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If you know of a club member who is ill or needs help,
Prayer or encouragement, call our "Sunshine Lady"
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"CODE OF ETHICS"

Any Violation reflects on all of us!

1. Know and obey the laws, rules and regulations pertaining to mining.
2. Respect private property and mining claims of others. Get Permission First!
3. Conduct your mining activity in a manner that will cause minimal disturbance to others.
4. Plan your operation prior to proceeding to ensure minimal environmental impact and erosion.
5. Restore the area to its original or better condition when finished with your operation.
6. NEVER disrupt or damage wildlife breeding sites, even if it's legal to do so.
7. Remove all trash and debris found in and around all streams, rivers, and campsites.
8. Keep your equipment maintained and in peak operating condition.
9. Use extreme caution when using petroleum products around waterways.
10. MINE SAFELY! No amount of gold is worth your life or the life of others.

CLUB MEETINGS

**AUGUST 14-15
2010**

**AT THE CLAIM
LIBBY CREEK**

**Call any member listed above
if you need directions.**

99ER'S NUGGET NEWS

Northwest Montana Gold Prospectors Club

AUGUST, 2010

Editor: Mary Lance

Quote of the month: May the sun in its course visit no land more free, more happy, more lovely than this our own country. Daniel Webster

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GOLD PRICES:

AS OF : Aug 5, 2010

Gold \$1205.70

Silver \$ 18.46

OUR WEBSITE:

NWMTGoldprospectors.com

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Hi friends:

Well summer finally got here, kinda. We get really hot, in the 90s, and then boom, we are back down to 65. It is really true, if you don't like Montana weather, wait a minute. I guess change is good in some respects. It doesn't give us a chance to be bored.

I can't believe school is going to start again in three weeks. Does it seem like the days and weeks and even years are flying faster and faster? I heard life is like toilet paper, the closer you get to the end, the faster it goes.

I got a really cute email about Grandma being on the computer so much. (They couldn't mean me). It is called The Computer swallowed Grandma.

The computer swallowed Grandma. Yes, honestly it's true. She pressed 'control' and 'enter' and disappeared from view.

It devoured her completely, the thought just makes me squirm. She must have caught a virus or been eaten by a worm.

I've searched through the recycle bin and files of every kind; I've even used the internet, but nothing did I find.

In desperation, I asked Jeeves my searches to refine. The reply from him was negative, not a thing was found "online".

So, if inside your 'inbox', my grandma you should see, Please 'Copy', 'scan' and 'paste' her. And send her back to me.

It has been really slow for getting information for the newsletter and the recipes have all dried up. I put Ric to work with his little pink camera taking pictures for me to add to the newsletter. If you are brave enough, you can give him a bad time about his camera being pink. My brother got it for him for a really good price, but the only bad thing was the color. Ric is having fun with it and that is all that matters.

Ric, Clarence, Tom and his wife, and Cody Hoffman all went to Gary and Rita Hall's and put in a ramp so Gary can get out of the house once in a while. Rita and Gary appreciated this very much. Eric from Western Building donated all the materials. Thanks Eric and workers.

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Members ads will be printed in the newsletter free of charge.

Please send them to my email or my home address by the 20th of each month.

Hey Mary,
Hope all is well. At the last outing someone found a sd card for a camra. I have not put it in to see if we know who it belongs to but could you put it in the news letter that it was found.

Thank you,
Vicki

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I just rejoined NWMGP and plan on attending the September outings.

For sale: One 3 inch Keene combo in excellent condition. \$1000 firm.

One Keene drywasher, never used. \$1000.
Can be seen at the September outings.

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July 10 ,2010 NWMGP meeting

Clarence Taber lead the meeting at 1:00 PM with 50 people present.

Clarence had the new members and visitors introduce themselves. He then introduced Al and Anita Adams of Arizona.... Past president of the Mohave club in Northern AZ., our sister club. Nice to have them here visiting.

Clarence gave congratulations to Billy Mohler for his first found nugget with his detector.

Jill read the minutes which were approved.

Sandy read the treasurers report and it was approved.

OLD BUS:

-It was then discussed who would take Herb's place and Clarence suggested letting Debbie Robinson finish out the rest of the year as Vice President. The club voted in agreement.

-Clarence then gave a summary of this weekends dig. He reminded everyone to leave the bank at a slope so it won't cave in. He would also like the Forest Service and Robin McCullouch to look at the historic ditch.

-Clarence will get maps for Jerry B and Bob Liston who worked on the survey corner locations.

-Jon said the lock has been changed on the club gate as the last one was damaged.

-It was discussed that we will invite Bonnie, the F. S. rep to one of our outings .

-Sandy reminded everyone to update your MEMBERSHIP DUES!

NEW BUS:

-Gary W. thanked everyone for the "get well" cards and calls.

-Braxton reminded us that we are to keep the gas can for the pumps in a plastic tote and 20 feet from the pump and to keep the pump level. Also keep the fire extinguisher close. Bonnie observed our setup and would like to do a walk through.

-The Cherry Creek bond was discussed. We would like to get a good Cherry Creek map out to the members so they know boundaries and it can get more use.

-Sandy informed us of the raffle tickets we will be selling for the next spring gold show. We will purchase 1000 tickets for \$110 that will be cut but not stapled. Prizes will be the large silver round, a gold nugget and a metal detector.

-Vicki informed us we should not use staples on our newsletter as it raises the price to mail them by 20 cents each so some of the letters ended up back at the Post Office.

-Sandy asked if someone could deliver applications to the Gold Miser. There was a volunteer.

-Potluck is to be at 6PM and the Sun. club breakfast will be at 8 AM.

-The gold split will be after the dinner and everyone should bring a snuffer bottle.

Meeting was adjourned and the raffle was held.

ITEM	DONATED BY	WINNER
Silver round	Club	Linda Browne
Plate and cup set	Jill T	Janet Liston
Cup warmer	Billy M	Roper
First Aid Kit	Wayne H	Anna Johnson
Flashlight radio	Ron M	Sandy R
Poke	Ida M	Al Adams
Towel	Ida	Sandy R
Blanket	Charlie K	Roper
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Scoop	Braxton	Maureen Pitman
Screwdriver	Wayne	Linda Browne
Blanke	Ida	Wayne H
Dish rag	Billy M	Linda Mayes
Pot scrubber	Ida	Steve Pierce
Water bottle holder	Ida	Dave Bjelland
Mug	Club	Sean Boylan
Lighter	Wayne	Jerry Slinger
Pizza cutter	Wayne	Sandy
Meteorite	Roper	Charlie Kins
Afghan	Ida	Jerry Slinger



This picture submitted by Clarence Taber is at Baptiste's old cabin. Taylor and Wagner bros. Oct. 21, 78

Pictures from July outing 2010 taken by Ric Lance



