



HIGHGRADER

GOLDSEARCHERS OF SOUTHERN NEVADA WWW.GOLDSEARCHERSNV.COM



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PRESIDENT:

JOHN ANDERSON

VICE PRESIDENT:

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SECRETARY:

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MARK HEDGES

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ERIC SMITH

MERCHANDISE:

Paddy Rohme

OUTINGS:

LESLIE BURNS

WEBSITE:

MARK HEDGES

CLAIMS:

JOHN ANDERSON

RAFFLE:

RON RADUENZ

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OUTINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next club outing will be held on the weekend of November 18-19 at the Gold Basin claim. The pot luck dinner will consist of ham and typical Thanksgiving sides. Attendees are asked to bring a dish for 10 people to pass around to supplement the main dish. Those attending are asked to RSVP on the club website for an accurate head count. Tickets are still on sale for the Keene 140 drywasher including a vac-

Pac, Echo PB250 blower, and a back pack carrying case. Gssn will be filing for a new claim in the Gold Basin area. Information will be posted upon approval from BLM. The Christmas party will be held on December 6, at the Elks lodge in Boulder City located at 1217 Boulder City Pkwy starting at 6:30pm Nevada time.

NEW MEMBERS

Jeffrey Gilstrap Terry McConnell James Glynn Istvan Sakac **Gerald /Lena Pope** Richard/Barbara Sudber-

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Next meeting December 1, 2023 6:30 pm **1217 Boulder City** Pkwy **Boulder City Nv.**



Minutes

The GSSN met on November 1, 2023 at the American Legion hall in Henderson Nv. The President John Anderson called the meeting to order at 6:40pm and led with the pledge of allegiance. In attendance was the Vice President Joyce Jaska, Secretary Melinda Woolman, Treasurer Mark Hedges, Membership Chairman Eric Smith, Raffle Chairman Ron Raduenz, and Outings Chairperson Leslie Burns. All 28 members with 3 guests were welcomed. Members were reminded to check their emails and club website for last minute changes to club activities. Bob McVane made a motion to accept the minutes as published in the October 2023 Highgrader. Hank Householter seconded the motion. All were in favor and the motion passed. Treasurer Mark Hedges presented the treasurers report for October 2023. Steve Hulse motioned to accept the Treasurers report and was seconded by Don Goodwin. All were in favor and the motion passed. The Club website merchandise advertising is up and running. Contact Mark for details. Raffle tickets are still on sale for the Keene 140 raffle. The Christmas party will be held at the Elks Lodge located at 1217 Boulder City Pkwy on December 6, starting at 6:30pm. Attendees are asked to RSVP on the club website. The next outing will be held at the Gold Basin claim on the weekend of November 18-19. Pot luck will be served at 3:00pm Nevada time, 4:00 Arizona time. RSVP is requested for an accurate head count. GSSN will set up a booth at the Southern Nevada Gem and Mineral show at the Sante Fe Station casino on the weekend of November 3, 4, and 5th. Nominations were opened at 6:57 for the offices of Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Membership, and Raffle Chairman. Each office was announced 3 times and then closed at 7:04 pm. No nominations were made. Duly elected officers include VP Joyce Jaska, Secretary Melinda Woolman, Treasurer Mark Hedges, Membership Chairman Eric Smith, and Raffle Chairman Ron Raduenz. Steve Hulse made a motion to cast a majority ballot for all non-contested offices. Mary Skaarup seconded the motion. All were in favor and the nominees were declared duly elected. There was a discussion regarding the filing of a new claim in the Gold Basin area. After a short question and answer session it was determined the cost for BLM would be \$3392.00. Steve Hulse made a motion to allow the Executive board to pay \$3392.00 to the BLM for the 320 acre claim. Mary Skaarup seconded the motion. All were in favor and their were no nays recorded. George spoke regarding the club investing some of the GSSN money in the savings account into a 6 month CD. After the discussion it was agreed to have Mark inquire into the purchase of a CD. The floor was then turned over to George for the raffle table description. After a short break the raffle was held. At 7:50 pm Steve Hulse made a motion to adjourn, which was seconded by Bob McVane. All were in favor and the meeting adjourned at 7:50pm.

John Anderson

President

November 6, 2023

RAFFLE WINNERS

November 1, 2023			October 27, 2023	
Las Vegas		Me	Meadview	
50/50 Door prize Club apparel ************************************	Wendy Hulse Richard Harding George Nederit	ter Apparel	Lidia Herrow ze Walt Hand Phil Hoffman *******	
1. Panning tub/pan	Wes Jaska	1. Panning tub/pan	Jason Carrol	
2. Classifier	Gary Bauman	2. Walking stick	Mary Skaarup	
3. Pan/snuffer	B. Barmore	3. Grabber	Mary Lou York	
4. Large shovel	Steve Carmillo	4. Hunting knife	Mary Lou York	
5. Small shovel	Kevin Zigler	5. Tri-fold shovel	Phil Hoffman	
6. Jumper cables	Don Goodwin	6. Solar lights	Wendy Hulse	
7. Cooler	Steve Carrmillo	7. UV flashlight	Wendy Hulse	
8. Marinator	Wendy Hulse	8. Scoop/snuffer	Michael Padilla	
9. Utah map	Gary Bauman	9. Scoop/snuffer	Duck	
10.Loupe	Anthony Sanche	ez10. Classifier	Robert Bobbitt	
11.Pedometer	Don Goodwin	11. Blue pan/snuffe	r Phil Hoffman	
12.Rock pick	Anthony Sanche	ez12. Garret grabber	Robert Bobbitt	
13.Pan key chain	Laurie Ziggler	13. Scoop/loupe	Jason Carroll	
14.Stock certificate	Don Goodwin	14. Garrett pouch	Mary Lou York	
15.Soft side cooler	Don Goodwin	15. Garrett green pa	an Mike Monios	
16.Surplus pick	Gary Bauman	16. 55 gal barrel	Wendy Hulse	
17.Embroidered logo	Melinda Woolm	nan17. Detect <mark>ing p</mark> icl	c Eldon St Ledger	
18.Magnet	Jason Carroll			
19.Nugget	Robert Bobbitt			