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Dues are \$35 per year. New members pay an initiation fee of \$5, plus:

\$35 if joining between Jan 1st through the end of June, or \$17.50 if joining between July 1 and December 31. \$5 extra for FMDAC membership.

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➤➤➤ Gold Coast Treasure Club, Inc.

Our code of ethics: Have permission and do no harm

**Our next club meeting will be
7:00 PM, May 9, 2019
South Florida Science Center
Garden Club Building
4800 Dreher Trail North
West Palm Beach, FL 33405**



May Meeting

Bring your detectors to the May meeting. There are still over 100 pennies out on the front lawn that weren't found at the last meeting. In case it gets dark, remember to bring your headlamp.

Sue and Dave Chonoles will share the details on the Easter Sunday hunt.

We will also be discussing upcoming hunts for May.

The for sale table will be available, so bring any detecting-related items you would like to sell. This is not a club fundraiser. You keep the money!

Gold Coast Treasure Club Website

The Gold Coast Treasure Club website is where to go for the latest club information. You will find a lot of interesting and helpful information there.

The website is at <http://www.apex-ephemera.com/gctc/>.

There is lots more there, and the website is being updated frequently, so be sure to check in often!



May Birthdays

April Sovich	5/5
Tim Burke	5/7
John Gaynor	5/7
Glenford Smith	5/10
John Lobata	5/14
Ed Marin	5/17
Jim Perkins	5/19
Dave Chonoles	5/20
Juan Echemendia	5/26
Nancy Stephens	5/27
Rick Zirkelbach	5/30
Francisco Grass	5/31
Maryanne Lubinski	5/31
Jeffrey Fischer	5/31

Join us before the meeting at 5:15 for dinner.

Flanigan's back room
330 Southern Blvd
West Palm Beach

Please RSVP by noon May 9
Laurie Haire (954) 593-4800
Dutch treat

April 2019 Club Minutes

There were 26 members in attendance, and two visitors.

Presentation by Linda Bennett on the hunt in Orlando

Members brought detectors to the meeting to hunt the front yard of the meeting place.

Jack Kazee and Kevin Beane tied for the most coins found. They both won prizes.

Tripp found the special painted coin, won the main prize.

Tripp reported on the school hunt. Another hunt may be planned there in the future.

Vice President Sue Chonoles brought samples of club shirts, took orders from the members. The shirts will be ordered, possibly given out at the next meeting.

Tom Dankowski now a member of club sponsored by Sue and Dave Chonoles.

April birthdays were announced, those members were not at the meeting.

Treasurer Laurie Haire gave the Treasurer's Report, including a rundown of recent expenses. Also reported that our rent will be going up next year.

50/50 was won by Linda Bennett.

(This month's minutes was a group effort. Thanks to Sue Chonoles, Linda Bennett, and Melody Kazee)

MAN DIGS 12FT DEEP HOLE WITHOUT REALISING HIS METAL DETECTOR WAS PICKING UP HIS STEEL-CAPPED BOOTS

Posted on April 11, 2019 | by Chief Morale Officer | 6 comments



This is a fake news story that was bouncing around the Internet recently. Could you imagine being so consumed by your search that you dig yourself into a twelve foot hole? I think after four or five feet, even I might start doubting myself. It really didn't happen, but how many of us have suckered ourselves into similar things? Once, I convinced myself that a rock I found must have had something inside it because it kept setting off my detector when I passed it over the coil. Later, I realized that there was nothing in the rock - it was my ring that was setting off the detector.

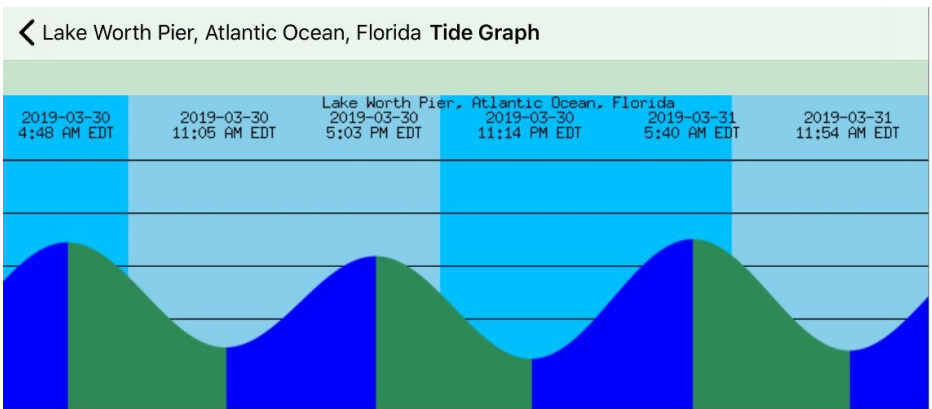
Submitted by Jack Kazee, Editor



Linda Bennett was our featured speaker for April. She participated in the 7th Annual Central Florida Sunshine Silver and Relic Hunt that was held on April 6 in Orlando. The hunt was hosted by the Central Florida Metal Detecting Club. Over 200 hunters participated. KG and Ringy of "Diggin It" were the main attraction. Gary Drayton of "The Curse of Oak Island" History Channel show was there with Minelab Metal Detectors. Quite a few vendors were there, including Lorraine of Reilly's Treasured Gold. There were four hunts that had 55 special tokens that were worth special prizes. Linda won a Nokta/Makro Anfibio Multi metal detector. There were 200 prizes that were determined by tokens in each hunt, or having the winning name tag number called.

April Club Activity

What do you do when you see a bunch of old green pennies? If you're Frank Nash, you collect them. Some workers had cleaned out a nearby fountain and dumped the pennies in the mulch around some trees. Frank brought them to the meeting, and we used them for the meeting activity. 200 pennies were scattered around the front lawn of the club meeting area. About a dozen members collected as many as they could in the time allotted. The member who collected the most pennies would win a prize, and whoever found the special painted penny would receive a special prize. 200 pennies were placed, but only about 50 were collected. Kevin Beane and Jack Kazee each found twenty one pennies, so both were awarded prizes. Tripp Cioci found the painted penny and won the main prize. Since there are still a bunch of pennies left out there, we may do another quick hunt during a future meeting.



Do you know what this is, and how to read it? There may be more information there than you realize. We will break down Tide Charts in the June Tinfoil Times.



Best Finds for April 2019



**Best Silver
Earring with Stone
April Sovich**



**Most Unusual
WWI Shipyard Volunteer Pin
Arnie Steiner**



**Best Coin
1941 Mercury Dime
James Perkins III**



April Winners

Most Unusual: Arnie Steiner

Best Silver: April Sovich

Best Coin James Perkins III

Please remember to put your full name on the entry form when submitting items on the Best Finds table. Points are awarded for first and second place each month, which goes toward the Detector of the Year award. If we can't figure out who submitted the item, we can't give you credit for the find.





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