# **The Search Coil**



March 2023

### **Announcements**

- Board Meeting Mar 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 6:00P.M.
- General Meeting Mar 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 7:00P.M.

#### **Elected Officers**

**President:** Pat Taylor

Vice President: Chris Weidner Treasurer: Christy Winter Secretary: Chris Kennedy

#### **Board of Directors**

Chairman: Gene Mintz

Members at Large: Larry Royal, Roland

Smith

#### **Appointments**

**Auctions:** John Richardson **Find of the Month:** Hayakawa's

**Historian:** Larry Royal **Hunt Master:** Larry Royal **Librarian:** Larry Royal

Membership: Christy Winter
Mystery Draw: Larry Royal
Raffles: John Richardson
Recycling: John Richardson
Scavenger Hunt: Dave Shaffer
Search Coil Editor: Chris Kennedy

**Search Team:** David Shaffer

**Sunshine:** Anita Smith

**Webmaster:** Chris Kennedy

Central Coast Treasure Hunters Association

(CCTHA)

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### Next Meeting Is February 23rd<sup>th</sup>.

**March Meeting Treats** will be provided by: David Shaffer

Please check to see if you have any **Recycling or Auction** items (John Richardson).

Please bring your **pull tabs** for Ronald McDonald House.

Please remember to bring and wear your name badges to the meeting. If you do not have one, please ask Janet to make you one (janch27@sbcglobal.net)

The group was founded June 6, 1984. Monthly membership meetings are normally held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month (except for the November and December meetings) at 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The CCTHA Board of Directors meets at 6:00 p.m. At the March, June, September, and December meetings. \*\*Guests are always welcome\*\* Dues are \$25.00 per individual, and \$35.00 for families. \*Dues will be raised to \$50(single)/\$75(family)\*Effective January

2023 Dues are due at the January meeting each year. Membership expires if not paid by the March Meeting.

Letter From The Editor

Roland Smith was one of the steadfast members of the club and will be sorely missed by all.

#### **Central Coast Treasure Hunters Association**

**General Meeting Minutes -** Thursday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2023

Oceano Train Depot, 1650 Front Street, Oceano, CA

The General Meeting was called to order at 7:02 p.m. by Pat Taylor

Flag Salute: Pat Taylor led the flag salute to begin the meeting.

Minutes: Approved.

**Membership:** Our total paid up membership as of the Feb meeting was 30. There were 20 members present at the meeting.

**Treasury: Christy Winter** read the Treasurer's Report Acct balance is \$4913.46.

**Recycle:** N/A John Richardson was not present.

**Old/New Business:** John Mc Grath sill In terrible pain from knee surgery, **Sam Burton** has a leg Injury and cannot walk. Club Voted to buy silver from club members in the middle of APEX and Spot Price.

#### Sunshine:

**Announcements**: Roland Smith passed away on 2/3/2023 Of a heart attack.

Must be a paid member to attend and hunt at the March hunt.

Please contact the Search Coil Editor with any happy (or otherwise) news you would like to share with our members.

**Find of the Month:** Everyone with a display was awarded a raffle ticket. **Gerry and Janet Hayakawa** counted the Find of the Month ballots. See page 4 for specific results. The ballots and tally sheets are available for review for six months after the votes are cast.

**Raffle:** Larry Royal announced that there were 14 prizes for the evenings raffle. There were four silver halfdollars, and 10 groups of three consisting of a silver quarter and two silver dimes. Raffle winners are on page 4.

**Auction:** None

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:05 p.m By Pat Taylor.

Next Meeting: Our next General Meeting will be April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. Our next Board Meeting will be June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. At the Oceano Train Depot.

**REFRESHMENTS:** Treats for the **March** meeting will be provided by **David Shaffer. NOTE: If you are** scheduled to bring treats and are unable to attend the meeting, please arrange for someone else to do it.

Thank you David Shaffer for volunteering for March treats.

Special thanks to Gerry And Janet Hayakawa for bringing treats to the February meeting.

Respectfully submitted by, Chris Kennedy, Secretary.

### **MYSTERY DRAW**(The winner of each draw got a silver quarter)

Draw #1 - Butter Knife- 3 member card draw - Gerry Hayakawa

Draw #2 - Cooking Pan - Sean Baas

# **FIND OF THE MONTH**(The winner of each category got a silver half dollar)

Coin - Mercury Dime - Pat Taylor

Jewelry -Bracelet -Marc Canigula

Silver - Ring- David Shaffer

Artifact - Token - Eddie Vlassis

Show and Tell - Eddie Vlassis

Find Of The Year-

#### RAFFLE-

Silver Half Dollar -Marc Canigula	<b>Silver .25, .10, .10</b> - Pat Taylor
Silver Half Dollar - David Shaffer	Silver .25, .10, .10 - Eddie Vlassis
Silver Half Dollar -Chris Weidner	<b>Silver .25, .10, .10</b> - David Winter
Silver Half Dollar - Pat Taylor	Silver .25, .10, .10 - Larry Royal
Silver .25, .10, .10 - David Shaffer	Silver .25, .10, .10 - David Winter
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# **FindoftheMonth**



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## SCAVENGER HUNT from December 10th, 2022 to April 27<sup>th</sup>, <sup>2023</sup>.

(Items must be metal and found while actively detecting)

Find all 15 items and earn a silver round or silver dollar (depending on luck of the draw)

Find 10 - 14 items to earn a silver half dollar. Questions? Call or Email Dave Shaffer.

ITEM	QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION		
1	1	Bolt 2 " min.		
2	1	Wood Screw 1 ½ inches		
3	1	Copper or Brass tubing		
4	1	Electrical Wire Copper, Solid or Braided		
5	1	US Silver Coin Pre 1965		
6	1	Wheat penny		
7	1	Battery		
8	1	Chain - Linked		
9	5	Carabiner clip		
10	1	Barbed Wire 2 ½ inch min		
11	1	Staple		
12	1	Padlock		
13	1	Pipe Or Tubing Fitting		
14	1	Token		
15	1	Horse Shoe(Real for a horse		

## 2023 Event Schedule

Membership Meetings Thursdays (7 p.m.)	Board of Directors Meetings	Quarterly Club Hunts	Scavenger Hunts
January 26			Find of the Year Competition
February 23			
March 23	6 p.m.	Saturday, March 25 Location & Time TBA	
April 27			All items due @ 4/27 meeting
May 25			
June 22	6 p.m.	Saturday, June 24 Location & Time TBA	
July 27			
August 24			All items due @ 8/24 meeting
September 28	6 p.m.	Saturday, Sept 30 Location & Time TBA	
October 26			
November 16			
December 7	6 p.m.	Saturday, Dec 9 Location & Time TBA	All items due @ 12/7 meeting