



# Treasure Talk

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The Monthly Newsletter of The Central Florida Metal Detecting Club

**MARCH 2019**



### **Carolyn Harwick: From The President's Desk**

Time is flying, I cannot believe it is March already! We have about 4 weeks left to get everything together for the 6<sup>th</sup> annual Central Florida Sunshine Shootout and Relic Hunt on April 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

This year we have continued to line up new sponsors for the events. We have 14 confirmed metal detectors that we will have for the hunt. We have 7 vendors that will be attending and 4 special guests. The Sunshine Silver and Relic Hunt will be a lot of fun for everyone this year!

We will need volunteers to help with the event. We have many that have signed up already and at the meeting this month, we will have the volunteer list broken up into teams for different tasks. We will need anyone else who is planning

to volunteer to sign up so your shirts can be ordered.

This month's club hunt will be on March 16<sup>th</sup>. This will be a member only hunt and will be the annual member appreciation cookout. We ask that everyone bring a side dish. The club will provide the hot dogs, hamburgers, and all the fixings. The hunt will be at 9 am 39248 Wild Flower Way in Eustis.

At the meeting this month, do not forget to bring your finds in for the month. Let's fill those tables up. We want to see everyone's finds.

See you at the next meeting.

*Carolyn*

# Secretary's Report February 2019 Meeting Notes

By: Michael McClure

The February meeting of the Central Florida Metal Detecting Club was called to order at 7:35 pm, February 8, by club president, Carolyn Harwick.

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Jim Fielding.

## Secretary Report-

The club secretary thanked the newsletter editor for correcting Ron Caiazzas' last name on the final page. It has been spelled wrong for the past 16 months. Several members reported not getting the newsletter attachment this month. The newsletter editor stated it would be re-sent tomorrow.

## Treasurer Report-

No Treasurers report was provided due to the on going transition.

## Jim Fielding -

Jim provided a eulogy for Brent Petherick, who was a 28 year member of the club. Jim then proposed that a future club hunt be held in Brent's honor. The club members overwhelmingly agreed.

Jim welcomed 11 guests to the meeting.

## Carolyn Harwick -

Carolyn passed out special awards to club volunteers ...

Jerry Hitson for being the website admin.  
Alana and Tom Bates for organizing refreshments at club hunts and helping out at the meetings where necessary.

Debbie and George Guimond for managing the  $\frac{1}{2}$  &  $\frac{1}{2}$  raffle and providing backup with the silver raffle.

Mike Jefferson received a certificate of appreciation for searching and locating a ring when called upon by Carolyn.

This month's club hunt will be at Royal Trails in Eustis at 9am. The address is 39248 Wildflower Way, 32736. This will be a members only hunt.

## Jim Fielding -

A reminder...please bring in your pull tabs and turn them in to Bill Shackelford. These go to help support the Ronald McDonald House.

As promised, I will now start the first installment of The Featured Club Member. Can I have Rosemary come to the front of the room. Jim then asked this new club member which detector she uses, to which Rosemary replied a Minelab Equinox 800. Jim also asked her what she thought of the CFMDC, She said "I haven't gotten kicked out yet, so that's good"..

## Carolyn Harwick -

Jessica, an employee in the marketing department at Kellyco, was called to the front. Jessica told of how hard the transition going from a brick and mortar store to online only has been for Kellyco. She iterated that Kellyco is dedicated to helping the metal detecting community, and detectorists should look for new and exciting things in the near future. She advised to watch Kellyco's Facebook page for announcements.

Carolyn then had Jim Hooks come to the front and talk of past TCAS hunts down in Wabasso. Jim stated the hunt was worth the entry fee with great prizes. The Treasure Coast Archeological Society's 32<sup>nd</sup> annual hunt will be held March 9, 2019.

## BREAK-

### Carolyn Harwick -

More info pertaining to the Sunshine Silver & Relic Hunt, There will be a meet & greet with this years special guests at Wedgefield Golf Club (20550 Maxim Parkway, Orlando, FL 32833). Time is 5-7PM. There is a bar, and the clubhouse has live music starting at 8PM. We will have a free hunt for the kids 12 and under at the Sunshine Hunt. Volunteers will be broken into teams and given color coordinated t-shirts.

### February Birthdays:

Pauls Rios, Kimberly Lytle, Deborah Prock  
Patricia Moon, Donna Rothery

### February Anniversaries:

Deborah & Doug Prock

### Jim Fielding-

Welcomed 7 new members to the club.

### Carolyn Harwick-

The Best Display of the Month as picked by the board is the 87<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment Pin brought in by George Landgrabe.



### Carolyn Harwick & Jim Fielding-

### Raffles:

#### Door Prize-

Roy Peters, Kim Lytle, Bill Green, John Timmes

#### Silver Raffle -

Don Cole, John Timmes, Nelson Wolbert,  
Doug Prock, Deborah Guimond, Gene Hitchew  
Mitch Colson

#### 50/50 Raffle-

Roy Peters \$113

### Nametag Drawing-

Steven Gray N/A, Pam Gray \$20

### Finds Table Raffle-

Ed Cook

### Marc Hoover & Rob Loucks

### Finds Tables

### Carolyn Harwick-

Please help reset the meeting room by replacing the tables. This meeting is closed.

## **NEW MEMBERS**

Mark Strausberger, Barry Bobes, Perry Moon  
Patricia Moon, Rose Marie "Ginny" Jenau  
Jessica Muller, Jennifer Coch, Sally Frazier  
Sean Guertin

## **BIRTHDAYS**

Paula Rios, Kimberly Lytle, Deborah Prock  
Patricia Moon, Donna Rothery

## **ANNIVERSARIES**

Deborah & Doug Prock

## Door Prizes

Roy Peters, Kimberly Lytle, Bill Green, John Timmes

### SILVER RAFFLE WINNERS

Don Cole, John Timmes, Nelson Wolbert  
Doug Prock, Deborah Guimond, Genne Hitchew  
Mitch Colson

### FIFTY/FIFTY WINNER

Roy Peters \$113

### BADGE DRAWING

Steven Gray N/A, Pam Gray \$20

### FINDS TABLE WINNER

Ed Cook

## **OUR CLUB'S METAL DETECTING CODE OF ETHICS**

1. Fill all holes. Leave the land and vegetation as it was.
2. Remove all trash and litter when you leave.
3. Respect the rights and property of others.
4. Observe all laws, whether national, state or local.
5. Aid law enforcement officials whenever possible.
6. Never destroy priceless historical/archeological treasures.
7. All metal detectorists may be judged by the example you set. Always conduct yourself with courtesy and consideration for others.

## **COIN VALUE OF THE MONTH**

1861 Seated Half Dime

Mintage: 3,361,000

<u>Grade</u>	<u>Value</u>
Good	\$ 11
Fine	\$ 16
Extremely Fine	\$ 33
Uncirc.	\$ 128

Source: [coinstudy.com](http://coinstudy.com)

## **Come And Join Us!!!**

*We meet the second Friday of every month.*

Meeting Place:

Community United Methodist Church  
41 West Highbanks Rd.  
Debarry, FL 32713

Meeting Date: Friday, March 8, 2019

Meeting Time: 7:30PM

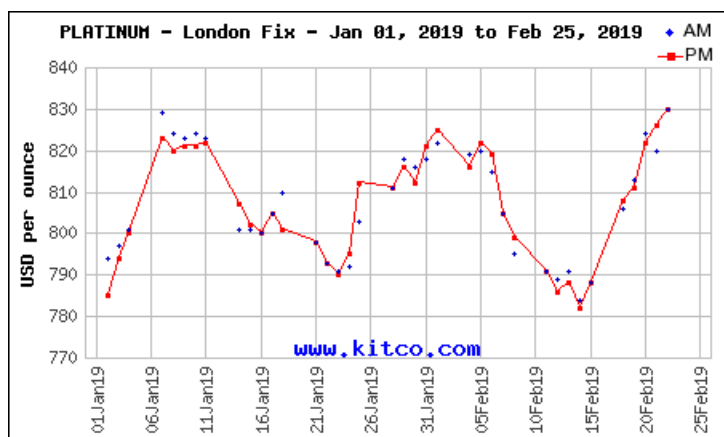
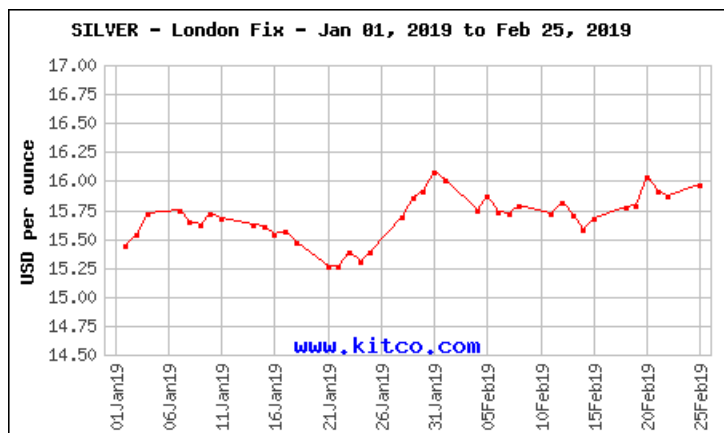
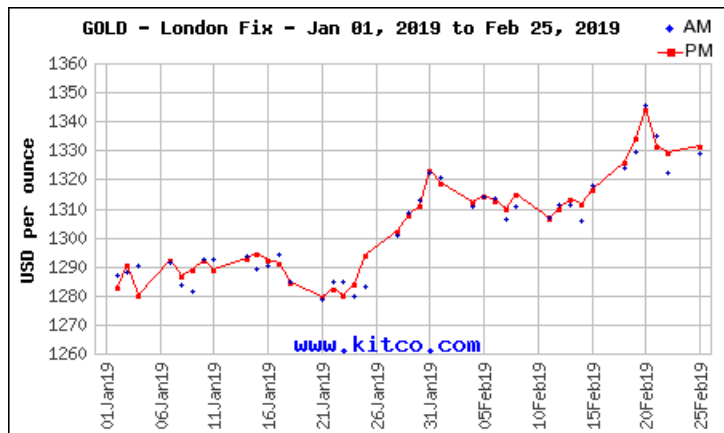
## **ALUMINUM FACTS**

Aluminum's sheer bulk — some 8 percent of the Earth's crust by weight, according to the University of Wisconsin — makes it easy to take this metal for granted.

Source: [LiveScience.com](http://LiveScience.com)

# YEAR TO DATE METAL PRICES 2019

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**35 days until the  
Central Florida Sunshine  
Silver & Relic Hunt.  
Are you going to be there?**

Speaking of metal detecting hunts.....  
Did you hear about this one?

CFMDC Member Appreciation Hunt. March 16.  
9 am at 39248 Wild Flower Way in Eustis,  
32736. This a members only hunt, and we ask  
you bring a side dish. Burgers, dogs and the  
fixins provided by the club.



# FEBRUARY 2019 FINDS TABLES WINNERS

## COINS



**1st Place: Ed Cook – 1901 Indian Head**

**2nd Place – John Ayers**

**3rd Place – Danny Case**



**1st Place – Danny Case – Clad, Pennies, Foreign Coins**

**2nd Place – Deb Prock**

**3rd Place – Ed Cook**



# JEWELRY



**1st Place – Lonnie Lytle – 24K Pendant w/ Diamonds & 14K Chain**

**2nd Place – Danny Case**

**3rd Place – David Gray**



**1st Place – Bill Green – Odds & Ends Jewelry**

**2nd Place – Danny Case**

**3rd Place – John Ayers**



## ARTIFACTS



**1st Place – Doug Prock – Old Key**

**2nd Place – Lonnie Lytle**

**3rd Place – Bill Green**



**1st Place – John Ayers – High Brass Shell & Other Metal Fragments**

**2nd Place – Patti Fielding**

**3rd Place – No Other Entries**





**FINDS TABLES SCORES  
THROUGH FEBRUARY 2019**

Place	Name	Points
1	Danny Case	34
2	Deborah Prock	22
3	Ken Arrington	18
4	Bill Green	15
5	John Ayers	14
6	John Ayers	12
7	Lonnie Lytle	11
8	Lee Noga	9
T9	Kathy Waters	8
T9	Ed Cook	8
11	Rob Loucks	7
T12	Ralph Flippo	6
T12	Alma McIntosh	6
T14	Jim Hooks	5
T14	Doug Prock	5
T14	Patti Fielding	5
T14	Jerry Hitson	5
T14	Michael McClure	5

T19	Mike Grace	4
T19	Robert McIntosh	4
21	David Gray	3
T22	Mary Lou Mahan	2
T22	Phillip Lee	2
T22	George Landgrabe	2
T22	Ken Cassidy	2
T26	Victor Carataga	1
T26	Brenda Burke	1
T26	Shane Bryant	1
T26	Melissa Reighard	1
T26	Wally Klee	1

Each 1<sup>st</sup> Place entry gets 4 points.

Each 2<sup>nd</sup> place entry gets 3 points.

Each 3<sup>rd</sup> place entry gets 2 points.

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

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# The Central Florida Metal Detecting Club

**President: Carolyn Harwick**

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407-967-5409

**Treasurer: Vickie Chilla**

407-476-3998

**Secretary: Michael McClure**

407-982-0375

## 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**

**P.O. Box 1563, Eustis, FL. 32727**

**Or online at: <http://www.thecfmdc.com/join.html>**

## **Club Officers**

### **President**

Carolyn Harwick

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### **Vice President**

Jim Fielding

### **2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President**

Marc Hoover



### **Treasurer**

Vickie Chilla

### **Secretary**

Michael McClure



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

## **Club Volunteers**

### **Monthly Finds Tables**

Rob Loucks, Ron Caiazza, 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**

Alan Workman

### **Refreshments**

Debbie Bishop

### **Newsletter Editor**

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"