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Subject: Weekly Report

*KEG ready to go: 160 people signed up by yesterday. We expect to be close to last year's record attendance of 270 people. Field trip full.

*YEP Students - interviewing 3 students today and monday.

*Rainbow #2 - assays released for first 4 of 6 holes which were designed to block out the outside edges of the breccia pipe down to 400 m. Hole 4 hit 312 metres (beginning at 85.5 m) grading 0.533 % Cu and 0.135 g/t Au which included a high grade section at the end of the hole of 45 m grading 1.02 % Cu and 0.526 g/t Au. Hole 5 was drilled down the centre of the pipe and should be a winner. Assays are awaited. (Rough dimensions of the pipe are about 120 m E-W by 80 m N-S by 400 m down pluge at 80 degrees to the SE. - which is about 10 m tonnes at an undetermined average grade. The zone is still open to depth. An average grade of 1.5 to 2 % Cu is probably the minimum needed to consider underground mining. Also, there may be significant platinum and paladium numbers yet to come - metals which may or may not be recoverable or payable...MSC comments)

*Vault - Aqua Regia (an Alberta company) is planning to drill 6 holes this summer. They will be in later today to talk. (5A)

*THK Claims - Lloyd Addie submitted a NOW for excavator trenching on his property within the Lac Du Bois park. An interesting trench design!

*Frenier perlite - NoW for bulk sample from Pelite Canada Inc.

*Summerland subdivision - responded to request for information on uranium mineralization in the area of a proposed new subdivision in Summerland.

Mike