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### **'InsideMetals.com' Adds 12 Junior Gold Companies to Its Popular Gold & Mineral Exploration Shopping Mall**

RENO, Nev., May 8 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- InsideMetals.com an internet website that provides worldwide information about the gold mining industry and profiles U.S. stock exchange listed Gold Producing Stocks, reported today that it has added 12 Junior Gold Companies to its Gold & Mineral Exploration Shopping Mall. The <http://www.insidemetals.com> website information resource now includes 75 listed junior companies.

The following Junior Gold companies, which are listed by stage of development, have been added to the InsideMetals.com Gold & Mineral Exploration Shopping Mall. They are grouped where they are traded including the NASDAQ, the American Stock Exchange, the Over-the-Counter Bulletin Board, the Toronto Exchange and the Toronto Venture Exchange.

Junior Gold Prospectors added are Columbus Gold Corp., and Eaglecrest Exploration Ltd., which are both traded on the Toronto Venture Exchange.

Junior Gold Explorers added are American Bonanza Gold Corp., Eastmain Resources Inc., Freegold Ventures Ltd., and Metallic Ventures Gold Inc., all traded on the Toronto Stock Exchange, and Apogee Minerals Ltd., and Bear Creek Mining Corp., both traded on the Toronto Venture Exchange.

Junior Gold Developers added are Petaquilla Minerals Ltd. traded on Toronto Stock Exchange, Silver Standard Resources Ltd. traded on NASDAQ, and Minera Andes Inc. traded on both the Toronto Venture Exchange, and the Over-the Counter Bulletin Board.

InsideMetals Gold & Mineral Exploration Shopping Mall is a centralized information resource developed to make it easier for potential investors worldwide to find and obtain access to Junior Gold & Mineral Exploration companies. Junior Gold & Mineral Exploration companies are development companies, often without revenues, and are classified according to the stage of development of their property. The three development stages are: Prospector, Explorer, and Developer. The development stages are defined on the website at [www.insidemetals.com](http://www.insidemetals.com).

"Each month we add companies that represent each of our classifications," said Mike Mapa, Managing Editor. "There will be fewer Developers added than Prospectors and Explorers because there are fewer companies with properties with proven reserves and a completed feasibility study. Our additions expand the number of classified investment opportunities that investors can quickly view at the Gold & Mineral Shopping Mall via links to each company's website home page, and stock symbol."

More information about InsideMetals.com can be obtained at <http://www.insidemetals.com>.

About InsideMetals.com

InsideMetals.com is an internet website that offers detailed value-added financial, production, and ore reserve information for key U.S. stock exchange listed gold, silver, platinum, and palladium producing companies. The website is fast and easy to use with a primary value objective of saving time for busy investors, business managers, or government administrators worldwide who may need the information. The website includes a broad range of free value-added information resources and a modestly priced paid subscription section for visitors who want access to the details.

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