



Sacramento Valley Detecting Buffs

Club Newsletter: August, 2011

The Sacramento Valley Detecting Buffs is a metal detecting club serving the Greater Sacramento Area. It is a non-profit organization. The public is invited to attend our meetings. See our web page at: <http://www.sacramentovalleydetectingbuffs.com>.

We need a Newsletter Editor

The club is in need of a Newsletter editor: someone who can put together a page or two each month on events at the club, current stories, and articles of interest to metal detecting. Even a modest one-page PDF file would help the club tremendously. If you have skills or ambitions in writing about the hobby, here is a great opportunity for you.

August Mini-Hunt Planned

Out Huntmaster Cyndy Johnston is planning a Saturday Mini-Hunt for August 13. The hunt begins at 9:00 AM sharp and will cost \$10 if you register with [Cyndy](#) before the hunt, or \$15 on the day of the hunt. The location is East Portal Park, at M Street in East Sacramento, where it crosses 51-st Street. Requirements: No coils larger than 12-inches; headphones; arrive by 8:45. The park is roughly between J Street and Folsom Boulevard, not too far from the 59-th Street exit from Highway 50.

July General Meeting Minutes

President John Duffy called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM. and introduced the members of the board. Presently we have no one handling the task of running the newsletter, and we are looking for someone to step up and help.

John asked for visitors to stand up and tell us how they came to find the club and which kind of detector, if any, they owned. We had one guest from Florida with a Fisher detector.

Maria Soutanian mailed us a large amount of group pictures from our annual club hunt. Once again, John told a joke, and no groans were heard. Paul Giese brought a ring bender and offered to straighten out anyone's bent rings.

Charlotte Key gave the financial report:

Beginning balance	\$4617.52
Expenses	\$1423.72
Coin purchase	\$1934.96
Ending balance	\$2250.26

Membership report by George: 164 paid members to date.

Library report from Tom: All is well.

Hunt Master report from Cindy: Mini hunt on Aug. 13 at East Portal Park

SVDB Evidence Search Team is being formed by Lee Wiese, Paul, and Jim in cooperation with the Placer County Police Department in Auburn. Lee has a training meeting scheduled for August 7. Our contact with the Police Department is Paul Long. Barbara Anderton is looking into any possible liability issues.

No old or new business was reported.

The monthly raffle was conducted. Jake won the membership drawing and Paul Giese donated two gold nuggets for the raffle. John Duffy auctioned off a Whites gold panning kit with a book for \$20. Jim Booth won the raffle gold coin.

The meeting was adjourned.



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Recent Photos

Items for sale at July meeting.



Elected Officers

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