

# THE TINFOIL TIMES



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**THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE 7:30 PM NOVEMBER 12  
AT THE SOUTH FLORIDA SCIENCE - THE DISCOVERY ROOM  
IN DREHER PARK  
IN WEST PALM BEACH, FLORIDA**

*OUR CODE OF ETHICS: HAVE PERMISSION AND DO NO HARM*

## NOVEMBER MEETING

Program will be presented by Linda Bennett - highlights of her metal detecting trip to England. While Linda didn't have fantastic finds, she had a great time staying in Chicago Ron's Barn. Other detectorists in the barn traveled from Florida, Boston, Iowa and Chicago.

Elections for 2015 Officers/Board will be held. New faces to the board are encouraged!

Plans for our Holiday Party in December.

### JOIN US EARLY AT

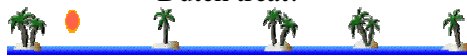
Palm Springs Pizza & Restaurant  
3087 Forest Hill Blvd

West Palm Beach, FL 33406

(561) 257-1394

at 5:15 p.m. before the meeting.

Dutch treat!



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

### November

Leslie Batts (11/27)

Tom Lieberman (11/8)

Frank Nash (11/14)



REMINDER - COLLECTING

2015 DUES.

SEE PAGE 2 FOR MORE  
DETAILS

## Gem and Mineral Show

Our club has been invited to have a free table at the Gem and Mineral Show on November 21 and 22. There will be a sign up sheet for volunteers for 2 hour blocks. You will get free admission to the show.

More details to club meeting.



Gary McNew reports that South Beach parking costs have increased to \$4/hour.



## ONGOING CLUB PROJECTS

*Our club collects eye glasses, foreign coins, miscellaneous items of costume jewelry/tokens/metal toys, pull tabs, and empty ink cartridges. small electrical stuff (nothing bigger than a large toaster), cell phones, tape recorders, printers etc. for recycling. Give to Jan Smirnow.*



## CLUB WEBSITES

Be sure to check out the club website that John Lobota manages. He welcomes club members to share stories, local history, videos, photos and other knowledge to impart.

<http://www.apex-ephemera.com/gctc/>

### President:

Frank Nash  
786-269-5744

### Vice-President:

TBA

### Secretary

Jan Smirnow  
561-735-8921

### Treasurer

Nick Mosca  
954-205-3168

**Huntmaster:** Available

**Refreshments:** Gary Spiroch

**Photographer:** Steve Hoskins

**Librarian:** Vern Blausey

**Hospitality Hostess:** Available

**Prize Coordinator:** Jan Smirnow

**Membership:** John Lobota

**Website Administrator:**

John Lobota

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Linda Bennett

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[www.apex-ephemera.com/gctc/](http://www.apex-ephemera.com/gctc/)

### Club Mailing Address:

GCTC C/O Gail Hoskins

206 Russell Drive

Lake Worth, FL 33461

Dues are \$35 a year.

New members pay an

initiation fee of \$5, plus:

\$35 if joining between Jan. 1st

and the end of June,

or \$17.50 if joining between

July 1 and Dec. 31. \$5 extra for

FMDAC membership.

## OCTOBER MONTHLY BEST FIND WINNERS

### *First Place*

**Best Gold with Stone - Jason Petenbrink**  
**Best Gold - Gary Spiroch**  
**Best Silver - Gary Spiroch**  
**Best Costume Jewelry - Steve Hamedl**  
**Most Unusual - Steve Hamedl**  
**Best Coin - Paul Hamlin**

### *Second Place*

**Best Gold with Stones - Paul Hamlin**  
**Best Gold - Steve Hamedl**  
**Best Silver - Steve Hamedl**  
**Best Costume Jewelry - Gary Spiroch**  
**Most Unusual - Paul Hamlin**  
**Best Coin - April Sovich**



## MEMBERS AD

Fisher CZ3D modified by its inventor, Tom Dankowski to an AU21. 12-inch coil, straight shaft, Fisher chest mount strap and bag, original "S" shaft. Like new, works perfectly. \$800 OBO.

Jerry Laur 561-951-1015



## OCTOBER MEETING

Tony and Ray from the Coin Club of West Palm and Rechant's of West Palm gave an interesting informative presentation at our October 8th meeting. They gave everyone a printout, written by Tony entitled "Consumer Awareness", to ensure that everyone would remember all that was presented! Tony and Ray are in my opinion experts on what is happening in the coin industry. The last advice they gave was to purchase The Red Book of coins and use it as your bible, never buy from the telephone and never buy from newspaper or television ads!! Buy from a reliable dealer!! If you were unable to attend give me a call at 561-376-6211, and I will be sure to get you a copy of the text.

Thirty two members and two guest were in attendance. The guest were Jim Warren from Boca (who said he wants to learn how to metal detect) and Evan Lloyd of Stuart, Florida (a long time hunter).

Of Eleven Birthdays, six of those present collected their Birthday Dollars.

The Treasurer, Nick Mosca, reported \$1123.24 in our treasury. It was stressed that we needed a location for our Holiday Party, our work has been

answered! Bob Dobski has reserved his Club House for our party. The club house is located in Delray Beach just off of Atlantic Avenue. Details will follow in our December newsletter.

Mindy and Gary Spinach spoke of their trip to Arizona and the fun they had. President, Frank Nash, told some metal detecting stories.

The 50/50 Raffle was won by April Sovich - \$32.00!

In light of needed planning for the Holiday Party and Nomination of officers for the year 2016 the program for November was cancelled, instead we will get some business out of the way and hear all about Linda Bennett's Metal Detecting Trip to England!

*Submitted by Secretary, Jan Smirnow*



## Membership Renewal Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City and State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Please  DO  DO NOT

Include my address, phone # & e-mail address  
in the new club directory.

(Note: members' names, at least, will be included.  
Directory goes to members ONLY.)

**Renewal \$35**  
**\$5 for FMDAC (optional)**

**MAIL TO:**  
**Gold Coast Treasure Club**  
**Gail Hoskins**  
**206 Russell Drive**  
**Lake Worth, FL 33461**

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## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Club Meeting: November 12, 2015  
Gem and Mineral Show: November 21 and 22, 2015  
Club Hunt: TBA  
TCAS Hunt: March 12, 2016  
CFMDC Sunshine Hunt: April 9, 2016

**VISIT OUR WEBSITE:**

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