2020 Public Fossil Dig - Bismarck Area

- We will be working on a site that preserves a plethora of Hell Creek (67 million-year-old) creatures. Teeth from Tyrannosaurus, bones from Triceratops and Edmontosaurus, plus crocodiles and other creatures abound. This experience will include working at an established quarry site, within easy walking distance of our vehicles. Please read the Bismarck Area FAQ for more details.

-When: Full Days: July 6-9, 13-16, 20-23, 27-29
  2-day session for Experienced Diggers July 30-31
  Family Half-Days: July 10, 17, 24

-Where: South of Bismarck-Mandan, ND. Daily trips to the fossil sites will originate from Bismarck, where we will meet at the Heritage Center. If we are unable to dig due to poor weather conditions, we will work in the Paleontology lab in Bismarck. Because this site is on private land, diggers will be driven to the site in a passenger van. No personal vehicles please.

NEW for 2020: Family Half-Days! New this year, we are introducing half-days to the Bismarck dig. These are for mornings only, on July 10, 17, and 24th. The age minimum is 10 years for a half-day. Children 17 years old and younger must be accompanied by an adult.

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Registration: Saturday February 1st, 10am Central
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Full Day - $25 (minimum age 15)
Half-Day - $15 (minimum age 10)