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CENTRAL FLORIDA METAL DETECTING CLUB

August 1991

The next meeting of the Central Florida Metal Detecting Club wil be held on Friday, August 9, 1991 at the Goldenrod Civic Center located on Palmetto Avenue next to the Fire Station in Goldenrod, Florida. The meeting will begin at 8:00 p.m. We hope to see you there!

September meeting date: September 13 October meeting date: October 11

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... DISCOVER FAMILY FUN IN METAL DETECTING...

The Club would like to welcome the following new members to our group. They are... Brent Petherick of Maitland, Ronald West of Longwood, Tom Zackton of Orlando, and the group from Pawnarama, Inc. in Orlando, FL. The latter are Michael Heavener & David Norris, owners of the business.

...July Meeting Newsnotes.....

The ½ & ½ winner was Jack Phillips. The bank night winner was #104, Tim Smith. The \$1.00 silver draws produced Keith Reese and Michael Heavener as the winners.

Ray and Lonna Leist were out-of-town, and Glen Corder and his wife, Madeline hosted the meeting. Milton & Lorine Raw were also not present. The Find of the Month table was hosted by Frank and Edna Liberatore.

Many topics on the agenda included the show-and-tell. George Livingston had his "bottles" and Herb Phillips commented on topics noted in the recent issue of "Treasure Week" which had to do with future hunts. In the article on "Treasure Facts" new business was brought to our attention in the form of the new mining law. A sign-in sheet was passed around for members to sign relating to strip mines in Colorado and restrictions places among other things on use of metal detectors and impending restrictions on rights of the hobby.

The October 26 hunt at Moss Park was discussed. The registration flyer was attached to the July newsletter and will be inserted again before hunt. Through one of our members, Tim Smith, Shoney's Inn in Kissimmee will be offering a special rate for October 25 & 26, 1991. A group rate is being presented for \$37.00 plus tax to people attending the hunt. It is good for 1 to 4 guests any night from October 24 through October 28. For this rate call....

Shoney's Inn, 4156 W. Vine Street, Kissimmee, FL. (407) 870-7374

*Mention the Central Florida Metal Detecting Club to receive this discount. Rooms are on an availability basis only!

Directions: From the hotel go east on 192 approximately 4 miles then turn left on Boggy Creek Road. Follow Boggy Creek Road to SR 15, all intersections are marked by signs saying Boggy Creek or TO 15... At Narcoosee (SR15) turn left and follow signs to Moss Park. The park is about 45 minutes from the hotel.

Edna Liberatore brought up the discussion of possible hunt sites, costs, et cetera. One would be \$35.00 per person and is a relatively new camp, circa the 1970's. Costs encountered by the club would be a one day hunt at \$250.00. Another site dating from the 1940's would be an overnight stay with costs to the club of \$200.00 in season and \$100.00 off season per day. One of the next site dates is January 1, 1992, a Wednesday. It was explained one of the reasons costs are so high for our club excursions is that insurance policies demand that site owners have adequate protection for personal liability should there be accidents incurred by visitors. More on this in the next newsletter.

Notes from the Raffle table...

The folks who host the "Prize" table every month are Fred and Nancy Schimmel. In July we had some interesting donations (the items which are most new are donated by members of the club) which included the following...

1 large Lantern
Sterno cooking fuel and stove
A handsome 6 pc. glass mug set
Sonic silver cleaner device
A brass latch-key holder
Ladies wallet
Set of notes
Popcorn (the Orville Redenbacher kind)
Asst'd magazines and pocket books
George Livingston's eye "aids"

Find of the Month...

Single Coin- Bob Stackhouse found an 1809 Large U.S. Cent in the Classic Head Type in Sanford, FL on the second time around. Group Coin-Barbara Phillips found in her group: 3 V-Nickels; 1 Buffalo Nickel (dateless); 2 War Nickels; 7 Mercury Dimes ranging from 1925 to 1945D; 2 Roosevelt Dimes; 1 Standing Liberty Quarter- 1925; and 5 Tokens which included one inscribed "Green River Whiskey."

Single Jewelry- Charlie Petersen

Group Jewelry- Herb Phillips

Single Artifact- Rob Loucks found a belt buckle inscribed in Latin. Group Artifacts- David Gascoyne found at a 1830 Fort site the following. Broken bottle glass; bullets; melted bullet lead; a pipe stem; arrow point shavings; iron roller buckles; tent grommets, and pocket knife pieces.

Single Odd's 'n Ends- George Livingston
Group Odd's 'n Ends- Barbara Phillips found an assortment of items
that included locks, spoons, bullets, compacts, a sterling spoon,
a Coca-Cola F.O.B., Beer bottle stopper, an encased cent, 1 bead,
a key-hole, buttons, asstd glass & clay marbles, a Model-T Valve
stem, misc. junk jewelry, various buckles, a key hole, and misc.

Note: Some of the Find of the Month displays came from the Green Cove Springs Hunt. It is estimated that about 25-30 pieces of silver coinage came from Sunday's digging near the swimming pool.

August Speaker- Our guest for August 9 will be Corporal Marion Huttgreen of the Sheriff's Dept. The subject: "Con Games." Don't miss this one!

What does the symbol to the right mean? This is the trade-mark of a group that will be in the news more in the Fall with the State Legislature convening for it's annual session. More in September!!!



....CLASSIFIED ADS....

To place an ad call Barbara Pietrzak at (407) 843-6030. Give a brief description, price, name, and phone number you can be reached at. If an item has been sold please inform the Editor so that the item may be deleted from the files. Thank you.

Bounty Hunter- Big Bud Pro, Special Edition Digital. Brand new! Won in hunt at Clearwater Beach, FL on May 18, 1991. \$225.00 or best offer. Call Ted Smith at 291-3442.

Hot Head Coil, 2nd generation for TK Detectors- like new! \$75.00 White's Series "2", 4" loop with TK Adapter- like new! \$50.00 Delta Wood Spindle duplicator: Fits on wood lathes & used for one project, asking \$225.00, Call Dr. Bob Ross at (813) 385-8224.

Fisher 1280X Diver with 10.5" coil, new and under warranty! \$529.00 Call Jack Dee at (904) 749-4459.

Garrett ADS "3" with 7.5" & 12" coils & rechargeable batteries. \$225.00 Call Jim Ingram at (407) 933-1308.

Five acres plus 2 lots with heavily wooded lakefront near Paisley, FL. For sale for \$31,000.00. Call Nelson Smith for more info. at 862-3201.

.....Wanted to Buy or Trade....

The "Florida Yankee" wants to buy your Civil War Collectibles! I would like to purchase Military Buttons from the Seminole Indian War and the Civil War in particular. Call David "Florida Yankee" Gascoyne for more information at 767-0530.

Type Coins- Half Cent to Trade Dollar wanted in XF condition at or below the Dealer Board prices. Give Ted Smith a call at 291-3442 for more info!

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