



Martin Marietta's Junction City Field Trip – June 17th

This 500 acre facility is an aggregate plant which is harvesting granite for use in the construction industry. We have arranged a plant tour and the opportunity to see a rare Georgia outcrop void of kudzu and pine trees. Time will be available to visit the cut face and collect specimens. Due to safety and site limitations, this trip is limited to 20 persons.

A pre-trip meeting will be held Friday June 16th , 7:00 P.M. at the Blackbird Café, located in Woodbury, Georgia. Lodging nearby in Warm Springs or Pine Mountain. Trip cost will include a taco buffet including ice tea/soda (beer or wine available, but not included). A presentation will be provided by Dr. Clint Barineau to review the metamorphic geology of the area, plus an update on his research related to a potential meteor impact formation of the nearby feature known locally as the Cove.

Sunday side trips are on your own but may include hiking the Wolf's Den and other parts of the Pine Mountain Trail, visit nearby Senoia – Home of the Walking Dead TV series (local filming sites include Woodbury Bridge/Cove Satellite Complex/White Oak Covered Bridge), or whitewater adventures in Columbus.

You will need to bring a Hard Hat, Safety Glasses, High Visibility shirts/vest, and Steel Toe boots for this field trip.