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HIGHLIGHTS

Cariboo College Career Day/Open House (Sat. October 19th) - Cathro and Madu helped organize displays and staff a room for the Kamloops Exploration Group at this event. In addition to MEM posters, brochures, rocks and a gold-panning exhibit, the KEG room included displays and staff from **Highland Valley Copper, G&T Metallurgical, Navasota Resources and Eco-Tech Laboratories**. Partnership in action!

Gold-Rainbow (Doublestar Resources) - field visit on 10/22 to this epithermal gold prospect (82ESW112) located near Venner Meadow, SE of Okanagan Falls. Under the direction of geologist Murray Morrison, the company is testing several areas of alteration and weak gold mineralization in Tertiary volcanics sitting above a detachment(?) fault. The setting is somewhat analogous to the Dusty Mac and Vault deposits to the northwest. In addition to silica-clay-pyrite-hematite alteration and quartz-calcite vein mineralization in the hangingwall, the fault zone was intersected in several holes returning 50-60 m of silicified volcanics and chlorite-epidote-silica altered footwall gneisses. As usual, assays will determine whether further drilling will occur on this interesting property.

Tulameen Coal (Compliance Energy) - Mining of 10,000 tonnes of raw coal is underway. Wash plant to be started up this week, and will test the newly mined coal rather than that stockpiled last year.

Zeo (Zeo-Tech Enviro Green) - Mining of 4000 tonnes of zeolite completed. Co. is arranging transport and processing to satisfy a demand of 2500 tonnes of "Zeo-Fume", a zeolite product designed to replace silica fume in specialty concretes.

Tulameen Platinum (Bright Star Ventures) - Drilling of 6 holes (1000 m) has been completed on the DP copper-platinum-palladium target near Olivine Mountain. SW of Tulameen. Assays are eagerly awaited for this potentially significant discovery.

Panorama Ridge (Goldcliff Resource Corp) - Released channel-chip sampling results from the York skarn gold prospect located 3.5 km east of the Nickel Plate mine. An 85.67 interval assayed 0.586 g/t Au, including 28.68 m grading 1.258 g/t Au (similar to previous results by Placer Dome). The values are lower than the historical average grades at Nickel Plate (13.94 g/t Au for underground and 1.98 g/t Au for open pit) but still suggest that a large low-grade deposit is possible on the property.

Lillooet LRMP - answered several requests for information related to the South Chilcotin park and the upcoming LRMP review decision.

Bonaparte No Staking Reserve - At the request of Vancouver client Greg Dawson, we initiated action to review the need for a large NSR north of Kamloops. All NSRs in the Kamloops LRMP were supposed to have been reviewed for their relevance in 1995 when the LRMP was completed, however, this does not appear to have been done. Several parks were created and the remainder of the area should now be opened up.

Industry requests - provided info or advice to the following clients:

Lorne Warner, Navasota Resources (info on geological mapping and prospects near North Barriere Lake)

Norman Perrin, independent (info on using the Map Place)

Ragnar Bruaset, independent (discussion on his Rabbit property and potential optioners)

Adam Travis, Viceroy Resource Corp. (info on Big Sheep prospect)

Murray Morrison, Doublestar Resources (provided him with unpublished data from our files on the Gold and Venner prospects)

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