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Viewer Donates Infrared Camera For Aerial Mapping of Kokoweef

Following Larry Hahn's appearance on a public affairs program, a viewer called, offering the use of his infrared camera for mapping of Kokoweef.

"He has one of the best NASA-quality infrared camera systems available today, and he is willing to let us use it to complete the aerial mapping we've wanted to do for years," Larry announced.

The viewer, Bud Ellman, has become one of Explorations Incorporated of Nevada's newest investors. This fall, he will join forces with another long standing investor, Bob Shofner, who has a helicopter. Together, they plan to fly over the Kokoweef area with the camera for mapping purposes.

"Timing is all important in this operation," Larry explains. "They must select a time when a big low weather system is coming in so that the air will equalize itself and we can see the hot spots marking the caverns below."

These hot spots indicate where air is coming out from the tiny crevices dotting the mountain, and they might just open up new doors for exploration.

According to Larry, "In pinpointing these hot spots, we might be able to indicate the length and width of the canyon. The location of these hot spots might also tell us the approximate location of the canyon in relation to the mountain and surrounding area. Once we find the canyon below, we'll find our River of Gold."

Holiday Picnic Success

More than 75 investors, their family and friends enjoyed good friends, good food and a good time at the Annual July Fourth Picnic. "We were pleased to see so many people turn out! We were especially pleased that so many of you went into the mine, peaked down into the shafts, generally explored the mine and all of the progress we are making," said Larry Hahn.

"This picnic will become an annual event, but we do hope to see many of you the weekend of Sept. 3-5. We're planning a big WORK weekend in honor of Labor Day. Come on out and see where your investment dollars are going. Somebody is always at the mine, and every investor is always welcome."

Your Dollar\$ Keep Our Project Moving

We need your financial support. This is primarily directed at those of you who wait for this newsletter before sending in your investment dollars. We need the money NOW to continue our operation.

Part of the money will be used to build an operations room on the muck pile and upgrade our generator system. At present, we are using a 10 KW generator, which uses a half gallon of fuel an hour. We want to upgrade this to a 15 KW which uses one gallon of fuel an hour. We'll then use the 10 KW generator as a backup system.

Between drilling and lighting, we're using more and more

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EXPLORATION INCORPORATED OF NEVADA

We're Steadily Moving Down Vertically Into Mine

Since March, we've discontinued horizontal tunneling, except where needed, and have been concentrating on vertical shafting exclusively.

One manmade shaft is 125 feet below track level; another is 55 feet below, and it is becoming our most promising shaft because it is going straight down vertically into the mine with air coming up continuously.

This shaft is approximately 65 feet from Renee's Shaft and 40 feet from Clark's Hole which is a natural open passageway with air in the bottom.

Our other project is in Che's Passage System. The name was changed from Hilary's Hole to Che's Passage System this year in recognition of the tremendous volunteer effort Che has put into this particular system. This was the first passageway below track level with the most distinct incoming and outgoing air flow.

We're working on two projects here. First, we're continuing

to drill down vertically to where we had our camera situated a year and a half ago.

Second, at the bottom of our original opening, we're going to drill horizontally over 15 feet, to where the vertical fault crosses Schnaard's Hole. This is opposite to the direction in which we last drilled; but we know that where two faults intersect, there is a good possibility of a void or opening.

All three of these shafts are equipped with a tram system that removes the muck after each blasting so we can continue to dig as deep as we need to go.

As we understand the varied formations of this mountain, we believe there is as large a natural cavern system directly below us as there is above us. By blasting down vertically, as deep as it takes, we should be able to tap into that complex system of voids, eventually finding the canyon cradling the River of Gold.

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electricity within the mine itself, but this is a necessity to keep the operation running.

We do have a 40 KW generator which we use for our drilling project, but this generator uses too much fuel, running three gallons an hour which is much too costly for us right now. Once we find the passageway down below, this 40 KW generator will become our initial electrical system. We'll eventually upgrade it since at that point in time, money will be no object for us!

Basically, we're on track. All of our equipment and machinery are running smoothly; our two full time volunteer workers and

cook are being kept busy; the work is progressing nicely; and our expenses have been greatly reduced compared to those we had when we were tunneling.

However, it still costs us between \$300 and \$400 a week to keep this operation going. We still need to supply food and those other necessities of life to our volunteer workers; and we still need to buy supplies like dynamite and other related blasting materials.

We are trying to raise some of the needed funds by selling off our 50 KW generator. If any of you knows of someone who wants a 186 amp, natural gas generator complete with control panels, please let us know. Our asking price is \$7,500. Call us at (702) 642-1605.

If any of you can help, now is the time to do so.