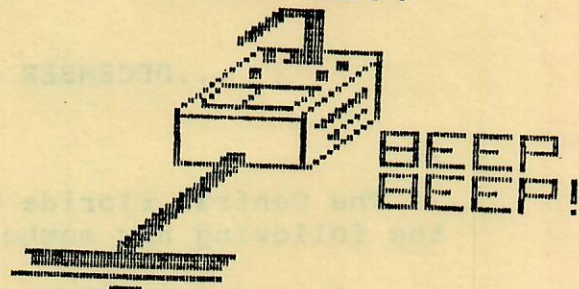


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CENTRAL FLORIDA METAL DETECTING CLUB

JANUARY 1991

*****NEWSLETTER*****

The next meeting of the Central Florida Metal Detecting Club will be held on January 11, 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!

February meeting date: February 8

1991 Club Officers

President	Ray Leist
Vice-President	Jim Ingram
Second Vice-President	Glenn Corder
Recording Secretary	Madeline Corder
Treasurer	Lonna Leist
Site Committee Chairman	Keith Reese
Newspaper Editor	Barbara Pietrzak
Corresponding Secretary	Harry Rainey
Historian	Boyd Rodgers
Refreshments	Lonna Leist
Find of the Month	Milton and Lorine Raw
Prizes	Fred and Nancy Schimmel

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

...DECEMBER AND JANUARY NEWSNOTES...

The Central Florida Metal Detectors Club would like to welcome the following new members as of November and December 1990. They are:

Al and Sue Dodson, Merritt Island; Alden W. Mitchell, Winter Garden; Scott and Penny Schreiner, Orlando; and Robert and Arlene Thatcher; Sebring, Florida.

*****REMINDER*****

The beginning of the year signals a time for us to pull out the wallet and pay our 1991 dues. There is no change in our dues structure as of this newsletter; however, there are some things that the members need to be aware of. The Club has been informed of a rate increase in the monthly rental at the Goldenrod Civic Center plus a comment or two on the "condition" that the center is left in at the conclusion of the meetings. Knowledgeable members are aware that the club is responsible and strives to meet these conditions (cleanup, et cetera) in a diligent and consistent manner. Consequently at the December 14 meeting, Ray Leist and Jim Ingram informed the attendees present that they were in the process of seeking other "accomodations" for future club meetings. Volunteers were drafted to contact on a one-to-one basis certain local organizations in the Greater Orlando area about costs, conditions and availability of meeting nights on a monthly basis and to report back to the officers and members, their findings. It should be mentioned that the budget, costs of maintaining the club, the Annual Hunt, et cetera was discussed and taken into consideration amongst the officers and the members present before this step was taken.

The Editor would like to add that recently she drove past the Club's meeting place and noticed a "For Rent" sign on the lawn in front of the building. The economy being what it is and this overture at this time (requests for more money after a long period of stability) would possibly indicate the Goldenrod Civic Center has made a knee-jerk decision. It is my personal opinion and experience (I ran a home-owners's association for eight years in Maitland), but personally, I would not be surprised to see with a little arm-twisting a change in policy of the Goldenrod Civic Association near the end of January should the Club pursue the matter, and ask for more flexible rental terms based on our long association with them as a responsible, family-oriented and small non-profit organization.

Good News! The Central Florida Metal Detecting Club made \$1,600 at the November 10 hunt after all expenses were recorded! There were at least 6 letters of appreciation, praise as far away as New York and California on the caliber and organization of the event. Write-ups will be featured on it, one by Bill Nelson, and it all adds up to great PR for us. Please remember those dues folks as participation in all future hunts depends on whether you pay up in January!

Hunt news (continued)

There will be a another weekend hunt scheduled sometime in February or March at a private campground in the local area that caters to an age group of 8-15 year old youngsters. It is accessible and will need a group of 45-50 people to make it possible. Costs are approximately \$35.00 per person at this time and will include for the weekend, Saturday and Sunday, lunch, dinner and breakfast. Details are yet to be finalized, but this promise to be a a super hunt. Again. to participate your dues must be paid up for 1991!

December 14

½ and ½ for November was won by Don Barker, but my notes indicate a lapse in a name for December for the winner. However, that person won half of of \$64.00. Will the winner come forth and give me his name for the February newsletter?

In JANUARY the bank night pot will again be another \$5.00 richer (\$40). Number #21 was drawn but not present. Remember to win you must be present and wearing your badge with name and number.

On this day, Bill and Lydia Ackerman celebrated their 26th wedding anniversary. Both Bill and Lydia who were not present at the meeting were on the list of candidates for the annual election. Congratulations are in order from the members of the Club on their important date!

Certificates of Appreciation, plaques were presented to those who honored the club by donating their generous and capable volunteer time all year and at the Annual Hunt. The most important plaque, a handsome one at that, was presented to Ray and Lonna Leist in appreciation of all they had done in the service of the Club by Jim Ingram, outgoing Prexy.

Election Results: The slate of candidates for 1991 Club Officers was as follows...

- President: Jim Ingram, Ray Leist, Harry Rainey, George Livingston and David Gascoyne. Elected: Ray Leist.
- 1st Vice-President: Jim Ingram, Ray Leist, Frank Liberatore, David Cass and David Gascoyne. Elected: Jim Ingram.
- 2nd Vice-President: Glenn Corder, Robert Loucks, Bill Hunt, and Bill Ackerman. Elected: Glenn Corder.
- Secretary: Madeline Corder and Lydia Ackerman. Elected: Madeline Corder.
- Treasurer: Lonna Leist ran unopposed for the position. Unanimous!

FIND OF THE MONTH- DECEMBER 1990

Dwayne Carter- Single coin- Spanish silver 2 reale coin, found 12-1-90 with a Fisher 1265-X Detector at a 1715 Spanish wreck site located on the Southeastern coast of Florida.

Barbara B. Phillips- Group coins- 5 Indians (1897-1907); 1906 V-Nickel; 1914 Barber Dime; 5 Mercury Dimes (1924, 1928, 1940, 1941, & 1943); 2 Roosevelt Dimes (1947-D & 1956); Washington Quarter, 1964-D; Foreign, China Cash (1890-1908); Great Britain 1940 1¢ and 7 Tokens including 2 Lowry Park, Freedom Eagle and old and new Gasparilla tokens.

FIND OF THE MONTH-CONTINUED.....

Herb Phillips- Single Jewelry- 14kt. wedding band found at Merrill Park in late November with a White Eagle II.

Ralph Flippo- Group Jewelry- 6 Rings including 3 Sterling Silver, 1 with 2 Diamonds and 2 Onyx Stones; 1 18kt. with 13 sapphires and a small Diamond; 1 14kt. Tri-gold Irish Wedding Band and a small gold Wedding Band.

Barbara B. Phillips- Single Odds & Ends- A double-pontilled transparent swirl Marble with a divided core dated approximately 1880 to 1910.

Barbara B. Phillips- Group Odds & Ends- Collected a printers plate; a Mexican Service Medal; Assorted old Jewelry (?) pieces; Bullets & Buttons plus a Shell-Mechanic; Marbles; Glass; Crockery; Collar Stays; Hutch Bottle top; Pistol Shot; Brass Nail; Lead Saddle Buckles; Bottle Stopper; Key Holes; U.S. Trunk Co. Emblem plus Miscellaneous.

Barbara B. Phillips- Single Artifact- Civil War Staff member Button.

David Gascoyne- Group Artifacts- Ft. Mellon circa 1837 (Sanford, Fla.) Musket balls, Buckles, a Tent ring and a piece of a pocket knife.

....CLASSIFIED ADS....

To place ads call Barbara Pietrzak at (407) 843-6030. Give a brief description, price, name and phone number you may 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.

White Machine-Eagle II-SL 90- 2 year Warranty. Used only 3 times: \$600. Jack Dee (904)749-4459.

C&G Wildcat w/11.5" coil in good condition. \$150.00 Edna Liberatore, 678-2190.

Garrett ADS 3 w/7.5" & 12" coils & rechargeable batteries. \$225.00, Jim Ingram (407) 933-1308.

Garrett 8" coil, \$10.00 & ADS support, \$5.00. Roy Singer 645-0200.

Big Bud w/Buddy Box, coil cover, instruction book, Hot Head coil, 2nd generation for TK detector. Dr. Bob Ross (813) 385-8224.

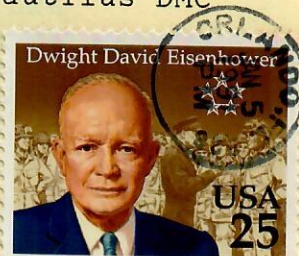
Five acres plus 2 lots with heavily wooded lakefront near Paisley, Fla. \$31,000.00. Nelson Smith 862-3201.

..Wanted to Buy or Trade..

Military buttons from the Seminole Indian and Civil Wars. Call David Gascoyne at 767-0530.

Fisher 1280X with either 8" or 10.5" coil. Will trade a Nautilus DMC with 10.5" coil. George Livingston 896-3585.

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