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**ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY 7:00 PM DECEMBER 8
NOT AT OUR USUAL MEETING PLACE!!**

2016 ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY

Join us at 7:00 p.m. on December 8th for our Annual Holiday Party (or – better yet – arrive at 5:30 p.m. to help us set up!) The club will provide meats, drinks and condiments, while members are asked to bring a side dish. **Please RSVP to Gail Hoskins 561-(561) 967-2923 by Tuesday, December 6 and indicate what side dish you'll bring.**

All dishes must be ready to eat, with no heating required. Bring a serving spoon and warming tray, if needed. Gail will also need to know the number in your party, the ages of attending children, if any, and if you'll bring guests. The Holiday Party is always free to members. Nonmembers and guests are welcomed to attend for \$10.

As a reminder, there will be no Tall Tales Tables, Mystery Item or Monthly Best Finds. **We will be selling raffle tickets for 50/50.**

**PLEASE NOTE LOCATION OF OUR HOLIDAY PARTY!!
HIGH POINT OF DELRAY
824 CLUB DRIVE,
DELRAY BEACH, FL**

CLUB HOUSE SECTION IV

I-95
Take the **SR-806 W / Atlantic Av** exit
Go west on Atlantic Av
Turn **right** onto **Barwick Rd.**
Turn **right** onto **High Point Blvd W**
this road ends at Club Dr W
Turn **left** onto **Club Dr W** which will
turn into North Dr.
Turn **right** onto **Club Dr**
824 CLUB DR is on the right

Treasurer Laurie will be collecting next year dues-be sure to fill out renewal form

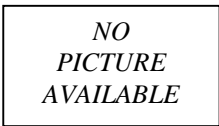
OUR CODE OF ETHICS: HAVE PERMISSION AND DO NO HARM

**NOVEMBER MONTHLY
BEST FIND WINNERS**



Jason Petenbrink and Steve Hamedl

**Best Gold With Stone
Jason Petenbrink**



Engagement Ring

**Best Gold
Steve Hamedl**



18 Kt

**Best Silver
Steve Hamedl**



Ring

**Most Unusual
Steve Hamedl**



Anchor Pendant

**Best Costume
Steve Hamedl**



Tungsten Ring

**Best Coin
Steve Hamedl**



1999 Spanish Coi



Second Place

Most Unusual - Bracelet - Vern Blausey



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.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



December

- Vern Blausey (12/9)**
- Carol Presslein (12/27)**
- Joe Quinones (12/2)**
- Laura Reilly (12/23)**

**GOLD COAST TREASURE CLUB, INC.
RENEWAL APPLICATION**

PLEASE PRINT

NAME: _____

SPOUSE: _____

CHILDREN: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

CELL PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

The renewal dues are \$35

\$5 to join FMDAC (voluntary) _____

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

DUES PAID: _____

Please make out checks to Gold Coast Treasure Club.

**All renewal dues to be accompanied by this form and given to Laurie Haire or mailed to Frank Nash
9729 Whipoorwill Trail
Jupiter, FL 33478**

NOVEMBER MEETING MINUTES

November 10th club members and three guests learned a great deal from Tom Dankowski. Questions about metal detecting came from everyone, with answers from Tom. Water detecting, sand and even relic information was forthcoming. He is presently field testing a new Makro machine, Notka Impact. The machine is not on the market yet but according to Tom promises to be a good one. Additionally, he highly recommends the Aqua Star, a pulse induction machine. He may be returning in February by popular demand for another presentation. If you missed this meeting, be sure and check out his website at Tomdankowskidetecting.com.

Birthday dollars for November were given to Les Batts, Linda Bowen and Frank Nash.

Vice President, Sue Chonoles gave the membership the following tips for November:

- Always check your equipment before you go hunting, test your battery pack, make sure it is fully charged.
- Take a pair of light weight waterproof palm gloves
- Insect repellent – be sure to spray ankles, arms and neck
- Sunglasses – a must in Florida. Polarized – cuts the glare
- Baseball cap – to enable the headphones fitting properly
- Shoulder or Waist Bag- for findings and as refuse bag – you are performing a public service
- By picking up the trash, save the pull tabs for Ronald McDonald.
- Magnifying glass – Stiff Brush – to identify coins and read imprints in rings
- Do Not clean anything you think is precious at the beach, best way is to rub it with baking soda, Do not use anything abrasive.

Fellow member Keith Smith mentioned a good source for metal detecting are the Beach Cams.

Gail Hoskins announced that she would be holding the Holiday Planning Party on November 21st.

Frank Nash announced the new special raffle, The El Czar Pillar (donated by Keith and Barbara Ann Smith). One hundred spots, \$3 each or 6 for \$15.

Treasury was reported at \$1,163.52. Dues are due by January meeting, they are \$35 and a \$5 fee for the FMDC membership (if you wish to join).

Betty Laur, Nominations Committee, reported the officers' slate for the upcoming year 2017. Frank Nash, President, Sue Chonoles, Vice President, Laurie Haire, Treasurer and Jan Smirnow, Secretary. Those nominated were voted in for 2017.

Participation by our club at the 50th Bead and Mineral Show this year was voted against.

Those members who bought in their finds for month were stumped by a paperclip.

Amy Hamedl won the 50/50 Raffle for a grand total of \$50.

The Secretary thanked Ingrid and Jim Orlando for their generous contribution each month for the sodas and ice and thanked Frank Nash for all the goodies he brings in each month. Our meeting was adjourned at 10 p.m.

Submitted by Jan Smirnow, Secretary

Good Will Ambassadors Performing Random Acts of Kindness

Each month, the GCTC recognizes members who provide selfless service to our community. The first time a member returns an item, that individual receives a metal detector pin (handcrafted by **Steve Hoskins**) to wear on his or her hat, in addition to a certificate of appreciation.

REPEAT AMBASSADOR



Frank Nash
Returned Gold Wedding Band

Gary McNew **Returned a Ring**



Here is a small token of my deep gratitude for being so kind in bringing my ring back to me...

Dear Gary,

I don't believe I will ever be able to describe the joy & the magic & synchronicity of opening my emails & seeing Hummingbird Ring in the subject line! Not only was it an answered prayer (s) but so magical on so many levels.

It renewed a deep feeling of faith and brought me closer to God - in every cell of my being. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for my precious ring & the experience so a miracle ♥ Forever grateful, Melanie

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LAKE WORTH, FL
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UPCOMING EVENTS
CLUB HOLIDAY PARTY: DECEMBER 8, 2016
TCAS Hunt: March 11, 2017
Sunshine Shootout & Relic Hunt: April 1, 2017

VISIT OUR WEBSITE:

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

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for Proofreading***