



# WEEKEND GOLD MINERS

## Newsletter

*Prospecting sites in the Heart of Georgia's Gold Belt*  
Established 1994

### Calendar of Events

#### **February 4<sup>th</sup> 2023**

Hunt Master at 12 pm with prizes

Board Meeting at 3pm.

General Meeting at 5pm

4125 Auraria Road, Dawsonville, GA  
30534

**MEALS ARE SERVED AT MEETING \$5 A**

**PLATE See Facebook for menu**

**Commons dig will be April 8<sup>th</sup> at**

**Turner Property**

**Bring a covered dish please!!**

### STANDING RULES

1. No use of alcohol on Association outings.
2. Smoking will not be permitted at Association meetings or activities unless held in the open air.
3. Members are expected to adhere to the Association's Code of Ethics while prospecting or mining
4. Members are expected to conduct themselves at all times in accordance with the laws of the land and reasonable moral behavior
5. Violation of Standing Rules will result in disciplinary action as determined by the Executive Board of Directors
6. The President, Vice-President or their appointed spokesperson(s) are the only people authorized to speak on behalf of the WEGM
7. Regular monthly meetings will be held on the first Saturday of each month at a scheduled time as stated in the club newsletter and website
8. Fun must be had by all

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MEMBER # ON YOUR CHECK**

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phone

## WEEKEND GOLD MINERS PROSPECTING CLUB, INC.

**GENERAL MEETING –**

President Rodney Kocher called the General meeting to order Jan 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Welcome New Members & Guests: Christopher Allen

November Birthdays: # 2610 Ray Sparks, Ann Nemeth, Christine Strickland

Motion to approve minutes of January meeting as printed in the newsletter. # 3323 Terry Newman made the motion to approve. # 3615 Randall Cowart seconded the motion. All in favor, motion passed and carried.

**Treasurer report** given by Ann Nemeth for Jan 2023

Beg Bal.....\$ 8,776.66  
 Income..... \$ 4,108.01  
 Disbursed..... \$ 2,015.60  
 End Bal..... \$ 10,869.46  
 Savings account.....\$ 6,897.46  
 Total Bal.....\$17,766.53

2610 Ray Sparks made motion to approve treasure report, #2533 Bill Quick seconded. All in favor, motion passed and carried.

**Membership Report:** Rodney Lung gave November 2022 report as follows.

New members 0  
 New members YTD 55  
 Transfers 0  
 Last number issued #3716  
 Total new membership fees 0  
 Logo items 0  
 KEY \$0  
 Total Collected 0

0859 Robert Sample made motion to accept the membership report. 2342 Celeste Wilkerson second. All in favor, motion passed and carried.

**OLD BUSINESS.**

The club has a new hunt master, Bob Manning. He did a great job placing relics, coins some foreign and silver, to be found. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place prizes were also given. Thanks to all that participated in the metal detecting hunt. There will be hunts till May 2023. **Come join the fun**

**Commons dig will be April 8<sup>th</sup> At Turner Property. The club will have lunch, bring a dish to share with others.**

**NEW BUSINESS.**

Clean up date will be set next months meeting for Allison Property. As set in rules and regulations your camp sites are to be clean with equipment out of site.

Locks and Keys money has been approved to purchase keys, since there are 800 to be made its time consuming and we can get ahead start. Locks will be changed in April and **members must be in good standing to get a key for 2023.** Barb Lawson has been sick please keep her in your prayers. If she chooses to resign Bill Quick was second runner up in election and he said he will fill her seat. Rodney Lung will be giving up his position of Membership director due to the fact he lives two hours away & is working many hours. #859 Robert Sample will be taking the Membership director position. If anyone else is interested in this position talk to Rodney Lung or Rodney Kocher. You should be local and willing to show potential members the properties. This will be brought up again at Feb meeting. for approval.

Again the gate at the Turners is being left open. This is an issue. Members who have a permanent site are getting upset. The purpose of the gate is to keep nonmembers out. If a member needs an extra key for your spouse, purchase a second key and sign a sign up sheet to help us keep everyone safe. Do not leave the gates open for your spouse or guest. Guests must be registered and come in with you. If this continues, disciplinary actions will be taken. The club has done away with the 6 months stay rule as long as the member is up to date on dues and camp sites are clean and orderly. The club must keep property owners happy. Weather plays a big part on campsite. Check on your sites. If the clubs finds damage to sites after a storm, we will call to let you know. Permanent Camp site fees \$120.00 and Maintenance fees are \$120.00 each but if paid by January 31st there will be a discount of \$20.00. making them \$100.00 each.

**PLEASE Do not take any more than one sign-in sheet at a time per that visit.** Someone is taking twenty or thirty at a time leaving none in box for next visitor. **The** club members must be vigilant about closing the gates and locking them.

## **TICKET DRAWING**

### **Red ticket door prize:**

Silver round -# 3352 Rodney Kocher

### **Blue tickets**

Bag of Ore # 3615 Randall Cowart

Bag of ore # 3615 Dana Cowart

Bag of ore # 3352 Rodney Kocher

NUGGET # 3247 Heidi Lung

### **Green tickets**

Bag of ore # 0999 Bill Valora

Bag of ore # 1900 Nancy Healy

Bag of ore# 3615 Dana Cowart

NUGGET # 3517 Mary Kozak

### **Yellow Tickets**

**BAG OF ORE # 3247 Heidi Lung**

**BAG OF ORE # 3352 Rodney Kocher**

**BAG OF ORE # 3247 Rodney Lung**

**Nugget- 1775 Kathy McCary**

### **Next Meeting:**

February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Hunt at 12 noon

Board Meeting 3:00PM

General Meeting 5:00PM

Member 3615 Randall Cowart made a motion to adjourn the meeting

Member 1775 Alan McCary second the motion, Motion passed and carried

Prepared by Heidi Lung  
WEGM Secretary

## **MEMBERSHIP FOR SALE**

Please Contact Ann Nemeth if you would like to advertise in next months newsletter.

**Be Kind to one other and watch out for each other. We are in this club together.**

**WE HAVE CAMP SITES THAT NEED CLEANED UP**





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