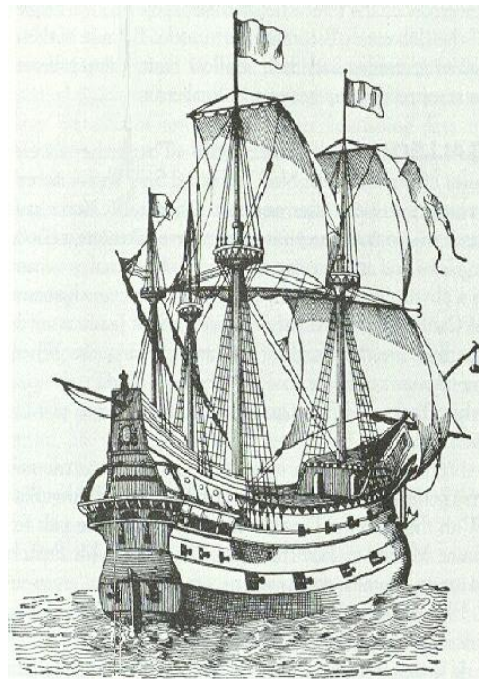




# One Month to Go!

Time to vote on find of the year! Good luck to all entries. The 23rd Annual Benefit hunt is coming within the next month, time to practice your park hunting skills. Good luck everyone!

Happy hunting!  
Amy Hart



## Treasure Hunter's Code of Conduct

Source: South Florida Treasure Hunters Club

1. We will respect the rights of others
2. We will fill in all holes.
3. We will not deface property.
4. We will not trespass.
5. We will return lost items, if possible.
6. We will support our local Police Department
7. We will dispose of all trash.
8. We will report the discovery of all items of significant historical value to a local accredited historian.
9. We will be a credit to our Club, Community and to our Hobby.

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Special points of interest:

- *March 13—23rd Annual TCAS Benefit Hunt*

## Increasing Your Finds from GoMetalDetecting.com

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Beach detecting with all that competition, is becoming harder and harder these days. So what can you do?

- More then likely there is another less popular beach only a few miles away, why not give it a try?
- Stop running around trying to cover the whole beach like there in no tomorrow. Slow down!
- Watch your coil height, are you one of those that keep it off the ground about a foot? Are you afraid to scratch it? Hmm, maybe that's why you're not finding much. The finds you're missing could pay for 10 coils.
- Are you discriminating the junk? How



much junk do you think there's left when you got all these hobbyists with their metal detectors scooping everything on their path? Turn the discrimination way down and dig it all! The trick is not in the fancy detector or a huge coil - but how fast you can recover your targets. It's so simple - the more targets you recover - the more chances you have to find something good. Just think about it for a moment.

Just by following these simple steps you will increase your finds by 50% or even more. It works for us every time, and will work for you if you try it. It takes time to become good at this, but knowing how, will save you time and frustration.

## Tips on Cleaning Your Finds from GoMetalDetecting.com

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When you start finding those old silver coins, you probably wonder how to clean them. There are several methods that we use to clean our finds all the time, and we would like to share them with you in simple, easy to understand directions.

**NOTE:**  
**DO NOT CLEAN OLD COINS THAT YOU SUSPECT ARE VALUABLE!**  
It will cut their value in half! Ask a local coin dealer first.



## Table Winners for December

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Rings: Neil

Jewelry: Neil

Group Coins: Marty

Miscellaneous: Neil

Artifacts: No entry

Single Coin: Jim

Fossils: Marty

## Find of the Month

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Neil  
For  
Miscellaneous

TEASURE COAST ARCHEOLOGICAL  
SOCIETY

Guests are always welcome!  
Meetings are held at North Indian  
River County Library on SR512 in  
Sebastian, FL.

The first Wednesday of every month  
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## The Last Word

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*Have something to share with the club? Let us know! This is your paper. Tell the world about your first find. What machine do you use? Have any advice for beginners?*

*Send an e-mail to [Fun103@aol.com](mailto:Fun103@aol.com). Make sure that your name is on the article so we know who to give credit to. Hope to hear from everyone soon.*



*Dead detectors tell no tails.*