## Tichenor Point Canandaigua Lake 6-18-11

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Sue arranged this for the club to come and collect by visiting and collecting in this area. She met a local landowner Paul Kellogg and got the club invited to his property. This day was beautiful temperature wise. The kids got wetter than suppose to playing in the water on the lake shore which only made it better for them. We found multiple small fossils on the beach. The rainy spring washed additional material down the stream onto the point where we found brachiopods, trilobites, crinoids, clams, driftwood, feathers and snails. Paul then led the group up the creek where larger specimens were found. Paul shared his collection of giveaway fossils with us to help us complete our collections and then brought out his personal favorites which included a complete crinoid calyx collected right there in his front yard. Ken St. John shared a fossil reference he carries for such occasions so we could help identify some of Paul's fossils for him. It was a fun filled day filled with smiles and pleasant surprises, the best being our invitation to come back and visit again!! Thanks Paul for a great day and Susie for setting up the trip!

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