June is Limestone Month!

Celebrate Limestone Month and learn more about the stone that shaped Indiana history with these events offered by the IGS! Sign up for events at the Visit Bloomington calendar [here](#).

You can find out more about these events, and the Indiana Limestone Symposium, where you can learn to carve limestone, [here](#).
IU CAMPUS WALKING TOUR

Explore the unique limestone architecture of the Indiana University campus with retired IGS geologist and local limestone expert Brian Keith.

Friday, June 2, 2:00-4:00 pm
Friday, June 23, 2:00-4:00 pm
Meet at IU's Sample Gates.

These tours are free but advance registration is required as space is limited. Please contact Polly Sturgeon at the IGS to reserve your spot, proot@indiana.edu. In the case of bad weather, please check with Polly for cancellations.

GALLERY EXHIBIT -- Building a Nation
Indiana Limestone Photograph Collection

Opening Presentation
Friday, June 2, 2017
5:15-6:00 pm
"Indiana's Dimension Stone Legacy"

This exhibit features historical photographs of Indiana limestone quarries, mills, and building sites. The stone was quarried and milled in a four-county area (Lawrence, Monroe, Owen, and Washington Counties), but used throughout the nation as a premier building stone. These archival photos showcase the use of Indiana limestone in major projects in the late 19th and early 20th century. See these fantastic photographs, now managed by the IGS, on display the entire month of June.

EXHIBIT DATES: June 2-July 6
at Fountain Square Mall, 101 W. Kirkwood Ave., Bloomington, IN

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QUARRY TOUR

Tour the Old State House Quarry at McCormick's Creek State Park with IGS State Geologist Todd Thompson and Polly Sturgeon, Education Outreach Coordinator.

Saturday, June 3, 9:00-11:00 am
RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED. This tour requires a $7 park entrance fee and is on uneven terrain; please wear appropriate clothing and footwear. E-mail the Indiana Geological Survey to register, proot@indiana.edu.

IGS PRESENTATION

Learn about the geology of the Salem Limestone as part of an ancient carbonate shoal that developed 358 to 323 million years ago.

Dr. Todd Thompson, IGS Director and State Geologist
Thursday, June 22, 12:00-1:00
Indiana Geological Survey
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