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SVDB Web Site <http://www.sacramentovalleydetectingbuffs.com/>

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Sacramento Valley Detecting Buffs

2014 Elected Officers

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Secretary: Steve Timmons

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January Meeting Minutes

Presidents Report: Barbara Anderton

Calls meeting to order and introduces new Board Members. Thanks to Kyle and Charlotte for their service on the Board and welcome to Bob Meneely and Al Woltman to the Board for 2014 (see masthead to the left for names and emails of all Board members).

Vice President's Report: Bob Meneely

Bob had no current report but promised to talk a lot in the future (also see Web Site Report below).

Secretary's Report: Steve Timmons

Steve noted that the newsletter is now being distributed to members by email. If you don't receive the newsletter prior to the meeting, please check with one of the Board members to make sure your current email is on file.

Treasurer's Report: Al Woltman

Al reported the month's income and expenses and cash balance.

Membership Report: George Magann

George reported that membership dues for the new year are due. Dues are \$30 for single membership and \$40 for a family.

Web Site Report: Bob Meneely

Bob reported that he was working on the 2014 calendar but didn't have a lot of dates for events around the country yet. He will add the dates as they come in to him. The website also has a link to Lee Wiese's excellent website MDHTalk.org

Hunt Master Report: Dan Cordes

Dan said he would set up a mini-hunt for the 2nd Saturday in March (3/8/14) at Camp Pollock where the October hunt was held. Mark your calendars and stay tuned for more details.

A Horde?



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Calendar Legend: SVDB Monthly Meetings ■
 Sun Day-in-the-Park Hunts ■
 Sat Day-in-the-Park Hunts ■
 Quarterly Planted Hunt ■

Library Report: Tom Schweppe

No report.

Recovery Report: Tom Boyd

No requests for searches.

New Business:

Don Dunn will continue the coin buying for the club in 2014 and Mary Ann, Don and James will continue running the raffle table. A big thanks to these volunteers.

Barbara told about her misadventures hunting at Folsom Lake. She and Steve were asked to leave by the ranger due to the protected nature of the site. The bottom line is there is no detecting at Folsom Lake and you go there at your own risk.

Lee Wiese said we have been in contact with 3 law enforcement groups for Auburn, Placer County and Davis, so he is putting together a new evidence recovery team. There was a signup sheet and those selected would go through a training class on January 12th.

There was a discussion of when to have the annual hunt since May seems to be a busy time for hunts around the country. We want to have a time that is best for the most club members. We discussed the first two weeks of June or earlier in April. If you have any thoughts on this please bring it up at a meeting or discuss with a Board member.

Barbara had a speaker lined up for the meeting but they failed to show up so she will try to reschedule them for next month.

Day-In-The-Park Hunt:

There are 4 day-in-the park hunts per month. The hunts are on the first, second and third Sundays and the fourth Saturday. **Starting in October Breakfast is at 8:00 am with departure to the hunt site at 9:00 am.**

The hunt ends at 12 noon. The meeting places for the hunts:

- ❑ 1st Sunday Hunt: Meet at Denny's Watt and Auburn
- ❑ 2nd Sunday Hunt: Meet at Denny's at Sunrise and Zinfandel Dr. (2474 Sunrise Blvd)
- ❑ 3rd Sunday Hunt: Meet at Waffle Square 1825 10th St, Sac
- ❑ 4th Saturday Hunt: Meet at Denny's Watt and Auburn

SVDB Meeting Time and Location Information:

SVDB Meetings are held at **7:00 pm** the **first Thursday of each month** at the Sacramento County Sewer District's Building in North Highlands, located at the intersection of Elkhorn Blvd. and Don Julio Blvd. Our meeting room is held in a large room facing Elkhorn, close to where all the cars are parked in the SMUD parking lot near Elkhorn Blvd.

Odds 'n Ends:

James Neeley and Marvin Weiss won the membership drawing.

Winners of Day-In-the-Park Hunts:

The winners: James Neeley also won one of the hunts with a 1946 penny, also winning were Chai with a 1957 penny and Chris Poulsen with a 1955 penny.

Show & Tell:

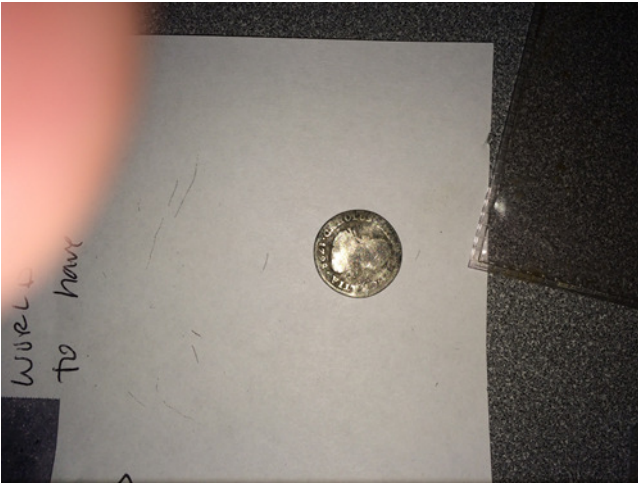
John Duffy had found some silver rings with his Christmas present, the Garrett AT Pro that Joy had bought at auction at the December meeting. George Miskovsky had found a beautiful 1798 King Carlos Real while hunting in Mexico. James Neeley showed an 18k gold locket shaped like a turtle. John Hainlen won for the month.

Gold Coin Winner



Don Thurber wins the gold





George's Mexican Real





Nice haul James



The bounty for the night