

**Suncoast Research & Recovery Club**  
*August 2019 Newsletter*



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## August Meeting on the 26<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm

Our club meetings are on the fourth Monday of each month except December. Location is Bill Jacksons Shop for Adventure at 9501 US 19 N, Pinellas Park Florida. We will have a guest speaker and guests are welcome to attend. Meeting starts promptly at 7 pm!

# From the President

August is fun

August is tooty

Get off the couch  
and find some booty

*Joe Szemer*



# Notes from your VP

Remember we are ambassadors of our hobby. Fill in your holes and take away the trash you find. Gladly help someone that approaches you to help find an item they lost. Let's be known as the good guys and girls, and not demand a reward to help find a lost item. Happy treasure hunting!

*Howard Metts*



THE **RINGFINDERS**  
YOU LOST IT  WE'LL FIND IT



**Great Job Mike  
and Bill!**

# Great Job Again Mike Miller!





## Ring Finders Update

Ring Finders contributions to the club for January - July 2019 was a total of

**\$6,752**

Great job and thanks Ring Finders for volunteering your time to help both the club and those who lost items.



# Guest Speaker is Howard Metts

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Howard will be doing a presentation titled Treasure Hunting on the Gulf Coast. Information on local treasure hunting and our Ring Finders will be provided and questions answered afterward.

# Competition Table Top Five

1. Rob Clarke - 86 points
2. Mike Shuler - 52 points
3. Tom Killian- 51 points
4. Tom Carroll - 29 points
5. Troy Carmichael - 16 points



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# Treasure Hunters Code of Ethics



**I WILL** respect private property and do no treasure hunting without the permission of the property owner.



**I WILL** appreciate and protect our heritage of natural resources, wildlife and private property.



**I WILL** fill all my excavations, remove and properly dispose of all trash that I find.



**I WILL** use thoughtfulness, consideration and courtesy at all times, leaving gates as I found them.



**I WILL** assist law enforcement and other government agencies or private citizens as needed.



**I WILL NOT** litter.



**I WILL NOT** destroy property, buildings, or what is left of ghost towns and deserted structures.



**I WILL NOT** tamper with signs, structural facilities or equipment