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## **KCGM on the Road**

The malleable young masterminds of the Eastern Goldfields were abuzz during the recent Maths, Minds & Molecules Day (3M) at Southern Cross District High School in October {ED Note: 14<sup>th</sup> October 2010}.

“3M is organized by the high school and it’s all about hands-on activities that motivate kids to keep up their education in maths and science,” said Peta Jurgens, KCGM Community Relations Officer.

“It’s also about encouraging young people to pursue careers in those disciplines, so hopefully they will be inspired to consider joining the mining industry once they leave school too!”

Volunteers from the Geology, Processing, Business, and Environment Departments at KCGM attended 3M under the banner of ‘Rocks on the Road’ - the first in a series of visits across the Goldfields-Esperance region coordinated by the local Goldfields-Esperance Mining Industry Alliance.

“Rocks on the Road is all about getting kids excited about science and also showing them the great careers they can have in the mining industry, and it was perfect timing that we could join with the 3M activities as part of that.” Said KCGM Geology Superintendant and GEMIA Chair, Darren Cooke.

The activities coordinated by the KCGM Volunteers included the Magic of Magnetics, Gold Panning, Rock and Fossil Discoveries, and information about Environmental Management.

“The students were full of questions and kept us on our toes. It’s great to see such intense curiosity and we loved being able to help the students learn and expand their horizons,” he said.

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