

Spokane Bar Sapphire Mine & Gold Fever Rock Shop

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For those of you who missed out, there is one more showing of Montana sapphire mining on the Travel Channel ***How to Find Cash and Treasures*** December 30th at 2:00 pm MST, (4 pm Eastern). Check your local schedule. If you miss the Travel Channel entirely, you can order the *Rocks to Riches* DVD to get the geology and sapphire mine tour.

Stephen Bruce of Eugene, Oregon called the Spokane Bar Sapphire Mine after viewing ***How to Find Cash and Treasures*** December 26th featuring Montana sapphires.

While watching the show, he and Vanessa realized they had not finished sorting the Spokane Bar Monster Mine bag they had ordered several years ago!! The Learning Channel aired ***The Hunt for Amazing Treasures***, May 1st 2003 (Series 4, Episode #1, Andrew Solt Productions). Stephen and Vanessa found thirty carats of sapphires and one 17-carat sapphire! The big sapphire is a light blue color, Bruce reported!

Sapphire gravel packages can be ordered to mine at home. Call the mine to order at 1-877-DIG GEMS (344-4367), 1-406-227-8989 or online at www.sapphiremine.com. Make your **summer** travel plans by calling the Montana State Commerce Department at 1-800-TRAVELMT for travel guides. View background information on *How to Find Cash and Treasures* at www.travel.discovery.com. Or come out to the mine and find sapphires yourself! Read newsletters and testimonials on the website. (**note**-ground is frozen in winter for hand digging - not fun yet.)

Cass and Doug hooked up the pipe to run more sapphire gravel through the trommel. Tough task in freezing temperatures (pipe broke again)! Good thing we are stocked up with plenty of sapphire gravel bagged up!

Sincerely,
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