



Treasure Talk

The Monthly Newsletter of The Central Florida Metal Detecting Club

SEPTEMBER 2018



Carolyn Harwick: From The President's Desk

I hope everyone had a safe and fun Labor Day weekend. We are finally getting closer to the fall season and the temperatures are hopefully going to start to drop. That means all of us who have been avoiding getting out in the 100+ degree weather are finally going to get to get out again and start making some great metal detecting finds.

This month's club hunt is going to be on Saturday, September 22, 2018 at 8:00 pm at Frank Rendon Park. It is located at 2705 S Atlantic Ave. Daytona Beach, FL 32118. Remember this is a night beach hunt and no lights are allowed. Also, only members that are hunting are allowed on the hunt field.

We will be having our second certification class on Saturday, September 29, 2018 at 10:00 am. It will be at the church pavilion (453 W. Highbanks Rd, Debarry). We have currently certified 29 members and would like to reach at least 50 members

before we meet with the Volusia County Counsel next month.

Remember one of the benefits of attending this training and getting certified is that you will be invited to attend exclusive hunts for members that have been certified. I am currently working to get one of these permissions for us to go to in the next month or two, if all works out.

The board has been working hard behind the scenes and have some exciting news coming up in the near future. I want to thank all of our board members for the hard work and many hours that they all put in for our club. Without them, I would lose my mind.

Remember, this meeting is the last meeting to bring in your bottle caps that I have been requesting. I hope we get a lot this meeting.

Finally, this month's meeting will be the first meeting that we will be judging the best display. As a reminder, this category is a test for the next 3 months to see how it goes and will not be included in the point count. I hope to see some awesome displays at the meeting!

See you at the next meeting.

Carolyn



Secretary's Report August 2018 Meeting Notes

By: Michael McClure

The August meeting of the Central Florida Metal Detecting Club was called to order at 7:30 pm, August 10, by club president, Carolyn Harwick.

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Marc Hoover.

Secretary Report-

July minutes accepted as published.

July newsletter: It was noted on page 3, Stash Duzlak's name was misspelled, and Sarah Richter's last name was missing .

Treasurer Report-

Chuck Hosbein was absent. The Treasurers report read by club secretary Michael McClure..

Jim Fielding-

7 first time guests were welcomed to the meeting.

Certificates of Appreciation:

Jeanne Cygan and Ron Caiazza received awards for returning WWII dog tags to the family of a passed service member.

Mike Grace was unsuccessful in locating a lost ring at the beach.

Brent Petherick was also unsuccessful in his attempt to find a lost ring.

Karen and Ken Arrington had better luck in locating a lost ring, returning it to the owner.

Vickie Chilla got her award for also locating and returning a lost ring.

Patti and Jim Fielding searchrd for a lost ring. Unfortunately, they found a different ring.

Lee Noga found and returned a dog tag.

Jim Fielding-

Birthdays for August:

Carolyn Harwick, Don Cole, Deborah Guimond, Jeanne Cygan, Jim Hooks, Orville Powers, Silvia Lee, Beatriz Taylor, Caitlin Lee.

Anniversaries:

Gail and Marc Hoover, Clay Murchinson

Carolyn Harwick-

No club hunt for August. The CFMDC takes August off due to the high temperatures during the month.

We will have an evening club hunt September 22 at the beach. More details to follow.

There will be an evidence search in Osceola County for a weapon on August 14. A signup sheet is at the front of the room.

Carolyn had Bill Green, Ron Caiazzz, Kathy Waters, Gary Flatt and Alan James relate their experiences of other evidence searches.

Conditions can be oppressive and dangerous, but the club has assisted in gathering items that have put criminals behind bars.

Carolyn Harwick-

Please bring in your found bottle caps. The club is collecting these for a local school.

Also turn in your found (and personal) pull tabs to Bill Shackelford. These are given to the Ronald McDonald House.

Debbie Bishop and Debbie Green were asked to stand as they were recognized for their volunteer service in the club.

The club Holiday Party will be December 14. It was proposed that it be catered this year. The club voted YES. The party will be members only, with desserts being provided by the club members.

Marc Hoover-

The board will be testing a category for the finds table. It is Best Display. It can be creative, humorous or just stylish. It must be within the size restraints of current displays. The board will try this for three months.

Break - Refreshments, finds table voting

Carolyn Harwick- TECH TALK

Hunts Across the Country. Traveling to hunts in other states affords the opportunity to meet people, make facebook connections. Most hunts will be either competition, relic or hybrid. Carolyn advised to check your detector for airline travel, but carry on the electronics. Carolyn also talked about the "50 States Challenge", where detectorists attempt to use their machines in all 50 states.

Jim Fielding-

Jim reminded everyone about the 5 level challenge program before presenting Vickie Chilla with her level 1 certificate.

Carolyn Harwick-

15 members and guests were presented with silver dimes during a random ticket drawing.

Jim Fielding-

Raffles:

Door Prize- George Landgrabe, Rodger Taylor, Brenda Burke, Jim Hooks, Ed Dec, Jeanne Cygan Mark Winters, Tatiana, Cataraga, Sarah Richter, Gene Hitchew, Orville Powers

Silver Raffle- Gene Hitchew, Robert Jolin, Buddy Smith, Mike Grace, Bill Bergdoll, Ron Caiazza, Lee Noga

50/50 Raffle- Jerry Hitson \$101

Nametag Drawing- #143 Matt Kochis N/A, #211 Deborah Guimond

Finds Table Raffle- Dave Gascoyne \$10

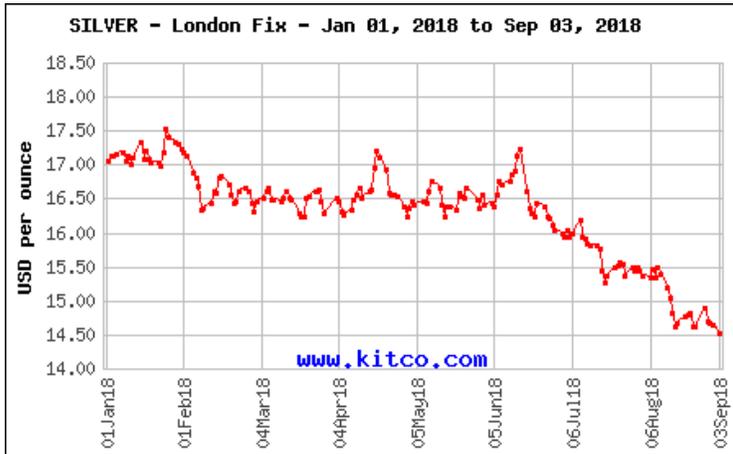
Marc Hoover & Rob Loucks

Finds Table

Carolyn Harwick-

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

YEAR TO DATE METAL PRICES 2018



Door Prizes

*George Landgrabe, Rodger Taylor, Brenda Burke,
Jim Hooks, Ed Dec, Jeanne Cygan Mark Winters,
Tatiana, Cataraga, Sarah Richter, Gene Hitchew,
Orville Powers*

SILVER RAFFLE WINNERS

*Gene Hitchew, Robert Jolin, Buddy Smith
Mike Grace, Bill Bergdoll, Ron Caiazza
Lee Noga*

FIFTY/FIFTY WINNER

Jerry Hitson \$101

BADGE DRAWING

#143 Matt Kochis N/A, #211 Deb Guimond

FINDS TABLE WINNER

Dave Gascoyne

ANNIVERSARIES

Gail and Marc Hoover Clav Murchinson

BIRTHDAYS

*Carolyn Harwick, Don Cole, Deborah Guimond,
Jeanne Cygan, Jim Hooks, Orville Powers,
Silvia Lee, Beatriz Taylor, Caitlin Lee*

NEW MEMBERS

Stirling Gosa, Tyler Clausen
Jerry Ofstedal

COIN VALUE OF THE MONTH

1835 American Large Cent

Mintage: 3,878,400

<u>Grade</u>	<u>Value</u>
Good	\$ 31
Fine	\$ 66
Extremely Fine	\$ 159
Uncirc.	\$ 474

Source: coinstudy.com

ALUMINUM FACTS

A single Boeing-747 contains 147,000 pounds
(more than 66,000 kilograms) of aluminum,
according to Chemicool.

Source: LiveScience.com

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.

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, September 14, 2018

Meeting Time: 7:30PM

AUGUST 2018 FINDS TABLES WINNERS

COINS



1st Place – Lee Noga: 1868 Indian Head Penny

2nd Place – Dave Gascoyne

3rd Place – Ken Arrington



1st Place – Christine Merriam: 1,523 Clad Coins

2nd Place – Ken Arrington

3rd Place – Danny Case

JEWELRY



1st Place – Ralph Flippo: 5 CT., 19 Diamond Ring

2nd Place – Lee Noga

3rd Place – Kathy Waters

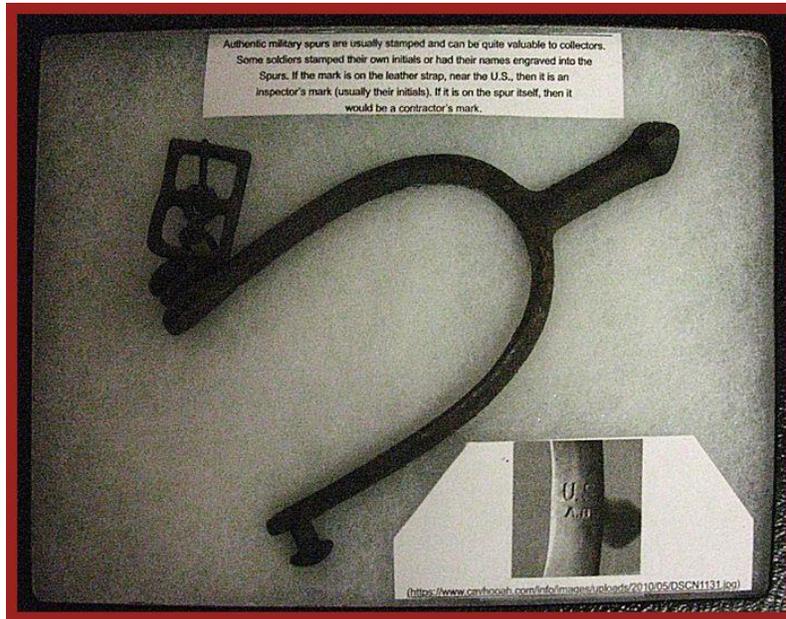


1st Place – Ralph Flippo: Gold Rings, Cameo, Chains

2nd Place – Christine Merriam

3rd Place – Danny Case

ARTIFACTS



1st Place – Debbie Bishop: 1891-1911 US Calvary Spur

2nd Place – Jerry Hitson

3rd Place – Kathy Waters



1st Place – Rob Loucks: Bomb, Watch, Ammo, Compacts, Parts

2nd Place – Dave Gascoyne

3rd Place – Kathy Waters

FINDS TABLES SCORES THROUGH AUGUST 2018

Place	Name	Points
1	Christine Merriam	139
2	Ken Arrington	122
3	Mike Grace	87
4	Brent Petherick	79
5	Danny Case	68
6	Kathy Waters	66
7	Karen Arrington	61
8	Lee Noga	52
9	Rob Loucks	43
T10	Deborah Prock	38
T10	Bill Green	38
12	Jerry Hitson	37
13	Vickie Chilla	34
14	Ralph Flippo	31
T15	Alma McIntosh	21
T15	Dave Gascoyne	21
17	Robert McIntosh	15
18	Kenneth Cassidy	14
T19	Jim Fielding	13
T19	JoAnne Jolin	13
T21	Jim Tippitt	12
T21	Steven Burke	12
T23	Adam Feldstein	11
T23	George Landgrabe	11
T23	Rodger Taylor	11
T26	Mike Sedlak	10
T26	David Kersey	10
T26	Michael McClure	10
T26	Jim Hooks	10
30	Doug Prock	9
T31	Donna Kersey	8
T31	Wally Klee	8
T31	Myriam Godwin	8

34	Phil Myers	7
T35	Gary Penta	6
T35	Alan Workman	6
T35	Brenda Burke	6
T35	Patti Fielding	6
39	David Gray	5
T40	Patricia Chin	4
T40	Tatiana Cataraga	4
T40	Victor Carataga	4
T40	Debbie Bishop	4
T44	Dorothy Child	3
T44	Gene Hitchew	3
T44	Matt Fitzpatrick	3
T44	Robert McIntosh	3
T48	Mark Holshoe	2
T48	Phillip Lee	2
T48	Joyce Chapman	2
T48	Mike Jefferson	2
T52	George Guimond	1
T52	Deborah Guimond	1
T52	Steven Sommerville	1
T52	David Gretzinger	1
T52	Mary Lou Mahan	1
	Who's Next?	

Each 1st Place entry gets 4 points.

Each 2nd place entry gets 3 points.

Each 3rd place entry gets 2 points.

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

The Central Florida Metal Detecting Club

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Secretary: Michael McClure
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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**

3504 Moss Pointe Place Lake Mary, FL 32746

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

Club Officers

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Carolyn Harwick

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2nd Vice President

Marc Hoover

Treasurer

Chuck Hosbein

Secretary

Michael McClure

September Club Hunt:

Saturday, September 22, 2018 at 8:00 pm at Frank Rendon Park. It is located at 2705 S Atlantic Ave. Daytona Beach, FL 32118.

October Club Hunt:

Saturday October 20, 2018 at the church park.

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"

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

Alan Workman

Refreshments

Debbie Bishop

Newsletter Editor

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Michael

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