

MOHAVE PROSPECTORS ASSOCIATION

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JANUARY 2011

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Minutes of January 4, 2011 Meeting held at the Kingman Community Foundation Center, 2085 John L Street, Kingman, AZ 86409

Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm by President Al Adams, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Al thanked everyone who came to the last outing, and said how surprised he was that so many members showed up despite the cold weather.

Al mentioned that more people are needed for the committees.

It was suggested that we have metal detecting outings as well as drywashing outings.

Al recommended a website (WWW.losttreasure.com) for information on metal detecting.

Al talked about the PLP and that their president will be contacting the club with more information

Al mentioned an article about the importance of filling in our prospecting holes and the consequences of our continued failure to fill them in.

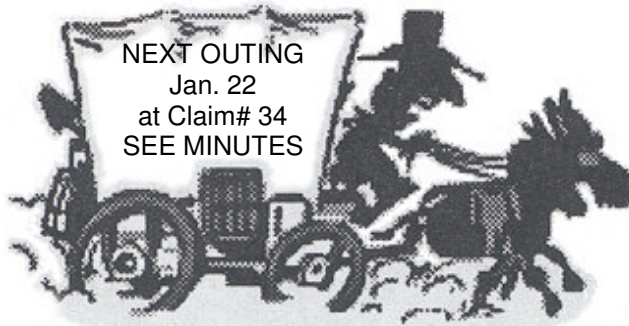
Al talked about the history of the club and introduced Terry Dearborn, one of the charter members, who described what things were like at the beginning of the club, then demonstrated a new classifier for filling buckets of dirt faster and easier.

Jerry Klafter told about running into a monster rattlesnake on one of the claims, and making it a dead monster rattlesnake.

New members and guests were introduced.

Al told about an article about a 19 POUND nugget and talked about the importance of not selling your gold right away.

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New Members:

Drew & Miki Vroman
Jason Hoag
George & JoAnn Schwartz
Donald & Gregory Lammon
Jerry & Dee Rainey
Robert Hummel
Sandy Meldrum
Owen & Laura Girven
Janet Clark
Michael Pettis
Willie Williams
Harvey & Jennifer Cobaugh

Bunk & Teri are holding a free "guess the weight" contest on their website. (info-see below)

Al asked if people wanted an outing this month and warned that it would be wet and cold out there. He suggested a metal detecting outing instead. January 22nd at claim 34. Meet at Stockton Hill and Pierce Ferry at 8:00. Al warned if it's

raining or snowing, members were on their own.

Members were made aware of a gold show being held in Mesa, AZ this month on the 15th and 16th

After the break, Al said the club needed to buy 2 new batteries for 2 of the club's dry washers. The motion passed.

After the break Al started the drawings.

Bryan Muray Secretary

I am enclosing a link for you to post on January's news letter and our online MPA site newsletter this is for all our online members to part take in a free contest with 3 valuable prizes Please Advise viewers on MPA newsletter/web site they must register on the Forum before they are allowed to make a post. Here's the link:

<http://www.bunk-n-teri.com/index.php?topic=262.0>

THANKS, FRANK CAMPAGNANO



GOLD PRICES

	High	Low
Dec 10	\$1,393.30	\$1,371.30
Dec 21	\$1,393.40	\$1,380.20
Dec 29	\$1,414.10	\$1,400.30
Dec 31	\$1,422.60	\$1,406.60
Jan 03	\$1,425.00	\$1,414.80

\$\$\$ Raffle Winners \$\$\$

Door prize – Pat Evans
 Lady's prize – Dorothy Thompson
 Silver Round – R Brand
 \$25.00 Cash – Cliff Roberts
 Bag of ore – Sue Medlin
 Hammer/Chisel – Scott Proudfoot
 Mystery Gift – Thomas Jordan
 Bag of ore – Terry Dearborn
 Small Nugget – John Agnew
 Shirt/hat – Jim Duncan
 Shovel – Jim Daniel
 Book (Gold Places) –....
 William Hollenbeck
 Pick/mattock – Thomas Jordan
 Classifier/tweezers/vial –....
 Cliff Roberts
 Book (Gold in the desert) –....
 Bruce Milligan
 Rock hounding in AZ – Jim Skonshi
 Solar Panel – Sam Knott
 Kneepads/rock hammer –....
 Randy Burch
 7 gal container – Randy Burch
 Mug Set – Gabrielle J. Reynolds
 Pan/snuffer set – Dennis Rodnson
 Small pick/mattock – Leroy Jackson
 Lantern – Sherry Bortzek
 Camp shovel – Larry T
 Pocket Scale – Randy Burch
 50/50 – John Agnew

If you wish to sell gold related items,
 send ad to editor at
 RattlesnakeBrad@frontiernet.net

Rock Saw w/2 wheels & lite-\$225.00
 Rock Polisher-\$40.00
 Call Mike 715-0910

For Sale 01 Polaris 325 magnum 4X4
 street legal with 5' X11' trailer can be
 made to carry 2 quads \$3,200. Charlie
 928-753-9778

Tilt Bed Utility Trailer
 5'X 8' Like New , Less Than
 200 Miles, New Tires , \$800.00
 Great For ATVs
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Exterra 70 Metal Detector: Standard coil,
 elliptical 5"x7" + 5" round 17.5 khz, Case
 & headphones. \$600.00 David Marin –
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 sells, please notify editor so add can
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 RESERVE A TIME TO USE EQUIPMENT.

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Treasurers Report

Income

Balance carried over	\$3,328.00
Income	<u>\$2,650.00</u>
Total	\$5,978.00

Expenses

Rent	\$75.00
Storage	\$20.00
Club gas	\$30.00
Checks	\$22.98
Postmaster	\$75.60
Staples	\$281.28
Supplies	\$113.49
Dues overpay	\$10.00
Birdsong	\$33.28
Cash	\$100.00
Big 5	\$95.76
Big Lots	\$34.83
Retta	\$116.77
Home Depot	\$41.27
Walmart	\$19.94
Ladies Gift	<u>\$38.00</u>
Total	\$1,108.20

Balance in bank \$4,869.80

For Sale
 80 acre unpatented placer claim on the
 Stanislaus river in Tuolumne County of
 Cal. Selling due to health. \$3,000.00
 will finance with 50% down. Call for
 details, pics etc.

For Sale
 40 acre unpatented placer claim in the
 San Francisco Gold District in Oatman,
 AZ Very easy access. \$1,500.00 will
 finance with 50% down. Call for details
 928-303-5456 Robert Scott

For Sale
 151 Keene Drywasher w/4 cycle blower
 New \$1500.00 Asking \$1,000.00
 140 Keene Drywasher w/2 cycle leaf
 blower \$550.00 Call John at
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 full canvas top and doors, front and
 rear hitches, 4x4 Diesel, tire covers.
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 928-692-1619 Dave Dunlap

Jerry's, *Dry Washing & Panning
 Classes*

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 2505 Neal Ave, Kingman, AZ

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 The place to learn how to
 find free gold.
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 soro, White's, Garrett , Fisher,
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 goldlady6@yahoo.com
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 Kingman, AZ
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 Retail for \$249.95 Just as good as
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