



Treasure Talk

THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF THE
CENTRAL FLORIDA METAL DETECTING CLUB
Founded in 1973



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A great BIG thanks to all these people!

Come Join Us!

We will be eating at the **Colorado's Steak Place**. It is just north of the meeting place. Park at the meeting building and walk over. We eat at 5:30. If you would like to join us, we would be happy to see you. BYOM!

The club meets the 2nd Friday of each month at the Sanford Garden Club. It is located about 2 blocks south of Lake Mary Blvd. On the East side of 17-92. For more information contact Bill Shackelford at (407) 323-3401 or Ray Leist at (386) 428-3401

Club web site: www.geocities.com/g8r81/cfmdc.html

You are receiving this newsletter because you are a V.I. P.

REMINDER: The club due's are \$25 for the year and a one-time membership fee of \$15. If you are paying by check please make it out to Lona Leist, not to the club. You have until March to get your dues paid.

NOTE: We need about 5 or 6 folding tables at the hunt and picnic to put the prizes on. If anyone has some they can lend please contact Ray at

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President's Corner

Hi everyone:

Hi everyone: I hope you have been available to hunt the beach while it is being stirred up. A lot of goodies have been turning up and looks like they will be for a while. So get out those detectors and start a beeping.

Just a personal update. I took my 4th chemo treatment last week and then will have a c-scan on the 7th to see how I am doing. Thanks again for you thoughts and prayers.

I am still buying silver for the club.

Don't forget about our annual club Picnic and hunt on the 23rd of June. Lots of prizes and good food. The cost is \$10 per hunter and every family is to bring a covered dish. Those families that their last name begins with a-m bring a vegetable dish. Those names beginning with n-z bring a dessert. Try your best to make this hunt.

It will be a good one!

We need to remember our members who need our prayers and thoughts. Don Hurtig & Ray Leist.

If you have something for sale let me know and I will get it into the newsletter. Also if you have pic's send them with the article about the item for sale.

If we have not seen your smiling face for a while we have missed you. Come to the meeting and bring a stranger.

Ray Leist President

Riddle for the Month

What 7-letter word becomes longer when the third letter is removed?

Answer on page 10

**The next
meeting will be
June 8th
Don't forget!**



Tid-Bits

Did you know?...Each king in a deck of playing cards represents a great king from history.

Spades	King David
Hearts	Charlemagne
Clubs	Alexander the Great
Diamonds	Julius Caesar

"If we knew what it was we were doing, it would not be called research, would it?"
- Albert Einstein

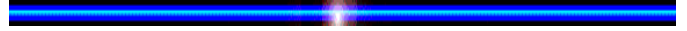
Point Standings thru May 2007

Bill Green	95
Alan James	69
Roland Davis	38
Dave Gascoyne	34
Jim Robinson	27
Paul Swaney	26
Shirley DeVary	25
Diana Swaney	25
Ralph Flippo	22
George Case	21
Ron DeVary	20
Lonnie Lytle	18
Gary Flatt	17
Gene Crovella	15
Lorrie Sprigg	10
William O'Brien	11
Bea Case	9
Jim Burdick	9
Jerry Hitson	8
Roy Waxman	6
Jerry Sprigg	6
Frank Rothery	6
Bill Shackelford	5
Rich Kordeleski	4
Ray Brown	2
Boyd Walker	1
Rick Wirnowski	1
John Fry	1

If you don't enter - You can't win

Here's a Tip

Keep a small can of baby powder in your beach bag. When you're ready to leave the beach sprinkle yourself and kids with the powder and the sand will slide right off your skin.



Secretary's Report - Chuck Hosbein

The May meeting of the Central Florida Metal Detecting Club was called to order at 7:30 by club President Ray Leist. Bill Shackelford opened the meeting by leading the club in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The joke of the month was about a man living in Alaska whose wife had been missing for few days. Troopers showed up with bad, good and really good news. The bad news, the wife was found dead in the water. The good news, she had crabs and lobsters attached to her. The really good news, they were going to pull her up again in the morning.

We had a several guests at the meeting for May. They were recognized and received gold dollars from the club. Ray introduced his sister at the meeting. Club members celebrating birthdays and anniversaries during May were also recognized and received silver quarters. We had no new members for the month of May.

Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were read and accepted.

Ray noted that the club had a new banner and it was displayed at the meeting. He thanked Jerry Hitson and his family for creating it.

Ray presented an award to Bill Green for finding and returning a wedding band.

Ray noted that the storms have been washing out all of

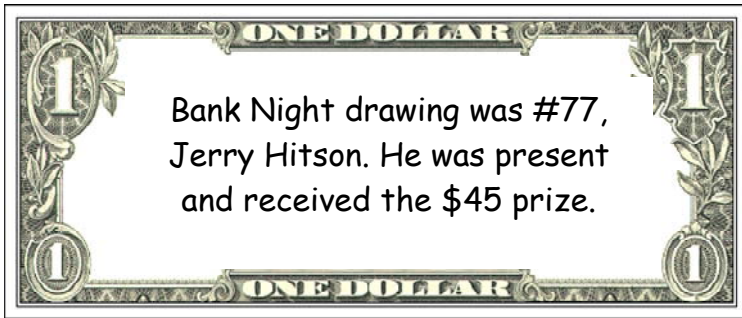
the sand on the beach again. Several club members have been finding silver again on the beach. A quick show of hands indicated that several of the club members planned on going to the beach on Saturday after the meeting.

Ray gave a quick recap on the beach hunt in April. Everyone thought it was a great hunt again this year. Several club members at the meeting told of the prizes they won at the hunt. There were a total of 161 hunters this year. Next year's hunt is scheduled for April 25th thru the 27th.

The annual club picnic and hunt will be held June 23rd at Lake Sylvan Park in Sanford. There will be lots of great prizes this year. The club will supply meat for the cookout and club members are asked to bring a dish to share. This year, club members with last names starting with A-M are asked to bring veggie type dishes and those with last names starting with N-Z are asked to bring desserts. The cost of the hunt will be \$10/person. Please pay at the June meeting. Ray also noted that folding tables might be needed.

Ray had some left over water bottles from the beach hunt and gave them out at the meeting.

We had a couple of metal detectors for sale at the meeting. Jerry indicated that he has added a classified section to the web site. If you want to put anything on the site, contact Jerry.



The meeting was adjourned at 8:55.

Did you know...

In early times, most people got married in June because they took their yearly bath in May and still smelled pretty good by June. However, they were starting to smell so brides carried a bouquet of flowers to hide the body odor. Hence the custom today of carrying a bouquet when getting married.

FINDS OF THE MONTH

Single Coin

1.	Bill Green	1866 Three cent piece
2.	Jerry Sprigg	1919 dime
3.	Jim Robinson	1902 V nickel

Group Coin

1.	Alan James	Silver coins, wheaties
2.	Bill Green	Mercuries, wheaties, misc. coins
3.	Roy Waxman	Large collection of coins

Single Jewelry

1.	Bill Green	14k gold and diamond man's ring
2.	Jim Robinson	Diamond ring
3.	Diane Swaney	Watch

Group Jewelry

1.	Diane Swaney	Diamond bracelet, rings, earrings
2.	Bill Green	Earrings, rings, necklaces, misc. items
3.	Lonnie Lytle	Small gold rings

Single Artifact

1.	Paul Swaney	1897 Champion medal
2.	George Case	Fork
3.	Alan James	50 caliber shell

Group Artifact

1.	Bill Green	Old buttons
2.	Alan James	Misc. items
3.	Lonnie Lytle	Ornate unknown??

Single Odds/Ends

1.	Frank Rothery	Pistol
2.	Bill Green	Iron cowboy
3.	Paul Swaney	Pillar block

Group Odds/Ends

1.	Bill Green	Cars, misc. items
2.	George Case	Doll, misc. items
3.	Jerry Hitson	Misc. junk

Finds of the Month - May First Place

Single Coin - Bill Green



Group Coins - Alan James



Single Jewelry - Bill Green



Group Jewelry - Diane Swaney

Sorry no picture

Single Artifact - Paul Swaney



Group Artifacts - Bill Green



Single Odds/Ends - Frank Rothery



Group Odds/Ends - Bill Green



Tip of the Month

Be responsible! Fill your holes behind you, and remove any small trash you excavate. It will keep people from tripping over or in them. But most of all, proper and responsible practices will keep more areas open to us all. It just takes a moment and shows the public we are responsible. Fill in your holes neatly whether you're in a city park, at the beach or even in a remote wilderness. Leave the land as you found it before you disturbed it. Fill your holes!

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Linksys Firewall Router – model BEFXS41
\$25.00
Email Jerry at G8R81@cfl.rr.com



Did you know?...It is impossible to lick your elbow.

MD Find-A-Word

s	s	i	l	v	e	r	e	p	t	i	d	i	g	h
a	a	b	t	e	u	b	e	a	c	h	e	m	n	o
l	n	z	l	o	s	t	p	w	e	d	c	f	a	k
l	d	p	d	r	y	i	q	r	r	n	t	a	y	p
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Beach Hunting

Treasures awaiting you at the beach include coins, rings, watches, necklaces, chains, bracelets and anklets, religious medallions, toys, knives, cigarette cases and lighters, sunshades, keys, relics, bottles, and many other items. Sounds impressive doesn't it? Most MD'ers would gladly settle for just the coins and rings lost daily by those who use the beach and water for recreation.

It's hard to understand why people wear jewelry to the beach. Yet, they do, and they generally forget...even about valuable heirlooms and diamond rings. All rings expand in the heat; everyone's finders wrinkle and shrivel in the water and suntan oils merely hasten the inevitable losses. Beachgoers love to frolic, play ball, throw frisbees and engage in horseplay. These activities fling rings off of fingers and cause clasps on necklaces, bracelets and chains to break. Lets not forget all those moms that like to sit at the waters edge watching their children splash and play. They lean into the sand feeling the warmth of the sand and when they pull their hand out of the sand do not notice that their rings have disappeared. Valuables quickly sink out of sight to be lost to all save the metal detector.

If you hunt the beach and don't find anything, all is not lost. You got out. You walked the beach. You felt the warmth of the sun and felt the sand under your bare feet while listening to the sounds of surf and feeling the cool sea breeze. You didn't go home empty handed.

gold	detector	bottles
doubloon	coins	parks
clad	old	grass
silver	archives	sidewalk
rosie	lost	facts
mder	found	cache
treasure	buried	toys
ring	glasses	map
necklace	recovery	watch
sand	digger	nickel
relic	knife	hole
beach	dig	ship

COMING EVENTS

Clubs Annual June Hunt

When:	June 23, 2007
Where:	Sylvian Park (West of Sanford)
Time:	10 am
Cost:	\$10 per hunter

NOTE: We need about 5 or 6 folding tables at the hunt and picnic to put the prizes on. If anyone has some they can lend please contact Ray at

huntmaster@cfl.rr.com

Club will furnish the meat and paper goods.

Each member is to bring a covered dish
and their own drinks.

Lots and lots of goooood prizes.

**Come on out and
enjoy the festivities.**

Here's a couple tips

Newbies are always asking about places to hunt.

Here's a few ideas

- Areas where storms have hit
 - Hurricanes
 - Tornados
 - Natural Disaster areas
- Beaches - especially at low tide
- River banks - especially at low tide
- Canal banks
- Places that have burned down
- Campgrounds
- Carnival or fair grounds
- Amusement Parks
- Music festivals
- Rodeo grounds
- Race tracks
- Public Parks
- Playgrounds
- Swimming "holes"
- Schools
- Abandoned houses & barns
 - Around clotheslines
 - Wells
 - Trees
 - Gardens
 - Around sidewalks
 - Driveways
 - Porches
 - Where the "backyard mechanic" worked on vehicles
- Churches
- Train Depots
- Bus Depots
- Drive in movies
- Flea Markets

- Dried up river beds
- Under bridges
- Rest areas along a highway or road
- Picnic areas
- Old bars or taverns
- Lover's lanes
- Pathways that are usually hard packed due to use
- Near waterfalls

Things to take with you when you hunt

- Your detector
- Extra batteries
- A couple of plastic bags for trash
- Gloves
- A Probe, long screwdriver, or hunting knife
- A trowel
- Ground cloth
- Sun screen
- Hat or cap
- Plenty to drink - especially water
- An apron with big pockets or wear pants with large pockets
- Walkie talkies - if hunting with a partner

This list is by no means complete and you may want to add things you find would be useful to you.

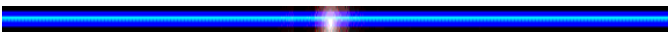
Editor's Comment:

This is **YOUR** newsletter and I would like to have more information, tips, and articles to print. If you have trouble getting the newsletter opened, a metal detecting story or tip you would like to share, if you would like to submit a short article, or have something you would like to sell, please contact

Ray at: huntmaster@cfl.rr.com

or

Wanda at: mumszie@windstream.net



The answer to the riddle for the month is the word

Lounger.

(Take out the u and it becomes Longer.)



To Reheat Pizza

Heat up leftover pizza in a non-stick skillet on top of the stove.

Set heat to med-low and heat till warm. This keeps the crust crispy.

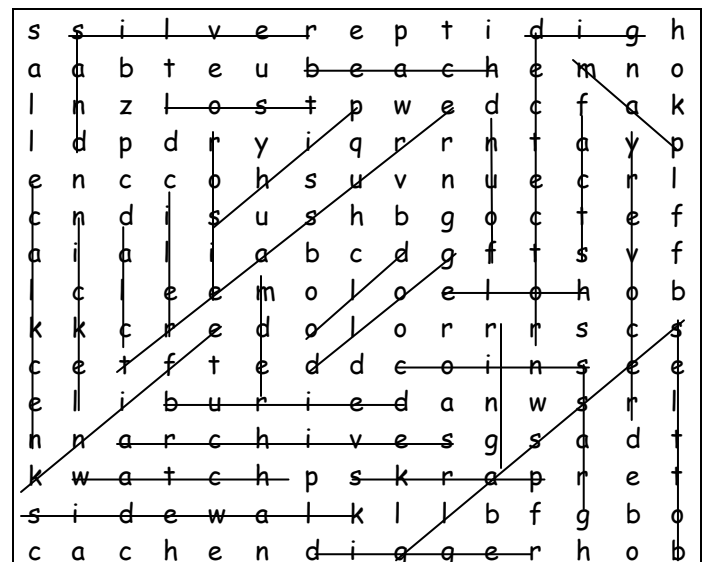
No more soggy microwave pizza.

I saw this on the cooking channel and it really works.

Detecting in the rain

Ever thought about detecting in the rain on purpose, because we know nobody is at the beach, plus the wet ground is more conductive and you will find deeper targets. You can buy a commercial rain cover for your land detectors but try using a plastic grocery bag or a clear shower cap and wrap it around the control box. It makes it a little harder to read the meter, but who cares you get to go out detecting!

Find-A-Word Answer



All mistakes and misspellings were intentionally made so that you could have the pleasure of finding them.