



Metal Detecting Club

Since 1963



Meeting Information:

Place: Woodlawn Baptist Church

4600 Menchaca Rd.

Austin, TX

Day: Second Thursday of each month

Time: 7:00 pm

Membership: \$20

February 2026

Club Officers:

President

Andrew Phillips

Vice President

Wyatt Jacobsmeyer

Treasurer

Scott Hegel

Secretary

Charles Goertz

Board Members: Andrew Philips, Charles Goertz, Scott Hegel, Mary and Leon Prause, Daniel and Susie Mireles, Jim Lawhon, Carrie Rogers, Fred and Jeanne Toewe, Larry Vickers, Dennis Gans, Paul Krugler, Ed Newsome

Hunt Masters:

Ed Newsom and Charles Goertz

Newsletter:

newsletter@amdconline.com

Webmaster:

Fred Toewe

webmaster@amdconline.com

BOARD MEETINGS

Board meetings are open to all Club Members. If you are interested in attending a Board meeting, please contact an Officer, Board Member, or the Webmaster for details. These are held via Zoom on the first Thursday of each month at 6:15 p.m.



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January Meeting



The January meeting was a show and tell by the members of the club. They were asked to bring some of their interesting finds over the years. There were lots of variety of items including a short talk about arrowheads found by the father of one of the members.

These are truly the finds that keep us digging. You never know what the next beep is gonna be!



AMDC Seeking Newsletter Editor

Mitch has been the newsletter editor for a couple years now and he has stepped down. The club is looking for someone to take on this position.

If you would consider being the new editor please contact Mitch or any board member.

Thanks





Larry is selling a metal detector bag. In new condition. Has carrying handles, a zipper and side pocket.

Larry is asking just \$20.

If you are interested please contact Larry 512-243-1831.

Have an item for sale?

Perhaps a no longer needed pinpointer. Last years model top-of-the-line detector. Maybe you upgraded and no longer need the older version. Whatever the case may be, you can offer it up to club members right herein the newsletter for the low low price of absolutely nothing! Just send the detail and if possible include a picture or two and send it to newsletter@amdconline.com.

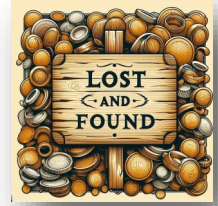
Randy has a Nokta double score metal detector that comes with the wireless Head Phones, Large Coil, Small coil for \$225.00. Fully submersible. He states it is in great condition. He can be reached at 512 541 9908 and is located in Pflugerville Tx.

<https://www.noktadetectors.com/metal-detector/double-score/>



AMDC Search Team Results

The Austin Metal Detecting Club has a team of searchers that go out and attempt to find lost items. These are the results of our recent searches.



Jan #1 - Emma - her husband lost his white gold wedding band in back yard - Rick searched and found it

Jan #2 - Brianna - lost her platinum engagement ring in Del Valle - Mitch searched but no luck

Jan #3 - Wendy - lost her silver wedding ring in Wimberly - Andrew and Mitch searched but no luck - Then they encouraged Wendy to look through items removed from attic again and she found her ring in a Christmas bag

Jan #4 - Hadley - lost her ring between her house and a neighbors - Debbie and Mitch looked with no luck other than a number of coins.



January Lost & Found Score: 2/4



February 20-21, 2026: Birthday Bash by Gypsy Jewels at Edna, TX

February 28, 2026: 44th Annual Open Beach Hunt by Houston Metal Detecting Club at Galveston, TX

March 5-8, 2026: Digstock XII by Digstock Events LLC at To be announced

March 16, 2026: Dirtfest 2026 by Lost Dutchman Mining Association at Stanton, AZ

April 10-11, 2026: 1st Annual Iron Eagles Treasure Hunt by Heart of Texas Metal Detecting Club at Bonham, TX

April 11, 2026: 5th Annual Mike Race Memorial Open Hunt by Lancaster Research and Recovery Club at Lancaster, PA

April 24, 2026: Treasure Show and Annual Open Hunt by Texas Association of Metal Detecting Clubs at Temple, TX

May 2, 2026: Nugget Noggin Live by Nugget Noggin at Rock Hill, SC

Links and new information can be found on the [AMDC Webpage](#)

AMDC Monthly Programs Wanted for 2026!

AMDC thrives on its members and there is nothing we like more than to have someone give a program during the meeting. We would love you to be the program for an upcoming meeting! The topic can be anything you like, it does not have to be metal detecting related. It could be about your aspect of the hobby, a place you have hunted and found interesting treasures or a variety of tips you know about selecting a hunt site. Just get in contact with our Vice President to pick a month you can present a program!



Display

None due to Holidays

Foreign Coin

Token

Ring

Jewelry

Button

Artifact

Wild Card

Oldest US Coin

Most Valuable US Coin

All Categories Filled

Newsletter Question

Visitor Drawing

Member Drawing





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FIND OF THE MONTH

DISPLAY _____ # _____

FOREIGN COIN: _____ # _____

TOKEN: _____ # _____

RING: _____ # _____

JEWELRY: _____ # _____

BUTTON: _____ # _____

ARTIFACT: _____ # _____

WILD CARD: _____ # _____

OLDEST U.S. COIN: _____ # _____

MOST VALUABLE U.S. COIN: _____ \$ _____ # _____

Name _____ Month _____