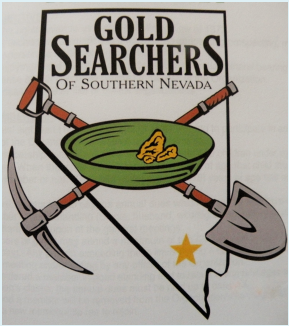


October 4, 2023



# HIGHGRADER

GOLDSEARCHERS OF SOUTHERN NEVADA

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LESLIE BURNS

WEBSITE:

MARK HEDGES

CLAIMS:

JOHN ANDERSON

RAFFLE:

RON RADUENZ

## OUTINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next club outing will be held on the weekend of October 28-29 at the Broken Step claim. The pot luck dinner will consist of stuffed potato. 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. Don't forget to check out the members classified ad section for mining equipment for sale from club members. The service for Jake will be held at the VA cemetery on October 12 at 12:40 pm. All are invited to attend.

## NEW MEMBERS

Gavin/Leah McAfee

Tracy/Jessica Clark

Trey Bucher

Vincent/Michelle Hanson

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Next meeting

November 1, 2023

6:30 pm

American Legion Hall

524 Van Wagenen St

Henderson Nv.



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# Minutes

The GSSN met on October 4, 2023 at the American Legion Hall in Henderson Nv. The President John Anderson called the meeting to order at 6:40pm followed by the pledge of allegiance. Officers in attendance included the Vice President Joyce Jaska, Treasurer Mark Hedges, Secretary Melinda Woolman, Membership Chairman Eric Smith, Outings Chairperson Leslie Burns, and the Raffle Chairman Ron Raduenz. All 30 members in attendance were welcomed. Members were reminded to check their emails and club website for last minute club activity changes. Members were reminded of the upcoming service for Jake at the VA cemetery on October 12 at 12:40pm. Ken Quick made a motion to accept the minutes as published in the September highgrader, and was seconded by Roger Chavez. All were in favor and the motion passed. Treasurer Mark Hedges presented the treasurers report for September 2023. Bob McVane motioned to accept the report and was seconded by Don Goodwin. All were in favor and the motion passed. The club website for classified ads for members is up and running. Contact Mark for details. Raffle tickets are still on sale for the Keene 140 dryer, echo blower and the vac-pak with carrying back pack. The next outing will take place on the weekend of October 28-29. Attendees are asked to bring a dish for 10 people to compliment the main potluck dish of stuffed potato. Attendees are asked to RSVP on the club website for an accurate head account. 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 5. Membership packs, and merchandise will be sold. A panning tub will also be set up for demonstration purposes. Nominations for upcoming offices for GSSN are up tonight. The Presidents position is not up this year. Offices up are V.P., Secretary, Treasurer, Membership Chairman, and the Raffle Chairman. The President conducted the nomination process which was opened at 6:55 pm. Each position was asked for nominations 3 times. The Vice President nomination was Joyce Jaska. Secretary nomination was Melinda Woolman. Treasurer nomination was Mark Hedges. Membership Chairman nomination was Eric Smith, and The Raffle nomination was Ron Raduenz. The nominating process was closed at 7:00pm. Nominations will reopen at the meeting in November before the final vote. The gold hunt for new claims indicated there was very good prospects on the new land. More detailed info will be obtained before the claiming process starts. No other items were discussed. The floor was turned over to George for the raffle table description. After a short break the raffle was held. Ken Quick made a motion to adjourn at 7:55pm which was seconded by Roger Chavez. All were in favor and the meeting adjourned.

John Anderson

President

October 6, 2023

# RAFFLE WINNERS

**50/50**

**Mary Skaarup**

**Door prize**

**Ken Quick**

**Club apparel**

**George Nederitter**

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**1. Panning tub /pan**

**Donna Sollberger**

**2. Water jug**

**Wendy Hulse**

**3. Small shovel**

**Robert Bobbitt**

**4. Large shovel**

**Gary Walkup**

**5. Classifier**

**6. Garrett super sluice pan**

**Gary Walkup**

**7. Tri-leg chair**

**Marcia Goodwin**

**8. Pry-bar set**

**Paddy Rhome**

**9. Silicone mats**

**Wendy Husle**

**10.Scoop/snuffer vials**

**Paddy Rhome**

**11.Scoop/snuffer vials**

**Mary Skaarup**

**12.Detecting pick**

**Wes Jaska**

**13.Top hat magnet**

**Robert Bobbitt**

**14.Book; Finding gold nuggets**

**Donna Sollberger**

**15.Book: Falling stars**

**Don Goodwin**

**16. Az map**

**Gary Walkup**

**17.Solar lights**

**Melinda Woolman**

**18.Display box/vials**

**Donna Sollberger**

**19.Framed stock cert**

**Melinda Woolman**

