

Hogg Mine

LaGrange, Georgia



- Mine is generally open the first Saturday of each month, and other dates occasionally. Check the website to confirm dates: www.kudzuminerals.com
- Digs are held rain or shine.
- Mine hours are 9 am - 5 pm EST. Please arrive at the meeting place early. The announced field trip leader will arrive at the meeting place at **8:30-8:45 am** to sign people up and present the safety lecture and orientation. NOTE: Late arrivals who miss this orientation and registration period will not be allowed to enter the mine!!
- Costs: \$35 per adult and kids under 18 are free. Cash or checks only, please. There should be a paid-admittance supervising adult for each 2 children. This includes school groups, boy scouts, etc.
- No need to register or pre-pay . . . just show up at the meeting place on the dig dates. ***You must be on time to join the group!*** Release forms can be found at:
www.kudzuminerals.com Click on "Links" in menu bar at the top of the page.
- Meeting place:
Smith's Corner Store 1231 Bartley Road, LaGrange, GA 30241 • gps is 32°57.296'n 85°1.130'w
- Keep everything you find! This includes one 5-gallon bucket plus any big rock. An additional small fee applies for additional buckets
- Rental tools are not available. Tools are available for purchase at Smith's Corner Store

Tools you will need to bring:

- 5-gallon bucket
- newspaper to wrap your finds
- digging tool like a potato rake, pick, mattock, or shovel
- hammer
- safety glasses
- gloves
- screens (optional, but very useful)

- We will show you what to look for and what the specimens look like. We usually start off in the morning with a tour of the mine to show you the different collecting areas. We will give you a brief explanation about what to do and what not to do.



- Find star rose quartz (massive, not crystals), tourmaline crystals, mica, aquamarine, and various colors of beryls.
See photos of what folks have found on recent digs:
www.kudzuminerals.com
www.imperialfacets.com

- Hotels:
 - **Days Inn** 706-882-8881
Exit 13 on Interstate 85
Reasonably priced and only 2 miles from the meeting place. It is near McDonalds, Subway, Waffle House, Arbys, etc.
- Other hotels in LaGrange, GA, 5 miles away
- Well behaved pets on leashes are welcome.

