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MANITOBA PROSPECTORS AND DEVELOPERS ASSOCIATION INC. NEWSLETTER

The Manitoba Prospectors & Developers Association Inc.

(MPDA) was active this past year with meetings held on the 1st Wednesday of every month at the Canada Inn, Polo Park, 1405 St. Mathews Ave. at noon. All are welcome to attend the luncheons.

Gold panning excursions and displays were set up at the Forks during **Mining Week**, May 25-28, and thousands of people, and many children, attended with the help of warm weather. Members are encouraged to participate as attendance is very high. PLEASE HELP OUT NEXT YEAR!

Your MPDA members are continually involved in monitoring the recommendations of the **East Side Lake Winnipeg Round Table, Hayes River Heritage Park, Atikaki- Woodland Caribou Heritage Site** and other protected areas.

The directors have met with **Mines Minister Jim Rondeau** this year to discuss matters brought forward to the association.

MPDA members have been promoting the use of the **URL Underground Laboratory** facility as a mine museum/training center.

Marjorie Reynolds continued the Education Committee making many presentations in schools and judging science fairs, from kindergarten to grade 10.

Members met with Online Consultants for the Manitoba Mines Business Process Re-engineering for recommendations.

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