

BRADINA VISIT

At the time of the visit only 3 people remained on the property - the geologist, Peter Daignault, a warehouseman, and a foreman, Jack Southern (owner of Jakarro Lodge on Owen Lake). Exploration diamond drilling on the property ended on May 13th. Three surface and six underground holes were drilled. Some encouragement came from one of the underground holes drilled from the second crosscut. It intersected a wide (12 ft.) vein containing sulphides which include sphalerite, galena and chalcopyrite.

I briefly went through sections of the core with the geologist adding my comments as to rock names, alteration, possible genesis etc. Excellent examples of volcanic stratigraphy exist within the core. The predominant volcanic rock types are varieties of tuff (including tuff breccias) and dacitic rocks (including porphyries and breccias). The tuffs appear to have been 'reworked' in places as shown by resorbed edges around fragments. Intrusive sections within the core include pulaskite (both normal and aphanitic) and microdiorite. Abundant syngenetic pyrite is disseminated locally in volcanic units.

There appears to be absolutely no organization of drill logs with Bradina. The poor geologist is having a tough time trying to correlate various rock names as he tries to log the core from the most recent program. I suggested that he try and keep close to terminology used by Neil Church for both the Bradina and Goosly properties.

The camp will be closed sometime next week.

H D P PROPERTY - CONQUEST EXPLORATION

The HDP property is located approximately 3 miles east of the Bradina Mine and may be reached by a good dirt road which leads into the Owen Lake Ranch. The property is approx. 2 miles in on this road off of the main road. Work being done was cutting of logs to build a cabin. Future work will include line cutting and trenching.

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