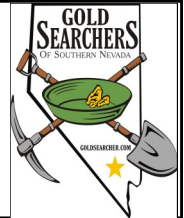


October 7, 2015



HIGHGRADER

Gold Searchers of Southern Nevada

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Outings and announcements

Officers and

Standing

Committees.....

- * President-John Anderson
- * Vice President- Mike Ameling
- * Treasurer-Mark Hedges
- * Secretary- Dolores Gee
- * Membership-Steve Christenson
- * Claims-John Anderson
- * Education- Fred Zajac
- * Merchandise-Al Smith
- * Website-Mark Hedges
- * Newsletter- Mark Hedges
- * Equipment-Eric Smith
- * Outings-

The next outing will be the weekend of Oct 24-25 at the club owned 20 acre property in Meadview Az. Lunch will be served on Saturday at 12:00 noon. Tacos will be the lunch theme for Saturday. Attendees, please bring a dish for 10 people to complement the course. Brunch will be served on Sun-

day at 9:00 am. The usual eggs, bacon, sausage and pancakes will be served. A metal detecting hunt will take place on Saturday following lunch. (1:00 pm)

NOVEMBER ELECTION CANDIDATES:

PRESIDENT:

John Anderson

VICE PRESIDENT:

**Mike Ameling
Ron Raduenz**

TREASURER:

Mark Hedges

SECRETARY:

Melinda Woolman

MEMBERSHIP:

Steve Christensen

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Equipment list

Thompson Dry Washer
Keene Dry Washer
Desert Foxes
Blue Bowl
Metal detectors
High bankers
GPS

Library
Books, Magazines,
Videos

Next Meeting

November 4, 2015

6:30pm

**425 East Van Wagenen
Henderson NV 89002**

Minutes October 7, 2015

The GSSN met on Wednesday, Oct. 7, 2015 at the American Legion Hall in Henderson NV. Pres. John Anderson called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM and led in pledging allegiance to the flag. He welcomed all - 59 signed in and there were three visitors. He asked for a motion to approve the September minutes (as posted in the HighGrader) and Fred Zajak made such motion which was seconded by Morris Seguin. Vote was unanimous in approving the motion and it was approved and so carried. Mark Hedges then gave the Treasurer's Report. Morris made a motion to approve it; Richard Harding seconded & it was unanimously approved. Under Old Business, VP Mike Ameling took the floor relative the voting on the revised by-laws. Harry Horak made a motion to vote on the revised by-laws as whole Nos. 1,2,3,4,5,8,9,10,11 & 12) and George N. seconded the motion which was passed by a majority vote of members present. Morris then took the floor for purposes of nominating candidates for office. Officers to be voted on were President (John Anderson), Vice President (Mike Ameling), Treasurer (Mark Hedges), and Membership Officer (Steve Christensen) - all of whom were running for reelection. Secretary Dolores was stepping down so that office was open. John Anderson and Mark Hedges were unopposed. Mike Ameling was one of two members running for Vice President. Ernie Sardella nominated Ron Raduenz for V.P. Rick Young nominated Melinda Woolman for Secretary. Steve C. (who was not present) had told the president he would be agreeable to reelection as Membership Officer. The slate was so designated for the November 2015 election. The group learned that the 2016 GPAA Gold Show would be at Cashman Field (Feb. 27-28) and members were asked to volunteer. The president invited the group to check out the GSSN website and also invited anyone interested to come to George's breakfast club which will meet Oct. 13th at Jokers Wild at 9AM. John A. also told the group that the 40-acre property has been staked. The next outing will be Oct. 24 - 25 at the 20-acre claim which will feature a metal detector hunt for prizes (including a nugget) . RSVP by Oct. 20th. It was announced that the Christmas Party will be Dec. 2 at 6:30 pm & ham, turkey and fried chicken will be served. Those attending should bring a side dish (enough for 10 people) or/and dessert. Anyone interested was encouraged to sign-up early. After a short break, the raffles were held. (See below.) At 7:55 PM Ace Hunt made a motion to adjourn the meeting; Pam Goulder seconded and the meeting ended at that time.

Dolores Gee

Secretary
10/10/2015

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The 50/50 (in amt. of \$50) was won by Phillis Harding. Bob Mara won the \$12.50 door prize; and Betty Calhoun won the ladies prize (\$20 gift certificate to Office Max). The winner of the Gold Concentrate table was Gary Gallagher. Jake was thanked for his generous contributions which were donated on behalf of Jakes Mining Equipment.

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Other winners were:

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| 1. Backpack...Mark Hedges | 11. Digital pocket scale...Robert Riske |
| 2. Long shovel...Harry Horak | 12. Snuffer w/holder & scoop...Ruth Horak |
| 3. Short shovel...Bill White | 13. Snuffer w/holder & scoop...John Goll |
| 4. Bucket wobbler...Fred Zajak | 14. Jewelers loupe & magic cool...Bob Mara |
| 5. Bucket wobbler...Bob Mara | 15. Jwlr Loupe & magic cool...Gary Gallagher |
| 6. 1/4th-inch classifier...John Toll | 16. Pick/tweezers/snuffer...Bill White |
| 7. 1/4th-inch classifier...Ron Raduenz | 17. Pick/tweezers/snuffer...G. Gallagher |
| 8. Turbo gold pan...Jason Gallegos | 18. Pick/tweezers/snuffer...Morris Seguin |
| 9. Gold pan...Richard Gonzales | 19. Round tub...Richard Harding |
| 10. Digital pocket scale...Richard Gonzales | 20...T-shirt Ron Raduenz |

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Las Vegas NV, 89193 – 6732
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www.goldsearchersnv.com
Please Print Clearly

Last Name _____ First _____ Spouse _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ - _____ - _____ E-mail _____

PROSPECTING VEHICLE

Vehicle _____ Lic# _____ State _____

I understand that as a member of the Gold Searchers of Southern Nevada Inc., I can run for office and Participate in the voting on all major policies and officer elections. I will also be able to attend all meetings and use the club claims, subject to the club By-laws. I can also use club equipment by appointment and check out books and video's from out extensive library.

HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

I / we, the undersigned, (hereafter referred to as participant) assume all risk and/or hazards associated with participant's involvement in the Gold Searchers of Southern Nevada Inc., a prospecting club. Participants agree to indemnify and **HOLD HARMLESS** all club officers, sponsors, and/or other third, fourth, etc., parties involved in club activities. Participants realize that metal detecting, gold prospecting, and associated activities can be dangerous. The terrain can be hazardous and there may be wild or domesticated animals and snakes present. Some locations may have open shafts, pits, and tunnels. Participants assume animals and snakes present. Participants assume all responsibility by signing below.

SIGNATURE _____ DATED ____ / ____ / ____

CLUBS ONLY FUNCTION IF MEMBERS VOLUNTEER

I/we will volunteer to assist in the areas checked. Please check at least one area.

COMMITTEES

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Outing Website

DUES ARE PAYABLE ON THE FIRST OF THE MONTH ON YOUR ANNIVERSARY DATE.
New members \$45.00 and to Renew is \$30.00.

Check # _____ Cash _____ By _____
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