



THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF THE CENTRAL FLORIDA METAL DETECTING CLUB

### May 2009

#### Club Officers

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Treasurer Lonna Leist 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!

#### Club Volunteers

Half/Half

Ron & Shirley DeVary

Raffle's

Betty Shackelford & Wenona Baldwin

Refreshments

Donna Rothery Debbie Green

Find of the month table's

Rob Loucks

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Newsletter

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A great BIG thanks to all these people!

The club meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> 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.

#### President's Corner

Hi everybody:

We are having some great weather for detecting. It won't be long before the old hot sun comes out and then we will have to find some shade.

We met over at Lorrie's house for our site committee meeting and came out with a good activities calendar for the rest of the year. The dates are almost right except for the overnighters. These sites need to be checked out and then you will get the right dates. We will not disclose the locations of some of our hunts but the type of hunts are what are posted. The activities will be posted in this newsletter.

I had a bad tooth and had it extracted. While the surgeon was in there he sent off a biopsy and it came back that I had cancer. I will under go some kind of treatment but they won't know what until I get a pet scan. This will be on Tuesday 5/5 and then the doctor will let me know. If no more lymphoma is found in my body then they will only treat the infected area with radiation. If not I will have to undergo chemo. I ask for you to think of me Tuesday as I go through this diagnosis.

I saw Don Hurtig at the D&F meeting and he is doing as well as can be expected. God bless you Don and we wish you the best of recovery.

Keep checking out our web page. Jerry Hitson is doing a great job of putting it together. A lot of the shoot out pics will be there.

Lorrie Sprigg is doing a super job as our new activity director and if you have any ideas she would appreciate it very much. She has some great ideas for next year. Lets all think of some thing we can do to help.

If anyone wants to sell their silver to the club. I AM PAYING 10 TIMES FACE. CLUB DUES ARE DUE. If you have not paid them then that is why you are not reading this newsletter.

You need to check with Bill Shackelford for the Challengers Program. It is a very good way to get you started hunting for good items.

We have more members that are qualifying for the Hall of Fame. If you find and item and return it to its owner you will have your picture taken and be entered into the Hall of Fame.

Bring in an item or two for the Sanford shelter. PLEASE bring in a couple of items and if everyone does this every month this will help the shelter very much. They need stuff bad. <u>HELP THEM OUT.</u>

We are still having new members every month. And if you see someone that looks new, speak to them and make them feel welcome.

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

President Ray Leist

#### Secretary's Report - Chuck Hosbein

The April 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.

Ray forgot his joke for this month but Rich Kordeleski had one. Rich's joke was about a  $1^{\rm st}$  grader asking about the meaning of Easter.

We had a few guests at the meeting for April and they were recognized by the club. We had one new member join the club in April. Our new member is John Ayers.

We had several of our club members with birthdays and anniversaries during April. They were recognized and received silver quarters from the club.

Lorrie asked those members that were not at the March meeting to get an information sheet from her and fill it out. She is updating the contact information for club members. Lorrie also noted that there will be a vote taken during the break for the egg decorating and bonnet contests.

Ray thanked Lorrie for doing a great job with the Easter decorations. He also noted that there will be a meeting of the site committee at Lorrie's house on April  $26^{th}$  at 1:00 PM.

Ray discussed overnight hunts for the benefit of the new members that had not been to one. He asked about the cost of the hunts and whether there was a point where the cost was too much. He has some places in mind and will have more information later.

Ray received three correct responses to the newsletter quiz. Each winner received a silver dime.

Bill Shackelford gave Ralph Flippo an award for completing level 1 of the Challenge Hunt. He also gave Dabney Small an award for completing level 3.

Ray gave both Shirley DeVary and Paul Swaney awards for finding and returning class rings.

Lorrie presented prizes for both the Easter egg decorating contest and the Easter Bonnet contest. For the Easter Bonnet, Shirley DeVary took 1<sup>st</sup> place. In the Easter egg contest, Ray Brown took 1<sup>st</sup> place. There were also several runners up prizes in both contests.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50.

The next
meeting will be
May 8th
Don't forget!



### Point Standings

Bill Green	74
George Case	52
Ralph Flippo	51
Lorrie Sprigg	45
Ron DeVary	29
Shirley DeVary	26
Jim Burdick	25
Dabney Small	23
David Gascoyne	21
Jerry Sprigg	18
Alan James	16
Nanette Burdick	15
Don Whittaker	8
Lonnie Lytle	8

Mike McColley	7
Jerry Hitson	6
Ann Hartle	4
Roy Waxman	4
Sally Korns	3
Paul Swaney	3
David Stone	2
Carol Taylor	2
Frank Rothery	1
Chuck Hosein	1
Bill Robinson	1
Doug Melvin	1
Betty Shackelford	1
David Shiflett	1

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

### Finds of the Month

Single Coin

1.	Bill Green	1907 D Barber Half
2.	Dave Gascoyne	1901 Indian Head
3.	Ralph Flippo	1 Schilling Coin

Group Coins

	1.	Bill Green	Large Collection of Misc
	2.	George Case	Clads, Tokens & Misc Coins
ſ	3.	Ralph Flippo	Wheats & Misc Coins

Single Jewelry

1.	Lorrie Sprigg	Silver Bracelet with Opal
2.	Mike McColley	14k Ring
3.	Ann Hartle	Heart Shaped Broach

Group Jewelry

1.	Ralph Flippo	Earrings, Necklaces & Assorted
		Jewelry
2.	Lorrie Sprigg	Assorted Jewelry
3.	George Case	Rings & Misc Jewelry

Single Artifact

1.	George Case	Antique Pickle Fork
2.	Dave Gascoyne	Civil War Suspender Buckle
3.	Roy Waxman	Photo Locket

Group Artifacts

1.	Dave Gascoyne	1830's Plate, Bottle Necks Etc
2.	Bill Green	Rabies Tags & Buttons
3.	Lorrie Sprigg	1950's Earrings & Pendant

Single Odds/Ends

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1.	Bill Green	Brass Claw Foot
2.	Paul Swaney	Toy Pistol
3.	George Case	Tooth Grill

Group Odds/Ends

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1.	George Case	Lots of Stuff
2.	Bill Green	Keys, Silver Spoon, Odds & Ends
3.	Lorrie Sprigg	Lots of Stuff

## Finds of the Month First Place

Photos Courtesy of Rob Loucks

Single Coin - Bill Green



Group Coins - Bill Green



Single Jewelry - Lorrie Sprigg



Group Jewelry - Ralph Flippo



Single Artifact - George Case



Group Artifacts - Dave Gascoyne



Single Odds/Ends - Bill Green



Group Odds/Ends - George Case



#### Golden Eagle Products

Authorized dealer for Minelab, Garrett, Tesoro, Coiltex and Sun Ray.

Contact:

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Got something to sell?
Contact Ray Leist at the club or email him at <a href="mailto:huntmaster@cfl.rr.com">huntmaster@cfl.rr.com</a>

### FOR SALE

We are asking \$550.00 for the Tesoro Tiger Shark and \$795.00 for the Minelab Quattro MP. Both are like new, and have been used only a few times. The Tesoro detector is a land or water machine and can be totally submerged to 200 feet.





Mark your calendars! We have some great events planned for the coming months!

May 9th Fernandia Beach Hunt If you are a member it is \$25 before April 1 after \$30. Make check out to Shelly Simpson and mail to 94307 Winterberry Av. Fernandina Beach, FI 32034 need to be member or call Shelly Simpson 904-261-4655

May 17th (Sunday) - Poker Hunt - (Wilson Landing Park - 387 Malekean Trail, Sanford 32771)

**June 20th** (Saturday) - Beach hunt - (Sunsplash Park, Daytona Beach)

July - Open

August - Open

**Sept.19th** (Saturday) - Old Town Hunt (To be announced)

**October 9th** (Friday meeting <u>Halloween Party</u>) - (Theme to be announced)

**October 17th** (Saturday) - <u>Annual Club Picnic</u> - (Sylvan Lake Park, Sanford)

**November 7th** (Saturday) - Overnight Camping - (To be announced)

December 11th (Friday) - Annual Christmas Party

# PAST EVENTS

Easter Hat Decoration Winner Shirley DeVary



Egg Decoration Winner
Ray Brown



### DID YOU KNOW???

We have slideshows up on the club website of some of the hunts. If you would like to take a look go to the CFMDC website at

http://www.geocities.com/g8r81/cfmdc.html

and then look on the left side for "Slideshows" and click on that. If you happen to have any pictures of any of the events and would like to share - just contact Wanda at

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