SRARC NEWSLETTER

April 2022

Our guest speaker this month will be Patrick Stover retired co-owner of M.C. Miller Co., a corrosion engineering company, to discuss how ground conditions change, affecting your metal detecting.

APRIL MEETING

Our next meeting is Monday April 25th

@7pm at QUAKER STEAK & LUBE

10400 49TH Street North, Clearwater.

(Pinellas Park)

Please come early and enjoy some great food as Quaker Steak & Lube is providing our meeting room free of charge!

With the Covid Omicron variant still hanging around, we recommend wearing your mask while up and about socializing and checking out The finds table.
Thank you.

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President’s Message:

Presidents message-

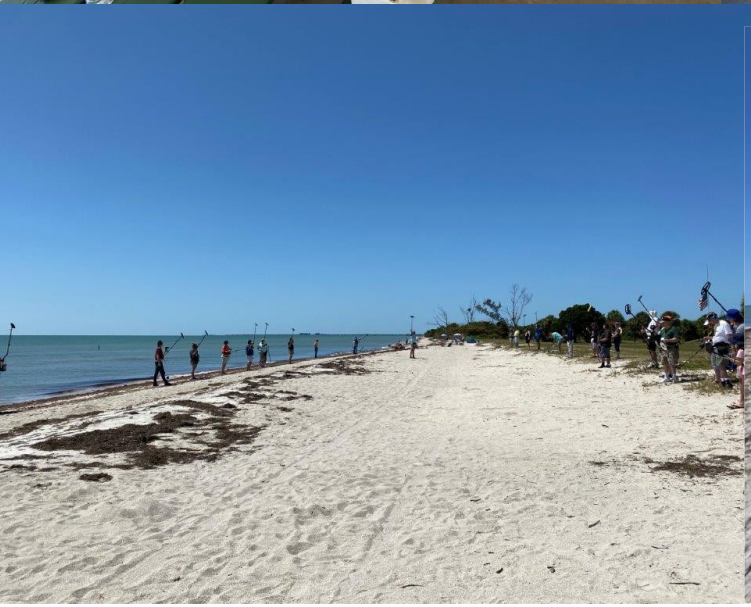
The gulf water temperature is now 80 degrees! Pick a calm day and get in the water for some nice finds! Remember you represent our club while detecting so be courteous and safe!

Also, our guest speaker will be Mr. Patrick Stover, retired co-owner of M.C. Miller Co. a leader in the Corrosion control industry. Pat will be speaking about how mineralization in the soil affects your metal detecting.

W. Howard Metts

Recent SRARC Events:

The recent Fort DeSoto semi-annual club picnic and fun hunt was, as usual, a great family event with friends, family & good food!



Semi-Annual Fort DeSoto Hunt

Our Bi-annual Fort DeSoto relic hunt was Saturday April 9th We had 10 detectorists hunt the fort grounds for relics, with Phil Shiro from the club representing the Fort's museum. Some incredible military buttons, a US Collar button and bullets were found to add to the Fort's collection!

Not pictured: Rob Clarke- who was late-imagine that!

APRIL BIRTHDAYS!

Gerri Adams
Ron Lord
Jim Ross
Joe Szemer

Editor's worth:

April; one of THE most perfect months in Florida to go metal detecting. It's warm enough that the beaches are packed with "depositors" and yet the humidity is low so that you can hunt those sites that don't have any shade and not get fried! So..get out there and do some detecting!

The display tables have been FULL of great finds and the competition is heating up, which is great to see. Let's keep it going!

Competition Table Standings!

Greg Cahue- 34
Rob Clarke-30
Dave Horton-30
Will McQuillen-18
Tom Carrol-7
Ron Lord-6
Joe Szemer- 1

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