

PRESIDENTS CORNER:

As acting President this term, I encountered a few bumps, however thankfully everyone survived. We still need to fill this President vacancy so nominations will be suggested this next month. We had a very good meeting and I appreciate the help that I received so the meeting could be conducted fairly smooth.

Please look forward to coming to the Christmas party. A couple of different menus will be offered to us for the meal. We will need to vote on this in November. Thank you Jerry

Club Site: <http://www.mytreasurespot.com/main/list.php?16>

Next Meeting November 18th, 2009 at 7PM

Meeting location: Meetings are held every 3rd Wednesday at Shooter's Bar & Restaurant, located at the intersection of Hwy 39 and 54 next to the Shell gas station.

Business this month:

1. Nominations for President to take over for Kevin Pudroski.
2. Discuss Christmas Party: We have the buffet here at Shooters. Free meal and Gifts to bring for the greed game. Think about what type of menu you would like.

November Raffle Items: There will be proof sets, older coins of two cent, 3 cent and large cent, seated dimes & quarters & nice nickels and of course the miscellaneous items also.

The Minutes of the last Midstate Metal Detector Club meeting

Date: October 21st, 2009

1. Jerry called meeting to order at 7:00pm, with 33 members present.
2. New members: 1 Gary Kruesel and 4 Guests, "Welcome new members and guests".
3. Last month's minutes were read and approved.
4. The Treasurer's Report was read and accepted.
5. Kevin Boeck is handling Scavenger Hunt list. If you didn't get one, e-mail Rick Gremler and he will e-mail you a copy or pick one up at the club meetings.

Door Prize drawing: 1919 Quarter won by Larry O'Connor

Name Tag drawing: none

Attendance drawing: Norm Barnard - not present – Will be \$90.00 for November meeting.

Drawing for jobs done at the Annual Hunt: Winners are - Sharon O'Connor, Silver Round, Dalton Montgomery, Silver Round, Larry O'Connor, Silver Round, Steve Miller, Silver Quarter, Marsha Albright Silver Half, Kent Kehus Silver Half, Steve Miller Silver Quarter, Wayne Dettmering Silver Half

A **BIG** thank you to all of you who worked very hard to make our July 2009 Annual Hunt a success.

Old Business:

1. Kent Kehus is going to draft a letter to thank people who came to our July hunt. Saying that we appreciate them coming and for those that we haven't seen for a while, it would be nice to see you again. This will be sent out with the annual hunt registration form.
2. Rick Gremler contacted T&T Riders Club to set a date for the club to have a fall hunt, but the majority was not in favor (too late in the season), Art Albright suggested about getting that place in spring. Think about it and bring it up at the meetings. Also contact Rick Gremler at rgremler@charter.net or phone 715-675-7909
3. Doug Maeder made a suggestion that we just set a date for a Spring and Fall club hunt (like 1st, 2nd Sat or Sun. of May and Oct. ect) and if the weather works out or not. That way we would know the date and could plan for it. If you can make it great, if not we understand. No motion was made but most thought that it was a good idea. Tabled for January meeting.
4. Three Seasons Treasure Hunters Club of Chippewa Falls are thinking about having a planted hunt in spring. They will get back to us on the date.
5. New member and club information sheets. We need to print out information sheets for new members and people interested in what Midstate Metal Detecting Club is about. We could hand out at other club events and even mail to other clubs.

New Business:

1. Kent Kehus made a motion to store our trailer at the Chippewa Club and Doug Maeder second it.
2. Kent Kehus to talk about Capital Strategies LLC, he is the contact for the Madison club about legislation. Madison club Jim Klein is to be the liaison to each club in Wi. Kent has talked to him several times. He provides weekly and month reports on definition of artifacts and etc. Please do not contact Amy as our direct contact because she works hourly. When time is right all the club members need to contact these web sites to give your opinion.
<http://www.legis.wi.gov/> <http://www.capitol-strategies.net/>
3. Our club members going to conservation congress in September, is the only advisory body, to obtain info about Natural resources. DNR prohibits the use of tools that are more 8 inches wide. Metal Detecting is not allowed on historic property., or archeological land. May not stop the use of detecting with a permit or without if regulations are followed and but you may be subject to a search. We are able to go to 6 feet deep in water for metal detecting, nothing deeper.
4. Jerry Stanczyk brought up a suggestion as to buying silver dimes now and Kent Kehus said that we could buy now or to wait. Larry Stamp talked to Gary's Coins & Stamps about the dimes and he said that it may be a soft market later. Rick Gremler made a motion of buying \$500 for now and Doug Maeder second it and the majority approved. This maybe on a monthly bases.
5. Steve Miller suggested if the club would buy a silver round and you would receive a ticket for every non-perishable item that you brought in at the club meeting. The donation would go to where the club chooses. The winner with the lucky number on the ticket would win the silver round. The club agreed and Wayne Dettmering brought up about the local newspaper to come. Kent Kehus made a motion that we do this every month and Larry Stamp and Wayne Dettmering second it and all was in favor.
6. Kent Kehus suggested that for next years hunt we need an incentive to get people to enter for the annual hunt early. If they could win a silver round or something like that. Doug Maeder said that it would be more of an incentive to be able to win a detector. Dead line for registration as of June 15th. Larry Stamp made the motion and Steve Livernash second and all approved.

7. Rick Gremler handed out flier's from Gary Kruesel and told the club that he is a collector of tokens, old watch fobs, and old dog tags(not military tags). Read the flier as to how you can contact him and make a deal. He would like to set up a booth at our July hunt. Rick will contact him as to setting up a date to come and talk to the club.
8. Club President Kevin Pudroski has informed the club that he will have to resign from the presidency because of his fathers illness and he wouldn't be able to attend any meetings for about 6 months. We need someone to step-up and be nominated for President; Please put on your thinking caps or just step up for the job. **Your Club Needs You**

Legislative Update:

Please check the Club Website for information on how to contact your legislator. We need all of our members to contact the officials listed. **Club Site:** <http://www.mytreasurespot.com/main/list.php?16>

Also, at some point in the future, a standing committee in each house of the legislature will schedule and hold public hearings on the bill. We will need a lot of bodies at those hearings and several who are willing to speak/testify. If you are willing to testify, please contact Kent Kehus and he will contact the correct people to get your name added to the list of individuals that will testify. Kent

Newly Elected Officers from September meeting.

President: Open
 Vice-President: Jerry Stanczyk
 Treasurer: Larry Stamp
 Secretary: Shelby Stanczyk
 Two Trustees: Larry Vanderhoef & Kent Kehus
 Raffle: Jerry and Shelby Stanczyk

Finds of the Month

Oldest Coins of the Month:

☀ Penny:	1905 Indian cent	Rick Gremler
☀ Nickel:	1940 Jefferson	Jerry Stanczyk
☀ Dime:	1975 Rosy	Larry Stamp
☀ Quarter:	1929 Standing Liberty	Shelby Stanczyk
☀ Half Dollar:	none	
☀ Dollar:	2004 Presidential	Jerry Stanczyk
☀ Foreign:	1941 Australian Cent	Rick Gremler
☀ Misc.:	none	

Best Finds of the Month:

☀ Gold Jewelry:	none	
☀ Other Jewelry:	Amber Earring	Rick Gremler
☀ Gold Ring:	Gold & Platinum ring w/Diamond	Shelby Stanczyk
☀ Other Ring:	Silver Ring	Rick Gremler
☀ Most Unusual:	1912 GreatWestern Watch Fob	Rick Gremler
☀ Token:	Eau Claire Bus Token	Larry Stamp
☀ Non-Detectable:	Glass Bottle	Rick Gremler

Things of interest:

Thank You's:

Kent Kehus was running in the Fox City Marathon, He was tying his shoes and saw a ring lying on the ground, it was a gold wedding ring set with about a 2/3 carat diamond engagement ring. He wasn't able to find the person that day so he called the marathon coordinators a few days later and

was able to find out the name of a lady that reported it missing. Kent called the lady and she could describe the ring perfectly. The lady was from Madison and she was really happy to get her ring back. Great job Kent!

First Finds / Special Finds: A beautiful Gold & Platinum ring w/Diamonds - Shelby Stanczyk

Returned Items:

- ✦ Diamond Ring: Kent Kehus
- ✦ Credit Card: Rick Gremler

Donations to September Raffle:

- Doug's Treasure Den
- Jerry & Shelby Stanczyk
- Betty Maeder
- There was another donation, thank you to whom ever put it in the raffle?

November Birthdays:

- ✦ 23rd Frank Beda
- ✦ 27th Steve Miller
- ✦ 29th Larry Stamp
- ✦ Happy Birthday to All!

November Anniversaries:

- ✦ 1st Dean & Kathy Montgomery

****NOTE:** If you don't see your name listed during the month of your birthday or anniversary, let me know, and I will get it logged in for the future. Thank You, Kevin B.

Coming Events

May 2010

The 11th Annual MARG Spring Treasure Hunt.

Minnkota Artifact Recovery Group (MARG) – Grand Rapids, North Dakota.

For more information contact Jeff Kehl: jkehl1963@yahoo.com

August 2010

3rd Annual Wisconsin Gold Rush Days, Spencer, WI – Contact mike52@wctc.net

July 23th, 24th, and 25th 2010

14th Annual Midstate Metal Detecting Club Hunt: Rivers Edge Campground.

Contact Steve Miller – stmill@uniontel.net for donations, information, and hunt fliers.

Contact Rick Gremler – rgremler@charter.net for hunt fliers and information.

President	Open	
Vice President	Jerry Stanczyk	715-435-4168
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Trustee	Kent Kehus	715-325-1727
Newsletter Editor	Rick Gremler	715-675-7909

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Web site <http://www.mytreasurespot.com/forums/list.php?16>

Related Club Meetings:

Wausau Prospectors - GPAA Chapter

Meetings held 1st Saturday of the month, at 11am at Cedar Mall in the Communications Room.
Contact Wayne Dettmering at 715-675-2074 or Cell-phone 715-302-2014 - Email dianed17@juno.com

Titletown Treasure Seekers – Depere, WI. Meeting first Tuesday at 6:30 PM

Contact Mark Brodhagen at (920) 391-1515 or E-mail duke@greenbaynet.net

Three Seasons Treasure Hunters Club: Check out Web page <http://www.threeseasonstreasurehunters.com/>

Meetings: First Thursday of month in Chippewa County. Will get more info.

Greenbush Chapter of GPAA

At the Fellowship Hall at New Hope UMC at 3 PM, 2nd Saturday of the month
W7797 Center Street Greenbush, WI
Contact Ron Smith at (920) 207-4092 or E-mail ausmithgold@verizon.net

Tomah Chapter of GPAA

Held at Town of LaGrange Town Hall at 1 PM, 3rd Saturday of the month
22731 Flint Ave, Tomah, WI. Location: Hwy 21, 1.8 miles west of Hwy 12 intersection, Tomah, WI
Contact Mike Fait at E-mail mgfait@charter.net or Phone 715-384-9265

Dealers:

Deerfield Detectors:

Steve Miller - Cell 715-572-1845 E-mail stmill@uniontel.net
Web: <http://deerfelddetectors.com/Store/>

Doug's Treasure Den:

Doug Maeder - Phone 715-423-2287 E-mail thers@wctc.net

Ground View Detectors:

Kevin Clark - Phone 715-659-5592 E-mail groundview@tznet.com

Pro Sticker

Steve Livernash - Phone 715-325-2595 E-mail artistic@wctc.net

For Sale:

Tesoro Compadre - New in Box.

Lists for \$189.95.

Prices on the internet are \$169.00, \$165.00, or \$151.20.

My price is \$125.00.

This would be great as a backup or spare detector.

Check online if you want to see any details or pictures. Just Google or Bing "Tesoro Compadre".

Talk to Kent Kehus at the meeting for more details

Else e-mail pinelivn@charter.net

If you have any items you want to list for sale, please contact Rick Gremler at e-mail:
rgremler@charter.net

Please type up a description, price and your contact information.

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