

Suncoast Research & Recovery Club
September 2024 Newsletter



September 2024 Meeting

The next meeting is Monday September 23rd,
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.



Notes from your President

Jeanine and I are cruising again and will return before the meeting. No detectors this time as it only goes to Cozumel Mexico. See you at the meeting!

Happy Treasure Hunting,

Howard Metts





From the Vice President

Don't forget to bring your jewelry and coins to be tested at our meeting and your money for the upcoming picnic.

Joe Szemer

November Club Elections

Please contact Joe or Howard if you would like to be a board member or officer this year. The club can always use volunteers to help with the many functions of our club. Our annual election will take place at our November meeting.

QUALITY COIN AND GOLD



Our guest speaker is Asher Tristani of Quality Coin and Gold. They supply our gold coins for our Christmas Banquet. They will be talking about how to test coins and jewelry to see if they are real. Please bring an item for them to test with their equipment. Besides buying and selling coins and bullion, they do purchase gold jewelry. Asher is GIA certified and can tell you about diamonds. I have made many purchases here and find them to be very honest with great pricing!

2024 Officers and Board Members

Howard Metts – President

Joe Szemer - Vice President

Donna Szemer – Treasurer

Gary Leland – Secretary

Dimitur Alipiev - Board Member

Greg Cahue - Board Member

Mike Shuler - Board Member

Jerry Miller – Board Member

Will McQuillen – Board Member

October Barbeque and Hunt

Our next Ft Desoto picnic and fun hunt is scheduled for Saturday October 26th.

Please pay Joe at the September meeting \$5 for the barbequed pulled pork, chicken, buns, \$10 for the hunt (or it will be \$15 the day of the hunt for the hunt). Please bring your own drinks and a dish to share. We need to collect the \$5 per person for the food so we have money to finish up the year activities.



Competition Table Results

1. Rob Velarde 79
2. Dave Horton 77
3. Greg Cahue 68
4. Will McQuillen 64



2025 Club Dues

As we stated at last month's meeting, we are receiving less than half what we collected from Ringfinders and the board has decided to raise our dues. Single membership will remain at \$35. Family memberships for 2 people will be \$60 and each additional active family member \$35.

The club will be paying for half of each member's Christmas Banquet; \$35 this year. So, members are still getting a bargain. Any spouses or guests that are not a member will be paying full price.

The price of silver and gold has gone up causing the cost of our raffled coins to increase. This increase will insure we can continue giving members a great time. Dues will be collected starting at our October meeting.



December Christmas Banquet

Our December Christmas banquet will take place again at Isla Del Sol Yacht Club again. The cost per person will be \$35 and the club will pay \$36 for each person attending as the total cost is \$71 which includes the food, tip, and servers. The food and service has always been excellent here! The date will be Tuesday December 3rd with doors open at 5pm, dinner at 6pm. Again, we will have some announcements, door prizes, games, and our gold and silver raffle. Joe will collect the money at our October and November meetings.




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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♣ Phil Myers ♣ Jeff Mohnen ♣ Special Guests ♣



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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