The Prospector



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Base Camp Coordinates N 34° 38° 30.6" W 114°10° 14.4"

MEETING

November 5, 2013

Quality Inn Havasu Room 271 S. Lake Havasu Ave. Lake Havasu City, AZ ⊗ Board Meeting 6:00 p.m.

Membership Meeting 7:00 p.m. Havasu Gold Seekers, Inc.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I was surprised and saddened to learn the passing of one of our members Larry Arnevik. May he rest in peace. It's always sad to see a loved one, friend or acquaintance move on to a better place.

We are in the process of packing up our things to head for Lake Havasu. I hope to see you at the November 5th meeting.

Also, please remember to watch out for snakes when you are out prospecting.

Good luck

President

SCHEDULE OF UPCOMING EVENTS

November

- 5th Monthly Meeting, 7pm at the Quality Inn
- 9th Common Dig
- 23rd Thanksgiving Dinner

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CLUB INFORMATION

Havasu Gold Seekers, Inc. is a non-profit gold seekers club in Lake Havasu City, Arizona with 15 gold bearing claims, covering over 300 acres.

The Club was started in early 1991 when a small group of Lake Havasu City residents got together for the purpose of recreational gold prospecting in the desert near Lake Havasu City, Arizona. The Club started with about 20 men and women and grew slowly until February of 1992 when Captain Dan McCarty and seven other members formed an association and filed four placer claims totaling 640 acres. At the very next club meeting the Club elected officers and adopted by-laws. The newly elected President, Dan McCarty, Vice-President, Denny Craig, and Secretary, Elaine Babb, had the tough job of making things work well for the benefit of all club members. From that point on the Club has grown to over 400 members. HGS purchased its own land near the claims for Club activities such as family outings, BB's, camping and of course, **GOLD PROSPECTING!**

From September through May, the Havasu Gold Seekers, Inc. meets in the Havasu Room at Quality Inn & Suites Motel on the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. The Board Meeting precedes the general meeting at 6:00 p.m.

Yearly individual or family membership dues are \$40 and are due by December 31. Family membership includes family members under 18. The initiation fee for a new membership is \$100. The total cost for new members the first year is \$140 and \$40 thereafter. The dues are used to send out a monthly newsletter, pay miscellaneous expenses, and pay the fees on all of the Club's gold claims

Anyone wishing to join the Havasu Gold Seekers must fill out a Membership Application and a Hold Harmless Agreement. Take your application and agreement to a Club meeting or mail it along with your check to:

> Havasu Gold Seekers, Inc. P.O. Box 3281 Lake Havasu City, Az. 86405-3281

The Prospector is published monthly, except for June, July and August. The submission deadline for the next issue is the Saturday after the General Meeting.

COMMON DIG RULES

PLEASE ABIDE BY THE FOLLOWING RULES

- No early birds No buckets filled before start time.
- No equipment within marked area.
- Hand tools such as shovels, picks and buckets in dig holes only.
- NO METAL DETECTORS ALLOWED IN DIG HOLE AT ANY TIME
- No metal detectors or dry washers inside dig area
- Private holes 10x10 OK to claim giving right of way to digger.
- Dirt piles OK for 72-hour private claim, but not in common dig holes.
- Do not cut tree roots or cactus, and as always, leave access open to where equipment is classifying for dirt removal.
- MEMBER'S GUEST NOT ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN COMMON DIGS.
- COMMON DIG AREA IS CLOSED AT ALL TIMES EXCEPT FOR THE SATURDAY AND SUNDAY OF THE DIG. The area opens at the scheduled time of the dig on Saturday and closes on Sunday at sunset. COMMON DIG AREA IS CLEARLY MARKED WITH PVC PIPE AND FLAGS.
- PACK IT IN PACK IT OUT. Revised 04-12

<u>OFFICERS, BOARD MEMBERS</u> & COMMITTEES - 2013

OFFICERS		
President: Bill Carlson	928	846-9826
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<u>hgsvicepres@yahoo.com</u>		
Secretary: Kim Marshall		
Treasurer: Norb Kiesling	928	854-2661
<u>nkieslin@citlink.net</u>		
BOARD MEMBERS		
James Rixie	928	764-3098
Deloris Homen	760	524-8551
Ron Marshall	928	566-4122
Bruce Miller	928	727-6548
<u>COMMITTEES</u>		
Activities: HGS Board Members		
Base Camp Chair: Roy Lohrengal	925	437-5563
Base Camp Caretaker Ron Marshall	928	715-5150
Claims Chair: Ron Marshall	928	566-4122
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MINUTES – GENERAL MEETING

10-1-13

The meeting began at 7:05pm, with the Pledge of Allegiance. Officers present were: Vice President Johnn Marshall. Secretary Kim Marshall and Treasurer Norb Kiesling. Board Members present were: Ron Marshall, James Rixie, Bruce Miller and Delores Homen.

We had a moment of silence for a member who passed away, Larry Arnevik. There was a motion to dispense the reading of the minutes from the last general meeting and was seconded. Norb Kiesling gave the treasurers report. A motion was made and seconded to accept the treasurer's report. The new members and quests introduced themselves. Norb went over the activities report he gave a list of activities with the first one being the Thanksgiving dinner November 23rd at 2pm and as always we'll do the Christmas cheer at the December meeting, we'll have our annual News party, Super Bowl party and then our Treasure Hunt in March. He added that we'll take suggestions and maybe do some quad rides out to some of the claims. Ron Marshall gave a claims report. Johnn reminded everyone that if you pay your camp fees twice a year it was due in September. Johnn went over the trailer that was mention to be auctioned off and said the board decided that we can't try to sell it until we get an abandoned title. As soon as we have legal rights to sell it, it will not be an open auction it will be closed bid auction. Johnn opened up Nominations for board members and officers. The nominees were Rudy Andrews and Joe Tommila for Vice President, Norb for Treasurer and for the board members. Delores Homen, Bruce Miller, James Rixie and Marshall. Ron The Nominations were closed. Johnn announced that although we are still

only allowed to fill 80 sites at this time until the new bathrooms are done, if you have an existing site now and would like to move to the new property now we could make arrangements we just wouldn't be able to fill your old site until we get approval. The tickets were drawn for the door prizes.

There was a motion made and seconded to adjourn.

Secretary Kim Marshall

HAVASU GOLD SEEKERS SAFETY PATROL

925 437-5563
928 715-5150
928 680-0019
928 846-9826
928 680-4994
928 486-2135
760 524-8551
928 486-0596
928 854-2661
928 764-2065
928 916-8034
928 208-7098
928 486-1657

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We are here for your safety. If you have questions about the safe way to do something in the field we will do our best to get answers for you.

If you have a problem in the field such as a flat tire or car trouble we will do our best to help with that also. If the problem is of a medical nature we will call 911 for you.



NEWSLETTER

Printing and Mailing the newsletter costs the club a considerable amount every

month, so if you would rather read the Newsletter on line at our website just send an e-mail to Norb at <u>nkieslin@citlink.net</u> and your name will be removed from the mailing list. Also: if your address changes, let us know.

CAMP NEWS & ACTIVITIES

<u>PLEASE</u> bag all trash; the trash cans are a stinking mess – Not fun to clean out.

NEW MEMBERS

Mickey Christian

Paul & Gloria Toepel

Scott Schoch, Eric Schoch,

Jeff Rife

Robert & Karen Tuohy

Freddie & Barbara Yates

Chuck & Terri Bryam

Butch Kinnison

Mike Penner

Dennis Lusby



Paul Mosley Financial Advisor Edward Jones MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING



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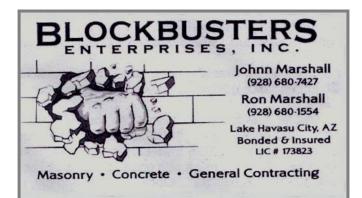
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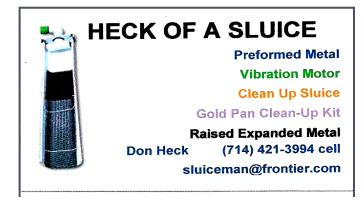


SPOT GOLD PRICE October 7, 2013

\$1303.70







FOR SALE, WANTED TO BUY & HELP NEEDED!

FOR SALE: Kenmore Stacking Washer/Dryer, Propane or Nat Gas \$400.00 928 706-5383 Rudy

<u>FOR SALE:</u> 2000 Aljo by Skyline, 32 1/2ft 5th wheel, forced air & heating, new tires, electric stabilizers, 1 super slide, excellent shape. Was 10,500, Now \$9,000. 928 412-9595 Mike Jones.

FOR SALE: Gold Bug metal detector with headphones \$325.00 OBO, Basic Prospecting Kit. \$40.00 928 753-6555. Jerry Lovich

FOR SALE: Falcon MD20 Gold tracker \$150.00, Aluminum gas blower drywasher with backpack motor \$150.00, Folding wood drywasher puffer with 12 volt motor and 5 watt solar panel asking \$300.00, Agricultural pipe style clean-up sluice with extra pipe \$20.00, Cabellas Grizzly deer cart model 9800 asking \$80.00, A & B aluminum portable sluice \$80.00, Compass Goldscanner metal detector \$50.00, Classifier (homemade from plans) \$50.00. Call Kathy at 928 855-4859

FOR SALE: 8X10 Shed, durable plastic. Has roof vent with plywood floor. Like new \$950.00 Propane tank 25 gallon, \$75.00. 100 gallon water tank with pump and metal stand \$50.00. 928 231-2193

FOR SALE: 1992' Sierra Trailer 30 foot, Rear Bed Room, A/C, Needs some TLC \$3000 OBO. Motor Home 1980 30 ft Sport Coach, 6.5 Gen, A/C, Dodge 440 / Auto, Needs some TLC. \$3200 OBO. Call: Tony or Don 1-928-864-7432

<u>HELP NEEDED:</u> If you have any news about gold finds, camp news, pictures, jokes, or anything that you would like to see in this newsletter, please send them to me at: <u>hgsnewslettereditor@gmail.com</u>. All help is appreciated. Thanks. Bruce.

2014 DUES ARE DUE JANUARY 01, 2014				
Name:				
Address:				
City:	State:	_Zip:		
Please fill out this form and submit it along with your check or money order for \$40 to renew your membership with the Havasu Gold Seekers, Inc. Dues received after January 31, 2014 will be delinquent, thus subjecting you to a payment of the \$140 new member fee. Please make check out to Havasu Gold Seekers, Inc. Then mail it and this form to:				
Havasu Gold Seekers, Inc.		Please direct questions to:		
P.O. Box 3281		James Rixie (928) 764-3098		
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Fran Lowell Building for Meetings and Activities

HGS Pole Barn For Equipment Storage



