

Suncoast Research & Recovery Club
January 2024 Newsletter



January 2024 Meeting

The next meeting is Monday January 22nd, 7:00 pm at **Quaker Steak & Lube**, 10400 49th St N, Clearwater. Come in early to purchase wings or a burger to support this restaurant.





Guest Speaker is Holly from FWC

Holly will do a presentation on Manatees
which we see while water hunting.

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Will McQuillen – Board Member

Notes from your President

I look forward to seeing everyone at our first meeting for 2024 on Monday. Volunteering makes the club run smoothly. Thank you for those who stepped up to help at the silver and picnic. Let's make this the best year ever!

Happy Treasure Hunting,

Howard Metts





From the Vice President

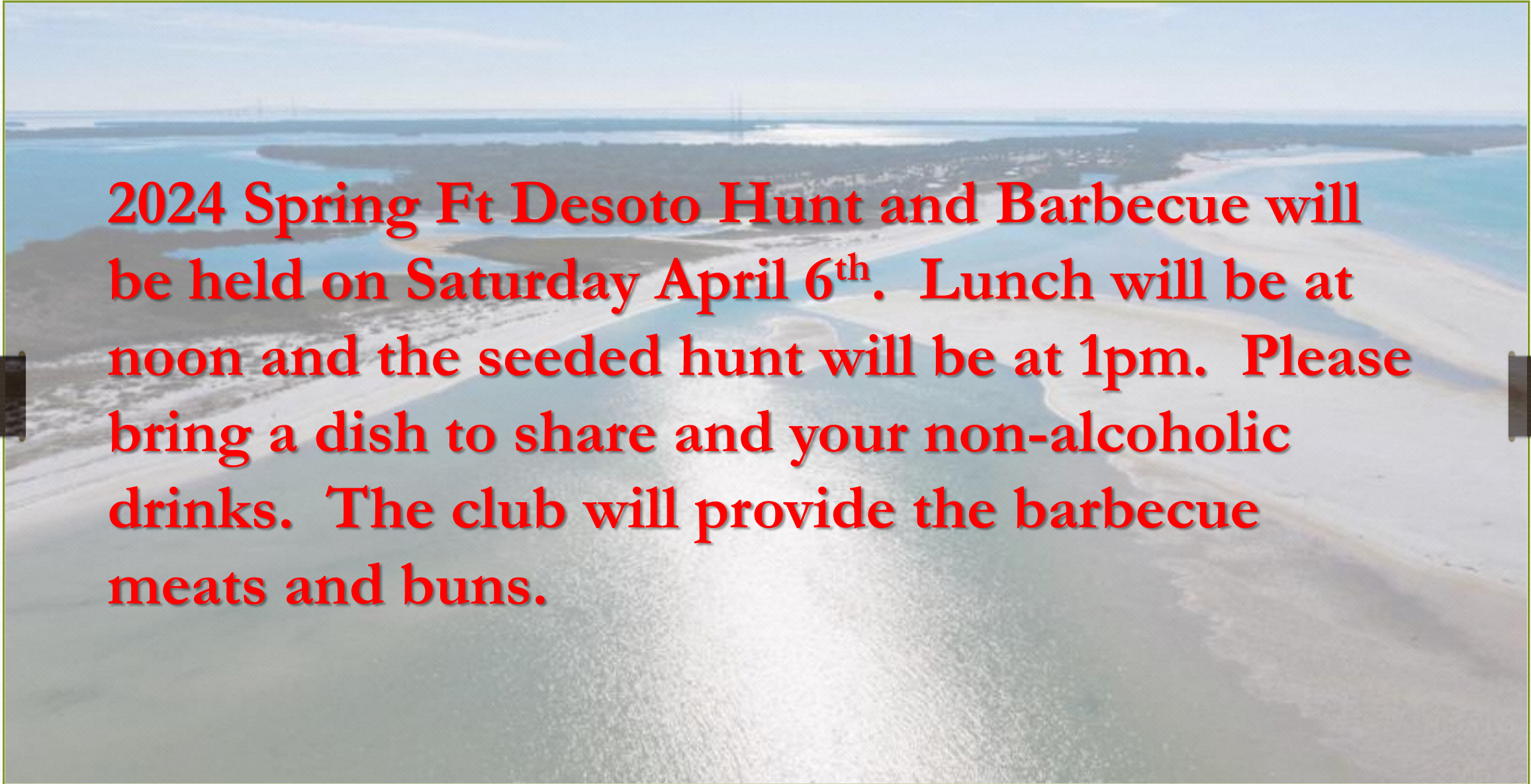
We have our silver for the silver hunt coming up in February. I will be purchasing more 90% half dollars for our raffles soon. Thank you goes out to those who have volunteered for our upcoming events.

Joe Szemer

A photograph of a person standing on a beach, holding a surfboard. The person is wearing a dark shirt and shorts. The background shows the ocean and a clear blue sky. The foreground is filled with green coastal plants and a yellow coconut on the ground. The text is overlaid on the image.

2024 SRARC Silver Hunt

The 11th Annual Wally Swartz Silver Hunt are for members who paid dues before December 31st. It will be held on February 3rd at 10am on Redington Shores Beach located at 18200 Gulf Blvd.



2024 Spring Ft Desoto Hunt and Barbecue will be held on Saturday April 6th. Lunch will be at noon and the seeded hunt will be at 1pm. Please bring a dish to share and your non-alcoholic drinks. The club will provide the barbecue meats and buns.

2023 Christmas Gold Winners



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

Our Ring Finder of the year is Gary Leland! Thank you Gary and all our Ringfinder Volunteers. The donations we receive from this small group supports the clubs many events.

Great Job Gary!



Competition Table Top 2023 Winners

1. David Horton
2. Rob Clarke
3. Will McQuillen




NEED IDEAS FOR MEETING GUEST SPEAKERS

Participation of the members brings success to any club. We need your ideas on speakers or topics that you would like to see presented at our meetings. We now have a large screen for doing nice presentations. Please contact Howard Metts or Joe Szemer with ideas.

Please support this restaurant by purchasing some food and drink as they are not charging us their \$250 fee. Thanks!





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Go to **Facebook** and join the Treasure Talk Group with Phil Myers and Jeff Mohnen.

Mondays at 7pm they host a live **Facebook** presentation with guest speakers talking about our hobby. There may even be some giveaways for some lucky people that watch the Monday events!



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Sunset...

Treasures...

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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