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WEEKEND GOLD MINERS

Newsletter

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

Calendar of Eventsnd, 2023

October 6th, 2023
Sept 23rd, Tree removal and clean up at Allison Honey Farm at 10 am. lunch will be served.
Board Meeting at 3pm
General Meeting at 5pm

Elections in November

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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.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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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PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR MEMBER # ON YOUR CHECK AND ZELLE PAYMENT!

WE ALSO NOW ACCEPT ZELLE PAYMENTS Send to email nemethannette26@gmail.com Call me for credit card or debt card \$5.00 fee Per hundred. Do not use my phone number for zelle

To pay dues, many forms of payment are now accepted. Contact Ann Nemeth for more info!

WEEKEND GOLD MINERS PROSPECTING CLUB, INC.

GENERAL MEETING – President Rodney Kocher called the meeting to order Sept 02, 2023, annual picnic, general meeting to order. Introduction of the board. President Rodney Kocher, Vice President Bill Quick, Chairman Rodney Lung, Board Member Celeste Wilkerson, Robert Sample, Treasure Ann Nemeth, Secretary Heidi Lung.

Welcome To All New Members & Guests Ned Swafford, Jackson Jones, Randall Sr and Susan Cowart.

Happy Birthday to all September Birthdays. Sally Crumbly 9/1, Rick Hickman 9/18, Tim Ellis 9/1.

Anniversaries, #3247 Rodney and Heidi Lung, 9/27 9yrs,2610 Ray and Kathy Sparks 47 yrs., 1263 Curtis and Donna Atkins 45 yrs.9/30

Motion to approve minutes of August 5th minutes as printed in newsletter. #2854 Mark Nesbitt made motion to approve, Randall Cowart seconded the motion. All in favor, Motion passed and carried.

Treasurer report given by Ann Nemeth for August 2023.

#3323 Terry Newman made the motion to approve the Treasure Report, #2342 Celeste Wilkerson seconded. All in favor, motion passed and carried.

Membership Director Report: Rodney Kocher gave August report as follows:

New members: 0

New Members YTD-21

Last member number issued: # 3738. No logo items sold. Total Collected \$0. Ray Sparks made a motion to accept the August membership report. Mark Nesbitt second. All in favor, motion passed and carried.

Old Business

Elections are coming up in November, if you are interested in being a part of the board please submit your name to Ann Nemeth by email. Positions open President, three board members. secretary and a hunt master. The club also needs volunteers for the voting committee. Please submit your names for open positions ASAP since ballots go out October. The state of Georgia recognizes email as a form of mail. #2854 Mark Nesbitt made motion to approve, Randall. Cowart seconded the motion. A hand vote was taken. Motion approved passed and carried to use email. Members who want a ballot by email. The Ballot will be attached to newsletter. To be on email list contact wegmtreasureann@gmail.com

A big thank you out to Tim Ellis for cutting and moving trees out of roadways on Allison and Honey farm after June storms. September 23rd, 10am @ Allison Weather permitting the club. needs volunteers to finish what Tim started. We need people to cut and remove trees. Members and chain saws and other safety equipment are needed!! The wood will provide.

firewood for campers and return properties back to their beautiful state.

New Business.

Rodney Kocher welcomed members and guest to clubs annual picnic. Thanks to Mark Nesbit and for mowing and installation of porta pots. Thanks to #2845 Terry Wilman for doing an excellent job. cooking the meats. #3669 Christina Strickland for an outstanding job coordinating this event. and making centerpieces to give away. All who helped clean up and decorated. Last and not

TICKET DRAWING

Meeting Tickets

Red ticket drawings - silver round #2610 Kathy Sparks

centerpiece # Paul Jones

centerpiece #3517 Mary Kozak

centerpiece #2801 Cheryl Steffanie

centerpiece #1775 Kathy McCary

BLUE MEETING TICKETS

ice-cream maker #3423 Mike Beaulieu

bag of ore # Kim Burton

Bag of ore #3473 Kenny Brooks

Nugget #3577 Kim Burton

GREEN MEETING TICKETS

ice-cream maker #3247 Rodnev Lung

Bag of ore #3352 Rodney Kocher

Bag of ore #1642 Robert Davis

Nugget #3473 Kenny Brooks

YELLOW MEETING TICKETS

Bag of ore #2744 John Burton bag of ore #2801 Cheryl Steffanie

30lbs of ore #2744 John Burton donated to Terry Wilman

Bag of ore # 2744 John Burton

PICNIC TICKETS

BLUE RAFFLES TICKETS WINNERS

#3755604 ice cream maker #3247 Rodney Lung

#123729 pathway lights #3473 Kenny Brooks

3756562 Solar lights #3615 Kim Burton

#123784 metal detector #2744 John Burton

#123267 fire cooking stand #2801 Aldo Steffanie

#3756746 \$175. bag of ore # 3517 Mary Kozak

#123724 \$175. bag of ore #3473 Kenny Brooks

#123797 pans #2744 John Burton

Banjo pans #3517 Mary Kozak

#3758516 walking stick #3247 Rodney Lung

#3755465 mini sluice #3247 Rodney Lung

3123415 folding sluice # 3572 Mike Beaulieu

UNCLAIMED BLUE TICKETS

#123637 classifier

#3756540 sluice

GREEN TICKET WINNERS

#736493 metal detector #2610 Ray Sparks

#736997 dream mat #2854 Mark Nesbit

#735493 banjo pan #3517 Mary Kozak

#736956 walking stick #2854 Mark Nesbit

#736835 pan #1006 Steve Finnimore

#852247 large Pan #1775 Alan Mc Cary

#735782 \$60. bag of ore # Randall Cowart

#852380 \$60. bag of ore #3577 Kim Burton

#852392 Gold Cube Classifier #2744 John

Burton

UNCLAIMED GREEN TICKETS

September 2023

#7356053 ice-cream maker #852335 mini sluice #735790 classifier #736049 classifier

YELLOW TICKETS

479098 ice-cream maker #3517 Mary Kozak #4793739 blk & mp; white tablecloth #2610 Ray Sparks

#6761346 Red & Direction #3221 Jeremy Mitchell

#6761314 bamboo table #3321 Jeremy Mitchell #560457 classifier #3473 Kenny Brooks # 479325 silver gold pan # 3247 Rodney Lung #479264 Banjo pan #3352 Rodney Kocher #479362 \$100. bag of ore # Randall Cowart #6761066 walking stick # Randall Cowart **UNCLAIMED YELLOW TICKETS**

#479076 power station #479852 panning kit #4799186 60. bag of ore 479764 Gas one stove

WEGM Secretary

Mark Nesbit made motion to adjourn meeting Randall Cowart seconded the meeting. Motion passed and carried. Next meeting Oct 7, 2023 Board meeting 3:00pm General meeting 5:00pm Prepared by Heidi Lung

If you are selling your membership, there is paperwork to file and \$30.00 transfer fee. You as the buyer CANNOT be a member from the past. You must be in good standing with the club to sell a membership. Your account must have a ZERO balance.

#3388 Patti Chaco Membership for sale \$660.00 Email shaycie@currently.com or call 770-912-8592

#James Grancio Selling Keene High banker combo Model 173H Email dgrancio@yahoo.com or call 386-506-1966 pump, flat hose, Dredging Hose, Nozzle, Asking.\$1650.00.

#2379 Ron Brannon Membership for sale \$650.00 Email ystnb4evr@gmail.com. Or call 251-604-7937 or 386-756-6417

\$600.00 Jean 1964@gmail.com or call 850-653-5087 membership for sale.

Matt Irwin #3268 for sale \$500.00 706-362-7166

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