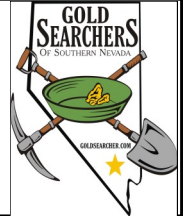


February 4, 2015



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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
- * Librarian-Dennis Johnson
- * Merchandise-Gary Gallagher
- * Website-Mark Hedges
- * Newsletter-

The next outing will be the weekend of February 21 & 22 at the Empty Pockets claim (Dog Gone). Pot luck Saturday at noon Nevada time. Main dish will be hamburger and hot dogs. Sunday brunch will be served on Sunday at 10:00 am Nevada time. The usual bacon, sausage, and eggs will

be served. Please RSVP by Wednesday for an accurate head count.

Please bring a dish for 10 people to pass around on Saturdays pot luck.

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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

March 4

6:30pm

**425 East Van Wagenen
Henderson NV 89002**

Minutes 02/04/2015

The GSSN met on Wednesday, Feb 4th, 2015 at the American Legion hall in Henderson, Nv. VP Mike Ameling called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm and led in the pledging allegiance to the flag. He welcomed all (there were 6 visitors and 82 signed in). At this point Morris Seguin, Mark Hedges and Mike then conducted the run-off for president (as published in the HighGrader). After a short break, Mike announced the results of the voting. 10 members voted for John Roberts and 63 voted for John Anderson. At this point John Anderson took over conducting the meeting. A motion to approve the minutes for the preceding months (Sept 3, Oct 5, 2014 and Jan 7, 2015) was made by Merke Black and seconded by Morris. The vote was unanimously in favor and the motion carried. (No minutes were taken for the December 2014 meeting which was the Christmas party). Then Mark Hedges gave the treasurer's report for Nov. & Dec. 2014 , and Jan 2015. Morris made a motion to approve the report as presented, which was seconded by Richard Harding. Next Frank Calhloun said he was looking into the group having coffee available at future meetings as had been the case previously. The group was glad to hear of this. Mike Ameling subsequently volunteered to chair a committee to review the by-laws and George N., Kathy Martin and Dave Axtell agreed to serve on the committee. John Anderson commented on GSSN's claims which he had researched and specifically looked into land-locked possibilities in Mohave Co. Az. He will provide further information as he continues his research. George N. invited all to the monthly Breakfast Club meetings at Joker's Wild and asked those interested to contact him. The next one will be on Tuesday, Feb 10th at 9 am. The next outing will be at Empty Pockets on Feb. 21-22. As usual potluck will be on Sat. and brunch on Sunday at 10am (NV time). A sign-up sheet was provided. Next the newsletter and website were discussed. Details for updating are being worked out. After a short break, the raffles were held (see below). Afterwards, at 8:20 pm a motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Morris and seconded by Richard and the meeting ended at that time.

Dolores Gee, Secretary

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Door prize (\$16.50) won by Taylor Hooper. 50/50 (\$60.00) won by Richard Gonzalez. Phillis Harding won the ladies prize (a cake stand). Other raffle prize winners were:

1. 4-pc foam mat set...Mike Ameling
2. Mystery bucket...Hank Householter
3. River sluice...Carla Stone
4. Folding arm chair...Tom Douglas
5. 14' gold pan/snuffers/specimen bottles...Bernie Lucida
6. 3 snuffers & 12 specimen bottles...Bob Mara
7. Tweezer set...Tom Douglas
8. Machete...Nick Rich
9. Shovel...David Axel
10. 12-volt compressor...John Bronstein
11. Solar light set...Bob Belcher
12. Flashlight...Russ Gladen
13. Knee pads...Tom Douglas
14. Rock crack hook...Barbara Belcher
15. 12-volt air compressor...Hank Householter
16. Tape measure...Carla Stone
17. Utility knife...Roger Chavez

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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

Audit Claims Education Librarian/Historian Newsletter

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.

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