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Wishing you a Happy 2015!

The 3rd edition of the **Rockathon** was a rocking hit with the cities adventure enthusiasts. 252 participants and 70 volunteers had a fun filled day at Ghar-e-Mubarak. Proof enough that Hyderabad is famous not just for the world renowned rock, the Kohinoor but also for our existing unique rocksites!



Rock balancing - the activity that inspired all ages



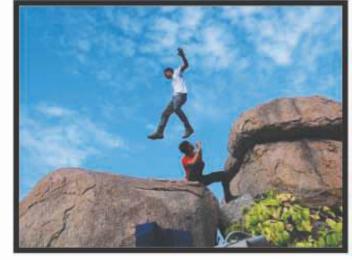
The countdown to Rockathon 2014 began with an informative feature by TV 9



Youngsters look on at the rock shotput

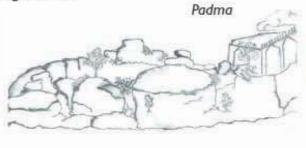


Best photograph by Sai Arun Dharmik



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Best Drawings : Adults

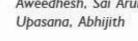


"The Rock Quiz" saw not just the usual enthusiasm among participants but also preparedness that was a welcome surprise " says quiz master Ravi Setlem who was ably supported by the popular TV anchor Jhansi and our member, Beate.



Runners-uþ: Aweedhesh, Sai Arun

Winning Team: Ayaan,Shyamak Sheshthe, Aru



Artists at work



Spreading awareness at the Society's stall





A trail biking participant peddles away



Ghar-e-Mubarak provided the perfect venue!



The newly added Snake show had many an onlooker





The most popular event - Rappelling





Best Drawings : Children

ROCK WALKS IN JANUARY, FEBRUARY AND MARCH 2015

Date:	Place :	Time / Meeting Point:	
Sunday	Kondamadugu	2 p.m. / opp. St. Ann's High School	
Jan. 18, 2015	(Warangal Highway)	SP Road, Secunderabad	
Sunday	Rachakonda	9.30 a.m. / Gun Park, opp. Public	
Feb. 15, 2015	(near Ibrahimpatnam)	Gardens (bring lunch!)	
Sunday University of Hyderabad		7 am / Main Gate of UoH	
March 15, 2015		(return app. 11am)	

Rock Walks are conducted on the third Sunday of every month. They are announced in the press, social media and on our website. Everybody is welcome. Walking shoes, a cap, long pants and a water bottle are a must. Please enrol a minimum of 2 days in advance with Uma Maheshwari - 9866019402 or Sandeep Raj - 9848418085.

The Society does not take responsibility for any accident or injury that may occur during Rock Walks. Walkers should heed safety instructions given by the guides.

Class	Admission	Annual Subscription
Active (Single)	Rs. 100	Rs.200
(Couple)	Rs. 100	Rs.300
Student	Rs. 100	Rs.100
Life (Single)	Rs. 2,000 for Life	
(Couple)	Rs. 3,000 for Life	
Institution	Rs. 10,000	
Corporate	Rs. 50,000	

The Society brochure is now available in Telugu for a wider reach



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