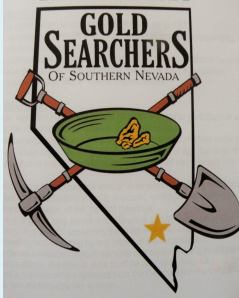


February 5, 2020



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OUTINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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The next outing will be held at the Gold Basin claim on February 22-23. Club sponsored potluck will consist of tacos. Attendees are requested to bring a dish to complement the main course for 10 people to pass around. Dinner will be served at 3:00pm Nevada time (4:00pm Arizona time). Sunday brunch will consist of eggs, bacon, and sausage. Brunch will be served at 9:00am Nevada time. (10:00am Arizona time).

BLM Agent Carrie Wostal is scheduled to give a presentation at the next scheduled meeting March 4th. (If available).

NEW MEMBERS:

Mona Knoke/Noel Whittemore

Bill/Sharon Young

Peggy/Roger Volz

Marvin/Sheuka

Burghardt

Thomas Drasal

Retta Atkins/Darren

Vanhouten

Craig /Michele Chaney

Dennis Hubbard

Raymond/Becky Voight

Bill/Linda DeWeert

Roger/Cindy Anderson

Jon/Linda Rosiska

Larry Gustafson

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Next meeting

March 4, 2020

6:30pm

McCaw School of Mines

57 Lynn St.

Henderson Nv.



MINUTES

The GSSN met on Wednesday February 5, 2020 at the McCaw School of Mines in Henderson Nv. The President called the meeting to order at 6:35pm and led with the pledge of allegiance. Officers present include the President John Anderson, Vice President Ken Quick, Membership Chairman Eric Smith, and the Treasurer Mark Hedges. John welcomed all 56 signed in with 8 guests. (A quorum was verified). Cindy from the McCaw School of Mines gave a short presentation regarding a mine experience to be held on March 7th starting at 9:00am. Several GSSN members will be present for the experience. John Thanked Chef Richard, Mark, Ken and Chris for cooking the burgers and dogs at the last outing. John also thanked Jeff A. for digging the holes on the 20 acre property for the common dig. Club members were reminded to check their emails and club website for last minute outing changes. John asked how many attended the last outing and how many found gold. Several hands went up. John thanked Roger for using his drone for the aerial photos of the detector hunt and the common dig. John asked for a motion on the floor to accept the minutes as published in the January 2020 Highgrader. Merk Black made such motion and was seconded by Steve Hulse. All were in favor and the motion passed. Treasurer Mark Hedges provided the treasurers report for January, 2020. Fran Stratton made a motion to accept the treasurers report and was seconded by Roger Chavez. All were in favor and the motion passed. Membership report provided by Membership Chairman Eric Smith showed 13 new members, 24 renewals, 10 dropped, with 388 active members. John congratulated the winners of the detector hunt with first place going to Chef Richard, second place to Wendy H and 3rd place to Cheryl S. The next outing will be held at the Gold Basin claim on February 22-23. Potluck will consist of tacos. Attendees are asked to bring a dish to pass for 10 people to compliment the main course. The dinner will be held at 3:00pm Nevada time (4:00pm Arizona time). RSVP is requested. Sunday brunch will be held at 9:00am Nevada time (10:00am Arizona time). Brunch will consist of eggs, bacon, and sausage. The floor was turned over to George for the raffle table description. After a short break the raffle was held. See page 3 for the lucky winners.

John Anderson

President

February 9, 2020

R A F F L E W I N N E R S

February 5, 2020

50/50 Donna Sollberger

Door prize Tom Long

Club Apparel winner Donna Sollberger

- 1. Panning tub-pan-snuffer Richard Gonzalez
- 2. Utility vest Mat Drozeski
- 3. Rechargeable spotlight Roger Chavez
- 4. Harbor freight grab bucket Gail Wisnewski
- 5. Pink pan/pink scoop Gary Bauman
- 6. Small "claw" pan/scoop Gary Bauman
- 7. Miners moss Gary Bauman
- 8. Walking stick Roger Chavez
- 9. Nevada gold & gems map Mary Lou York
- 10.Small Pedometer Dave Coolin
- 11.Illuminated Loop Bob Bare
- 12.Small survival knife Richard Harding
- 13.Pocket knife Don Goodwin
- 14.Pocket scale Bob Bare
- 15.Coin shooting book Don Goodwin
- 16.Large serrated digger Don York
- 17.Smelting crucible Don Sollberger
- 18.Plunge magnet Mary Catherman
- 19.Classifier Matt Drozeski
- 20.Green pan Jeff Ammelsberg