DRYWASHER'S GAZETTE October 2013

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Valley Prospectors Rendezvous 2013 Oct. 25, 26 & 27

Next General Meeting <u>October 24th at 7:00 PM 1 week early</u> Web Address: **Valleyprospectors.com**

Mission and Code of Ethics

"You're invited to be our guest"
General membership meetings are held on the last Thursday
Of each month at 7:00 pm in the Knights of Columbus Hall at
1729 E. Baseline, San Bernardino, Ca... Map on our website.
The Board of Directors meeting will be at 6pm before the General
Meeting at the Knights of Columbus Hall in San Bernardino.
Valley Prospectors Inc. is an educational organization dedicated
To promote Gold Prospecting as a healthy family activity
"NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION.

Remember that all prospectors may be judged by the example You set. Leave flora and fauna as you found it. Do Not Destroy Any property, public or private. Obey the laws. Please do not litter. Each member of Valley Prospectors Inc. should strive to set a good Example for others.



Officers for 2013

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Roger Maguire	951-316-2568		Finds/Month	Garry & Sherry	*0*-875-20*0
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Maria Pena	951-242-7594		Gold Sales	Art Fairchild	951-897-5433
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Pat Ferracio	909-649-1555		Programs	Mike Dunkerley	790-608-3228
Art Fairchild	951-897-5433		Refreshments	Sandy Harter	951-216-5502
Lisa Howison	951-734-7530		Wagon Master	Dunk	760-608-3228
George Howison	951-734-7530		Web Master		
Alternate Board	Members		Claims	Pam Maguire	951-316-2568
Sandy Harter	951-216-5502		Christmas Party	Pam Maguire	9541-316-2568
Joe Harter	951-216-5502				
Jill Molson	909-887-8824				

CLAIMS

Burro 1 & 2 Placer Claims 10 acres ea

Coolgardie Placer Claims 40 acres ea

Gold Venture & Pickett 3 Placer Claims 20 acres ea

Hungryman 1, 2, 3, 4 and Chunker Placer Claims 120 acres ea

Indian Gulch 1 & 2 and Indian Flat Pacer Claim 20 acres ea

Jackass 1, 2, & 3 Placer Claims 160 acres ea

Miner's Folly Placer Claim 60 acres

Moriah Placer Claim 15 acres

Pickett 2 Placer Claim 20 acres ea

(Cajon Pass) Summit Placer Claim 51 acres

Plan of Operations (Yuba River Claims) You will need a copy of the appendix with the Plan of Operations Appendix (updated 07/09/2011) You will also need a printout of both A and B for each claim

Moriah Claim A Moriah Claim B (updated 07/09/2011)

Union Flat Claim A Union Flat Claim B (updated 07/09/2011)

Wild Plumb A Wild Plumb Claim B (updated 07/09/2011

REFRESMENTS

Thank you again to those who brought ice cream to the September meeting.

It was a nice change and everyone enjoyed it so much.

October 24th is our next meeting and its Holloween

Time. We need 3 dozen

cookies from each of our volunteers.

Lisa & George Howison

Jim Smith

Larry Kennedy

Kelly & Harry Crawford

Thank you

Sandy Harter

951-216-5502

Thank you Pam Sent from my iPhone

Claims

It was brought to my attention that some members still do not understand why we do not have all the claims in Valley's name. If we did it would cost the club \$10,500 a YEAR in maintenance fees because we could not do the small miners waver. If we have 9 claims in valley's name and 9 in members names we can do the small miners waver and we do not have a maintenance fee to pay. We are going to do a Quick claim deed on the 9 claims that are in members names and have 2 names per claim instead of 6 to 8 names like we have now. After that we will have a lease agreement with these persons and they will lease them back to Valley. I hope this will clear up some of the comfussion. If you have any more questions clall me at 951-316-2568

New for 2014 A \$20.00 late fee February 1- March 31 No renewals after March 31

2014 annual dues are \$40.00, (no increase)
Pay your Dues NOW thru January 31, 2014 with no late fee
Make check or money order payable to: VALLEY PROSPECTORS INC.
Mail to: Valley Prospector Inc. - Membership
33220 Wildomar Rd.
Wildomar, CA 92595-8283

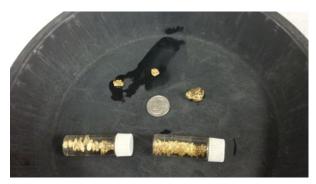
Fill out a Renewal Application, Sign and Date
A Self Addressed Stamped Envelope along with your dues and application will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you from the Membership Chairperson-Judy Carpenter

Welcome New Members of Valley Prospector's

David Buehn - Victor and Laura Carevic - Teejay Hansaker - Dominic and Adrienne Koroly

Continued Get Well Wishes to all who need it.



WANTED

Please bring any books you may have around the house to give to the veterans at Jerry L

Pettis Hospital in Loma Linda.

Their favorite ones are westerns, but they will take any even gold mining books. Bring them to the meeting and give them to Roger and Pam Maguire and we will see that they get to the hospi9ital. Thank You.



Valley Prospectors of San Bernardino Inc.

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Rendezvous 2013

October 25, 26 & 27 2013

Ord Mountain Camping Area

I 15 North — take Highway 247 (Barstow Road), Barstow — turn right and approximately 16-19 miles down Highway 247 you'll see a brown BLM route marker 6640 on the road. The road is on the East side, Take a left if you are coming from Barstow on this dirt road and you will see a large BLM Informational canopy sign posted for the area. Follow this dirt road up a small and easy grade.. the camp area is on the left side of the road.. it's not hard to see and it's easy to get to... GPS coordinates: N34 degrees 41.008, W116 degrees 57.398

We are going camping!

Metal Detector Hunt - \$20 registration
Nightstalker Hunt - \$5 registration
Gold Panning Contest - \$5 registration
Tailgate Sales
Chili Cook-off – Saturday Night
Bingo
Free Kid's Hay Find Event

Dry camping (primitive)
Friday 2 pm Check In
Sunday 12 noon Check Out

Contacts:

Lorraine Frost 760-868-6564 or Michael "Dunk" Dunkerley 760-608-3228

Email: res06mtu@verizon.net

Website: <u>www.valleyprospectors.com</u>

Valley Prospectors Rendezvous 2013 October 25-27, 2013

Ord Mountains Camping Area

Time	Friday	Saturday Saturday	Sunday
	10/25/13	10/26/13	10/27/13
8:00 AM		BREAKFAST 8-9 am	BREAKFAST 8-9 am
8:30 AM			
9:00 AM			Clean up 9 – 10 am
9:30 AM			
10:00 AM		Metal Detector Hunt 10-11:30 am	PACK UP TO LEAVE
10:30 AM		Sponsored by	
11:00 AM		Valley Prospectors	
11:30 AM		Kids Hay Find 11:30-12:30	
12:00			Head home 12 Noon
12:30 PM		Lunch - on own 12:30 – 1:30 pm	
1:00 PM			
1:30 PM		Gold Panning Contest 1:30 - 3:00	
2:00 PM	Early arrivals	pm Sponsored by First Class Miners	
2:30 PM	Earry arrivals	Sponsored by First Class Willers	
3:00 PM			
3:30 PM			
4:00 PM	Plant Detector	Chili Cook-off Judging 4 pm	
4.00 T W	Field 4-5:30 pm	Cimi Cook on Judging 4 pm	
4:30 PM		Potluck 4:30 – 6:00 pm	
5:00 PM			
5:30 PM			
6:00 PM	Bingo 6-7:30 pm	Bingo - 6-8:00 pm	
6:30 PM			
7:00 PM			
7:30 PM			
TBA PM		NightStalker Hunt at Dark	
TBA PM			
9:00 PM	Campfire 9 pm	Campfire 9 pm	

^{**} Lady Luck drawings every hour on Saturday between 9 am and 4 pm All scheduled events are subject to change & cancellation due to lack of volunteers and/or participants.

VALLEY PROSPECTORS BOARD MEETING SEP 26 2013 START TIME: 6:00 pm

President Lorriane Frost called the meeting to order, roll call, and a quorum of the board members where present and meeting starts.

Lorriane asked if the minutes of the last meeting be passed as written in the newsletter, 1st by Pam M., 2nd by Lisa H. and oked by the board.

Treasurer's Report: Sue B.~ Read the income and out go for the club. Membership: Judy C.~ 60 new members so far this year!!. Asked also if she can order new badges for the club members. Oked by the board for her to order up new badges. We will let the members decide if they want magnet or pin badges. Editor's Report: Pam M.~ Have all articles to her by Oct 6th. Claims: Pam~Looking at prices for a GPS. Will bring prices in at next meeting. More on claims at general meeting. Program for tonight: Dunk~ Nominations tonight. Refreshments: Sandy H.~ Ice cream tonight and Halloween Cookies for Oct 24th. Wagonmaster Dunk:~ Rendezvous Oct 25,26,27th at Ord Mountain. Sign up sheet at general meeting for work detail. Gold Sales: Art F.~ We made \$340. in gold sales at the Randsburg Old West Days!!! Blood bank: Lorriane F: Don't forget to say MVP so Valley can get credit for your donation. Bruce Sherman is now our new Librarian. Lady Luck: White Elephant tonight. Historian: Lisa H.~ Need pictures please! Old Business: The secretary needs to get more ink and is at her budget limit. Motion by Gary J to give her a \$100.00 budget increase, 2nd by Jim and Sandy. Oked by the board. New Business: Discussion on the badges. Donation to PLP. Jennefer motioned for an open discussion for VP to donate to PLP \$2,000. 1st by Jim, 2nd by Pam. Oked by the board members to take this to the members for a vote. Also discussion about the GPAA shows, in Pomona, Jan 2014 and in Las Vegas, April 2014. Dunk to call GPAA for more information. Motion to adjourn at 6:31 by Sandy, 2nd by Pam. OK by all..

Jennefer Jercha Secretary for Valley Prospectors, INC, 2013

VALLEY PROSPECTORS GENERAL MEETING SEPT 26 2013

TIME: 7:04 PM

Call to Order by Lorriane Frost President of VP for 2013. Pledge of Allegiance by Larry K. Its his birthday today. Happy Birthday Larry!!! Courtesy: Kelly~ 49 members and 2 guests. Lorriane motioned for the minutes of the last general meeting that was posted in the newsletter be excepted as written. 1st by Judy C. 2nd by Art F. Ok by members. Treasure's Report: Sue B. ~ Read report of income and out go for this last month. Kelly read the upcoming events/letters. 50/50; Jill M.~ Get your tickets! Lady Luck Bill G.~ White Elephant tonight. Refreshments: Sandy H.~ Tonight is Ice Cream, next month (Oct. 24,2013) will be cookies. Its close to Halloween, so make them fun!!. Membership: Judy C.~ 4 new this month, our total this year is 60 new members!!! (WOOPWOOP). Wagon Master: Dunk~ Randsburg Old West Days where great. R.D.W. was good too with gold found. And a great lunch Pot luck. Next R.D.W. will be Oct 9th at the Summit. Also Joe H got his picture in a local paper!! Finds of the Month: Garry/Sherri: Come up and vote. REMEMBER: ONE VOTE FOR GOLD AND ONE VOTE FOR METAL DETECTING PER MEMBER ONLY!!! Gold Sales: Art F.~ We have gold for sale and we will have some at the Rendezvous this year! Library: Bruce S~ we have lots of books come "check" them out. Mike donated a tub of books to the club. Thanks Mike!!! Love that guy! Editor: Pam M.~ Have the news to me by Oct 6th. Claims Pam M. Pam explained what is going on with the claims and why its this way now. THE CLAIMS ARE NOW UNDER A "SMALL MINERS WAIVER" BY THE WAY THEY ARE BROKEN UP. THIS WILL COST THE CLUB A LOT LESS THAN BY THE WAY THEY WHERE. Blood Bank: Lorraine F.~ Lorriane will not be getting a blood bank report till the end of the year. So if you give blood let her know so she can put your name down to win a prize at the Christmas Party this year!!! Historian: Lisa H.~ Get pictures to her. DOES ANYONE KNOW WHO WAS THE VERY FIRST VALLEY PROSPECTORS PRESIDENT??? Let Lisa or Lorriane know~~~ Programs for Tonight: Nominations for next years board. Rendezvous 2013: Dunk~ Well Dunk got all the "goodies" (prizes) for the hunts and the raffles and next he will get the food stuff going. Thanks to John at Legends in Hemet for all his good help and discounts. These prizes are great, makes me want to learn real fast how to use a detector now!! GREAT JOB DUNK. Hope you have some energy for the Rendezvous! Refreshments Time: 7:35 pm. Resume meeting at 7:58 pm. New Business: Motion by John H to donate \$2000.00 to PLP Digger Dan 2nd . Discussion by members. Vote was taken and passed by members. PLP Works hard for us to keep the lands open to all. The club needs new badges. A show of hands for the badges for the magnets or the pin type. The magnets win. Judy C. to get prices for the next meeting. Dunk Opened up the Nominations for next years Board of Directors and Officers. Dunk Closed the Nominations for this month. IF YOU WANT TO HELP OUT AND BE ON THE BOARD OR AN OFFICER COME TO THE NEXT MEETING OR CALL DUNK. THIS IS YOUR CLUB! BE PART OF IT. WE NEED YOUR INPUT!! 50/50: Jill~ \$42.00 tonight goes to Art F (who wants to be on the board next yr). Door Prize: Jim S.(he wants to be on the board also next yr). Badge: Pam M. Will will you look at this! She also wants to be on the board. All 3 said yes to the board and all 3 got "prizes" Karma is good. LOL..Finds of the Month: Gold 1st~ Don. B. 2nd~ Gene L. 3rd~ Ed R. Metal Detecting 1st~ Don B. 2nd~Steve M. 3rd~ Dunk (about time). Motion to Adjourn at 8:24 pm. Motioned by Digger Dan 2nd by Lisa H. Ok and Night all. Take it away Bill~~~

Minutes by Jennefer valley Prospectors, INC. 2013

Jercha, Secretary for Valley Prospectors Inc.

Here's what we have going on in October

Saturday, October 12th: Nugget shooting with Michael Greyshock (booking & payment details below. This event is limited space, first book first serve basis)

October 13th: Metal Detecting Outing & BBQ (please RSVP for this one)
October 23rd: Drywashing in Randsburg @ Sleepy Bear Mining Property

Click here for outing details

Please be sre to RSVP for the October 13th metal detecting outing.

We will have a hot dog BBQ and want to ensure that we have enough food.

Nugget shooting outings with Michael Greyshock

Mike's time is VERY limited this season for the nugget shooting outings. Our current available date is Saturday, October 12th, which will be in the 29 Palms area. The outings are an \$80.00 per person fee, first book (with payment), first serve basis. Payment can be made in person in our store in the form of cash - credit cards are not accepted for the nugget shooting outings.

Details are posted at: http://www.aptsgold.com/Nugget-Shooting-Adventure-Mike.html

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BLOOD BANK NEWS "MVP"

Thank you to those who have recently donated to our Blood Bank account. Be sure to mention "MVP" when you donate. Pam Maguire let me know about her recent donation. That brings her total up to 5 donations this year. I plan to donate on Oct 6th at our church – this time I'll remember to credit the correct account. Thank you to Dave Milliken, he provided the Blood bank with 24 kt gold pieces (2 for Blood Bank and 2 for the Rendezvous Detector Hunt). He is also making some beautiful jewelry for a special drawing. Dave has been a big supporter of the Blood Drive throughout his membership. We thank him greatly for his generosity. Keep up the good work. You can check for local donation centers or events at https://www.lstream.org/

The need is constant, the process is simple, and the results are priceless.

Lorraine Frost, Blood Bank Chairperson (760) 868-6564 mailto:res06mtu@verizon.net

Prez Says-

The year is quickly coming to an end. I've enjoyed being President, but cannot continue in the New Year. We started the nominations for next year's officers. Sue Baranauskas has agreed to be on the ballot as Treasurer, but we didn't get any takers for President, Vice President or Secretary. If you have enjoyed Valley Prospectors, want to help in the coming year, or just like to get involved be sure to put your name on the ballot. The club is possible because of you – become involved. There are plenty of people to help you succeed. Give it a try – you will like it.

Thank you to the volunteers at Old West Days: Steve and Mary Schubert, Mark & Brenda Detter, Dunk, Joe & Sandy Harter, John and Jack Howell and me.

Always looking for that "Big Gold", Lorraine Frost
Oct 2013

WagonMaster Roundup - "Dunk"

Retired during the week enjoyed a beautiful day at our Randsburg claims. Lunch potluck was followed by gold in every pan. Old West Days was a huge success for the town of Randsburg raising needed funds for the Rand Museum and Valley Prospectors impressed a lot of newcomers and sold lots of gold at their booth. We had a great potluck Friday night at the claim followed by a Saturday night potluck of a whole roasted pig and live band entertainment. Those that drywashed found gold in every pan and enjoyed the free pancake breakfast on Saturday morning.

Oct-Nov 2013 Calendar of Events

Oct 2013	Activity				
Oct 10	Retired During the Week – RDW – Summit				
	Meet at McDonalds at 9 am				
	Contact Info – George Howison 951-734-7530				
Oct 24	Valley Prospectors Board Meeting @ 6 pm				
	Valley Prospectors General Meeting @ 7 pm				
	Knights of Columbus, San Bernardino				
	Update on Rendezvous and Nominations Continue for Next Year's Officers				
	and Board				
	Contact Info – Dunk 760-608-3228				
Oct 25 - 27	Rendezvous 2013				
	Ord Mountain Camping area – 15 mi south on Highway 247 – see Flyer				
	Major events occur on Saturday, Oct 26th				
	Contact Info – Dunk 760-608-3228				
Nov 2013	Activity				
Nov 14	Retired During the Week – RDW – Randsburg				
	Meet at the Jail at 10 am				
	Lunch Potluck, bring a dish, plates, utensil and water provided				
	Contact Info – George Howison 951-734-7530				
Nov 21	Valley Prospectors Board Meeting @ 6 pm				
	Valley Prospectors General Meeting @ 7 pm				
	Knights of Columbus, San Bernardino				
	Nominations finalized and Xmas Party update				
	Contact Info – Dunk 760-608-3228				
Nov 28 – Dec 1	Coolgardie – Thanksgiving Weekend				
	Contact Info – Pam Maguire 951-316-2568				
Dec 2013	Activity				
Dec 8	Final Meeting & Xmas Party @ 12 noon – Dinner at 1 pm				
	American Legion #79 Hall				
	2979 Dexter Dr.				
	Riverside, CA				
	Fairmount Park				
	Contact Info – Pam Maguire 951-316-2568				

Rendezvous 2013 Thank You from Dunk and Lorraine October 25-27, 2013

Each year other clubs and Valley members help to make Rendezvous a great weekend event.

This year is no different. With help from our friends at First Class Miners, Bob Wright, Digger Dan, Garrett Metal Detectors, Whites Electronics and other Valley members we will have spectacular event prizes and Lady Luck drawing items. In 2013, Valley Prospectors is very grateful to Legends Prospecting Supplies and Metal Detectors. Their donation and huge discounts on metal detectors and accessories will help make Rendezvous a great opportunity to win fabulous prizes. This family owned business in Hemet should be considered when making your next prospecting purchases. Call John and Mary Bucholzer with your needs (951-925-5730).

We still are accepting donations for the hunt and Lady Luck. We will graciously accept them at the next meeting or at the event.

On another note – Don't forget that you can tailgate and we are looking forward to all those Chili entries. If Chili and not your thing then bring a salad, side dish, corn bread or some great dessert. You will also need to bring your own table and chairs since we don't have park picnic tables this year.

A - F Side Dish

G-L Bread

M - R Salad

S-Z Desserts



RETIRED DURING THE WEEK UPCOMING OUTINGS



Summit Time

We will be going to the Cajon Summit on October 9th. We will meet up at 9:00 am at the McDonalds parking lot right off of the 15 and 138. Weather permitting

For more information contact George or Lisa Howison at: Celtichearts 2@aol.com, 951-734-7530 or 951-733-0839

Randsburg Dig

We will be heading to Randsburg on November 14th. We will meet leaving from the Randsburg Jail promptly at 10 am, if you know where the claims are feel free to head on up and we will meet you there. Depending on the weather Randsburg is good for Dry Washing and Metal Detecting.

For more information contact George or Lisa Howison at: Celtichearts2@aol.com, 951-734-7530 or 951-733-0839







Miiners Sales



Members can run 3 times throught the year for free. Commercial ads are \$5.00 per month. Send ad's to pamus@gmail.com or Call 951-316-2568

<u>FOR SALE</u>: Robbie had a 5 inch dredge that needs to be sold. It has all the attachments motor, hoses, etc. I'm asking \$600. Can you place an add in your newsletter? I can be reached at 951-233-2243.

Mimong Claims: I have 9-40 acre claims south of Wickenburg, Arizona. Plentyy of washes for dryy washing, gold vien in 3 claims. Active mining near Little South Domingo. Contact Craig 909-230-1841.

Wanted: Do you have a place to store mining equipment? I need a place for 2 taillers mounted trammels, kuppta 5-00 mini tractor w/trailer, JBV mini backhoe w/trailer, 4 18 ft. travel trailer. Will trade backoe work ir traction work. Contact Craig at *909-230-1841

FOR SALE: 12V BATTERY OPERATED SELF CONTAINED RE-CIRCULATING SLUICE SETUP COMPLETE READY TO GO.

INCLUDES ADJUSTABLE LEG SLUICE, FRESH 12 VOLT BATTERY, THREE WATER HOLDING BINS, TWO HIGH VELOCITY WATER PUMPS, PUMP BASKET, EXTRA WATER FEED HOSE, TWO 35 GALLON FRESH WATER BARRELS, WASTE ROCK CATCH SIEVE, TOOL BOX WITH ASSORTED WASHERS, TUBING, CAPS, FITTINGS, SLIP WRENCH, 25 FEET OF GARDEN HOSE FOR FILLING BARRELS, WHEELED CARRYING BOX FOR SLUICE, CLASSIFIER, PLASTIC GOLD PAN, ASSORTED ITEMS FOR RECOVERING GOLD FROM PAN, ETC.

A VERY EFFICIENT APPARATUS FOR RECOVERING FINE GOLD FROM DRY DESERT WASHES WHEN WATER IS NOT AVAILABLE. MUCH QUIETER AND LESS DUST THAN A DRY WASHER.

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BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

Help schools get extra's they need by saving box tops for education.
These labels are on cereal, snack bars, fruit snacks, Kleenex and lots of other products. Bring to club meeting and give to Mary Schubert.
Thank you, Mary

