



Treasure Talk

The Monthly Newsletter of The Central Florida Metal Detecting Club

JUNE 2018



Carolyn Harwick: From The President's Desk

I cannot believe that it is June already and 2018 is half way over. With all the rain that we have gotten lately, I hope that some of you were able to get out and find some goodies! Just remember that if you are hunting in the rain to be careful and watch out for lightening!

This month's meeting will be a fun one! We are having a pizza party during the break. The club will be providing the pizza, drinks and dessert. Make sure you bring your appetite with you.

At the last meeting, we discussed the West Volusia Historical Society. We have a small display of finds, donated by member, that are displayed and will be there until October. We will put up another display in October and will let everyone know what the next theme is so that you can display your finds if you are interested.

We will be taking donations for History Seekers, which is put on by the West Volusia Historical Society at the meeting. If you would like to donate, they are in need of: fabric remnants, needles, thread, film for polaroid cameras, card stock, wood scraps, nails for wood, sandpaper, basic hand tools, pens, markers, construction paper, crayons, pencils, popcorn, Christmas trees, yarn, hay, paper, cranberries and ink.

The club hunt will be on June 16th. We will announce the location at the meeting. We will also announce the date and time of our first certification program as well.

See you at the next meeting.

Carolyn



CFMDC MAY 2018 Meeting Notes

The May meeting of the Central Florida Metal Detecting Club was called to order at 7:30 pm by club president, Carolyn Harwick. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Marc Hoover.

Secretary Report-

April minutes accepted as published.
April newsletter: Date of the May meeting incorrect on last page. Should have been May 11, 2018

Treasurer Report-

Chuck Hosbein: Club made a significant profit hosting the CFMDC Silver & Relic Hunt April 14.

Jim Fielding-

11 First time guests greeted to the meeting

Carolyn Harwick-

The May club hunt will be at Hollyland Park in Holly Hill. 1082 Ridgewood Ave. Start time is 9am.

The West Volusia Historical Society will display items from the area related to transportation. If you have of these items and would like to have them displayed "on loan", please talk to Carolyn. The Society is also in charge of a program supporting children and has asked for donations. The club voted to donate \$100 to that cause.

Jim Fielding-

Certificates of Appreciation:

JoAnne Jolin searched for a lost ring.
Brenda & Steven Burke located the ring and



returned it to the owner.

Ron Caiazza & Jeanne Cygan found and returned



a lost class ring.

Christine Merriam returned a lost ring.



David Harwick returned a lost ring.



Phillip Lee returned a lost cell phone.



Alan James assisted CSI in searching for a gun



in the sewer. No success.

Jerry Hitson attempted to locate a lost ring.



Joe Bishop attempted to locate a lost earring.



Jim Fielding searched the surf for a lost



wedding ring.

Jim Fielding-

Tech Talk: Competition Hunt Tips.

SPEED is essential. The first 90 seconds are critical to finding tokens. Ignore surface targets, use little sensitivity.

Sportsmanship is a huge part of the hunt, have a good time. Quoting Ralph Waldo Emerson, Jim finished with "Win as if you are used to it, lose as if you enjoyed it for a change".

Break - Refreshments, finds table voting

Carolyn Harwick-

The Certification Program should be starting in June (date TBD). Pinpointing, Target Recovery, Code of Ethics, etc will be covered. This program has the intent to solidify the metal detecting community and promote ourselves to city, county and state officials.

Marc Hoover-

Explanation of the Finds Tables and their categories. Please write legibly with a brief clear description. Also put your name on the back, member number on the front.

Jim Fielding & Carolyn Harwick-

Birthdays for May-

Ron West, Alan Jame, Betty Shackelford
Mike Jefferson, Bill Bergdoll

Anniversaries for May-

Mike Jefferson, Karen & Ken Arrington
Linda & Wally Klee

New Members- Kristin Bruno, Joe Bielawski
Celeste Roles, Jerry Burbaugh, Stash Duzlak

Jim Fielding-

Raffles:

Door Prize-

Orville Powers, Ben Torres, Ken Cassidy
Deborah Prock, Christine Merriam
Wally Klee, George Case, Bill Green
George Guimond, Jim Tippitt

Silver Raffle-

Ron West, Robert Jolin, Jerry Hitson
Lee Noga, Henry "Buddy" Smith (2X)
Gary Flatt

50/50 Raffle-

Ken Cassidy \$110

Nametag Drawing-

Doug Oyler N/A, Mike Sedlak N/A

Finds Table Raffle-

Ken Cassidy

Carolyn Harwick-

The Finds Table prize will change monthly, to hopefully encourage more participation.

Marc Hoover & Rob Loucks

Finds Table

Carolyn Harwick-

Please help reset the meeting room by stacking the chairs. This meeting is closed.

Door Prizes

Orville Powers, Ben Torres, Deborah Prock
Ken Cassidy, Christine Merriam, Wally Klee
George Case, Bill Green, George Guimond
Jim Tippitt

SILVER RAFFLE WINNERS

Ron West, Robert Jolin, Jerry Hitson
Henry "Buddy" Smith (2X), Lee Noga
Gary Flatt

FIFTY/FIFTY WINNER

Ken Cassidy \$110

BADGE DRAWING

Doug Oyler N/A, Mike Sedlak N/A

FINDS TABLE WINNER

Ken Cassidy

ANNIVERSARIES

**Karen & Ken Arrington, Wally & Linda Klee
Mike Jefferson**

NEW MEMBERS

Kristen Bruno, Joe Bielawski, Celeste Roles
Jerry Burbaugh, Stash Duzlak

COIN VALUE OF THE MONTH

1889 Three Cent Nickel

Mintage: 18,125

<u>Grade</u>	<u>Value</u>
Good	\$ 57
Fine	\$ 104
Extremely Fine	\$ 165
Uncirc.	\$ 238

Source: coinstudy.com

BIRTHDAYS

**Ron West, Alan James, Betty Shackelford
Mike Jefferson, Bill Bergdoll**

**PRECIOUS METALS PRICE
PERFORMANCE FOR MAY 2018**

	GOLD	SILVER
LOW:	\$ 1290.65	\$ 16.28
HIGH:	\$ 1321.26	\$ 16.70
CLOSE 5-31 :	\$ 1298.22	\$ 16.44
MONTH- CHANGE:	-\$17.14	+\$0.12

Source: SDBullion.com

FINDS TABLES MAY 2018

Name Points

T1	Ken Arrington	88
T1	Christine Merriam	88
3	Mike Grace	53
4	Brent Petherick	45
5	Danny Case	45
6	Kathy Waters	39
7	Karen Arrington	37
8	Deborah Prock	29
9	Rob Loucks	25
10	Bill Green	21
11	Vickie Chilla	20
12	Jerry Hitson	17
13	Ralph Flippo	13
14	Alma McIntosh	12
15	Adam Feldstein	11
T16	Mike Sedlak	10
T16	Robert McIntosh	10
T18	Steven Burke	9
T18	Dave Gascoyne	9
T18	Jim Tippitt	9
T18	Rodger Taylor	9
T18	Kenneth Cassidy	9
T18	Lee Noga	9
T24	George Landgrabe	8
T24	Donna Kersey	8
T24	David Kersey	8
T24	Jim Fielding	8

T24	Wally Klee	8
T29	Jim Hooks	7
T29	JoAnne Jolin	7
T31	Gary Penta	6
T31	Doug Prock	6
T31	Alan Workman	6
34	Michael McClure	5
T35	Patricia Chin	4
T35	Brenda Burke	4
T35	Patti Fielding	4
T35	Phil Myers	4
T39	Dorothy Child	3
T39	David Gray	3
T39	Gene Hitchew	3
T39	Matt Fitzpatrick	3
43	Mark Holshoe	2
T44	Mike Jefferson	1
T44	George Guimond	1
T44	Deborah Guimond	1
T44	Steven Sommerville	1
T44	Phillip Lee	1

Each 1st Place entry gets 4 points.

Each 2nd place entry gets 3 points.

Each 3rd place entry gets 2 points.

All other entries on the Finds Tables get 1 point just for entering

MAY 2018 FINDS TABLES WINNERS

COINS



1st Place – Ken Arrington : 1964 Kennedy Silver Half Dollar

2nd Place – Bill Green

3rd Place – Jerry Hitson



1st Place – Christine Merriam : 2,036 Total Clad Coins

2nd Place – Rob Loucks

3rd Place – Ralph Flippo

JEWELRY



1st Place – Ken Arrington : 14k Gold Men’s Chain

2nd Place – Danny Case

3rd Place – Lee Noga



1st Place – Christine Merriam : Bangles, Bracelets, Earrings

2nd Place – Ken Arrington

3rd Place – Ralph Flippo

ARTIFACTS



1st Place – Karen Arrington : Half of a 1930 License Plate

2nd Place – Vickie Chilla

3rd Place – Alan Workman



1st Place – Christine Merriam : Old Clock Parts, Pocket Watch

2nd Place – Vickie Chilla

3rd Place – Brent Petherick

ODDS & ENDS



1st Place – Vickie Chilla : Antique Makeup Lid

2nd Place – Deb Prock

3rd Place – Christine Merriam



1st Place – Christine Merriam : Cars, Keys, Silverware, Golf Balls

2nd Place – Phil Myers

3rd Place – David Kersey

The Central Florida Metal Detecting Club

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Application For Membership

Please Print Application

Membership Fees: _____ **Single (\$15)**
(Membership Fee may incur after one year lapse of dues)

Membership Dues: \$25.00 Per year/ Per Member

Make all checks out to C.F.M.D.C.

Meetings: Second Friday of Each Month at 7:30 pm

Location: Community United Methodist Church

41 West Highbanks Rd.

Debary, FL 32713

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State** _____ **Zip:** _____

Phone _____ **E-mail** _____

When are you available for Metal Detecting? Weekdays-- Weekends--

I agree to abide to all club rules and obey the treasure hunters code of ethics.

Signature: _____

Introduced by: _____

Applications and fees may be presented at meeting or mailed to:

CFMDC Members

3504 Moss Pointe Place Lake Mary, FL 32746

Club Officers

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Carolyn Harwick

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Vice President

Jim Fielding

2nd Vice President

Marc Hoover

Treasurer

Chuck Hosbein

Secretary

Michael McClure

REMINDER: Club dues are \$25 for the year and there is a one-time membership fee of \$15.

If you are paying by check, please make it out to "The Central Florida Metal Detecting Club"

Come And Join Us!!!

We meet the second Friday of every month.

Meeting Place:

Community United Methodist Church

41 West Highbanks Rd.

Debary, FL 32713

Meeting Date: Friday, June 8, 2018

Meeting Time: 7:30PM

Club Volunteers

Monthly Finds Tables

Rob Loucks, Ron Ciazza, Ken Arrington

Jeanne Cygan

Webmaster

Jerry Hitson

Half & Half

George & Deborah Guimond

Silver Raffle

Bill & Betty Shackelford

Photographers

Ralph Flippo, Rob Loucks, Jerry Hitson

Activities Director

Joanne Jolin

Librarian

Refreshments

Debbie Bishop

Newsletter Editor

Michael McClure

PLATINUM FACTS

Platinum is one of the transition metals, a group that includes gold, silver, copper and titanium — and most of the elements in the middle of the periodic table. The atomic structure of these metals means they can bond easily with other elements.

Source: LiveScience.com

**ANY TIME YOU SHOW UP
FOR A CLUB MEETING OR
HUNT, DON'T FORGET TO
SIGN THE REGISTER.**