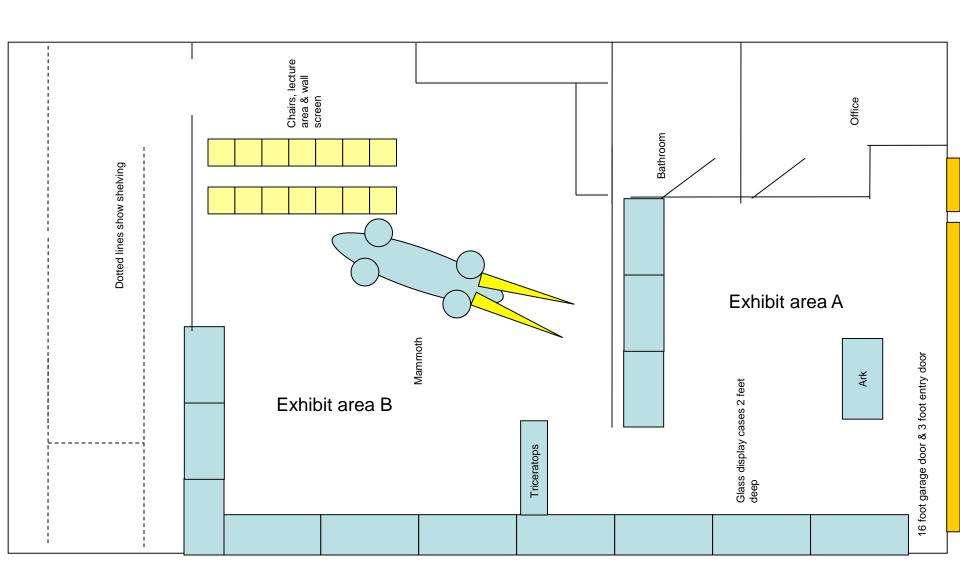




## Second Museum Jay Hardy's Ware House

Started Oct, 2010

## The original "Plan."











## Megalithic Museum Feb. 2013

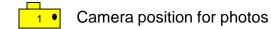
How life started after the Flood.

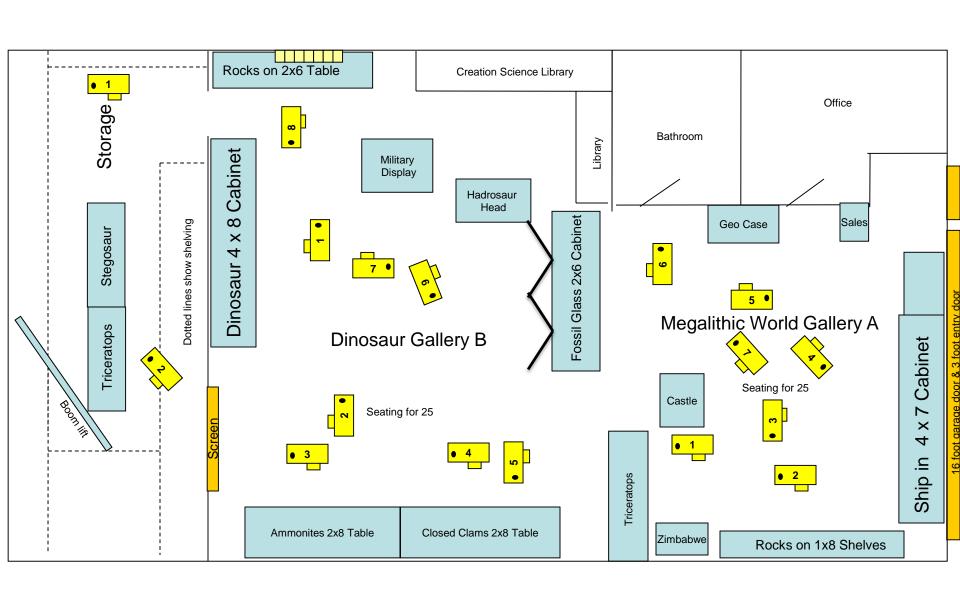
I have put the main photos of the exhibit at the beginning for an overview. The rest is the behind the scenes and how I made some of the models and exhibits. This is for those who might want to copy what I did for their own museum.

## The Dinosaur Gallery B

This is a permanent display but has been remodeled in February 2013 with more bones exhibited that were in storage. More signage has been added for self guided tours.

### The Feb. 2013 "Plan."





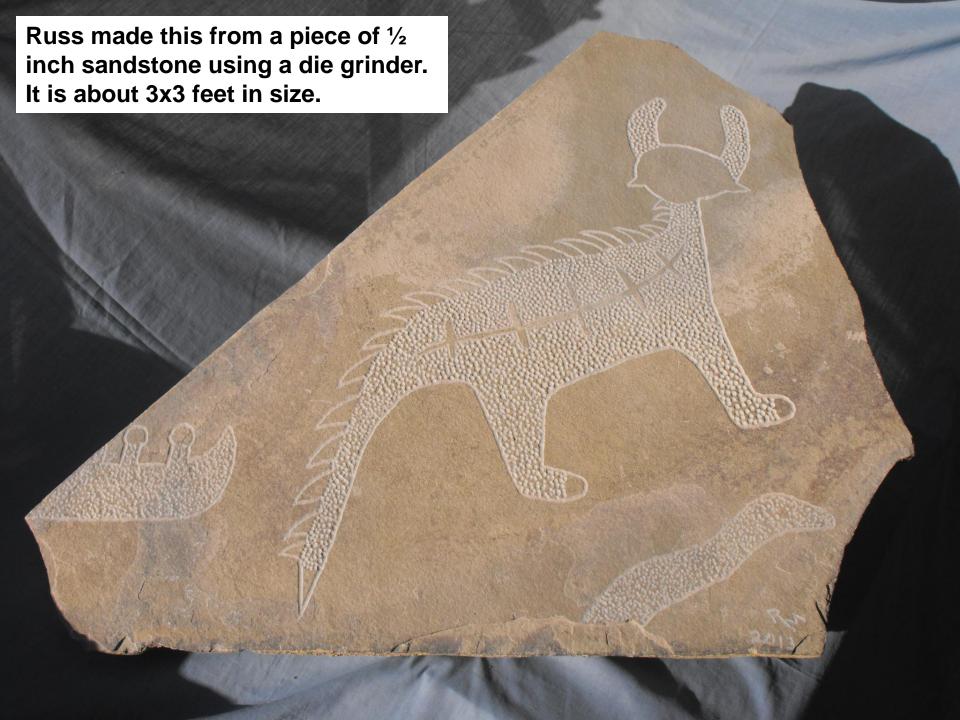




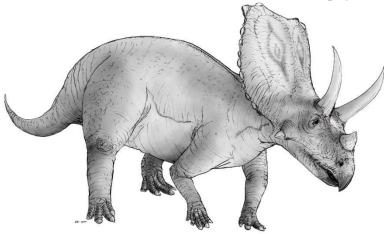








#### Mishipishu Petroglyph on the North Shore of Lake Superior

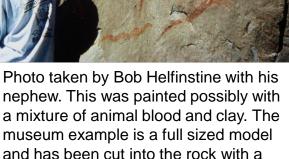


**Ceratopsian** - *Chasmosaurus belli* This medium sized horned dinosaur was a species of the Chasmosauridae, or long frilled ceratopsians. Note the cheek horns on the side of the face similar to Mishipishu.

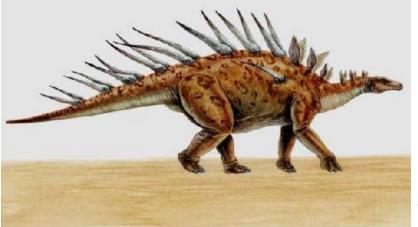


Could this be a species not yet found in the fossil record? It has two brow and cheek horns but no frill. The Indian petroglyph is called Mishipishu or "water panther" of Lake Superior. It had a row of spikes down it's back like Kentrosaurus. Maybe Mishipishu is a new dinosaur species with some characteristics similar to both the dinosaurs shown. He may have liked living in the water like a hippopotamus or water buffalo. The spikes might look like sticks in the water and help camouflage the animal.





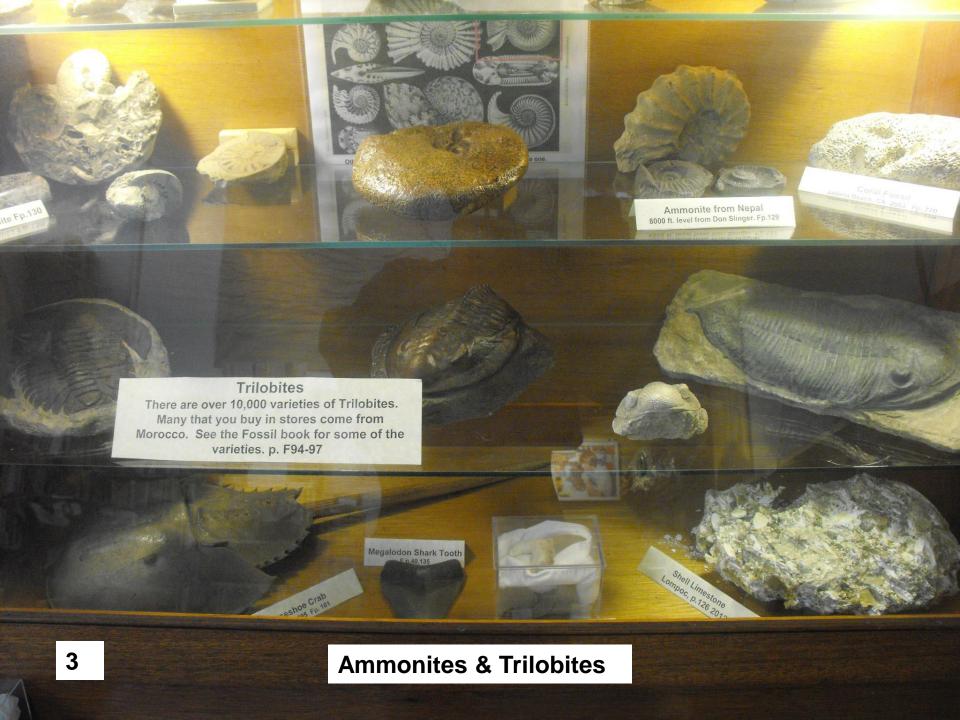
die grinder. Indians would have used a



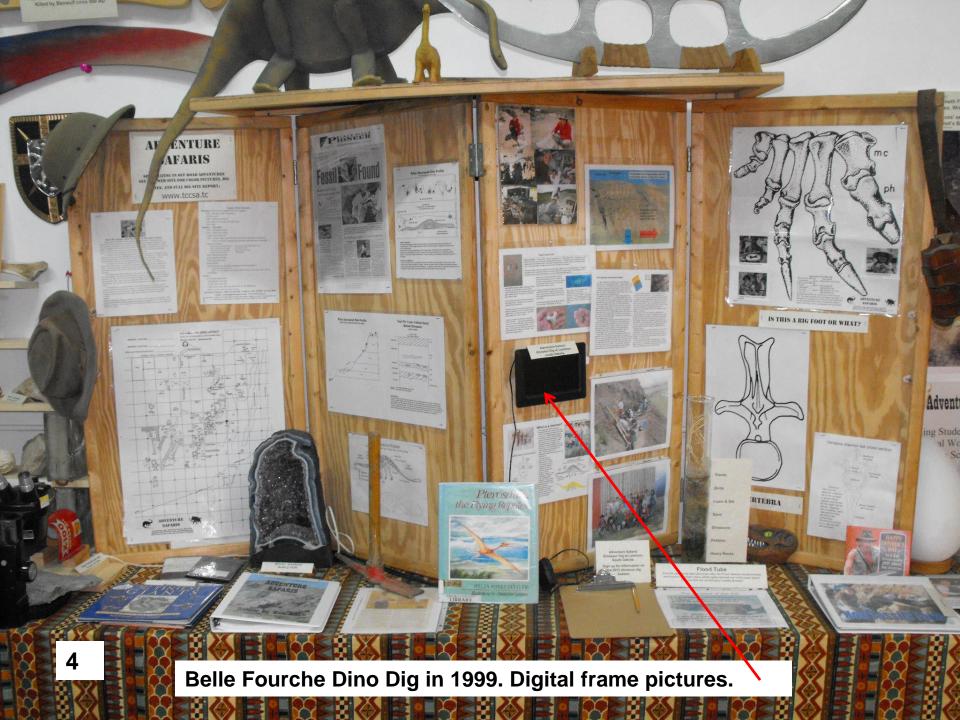
**Kentrosaurus** was a stegosaurid dinosaur. Its fossils have been discovered in Africa. It is thought to be closely related to the **Stegosaurus**. Kentrosaurus had back & tail spikes instead of the bony plates. The site does not say if a head was found so this picture may be speculation and the head on Mishipishu might be a better interpretation.

"pecking" stone.









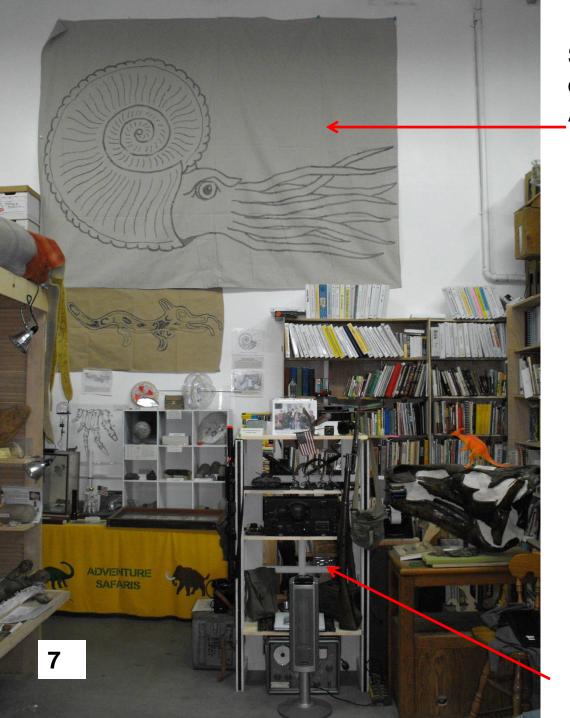












Six foot diameter Ammonite

Lez Verez Military Memorial honoring all veterans.



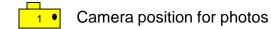
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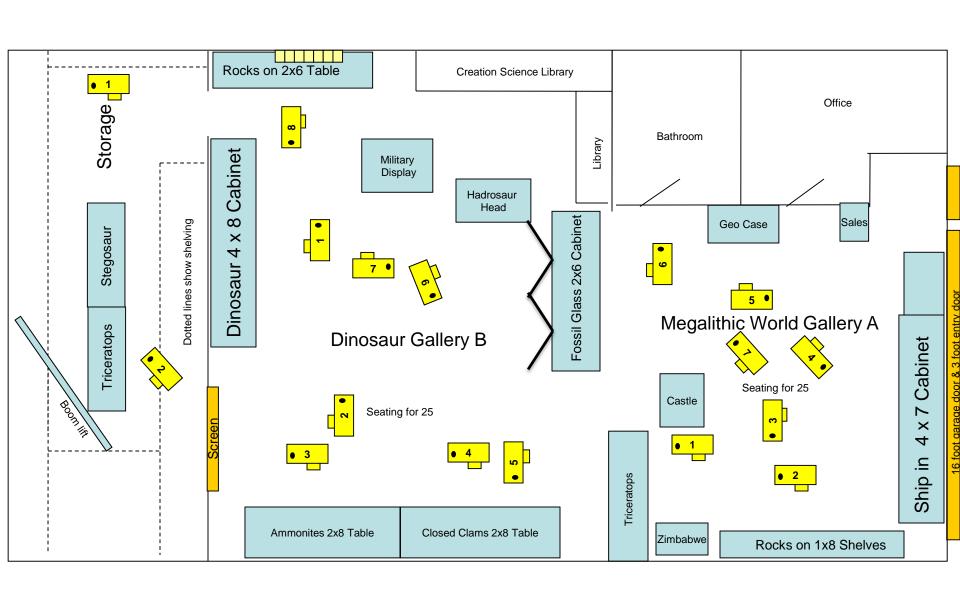


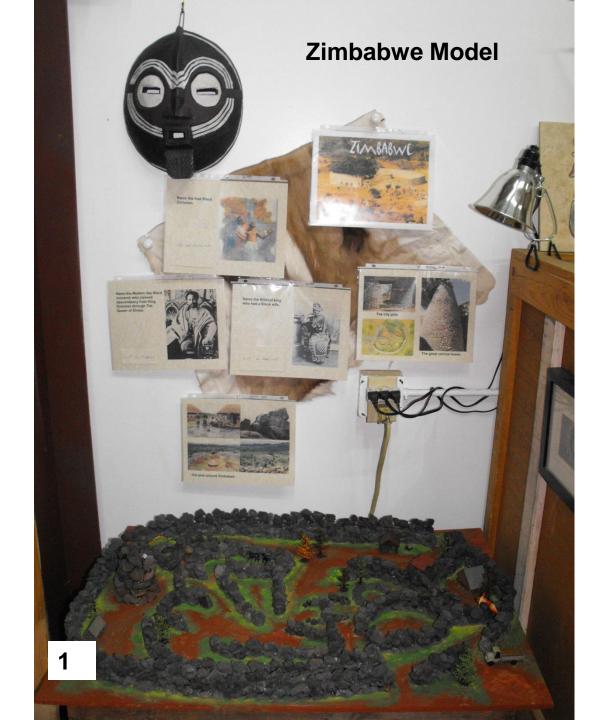
# The Megalithic & Geology Gallery A

This is a rotating display introduced in February 2013. It shows how life got started after Noah's Flood. To go with this year's geology class about 100 pounds of rocks & minerals are on display. More signage has been added for self guided tours. It will remain until Feb. 2014

#### The Feb. 2013 "Plan."

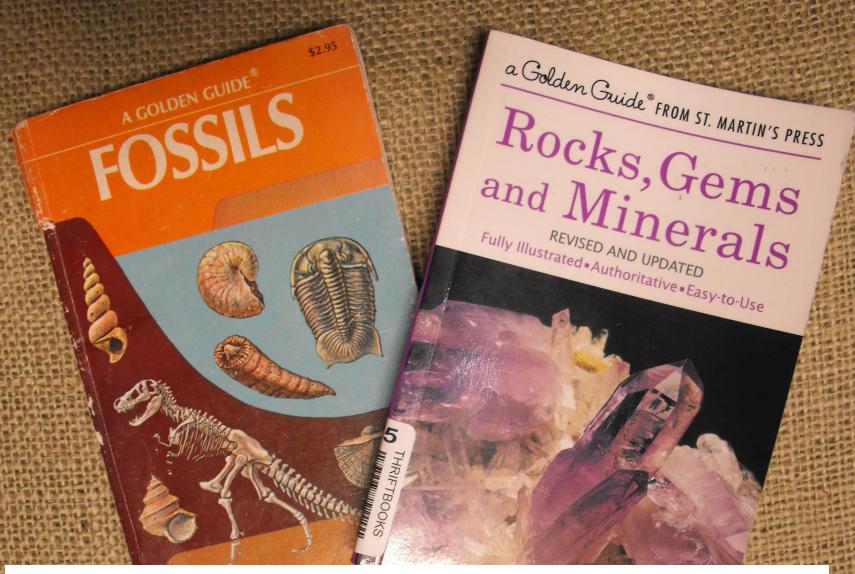












Nearly all rocks, minerals and fossils have a name and page number from these two books so students can look up more information on the displays. Persons who have loaned or donated samples are given credit on the labels. See the following slides.











**Viking axe models. The above model's tag says:** A Scandinavian Battle Axe of the Middle Ages (c.1000 AD) found near Norway Lake, MN. Museum model is based on this axe. Disk (Rt) is Viking compass. Bowl carries water for a loadstone compass





Easter Island Bust
Crinoid sculpture
All by Russ

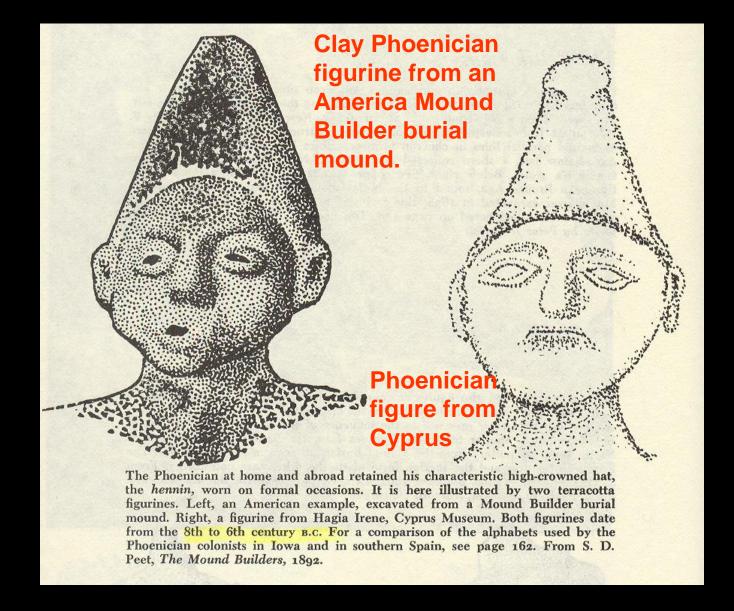


Phoenician bust



Model Russ made of a Viking Compass.

Cuneiform tablet of Clay 2000 BC showing the Pathagerous Therom



#### Similarities in pottery find...

# Similarities in writing 800 BC...

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The Phoenician (Punic) colonists of Iowa used an alphabet that shows clearly that their homeland was in the Iberian peninsula. The Iowa inscription was found at Davenport in 1874, and is written in the Iberian alphabet whose sound values were determined in Spain 60 years later. Failure to identify the Iowan alphabet led archeologists until now to suppose that the Davenport finds were fraudulent.



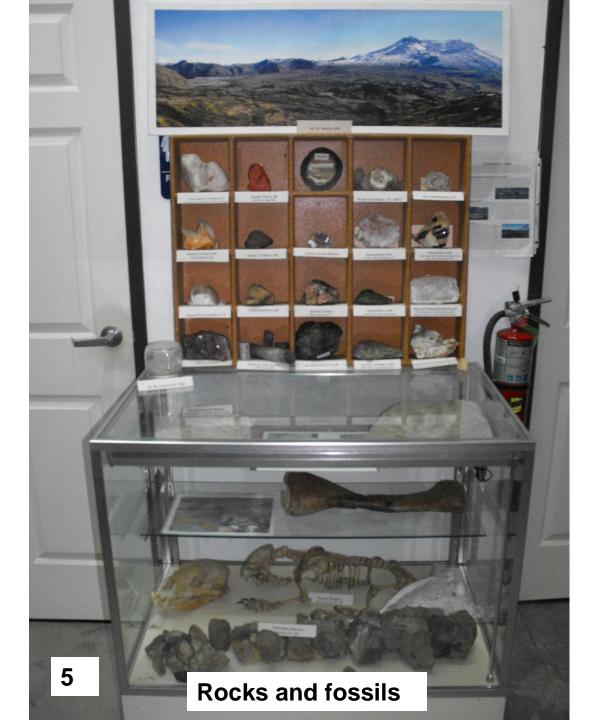




#### **Tower of Babel**







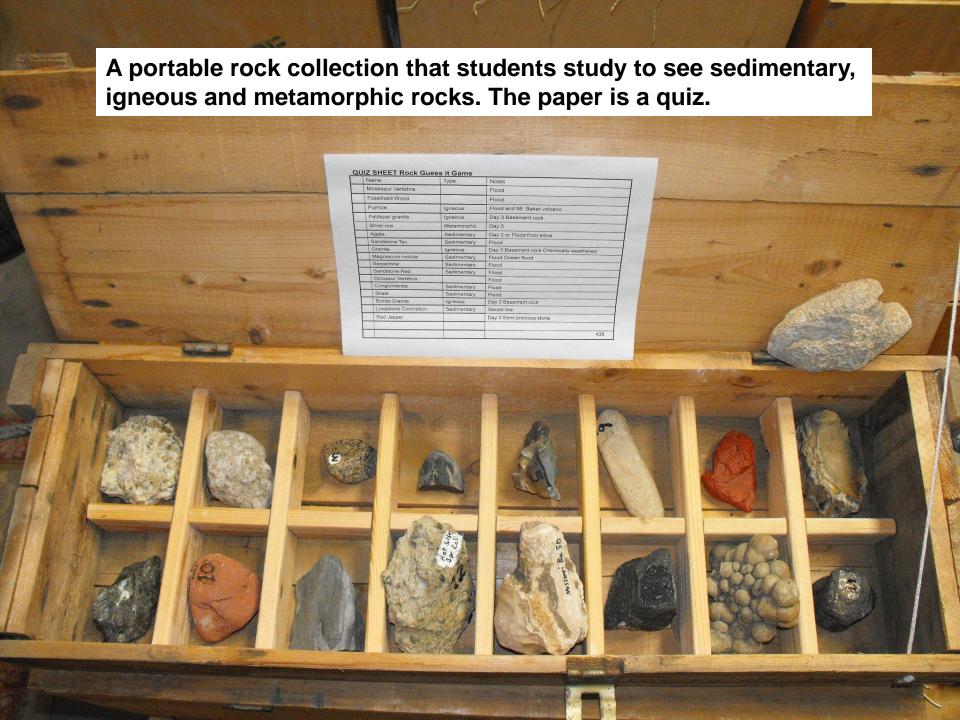


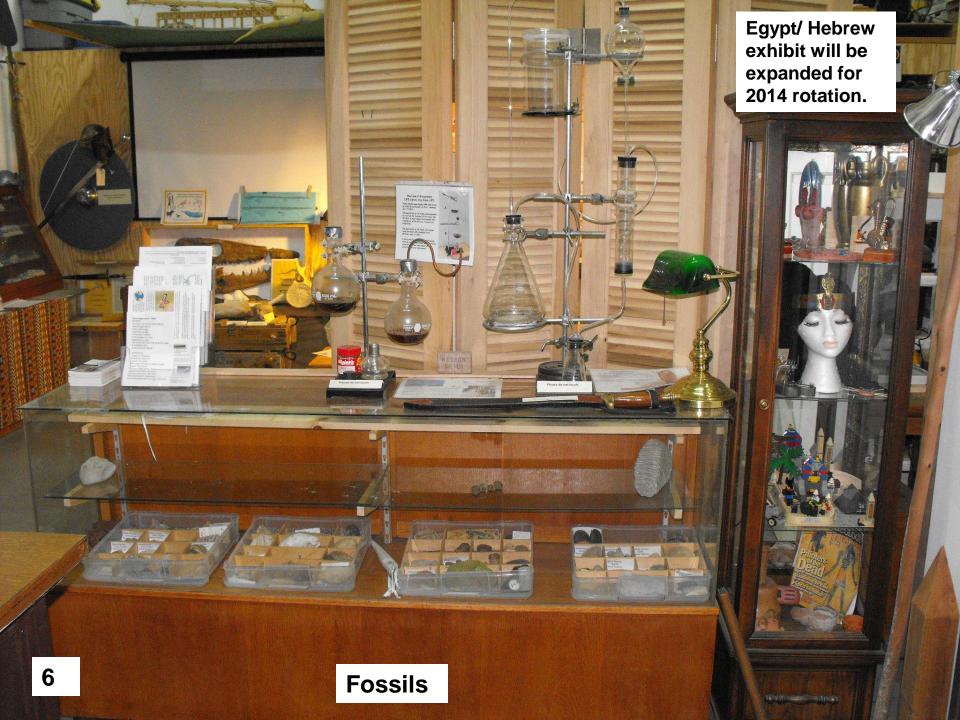
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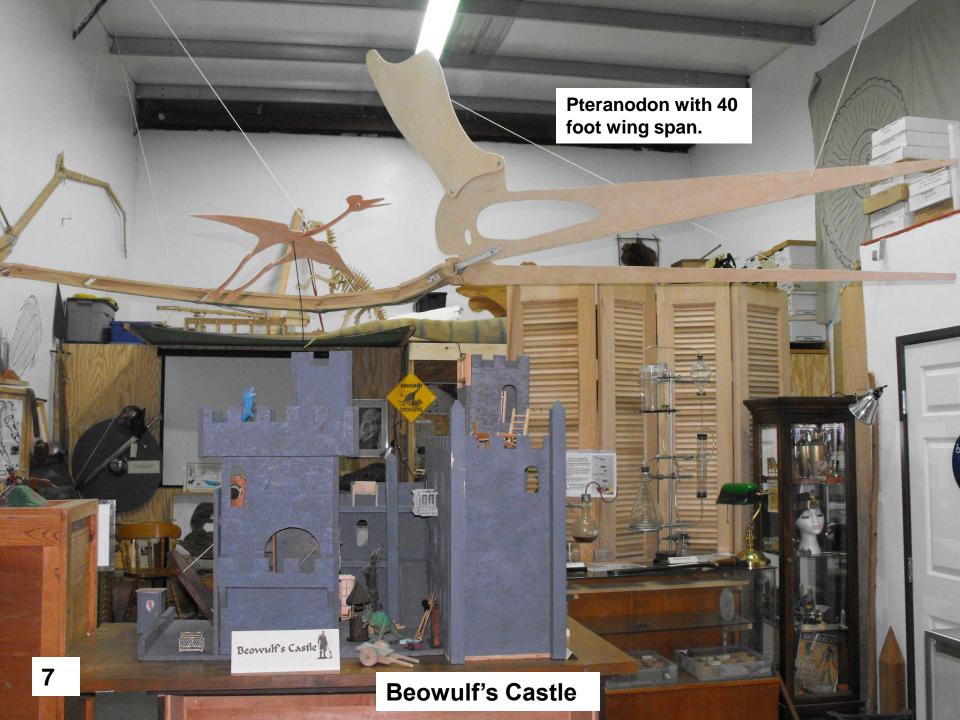




Hadrosaur Sacrum, Bear Skull, and Badger skeleton.









### Store Room

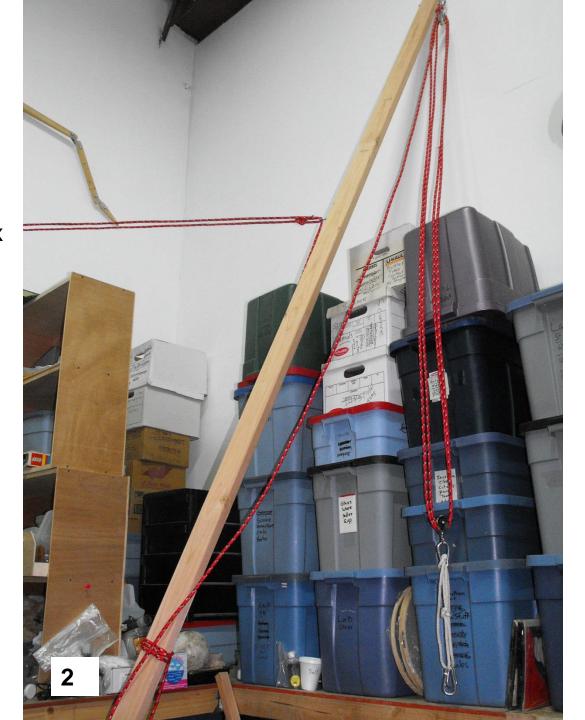
There is a Triceratops & Stegosaurus display here as well as storage boxes.





#### **Boom Lift**

I rigged a 16 foot long 2 x 4 with a 4 to 1 block and tackle to lift boxes off the shelves. I am not to lift more than 5-8 pounds because of a bad back and two hernias. My students help when I need a lot moved but for one or two boxes this works nicely.



## 2013 Feb Museum Visitors







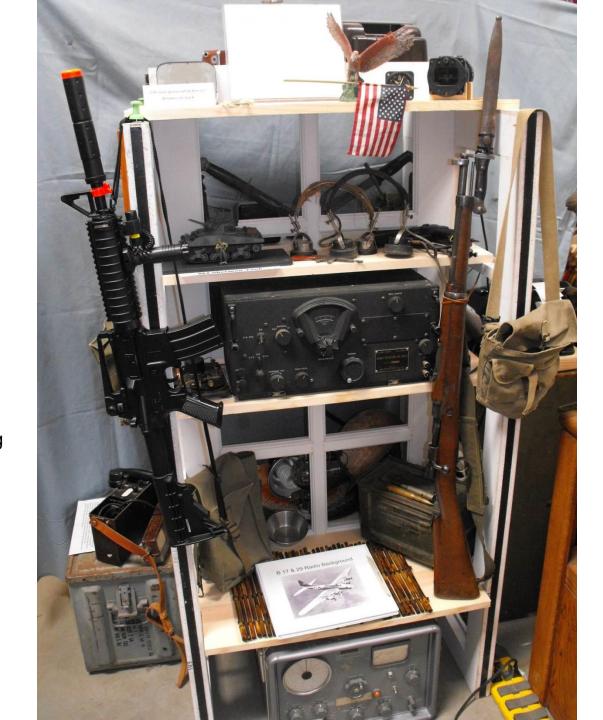








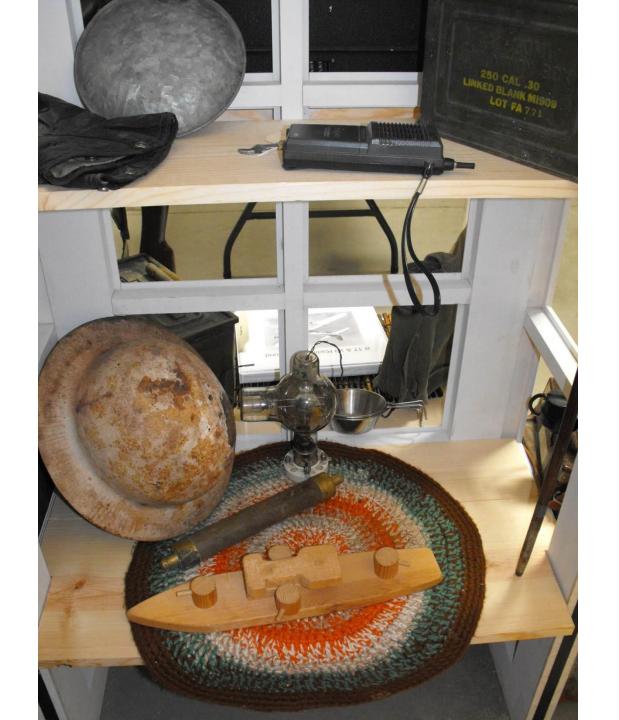
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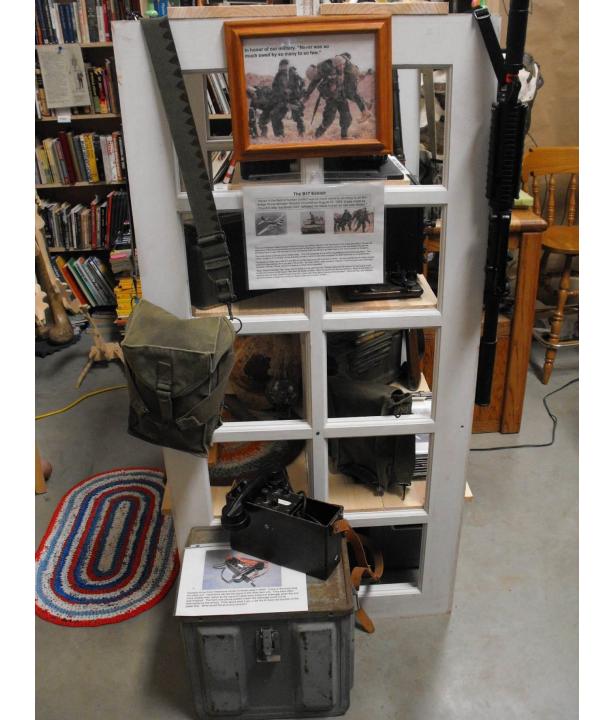














## **Flyers**

We wanted to invite your group to come along with the Lompoc homeschool to our Adventure Safaris Museum April 29 from 10 -12 noon with a scavenger hunt and a special at \$5 per person. It is completely remodeled with many new dinosaur bones as well as a whole new Gallery on the "Megalithic World" see announcement below. A drawing will be held for a unique map Russ has designed that shows were all the people went after the Tower of Babel based on The Table of Nations in Genesis 10. Hope you all can come. In Him, Russ

## ADVENTURE SAFARIS PRESENTS 'THE MEGALITHIC WORLD'

Megalithic World - How civilization was restarted after Noah's Flood.

A main highlight is Russ' 4 foot long model of a Phoenician Swan Ship. These were the ships referred to in 2 Chron. 9:21 as the "Ships of Tarshish" Archeological artifacts show that the Phoenicians "Ruled the Seas" from about 2300 BC to beyond the time of the Apostle Paul. With a Chart of the Atlantic Ocean and reproductions of ancient artifacts the exhibit shows trade routes to Southern Africa, Niagara Falls, NY, Tucson AZ, St Louis MO, Honduras and Brazil, South America.

Also shown will be the trade routes of the Vikings who had a colony in Minnesota at 900 AD and how Indus Valley, India seafarers may have had a colony on Easter Island around 2000 BC. Other model highlights:

- \*Beowulf's Castle
- \*Tower of Babel
- \*Zimbabwe
- \*Ancient navigation tools & weapons
- \*Petroglyphs of dinosaurs and humans together
- \*Geology Displays of rocks and minerals round out the exhibit and are related to this years lessons on geology
- \* Les Verez Military Memorial honoring our military.

Russ has renovated and added new bones to his permanent display of dinosaur, marine and mammal fossils.

Students will enjoy these displays and will be challenged to a scavenger hunt to see what they can discover about the ancient world. Parents will be amazed at this exhibit as they learn about world history not taught in schools today. Students can buy dinosaur bone reproductions as well as books and DVDs in our gift shop so bring some dollars for that!

Museum tours by appointment only. Lasts about 1- 2 hours with 1-2 twenty five minute slide presentations depending on your groups wishes. Suggested donation of \$6 per person. Russ & Tricia McGlenn 805 588 3353: Email <a href="mailto:russmcglenn@juno.com">russmcglenn@juno.com</a> Web <a href="mailto:www.adventuresafaris.org">www.adventuresafaris.org</a> Suit 3 1360 W. McCoy Ln. Santa Maria 93455



Goliath giant femur Goliath giant femur Velociraptor egg Velociraptor egg Apatosaurus egg Apatosaurus egg Three foot Trilobite Three foot Trilobite Edmontasaurus tooth Edmontasaurus tooth Apatosaurus claw Apatosaurus claw Dinosaur hip bone called a femur Dinosaur hip bone called a femur Toe bone that looks like an arrow head Toe bone that looks like an arrow head Triceratops tibia Triceratops tibia Ammonite from Nepal Ammonite from Nepal Mishipishu Dinosaur Mishipishu Dinosaur ARTIFACTS ARTIFACTS Catapult (2 models) Catapult (2 models) Spaceman foot print Spaceman foot print Copper "Ox Hide" Copper "Ox Hide" Canoe Petroglyph Canoe Petroglyph

BONES

**Scavenger Hunt (Older) - FIND:** 

Easter Island Head

Easter Island Head Pterosaur/Pterodactyl head crest (2 models)

**Scavenger Hunt (Older) - FIND:** 

BONES

Pterosaur/Pterodactyl head crest (2 models) Argentina Closed clam shell Argentina Closed clam shell

German bolt action rifle WWII German bolt action rifle WWII

Shrimp borrow in ocean bed Shrimp borrow in ocean bed

Human foot print with dinosaur foot print Human foot print with dinosaur foot print

Star chart from before Noah's Flood Star chart from before Noah's Flood

## **How Did Russ Get Started?**

For students who like collecting I have a few ideas to share. I want to encourage young people that their talents & collections can be used of God.

When a youth, I always wanted to give something I made myself to my Mom & Dad or Grandpa & Grandma for Christmas. Also, I did not have much money so I made things like camping gear for my safaris from scratch (Mom sewed things on her machine for me according to my specifications)

In the 50's, when I was about ten, I collected many stones & shells when we went to a beach cabin once a year. For my Aunt, I took an old shampoo bottle (most every container was glass not plastic!) and put the stones and beach materials into it for a Christmas present.

One time my Mom had the church missionary ladies over for tea. I came to the back porch and asked if she had a jar. She said "Wait there and I'll bring you something." She figured I had something alive in my pocket and didn't want to upset the ladies. It turned out to be a frog I had collected!

Mom was very patient with me as she was a collector, too. She took in a sickly lizard, gold fish, and other animals from neighbors. She would nurse them back to health and we had them as pets for many years.

I am putting my collections in the museum for others to enjoy. Exhibits like the dinosaur & mammal bones help students learn about God's handiwork.

If you are making a collection, have a goal or theme in mind, Categorize and label the objects and make a mini museum that shows God's handiwork. If you need help let me know.

