

# Golddigger Update

Dig & Find Coinshooters & Historic Club

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## Welcome

The next meeting of the Dig and Find Coinshooters and Historical Club will be on August 27 at 7:30 p.m. We meet at Grace Lutheran Church, 338 Ocean Shore Blvd. in Ormond Beach. That is right across from the Neptune Beach Access on A1A.

**Annual Open Night Competition Hunt  
Sun Splash Beach Park, 611 S. Atlantic Ave.,  
Daytona Beach  
This Saturday - August 24, 2013**

Registration 5:30 p.m.  
Runway Hunt 6:30 p.m.  
Main Hunt 8:30 p.m.  
Prizes 9:45 p.m.  
50/50 Raffle 10 p.m

Cost - \$25 per person  
No flashlight during main hunt, no pulse induction detectors.  
Headphones must be worn while hunting  
Any size coil, scoop allowed. Side baskets are recommended.

Fantastic prizes, just ask Wes:  
I'm ready for the hunt! Tokens tagged, ribbon ready to block off the runway field, 4000 plus targets in baggies,. prizes in the box ready to be given out. I even picked up a few fun things to give out. I totaled the cash value of all the prizes at \$3,250. Top prizes include a 1/10<sup>th</sup> ounce liberty gold coin and 1/20<sup>th</sup> ounce panda gold coin.

## July Meeting Report

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Wes Wade. There were 23 members present. Two guests were Ben Runner who attended the last month and Gerald Bozarth, a former member and officer. Gerald rejoined.

We discussed the Ray Leist Memorial Night Hunt put on by the CFMDC at Sun Splash Park. Wes Wade, Ralph Flippo, Rolo Davis and Stirling Gosa were at the hunt. Apparently some joker threw out 30 in \$5 Whites Tokens. The highlight of the hunt for some people wasn't the hunt itself, but the "Lady in White." If you weren't at the meeting you'll have to ask.

Wes reported that he was throwing \$2,700 worth of stuff into the field for the August 24 Night Hunt, but that amount may have risen. Wes said that prize tokens were of everything you could think of, so all-metal mode may be the way to go. The hunt will be at Sun Splash Park, costs \$25 per person and is coming up. Don't miss it.

The CFMDC turned out in Kissimmee to find evidence for a murder and pretty quickly, too. They were thanked by the lead detective and were later awarded a plaque for their efforts by the city council.

Deyton spoke a bit about is cruise to Alaska with "four women."

The Treasure Recovery Team of St. Augustine or Jacksonville found one of the lost rings we'd reported last month.

Scott Van Syckle was drawn in the Nametag drawing and since he was present and appropriately tagged he received \$5 cash American. The August Name Tag prize is \$5 Cash Armenian.

I would be most content if my children grew up to be the kind of people who think interior decorating consists mostly of building enough bookshelves.

**Anna Quindlen**

## Monthly Raffle

The raffle winners were:

**Earlene Gosa** won a Spanish Cob.

**Randy Brummitt** won a Spanish Cob.

**Scott Van Syckle** won a 1976 BU Half.

**Karl Johnson** won a one-ounce copper round.

**Ralph Flippo** won a one-ounce copper round.

**Stirling Gosa** won a one-ounce copper round.

**Karl Johnson** won a watch.

**Earlene Gosa** won a White's hat.

**Randy Brummitt** won some sun tan lotion.

**Karl Johnson** won two ice packs.

Congratulations to the winners. Thanks to all who donated prizes.

There is no reciprocity. Men love women, women love children, children love hamsters.

**Alice Thomas Ellis**

## Finds of the Month Competition

The winners of this month's finds were:

**Jewelry Single – Ralph Flippo** - 10 Kt. Gold bracelet.

**Jewelry Group - Tom Burchett** - Miscellaneous jewelry found at the beach.

**Coin Single - Ralph Flippo** - 1936 Mercury dime.

**Coin Group - Tom Burchett** – miscellaneous coins found at the beach and park.

**Artifact Single - Jeff Busque** - Early 1900s police jacket button from Philadelphia.

**Artifact Group – Debbie Rotstein** - Miscellaneous metal items from an old farm.

**Misc Single - Ralph Flippo** - Dog tag P56.

**Misc Group - Tom Burchett** - junk found at the beach.

**Display Single - No entry.**

**Display Group - Deyton Peyton** - A collection of neat stuff found over this many years of metal detecting (he has it all).

The winners this month received sterling silver stamps. Second Chance prize of \$5 was won by **Tom Burchett**.

Historically, the claim of consensus has been the first refuge of scoundrels; it is a way to avoid debate by claiming that the matter is already settled.

**Michael Crichton**

**Shirley Bossert**

from Deyton Peyton

I talked to Shirley Bossert today (Aug. 12), as you

know she went outside late at night to take care of one of her many cats when she walked into a spider web and turned her head to wipe the web off her face and lost her balance, fell and broke her hip. Guess the cat is OK, no news on the spider. Shirley went to Memorial Hospital for hip replacement surgery and got a new titanium ball and socket and at last report she has taken a few steps with a therapist and a walker. I don't remember the name of the rehab but the ph.# is 673-0450 and the rm# is 115-B. Be sure to ask her who her room mate is. Shirley is the oldest member of our club and can use a good joke and some encouraging words to help her with a smile or two.

Most people have seen worse things in private than they pretend to be shocked at in public.

**Edgar Watson Howe**

## Lost and Found (?)

### Lost ring (8/22)

Hey folks. Another ring has been lost and we have been asked to help find it. A reward has been offered. It is a 14K gold wedding band. Nothing real special but the fellow who lost it told me it was his grandfather's and is pretty distraught about losing it.

Here are the details. It was lost 5 days ago (8/17) on Saturday at Ponce Inlet. If you are using a GPS use the address 4511 South Atlantic Avenue, Ponce Inlet. That is the address for Races North Turn restaurant. There is a public

parking area right across the street. Park there and walk across the street onto the beach and you will see two matching condos to your left. He was in swimming straight out from the far end of the second condo. He lost it at 3 in the afternoon and the low tide was around 11 in the morning. He was about waist deep. From those details I am figuring that the ring may always be under water but maybe ankle to knee deep at low tide. Maybe deeper.

I have contact information for the guy who is now home in New York should you find it. Thank you, Rob Hill - rob@printingusa.org

### Lost ring (8/20)

A lady lost a nice diamond stud earring in her back yard. I know someone has to have gold machine that can find a small earring She has the match so you can test. Please someone asap  
Stacey 547-1187

If you ever start to feel too good about yourself, they have this thing called the Internet, and you can find a lot of people there who don't like you.

**Tina Fey**

## Coming Attractions

**August 24 – An open Beach Night Hunt.**

**August 27 - Club meeting - Ice Cream Sundae Night!**

**September 24 - Club meeting**

**October 22 - Club meeting**

The older I grow the more I distrust the familiar doctrine that age brings wisdom.

**H. L. Mencken**

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We learn something every day, and lots of times it's that what we learned the day before was wrong.

**Bill Vaughan**

## 15 More Useless Facts

from Doug Melvin

1.) Two-thirds of the world's eggplant is

grown in New Jersey.

2.) The longest one-syllable word in the English language is "screeched."

3.) On a Canadian two dollar bill, the flag flying over the Parliament Building is an American flag.

4.) All of the clocks in the movie "Pulp Fiction" are stuck on 4:20.

5.) No word in the English language rhymes with month, orange, silver or purple.

6.) "Dreamt" is the only English word that ends in the letters "mt."

7.) All 50 states are listed across the top of the Lincoln Memorial on the back of the \$5 bill.

8.) Almonds are a member of the peach family.

9.) Winston Churchill was born in a ladies' room during a dance.

10.) Maine is the only state whose name is just one syllable.

11.) There are only four words in the English language which end in "-dous": tremendous, horrendous, stupendous, and hazardous.

12.) Los Angeles's full name is "El Pueblo de Nuestra Senora la Reina de los Angeles de Porciuncula"-and can be abbreviated to 3.63% of its size: "L.A."

13.) A cat has 32 muscles in each ear.

14.) An ostrich's eye is bigger than its brain.

15.) Tigers have stripped skin, not just stripped fur.