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Dear Friends of FACT and the Glendive Dinosaur & Fossil Museum,

What a year! As of the writing of this newsletter, we are on course to break both our yearly attendance and sales records. While humanity often looks at numbers like these from a status perspective, we see them as representing precious individual souls, each of whom God is pursuing in one way or another. Every visitor that walks through our doors is somewhere on the spectrum from unbeliever to believer, and we believe we have a role to play in their life: to challenge the unbeliever and to equip the believer. And you, our gracious supporters, play a vital part in helping us fulfill that task, for which we are *truly* grateful. Thank you.

You still have time to visit the museum. We are currently open on Fridays and Saturdays from 10am-5pm through the end of October. We will also be open on the Friday and Saturday after Thanksgiving.

The rest of this newsletter will be devoted to a special report on our dig season, and the amazing impact Tommy and Martha Lohman have for the Kingdom, as they lead our one-of-a-kind adventures digging for dinosaur bones in the remains of the global flood of Genesis. Enjoy!

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## Dig Report

by Martha Lohman

The daylight hours are fewer now, and nighttime temperatures have begun to dip. School has resumed, and farmers are finishing up their harvest. For some, the relaxing days of summer are concluding; for others the prospect of the changing season means the pace will settle into a more regular routine. As for us, whether museum workers or dig site leaders, we are seeing the proverbial “light at the end” of a very busy tunnel.

As we wrap up the 2019 dig season, it is important to take a moment to reflect on the past months of summer, which are always full and seem to pass so quickly. We are thankful for God’s many provisions, from willing hearts and helping hands to amazing fossil discoveries and meaningful conversations.

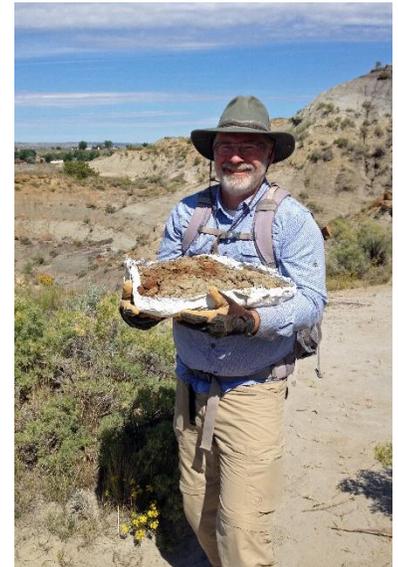
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At the dig site, we welcomed returning friends Jonah and Harley Jo, who shared their strength to help us prepare it for the upcoming digs, which included moving a couple of large boulders (each weighing several hundred pounds!). We also appreciated the assistance of Rebekah and Hannelora, who came as interns and left as friends. These efforts enabled us to complete a very full dig season, including four week-long group digs and many family digs. All in all, much dirt was dug through, and there were some unique fossil finds.



Our dig site yielded an incredible total of five *Tyrannosaurus rex* teeth this year! I had the joy of finding my first adult *T.rex* tooth, and a 10-year-old digger restrained his excitement just long enough to carefully excavate a 3-1/4" specimen. One guest found *two* on the same day, and another discovered our largest one yet at 4 inches long. This has certainly been an exciting summer of "terrible lizard" discoveries!



Other significant excavations included a sub-adult *T.rex* ischium (one of its three hip bones), an



*Edmontosaurus* mandible (lower jaw), a very nice turtle shell, with both carapace and plastron (upper and lower shells), and three pieces of alligator skull. Additionally, our guests discovered vertebrae, hand and foot bones, ribs, various teeth and a broad range of fossil pieces.

We also offered our guest diggers a new opportunity this year to follow up a morning dig with an afternoon preparing the fossils they had just excavated, which several chose to do. It

was a pleasure for us to share the process of lab work and fossil prep with them, and to send them home with fossils "from find to finished."

If you would be interested in joining us for the adventure of an authentic dinosaur dig experience, please visit our website ([creationtruth.org/digs](http://creationtruth.org/digs)) for more information. Our available spaces for the 2020 season are limited, so contact us soon!



We are also now accepting applications for next year's internships (candidates must be 18 to apply). Send an e-mail to [robert@creationtruth.org](mailto:robert@creationtruth.org) to learn more about this rare opportunity.

For some of us at the museum, this year has also contained its share of challenges, from personal loss to health concerns. Please continue to uphold us in your prayers, as we carry on in the battle for the Kingdom through the power of the KING and His amazing Creation!



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