



Treasure Talk

THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF THE
CENTRAL FLORIDA METAL DETECTING CLUB



April 2008

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A great BIG thanks to all these people!

Come Join Us!

We will be eating at the **Colorado's Steak Place**. It is just north of the meeting place. Park at the meeting building and walk over. We eat at 5:30. If you would like to join us, we would be happy to see you. BYOM!

The club meets the 2nd Friday of each month at the Sanford Garden Club. It is located about 2 blocks south of Lake Mary Blvd. On the East side of 17-92. For more information contact Bill Shackelford at (407) 323-3401 or Ray Leist at (386) 428-3401

Club web site: www.geocities.com/g8r81/cfmdc.html

You are receiving this newsletter because you are a V.I. P.

REMINDER: The club due's are \$25 for the year and a one-time membership fee of \$15. If you are paying by check please make it out to Lona Leist, not to the club. You have until March to get your dues paid.

Did you know?...

Did you know that the club has patches and hats for sale? Be proud to belong to the Central Florida Metal Detecting Club. The cost of the patch is \$5.00 and the cost of the hat is also \$5.00. Get your patch & hat today.

Contact: huntmaster@cfl.rr.com or see Ray at the meeting.



President's Corner

Hi everyone:

Hope everyone is great and finding lots of goodies. The weather is cooperating and it won't be long until it will be hot.

If you have any ideas that would benefit the club let me know. If you have any ideas on a hunt contact our new activities director Lorrie Sprigg. You can email her at Africanlor@aol.com

Don't forget the Great Southern Beach Shootout. A special flyer is in this newsletter.

If you have any pictures about the club please send them to Wanda at mumszie@tampabay.rr.com this would also include Hall of Fame pictures.

If you want to sell your silver coins I will pay you 7 times face. You can also pay any club activities with your silver.

If you find an item and return it to its owner, your picture will be taken and put into the Hall of Fame.

If you are receiving this newsletter you have paid your dues and are a VIP!

We are still accepting items for the Sanford Shelter. Just bring in a couple of items each month.

There are lots of new members. Make sure you speak to them and make them feel welcome.

If you know of anyone who is sick or any other problems, let me know.

If we have not seen your smiling face for a while, we have missed you, come to the meeting and bring a stranger.

President Ray Leist



Secretary's Report - Chuck Hosbein

The March meeting of the Central Florida Metal Detecting Club was called to order at 7:30 by club president Ray Leist. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Bill Green.

Our joke of the month was about a woman who got up in church and praised the Lord because her husband had smashed his scrotum and was now doing better. The husband got up and said it was his sternum.

We had a few guests at the meeting for March. They were recognized and received gold dollars from the club. No new members joined the club in March.

Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were read and accepted.

Club members celebrating birthdays and anniversaries during March were recognized. Those with birthdays received gold dollars and those with anniversaries received silver dimes.

Lorrie Sprigg noted she had sent a couple of articles to the Western-Eastern magazine and that they would be in the April issue. She is looking for extra issues. Lorrie asked those who get the magazine that when you finish with it, could she have it.

Ray gave an award to Paul Swaney for finding and returning a class ring.

Richard Kordeleski brought in a couple of competition hunt baskets that he makes. He sells them for \$20 each. Due to the time it takes to make them, he will make more if anyone wants them. See Rich for info.

There are several hunts coming up in the next few months. See "coming events" section

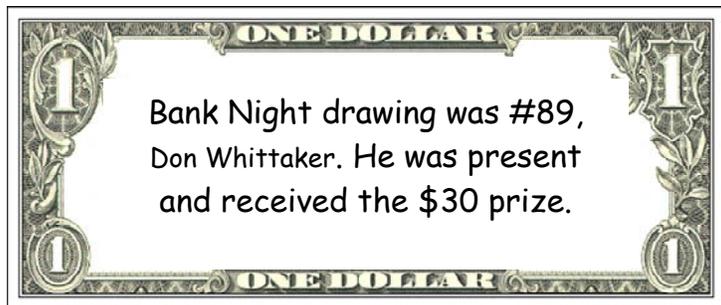
Lorrie had a suggestion box for more hunts at the meeting. If you have any ideas for hunts you can drop a suggestion in the box or see Lorrie.

Bill Shackelford is working on an overnight hunt for the club. Tentative dates are either May 17-18 or October 18-19. If you have a preference, see Bill. The cost of the hunt will be about \$40 per person and will include three meals.

One of our guests is a member of the TCAS club. He brought in several items for sale. He makes extra long shafts for detectors as well as scoops. All items were made from aluminum and very lightweight.

Bank Night drawing was #89, Don Whittaker. He was present and collected the \$30 prize.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50.



In Memory

Nancy Schimmel passed away Sunday March 30. She had been battling cancer. Nancy and Fred have been long time members of our club for a long long time. They supported the club and participated in just about all of our events. Any time you asked for help they were there willing and able. They were in charge of the ticket sales for the half/half and the bank night for several years. Nancy was a very caring and loving person and she will be deeply missed. We loved you Nancy.



A Note From Lorrie

Hi Folks,

I want to thank all who showed up for our Poker Hunt we had at Longwood Lake Park. We had a great turnout, about 28 in attendance. I do hope you enjoyed the event and appreciate all those who brought munchies to share. Next time we will have a larger hunting area. I'm still new to this but with your help, it will get better. Again if you have any suggestions or ideas for activities, please contact me. Don't forget to go to the club website and view the slideshow of the event. Lorrie africanlor@aol.com

A Good Tip

Toothpaste is good and cheap jewelry cleaner. Using a piece of cotton wool, rub the toothpaste onto the jewelry. Leave for a little while, then using fresh cotton wool, rub until shiny, then wash under running water.

Riddle 2...

What do you call a 100 year old ant?

(answer on last page)

Point Standings
March 2008

Bill Green	69	Gary Flatt	4
Dave Gascoyne	43	Lonnie Lytle	3
Shirley DeVary	26	Dan Lorenzen	3
Lorrie Sprigg	24	William O'Brien	3
Ralph Flippo	22	Melody Parks	3
Jerry Sprigg	16	Bill Bergdoll	2
Jim Burdick	15	Joe Lobato	2
George Case	15	Dan Loenzen	2
Ron DeVary	9	Sally Kornes	2
Jerry Hitson	9	Don Whittaker	2
Diana Swaney	6	Paul Swaney	2
Alan James	6	Bill Shackelford	1
Sherre Spears	6	Richard Kordeleski	1
Frank Rothery	4		

If you don't enter - You can't win

Here's a tip...

Read everything you can find about your detector. This includes reviews, personal web sites, technical papers, books, etc. You will probably be surprised about how much is written about your detector of choice. Besides, it being fun reading how others are finding great stuff and it is an easy way to learn more than you might be able to on your own.

Riddle for the Month

I am sometimes strong and sometimes weak,
But I am nobody's fool.
For there is no language that I can't speak,
Though I never went to school.
What am I?
(Answer on last page)

Finds of the Month

Single Coin

1.	Bill Green	1718 coin inside of a button
2.	Shirley DeVary	1957 Honduras coin
3.	Ron DeVary	2 pound British coin

Group Coin

1.	Bill Green	1671 pennies, 301 quarters, 354 dimes, misc coins
2.	Ralph Flippo	Lots of pennies & some old coins
3.	Alan James	Misc coins

Single Jewelry

1.	Lorrie Sprigg	Pin with 100 diamonds
2.	Jim Burdick	Foreign gold ring with 3 rubies
3.	Don Whittaker	2 Silver necklaces

Group Jewelry

1.	Jerry Sprigg	Class ring & 4 other rings
2.	Bill Green	Charms, necklaces & misc items
3.	Ralph Flippo	Misc jewelry

Single Artifact

1.	Shirley DeVary	Early 1900's pendant
2.	Dave Gascoyne	U.S. buckle
3.	Jim Burdick	Religious medal

Group Artifacts

1.	Dave Gascoyne	1837 Fort site relics
2.	Bill Green	Corkscrew & buttons
3.	Alan James	Misc Civil War bullets

Single Odds/Ends

1.	Bill Green	Copper hat
2.	Jim Burdick	Compass stick pin
3.	Ralph Flippo	Folding razor knife

Group Odds/Ends

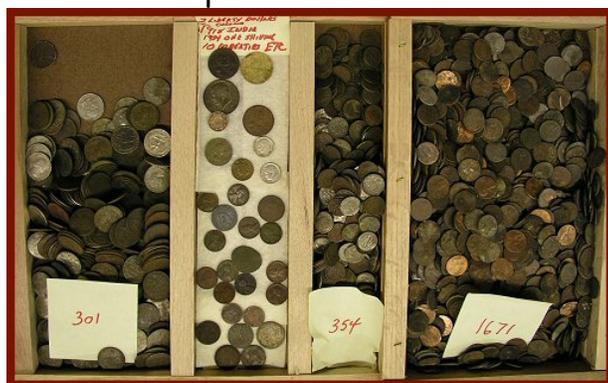
1.	Bill Green	Bits & Pieces of everything
2.	George Case	Lots of junk
3.	Ralph Flippo	Keys & misc items

Finds of the Month - December First Place

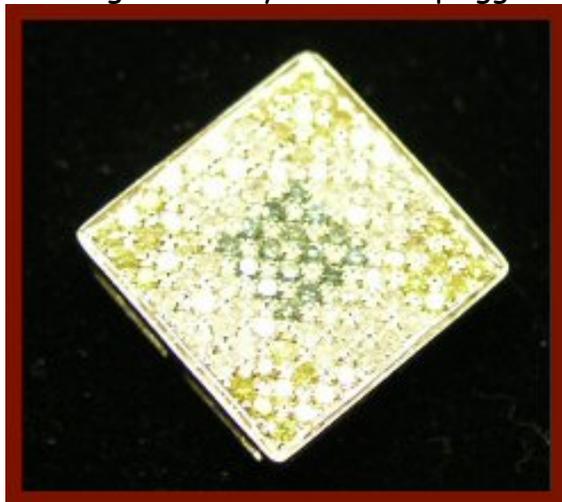
Single Coin - Bill Green



Group Coins - Bill Green



Single Jewelry - Lorrie Sprigg



Group Jewelry - Jerry Sprigg



Single Artifact - Shirley DeVary



Group Artifacts - Dave Gascoyne



Single Odds/Ends - Bill Green





C.F.M.D.C. HALL OF FAME

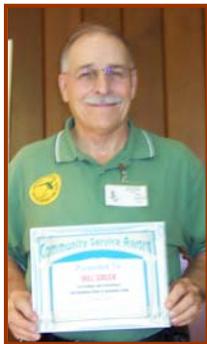
"The following members below have found and returned lost items to their owners. Also some of the members below have found incriminating evidence for local police departments."



Club member Jim Robinson found this Navy Pilots ring dated October 5, 1943 and returned it to Frank Keenan.
WTG Jim!



Club member Bill Shackelford is a twofor! He found a set of keys and returned them to Pastor Bob Martin. Bill also found and returned a wedding band to Garret Digman. **WTG Bill!**



In 2007 Club member Bill Green found and returned a 16k Gold Wedding Band to Roxanne Lewis.
WTG Bill!



Club member Richard Kordeleski has found and returned multiple items.
1966 class ring was returned in 1999
2001 class ring returned 2001 to Loretta Taylor
2000 class ring returned 2000 to Sara Jones
2002 class ring returned 2002 to Amanda Taylor
WTG Richard!



Club member Chuck Hosbein found a gold metal medical alert bracelet and returned it to Debra Wood.
WTG Chuck!



C.F.M.D.C. HALL OF FAME



Club member **Roland Davis** has found several items for the police departments of Orlando and Winter Park
WTG Roland!



Club member **Lorrie Sprigg** has found several items and returned them to their grateful owners
1964 Class Ring to Larry Mitchell, GA
1963 Class Ring to Beth Townsend, KT
1969 Class Ring to Gayle Cox, GA
Cross & Dog Tags to Andrew Pooley, GA
\$5000 diamond ring and returned to Moriah Shears, FL



Club member **Jerry Sprigg** found and returned a ring.
WTG Jerry!



Club member **Paul Swaney** found and returned a ring.
WTG Paul!

The Great Southern Beach Shootout

*There will be
\$10,000 buried in the sand for you to scoop up!*

When: April 25-27, 2008
Where: Daytona Beach

**Lots of prizes
Grand prize - \$5000
Lots of fun**



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Ya'll Come!

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COMING EVENTS

Great Southern Beach Shootout

When: April 25 – 27, 2008
Where: Daytona Beach

We are still giving away a \$5,000 grand prize plus many, many, many more prizes. Go to our web site at www.gsbsdaytonahunt.com Keep watching the newsletters for more information or contact Ray at 386-428-3401 huntmaster@cfl.rr.com

9TH ANNUAL FLORIDA LOW COUNTRY SHRIMP BOIL / TREASURE HUNT – must be a member

WHEN: SATURDAY MAY 10TH - 9:30 AM
WHERE: FERNANDINA BEACH CITY PARK.
Corner of Atlantic & Fletcher Av.
CONTACT: Shelly Simpson at 904-260-4655 or
mail to HRANF c/o Shelly Simpson
94307 Waterberry Av.
Fernandina Beach, FL 32034

Overnight Camping Trip

We have overnight camp out coming on May 17 & 18th. This is where we meet at a convenient place and travel to the camp ground on Sat. Morning arriving around 10 am. You will then pick out your sleeping arrangements. You will need to bring your bed linens,

(sheets, blanket, and pillow) and also your toiletries. You will have a bed with mattress, probably bunk beds because this is a kids camp ground. You will then go and metal detect till lunch then back out and hunting again or just relaxing. Then you will eat dinner around 6 pm, and then you can do more hunting. Saturday evening we will be playing games, usually for cash. Then Sunday you will be served breakfast and then hunt some more. 3 GREAT MEALS. We usually leave the campground around 11am. All of this for only \$37 per person. WHAT A GREAT DEAL. More information on this at the next meeting. Please make arrangements for payment then.

**Come on out and
enjoy the festivities.**

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An echo

Riddle 2 answer

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An antique.

All mistakes and misspellings were intentionally made so that you could have the pleasure of finding them.