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AUSTIN METAL DETECTING CLUB

(Since 1963)
111 Live Oak Drive, Wimberley, TX 78676
Membership: \$20.00
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November 2017

Meeting Information:

Place - Woodlawn Baptist Church
4600 Manchaca
Date – **Nov. 9th** 2017
2nd Thursday of each month
Time - **7:00 pm**
Room - M – 103/104

Officers:

President – Jim Lawhon
Vice Pres – Josh Graham
Treasurer – Mary Prause
Secretary – Blaine Nelson
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Executive Committee:

Dennis Gans, Leon Prause
Daniel and Susie Mireles, Ed
Newsom, Larry Vickers

A Word from our President:

Our AMDC Veteran's Day Open Competition Hunt is just around the corner!

If you haven't registered for the hunt, you can still sign up at the meeting or send your form and entry fee to Mary – but time is running out. Details in the newsletter.

This is the first hunt that our club has sponsored in a number of years. Please come out and help/show your support even if you don't plan to enter the hunts.

See you at the meeting Thursday!

Jim Lawhon

November Meeting

During the meeting this month we will be discussing plans for the Veteran's Day Hunt, electing officers to serve the club in 2018 and we will talk about the Christmas party. We also need ideas from the membership on what you would like to have for future programs – so put on your thinking caps and share suggestions.

We will have our Find of the Month competition featuring items found since the October meeting. The FOM form is the last page of this newsletter, and Daniel and Susie will have copies at the meeting.

Election of Officers

During the meeting on Thursday, nominations will be taken from the floor for the following officers:

President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer

We will be voting and elect officers at the meeting.

In addition, we welcome new members to serve on the Board. Consider it - this may be your time!

AMDC CHRISTMAS PARTY!

Our annual dinner and Christmas party will be on our regular meeting night, Thursday, Dec. 14th. We will start at 6:30 with the meal. The fundraiser will be a drawing for gifts donated by members. **Please bring one or more items** to put on the table for the ticket drawing winners. We ask that items be something that others would want – not garage sale left overs. The gifts do not have to be metal detecting related. More info. at the meeting and in the December news.

Reminder – Josh Graham will be collecting recyclables, so bring any you have been saving.



AMDC is on Face Book! Be sure and check out and “Like” the Group

Executive Meeting

Our meetings are the first Thursdays of most months, at 6:00. We will meet at the Bill Miller's at 709 E. Ben White (right at I-35). All are welcome at any Board meetings. We usually come early to visit and grab a bite; the meeting begins at 6:00.

Lost and Found Efforts

Since the last report we had one request to search for lost items. The request was to search for a sentimental ring lost in a yard. But the family found the ring before we could set up a search.

Many thanks to those who serve on these searches. It takes a lot of time and effort to go out, but it is always appreciated – even if the item(s) are not located.

For Sale

Used (I think) Garrett Headphones Model 16000 Headphones Stereo/Mono. Asking \$25

Mitch London - 512-368-2566

If you have items for sale related to metal detecting, let Blaine know, and your item(s) can be included here in the newsletter.

Question: *Can I still register for the AMDC Veteran's Day Hunt?*

AMDC Veteran's Day Open Hunt!

Our club will host an "Open" Competition Hunt on Veteran's Day – Saturday, **November 11th**!
At Old Settler's RV Park in Round Rock.

The Board has finalized plans for our hunt! Jim has gotten a number of prizes in from manufacturers and private donations. In addition, TAMDC is partnering with us, and will hold a hunt in the afternoon. Thus we have a total of 4 hunts in the works for that day.

A copy of the flyer is available on the TAMDC website – www.tamdc.org, and will also be available at the meeting.

AMDC Website

Remember to check our web site often to see what's there!

<http://www.amdconline.com>

Our web site is:

Newsletter Contest!

We continue our drawing for a prize at the meetings. If you can answer the mystery question correctly taken from information in the newsletter, your name may be drawn. Good luck!

Upcoming Events:

November 11 – AMDC Veterans Day Competition Hunt – Old Settler’s RV Park, Round Rock

Feb. 24 – HARC – Galveston Beach Hunt

March 10 – East Texas Club – Piney Woods Relic Hunt

March 24-25 – Garrett Memorial Hunt – Jefferson

April 20-22 – TAMDC Treasure Show – Temple

October FOM Winners

Display	Scott Jacobsmeyer – Cherry tray, black felt
Foreign Coin	Scott Jacobsmeyer – 1911 Canadian Large Cent
Token	Scott Jacobsmeyer – 1863 Civil War Token
Ring	Mary Prause – Men’s Spinner
Jewelry	Fred Toewe – Citizen Watch
Button	Scott Jacobsmeyer – Big, Fancy, Flat
Artifact	Scott Jacobsmeyer – Austin City Police Badge
Wild Card	Leon Prause – Memorial Plaque Picture
Oldest US Coin	Scott Jacobsmeyer – 1822 Large Cent
Most Valuable US Coin	Scott Jacobsmeyer – 1876 Half (\$38.)
All Categories Filled	Scott Jacobsmeyer



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FIND OF THE MONTH 2017

DISPLAY _____ # _____

FOREIGN COIN: _____ # _____

TOKEN: _____ # _____

RING: _____ # _____

JEWELRY: _____ # _____

BUTTON: _____ # _____

ARTIFACT: _____ # _____

WILD CARD: _____ # _____

OLDEST U.S. COIN: _____ # _____

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

Name _____ Month _____