

# Treasure Talk

The Monthly Newsletter of The Central Florida Metal Detecting Club

APRIL 2018



# Carolyn Harwick: From The President's Desk

It is almost time for the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Sunshine Shootout and Relic Hunt we will be hosting at Moss Park on April 14<sup>th</sup>. We will have lots of participants coming from all over the country to take part. It takes a lot of planning for this event and we could not do it without the volunteers or support from all of our sponsors. Thank you so much to all of you!

This month's meeting will be a busy one. Remember the meeting will be starting at 7 pm. If you cannot make it by 7 pm, you may still enter your finds on the find's table until 7:30 pm. We will begin registration at 6:15 pm. You can come early to register or register on the break. We have a list of volunteers for the Shootout and at the meeting we will be going over specific tasks that need to be handled. We will need help taking some items to the park, so if you can help, please let us know.

Our shirts for this year's event have arrived and will be on sale at the meeting for \$10 each. We have a limited amount of shirts, so be sure to purchase yours right away. We will also have them for sale at the Shootout as well.

Remember at the Shootout this year in addition to raffles and shirts, we will also have vendor's with lots of different items for sale and guest speakers. The day will be long but lots of fun and a lot to do. Be sure to bring your chairs as the seating is limited.

We will not be entering Moss Park early this year and cannot get in until 8:00 AM. We will start lining up around 7:45 AM for setup. I am confident that with everyone pitching in and helping, we will be able to have everything ready to go on time.

See you at the meeting!

Carolyn

The Central Florida Metal Detecting Club is pleased to announce that we will have a very special guest speaker, professional water hunter Steve Zazulyk for our next club meeting on Friday April 13th, at 7PM. Steve is a dive detectorist and treasure hunter from Canada. He was also the detectorist on the first season of the "Curse of Oak Island" reality TV series. He and his dive partner, Ryan Fazekas from Anderson Detector Shafts, were recently featured in a diving episode on "Diggin' With KG and Ringy". Steve runs the "Dive Detecting" page on Facebook and travels extensively in pursuit of adventure and underwater treasure. He also has a featured article on diving in the most recent issue of 'American Digger' magazine (pg. 54). Steve is a husband, dad, business owner, entrepreneur, writer, photographer, videographer and just an all round fun person to be with. He will also join us the following day, Saturday April 14th for fun and hunting at the 2018 Sunshine Shootout and Relic Hunt. Come join us as Steve shares his adventures on Friday night and all day Saturday. Photo ops. and autographs will be available... (there might also be a prize or two given away at the meeting, just sayin')



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

# NEW CLUB POLICY:

DO NOT PICK UP ANY FINDS ON THE TABLE WITHOUT THE OWNERS PERMISSION



# CFMDC MAR 2018 Meeting Notes

By Patti Fielding, Secretary Pro Tem

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

### Secretarys Report-

February minutes accepted as published. February newsletter accepted as published.

### Treasurers Report-

Chuck Hosbein: Report read and accepted.

Don't forget to pay member dues and Sunshine
Shootout fees to Chuck.

## Carolyn Harwick & Jim Fielding

First Time Guests - 5 first time guests were welcomed to the meeting.

# <u> Special Awards -</u>

Jim Tippitt recived a certificate for a search using scuba gear for a Rolex watch, gold ring and a pair of sunglasses. Jim was unsuccessful in recovering the items.



George Landgrabe received a certificate for returning a gold ring found three years ago. Vicki Chilla received a certificate for locating the owner of the ring.

The owner donated \$100 to the CFMDC in appreciation of the return.



Patti And Jim Fielding received certificates of appreciation for re-uniting a lost 6 year girl with her panicked parents at Disney's Epcot park. Luckily, the child knew her mother's phone number.



Carolyn Harwick was presented with an extra large chocolate bar by Jim Fielding for finding a lost item. Carolyn requested the club not present her with a certificate due to the number of certificates already received.



#### March Club Hunt

This month's hunt will be a secret hunt with location revealed only to those at tonight's meeting. It will not be a seeded hunt.

Members of the Dig & Find Club out of Daytona will also attend.

### Ken Arrington

Tech Talk: featuring tips for beach hunting. Ken explained such things as checking out beach conditions which can change daily, using proper swing techniques, learning your machine, getting advice from seasoned hunters, and practicing safety measures; such as being aware of your surroundings. Ken is willing to help anyone with their beach hunting, just call or contact him through his website.

If you would like to present a tech talk, contact Carolyn.

#### Central Florida Fair

Thanks to all CFMDC members who volunteered at our club information booth at the Central Florida Fair. They displayed and demonstrated equipment, displayed finds and presented general information concerning our club.

# Break - Refreshments, finds table voting

# Carolyn Harwick-

The CFMDC Sunshine Shootout needs YOU to volunteer. Sign the sheet or contact Carolyn. Moss Park opens at 8am, please arrive at 7:45am so we have time to set up before registration which starts at 8:30am.

30 members expressed interest in purchasing an event shirt, cost will be \$10 each. Contact Carolyn.

This event will have several new sponsors, vendors and guest speakers. Please support them as they have been very generous.

### April Club Meeting

Please note next month's meeting will start at 7pm, not 7:30pm. Pre-registration for the Shootout will be from 6:15-7pm. Members will be asked to stuff goody bags and volunteer to bring or prepare items required for the Shootout. Finds will be displayed, do bring them in.

Steve Zazulyk will be a guest speaker that night. He is a prominent water hunter from Canada who will talk about dive hunting and treasure searching. Some give-a-ways will disbursed. He will also attend the Shootout.

## Jim Fielding & Carolyn Harwick-

## Birthdays for January-

Debbie Green, John Butterfield, Dan Dall Rodger Taylor, Gene Hitchew Alma McIntosh, Robert McIntosh

# Anniversaries for January-

Alma and Robert McIntosh

#### New Members-

Beatrice Taylor, Donna Kersey, Sophia Lee John Butterfield

# Raffles- Jim Fielding

#### Silver Raffle-

John Butterfield (2x), Gary Flatt (2x) Buddy Smith

Gary Flatt (2x), Alan James, George Landgrabe

# 50/50 Raffle-

George Guimond \$106

# Nametag drawing-

Jerry Zimprich #138 N/A, unassigned number #10 N/A.

#### Finds Table Raffle-

David Kersey

# Marc Hoover & Rob Loucks

Finds Table

# Carolyn Harwick-

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

# OMG, I can't believe it!

The Sunshine Shootout is this weekend!

April 14, 2018: Moss Park Registration: 8:30-10:00 AM

#### **NEW MEMBERS**

BEATRIZ TAYLOR, MYRIAM GODWIN
PHIL MYERS

#### SILVER RAFFLE WINNERS

John Butterfield (2x), Gary Flatt (2x)
Buddy Smith, Alan James
George Landgrabe

FIFTY/FIFTY WINNER

George Guimond \$106

BADGE DRAWING

Jerry Zimprich N/A, unassigned number

FINDS TABLE WINNER

David Kersey

# BIRTHDAYS

Debbie Green, John Butterfield, Dan Dall Rodger Taylor, Gene Hitchew Alma McIntosh, Robert McIntosh

# **ANNIVERSARIES**

Alma and Robert McIntosh

#### PLATINUM FACTS

Platinum combined with cobalt creates strong, permanent magnets, according to <a href="Chemicool"><u>Chemicool</u></a>. These magnets have many uses, including in medical instruments, motors, watches, and more.

Source: LiveScience.com

#### COIN VALUE OF THE MONTH

1909-O Indian Five Dollar Gold Coin

Mintage: 34,200

Grade	Value
Very Fine	\$ 3,988
Extremely Fine	\$ 5,669
About Uncir.	\$ 7,994
Uncirc.	\$ 27,299

Source: coinstudy.com

# PRECIOUS METALS PRICE PERFORMANCE FOR MAR 2018

	GOLD	SILVER
LOW:	\$ 1311.51	\$ 16.20
HIGH:	\$ 1353.30	\$ 16.77
CLOSE 3-31:	\$ 1320.83	\$ 16.36
MONTH- CHANGE:	+\$6.73	-\$0.03
Sou	rce: Kitco.com	

# FINDS TABLES MAR 2018 Name Points

Name		Points
1	Ken Arrington	57
2	Christine Merriam	50
3	Mike Grace	40
4	Brent Petherick	33
5	Kathy Waters	25
6	Danny Case	23
7	Karen Arrington	18
8	Rob Loucks	16
Т9	Alma McIntosh	12
Т9	Deborah Prock	12
Т9	Bill Green	12
12	Adam Feldstein	11
13	Mike Sedlak	10
14	Jerry Hitson	9
T15	Jim Tippitt	8
T15	Vickie Chilla	8
T17	Rodger Taylor	7
T17	Jim Hooks	7
T17	Robert McIntosh	7
T20	Michael McClure	5
T20	JoAnne Jolin	5
T20	Ralph Flippo	5
T20	Donna Kersey	5
T20	Gary Penta	5
T25	Patricia Chin	4
T25	Brenda Burke	4
T25	Steven Burke	4
T25	Jim Fielding	4
T25	Kenneth Cassidy	4
T30	George Landgrabe	3
T30	Doug Prock	3
T32	Mark Holshoe	2
T32	David Gray	2
T32	Wally Klee	2

T32	Patti Fielding	2
T36	Gene Hitchew	1
T36	Dave Gascoyne	1
T36	Steven Sommerville	1
T36	Phillip Lee	1
T36	Matt Fitzpatrick	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

NHL: Rangers vs Capitals Nov. 26, 2005 Arizona: OK Corral Oct. 6, 1881

Yes, these are famous shootouts. But the CFMDC 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Sunshine Shootout and Relic Hunt on April 14, 2018 will put them to shame.

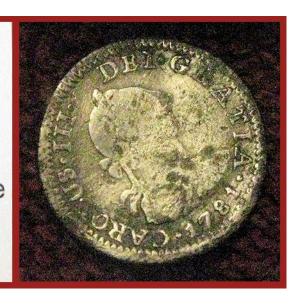
# MARCH 2018 FINDS TABLES WINNERS

# COINS

1/2 REAL CAROLUS III
GENERAL VALUES (18
mm diameter)
worn: \$10 US dollars
approximate catalog value

average circulated: \$50

well preserved: \$90



1st Place – Brent Petherick: 1781 Spanish Colonial ½ Reale

2nd Place – Christine Merriam

3rd Place – Jim Fielding



1st Place – Ken Arrington: 41 Silver Coins, 41 Wheat Pennies

2nd Place – Christine Merriam

3rd Place – Robert McIntosh

# **JEWELRY**



1st Place – Ken Arrington: 14K 47 Diamond White Gold Ring
2nd Place – Kathy Waters
3rd Place – Steven Burke



1st Place – Christine Merriam: Rings, Chains, Charms, Earrings
2nd Place – Ken Arrington
3rd Place – Donna Kersey

# ARTIFACTS



1st Place – Mike Grace: Old Army Toy Plane
2nd Place – Alma McIntosh
3rd Place – Ken Arrington



1st Place – Ken Arrington: Silverware, Lead Items, Buckle, Etc

2nd Place – Christine Merriam

3rd Place – Ken Cassidy

# ODDS & ENDS



1st Place – Christine Merriam: Old 2 Wheel Wagon Cart Toy
2nd Place – Bill Green
3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Deborah Prock



1st Place – Gary Penta: Burnt Cell Phone, Spinner, Stuff
2nd Place – Christine Merriam
3rd Place – Deborah Prock

# The Central Florida Metal Detecting Club

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Vice President: Jim Fielding 407-342-9630

Treasurer: Chuck Hosbein
407-323-3971-- Chuck@thecfmdc.com

# 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:	<del></del>			
Address:				16
City:		State_	Zip:	N
Phone	N'T	E-mail_	1.	1

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**

# **President**

Carolyn Harwick

Thecfmdc.carolyn@gmail.com

407-580-2676

# **Vice President**

Jim Fielding

# 2<sup>nd</sup> 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, Apr. 13, 2018

Meeting Time: 7:00PM

# 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

Janice James

Debbie Bishop

# **Newsletter Editor**

Michael McClure

# **UPCOMING HUNTS:**

May 19: Club Hunt Location: TBD

June 16: Club Hunt Location: TBD

July 21: Club Hunt Frank Rendon Park

(Night Hunt)