

January 2015

Meetings are held at Smoke'n Pit Bar-B-Que, 1641 North Tamiami Trail, North Fort Myers, located on Rte 41 (Bus) between Pine Island Rd (SR78) & the Edison Bridge. First Tuesday of every month, at 4:30



Ft Myers Knife Club - Last Meeting Update

The December meeting of the Ft. Myers Knife Club had an attendance of 23 members and guests. This month's door prizes consisted of a 60 Knife Roll and a Frost Radical Edge Folder. The winner of the Knife Roll was Jerry Miller and the Frost knife was won by Dixie Smegal. The monthly 50-50 drawing of \$40 went to Sherie Miller. Congratulations to all the winners, you too can be a winner of our monthly door prizes, 50/50 and/or raffles just simply attend one of your monthly FMKC club meetings.

This month's **BEST SPECIAL KNIFE** was for the best **10 Dot (1970) Case XX Knife**. The winner was Gary Wrona for his 10 Dot Case XX Elephant-Toe. The Best Special knife for January 2015: The best **Custom Straight Knife**. So bring your knife to impress the club members and maybe win yourself a prize.

*Next meeting Date: January 6th – Free Door Prizes Drawing
Bring your favorite knives for Show & Tell & share
January's Best Special Feature Knife is : Custom Straight Knife.
Bring your best to win a Prize*

Monthly Gun & Knife Show Schedule

SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL GUN & KNIFE SHOW – GO THIS WEEKEND !!

Jan 3-4	Englewood - FBL Venues - VFW Post 10178, 550 N. McCall Rd
Jan 3-4	Orlando - Florida Gun Shows - Central Florida Fairgrounds
Jan 10-11	Naples - FBL Venues - VFW Post 7721, 800 Neffs Way
Jan 17-18	Ft Lauderdale - Suncoast Gun Show - War Memorial Auditorium
Jan 17-18	Lakeland - Lakeland Gun & Pistol Show - Lakeland Center
Jan 24-25	Cape Coral - FBL Venues - German American Club, Pine Island Rd
Jan 24-25	Ft Myers - Gun, Knife, Civil War Show - Araba Shrine Temple
Jan 24-25	Palmetto - Suncoast Gun Show - Manatee Civic Center
Jan30-Feb1	36th Annual Gator Cutlery Show - Lakeland Center

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES:

Membership dues for 2015 are due. In order to maintain all privileges of the club you need to fulfill this requirement. The Annual Dues are \$10.00 or you may consider becoming a Life Member, this a one-time fee of \$75.00. If you are unsure that your dues are for 2015 please contact the club secretary at 239.233.5611 or e-mail: rsmegal@comcast.net. You may pay your dues at any upcoming club meeting or submit payment to the club's address: FMKC, PO Box 706, St James City, FL 33956-0706. Checks will be accepted, however all checks must be endorsed to **RUSSELL SMEGAL**. Any other endorsement will result in return of your check. Sorry..



**36th Annual
Gator Cutlery Show**

**Jan 30 - 31 & Feb 1
Lakeland Center
Lakeland, FL.**

**Fri Hrs 10AM-5PM
Sat Hrs 9PM-5PM
Sun Hrs 9AM-3PM**

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*See You There
At The Club's
Display Table!!*



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FMKC NEWSLETTER



Best Two Pocket Knives

Buck 110 Folding Hunter



It's hard to argue with an icon, especially when it has five decades of rave reviews and diehard fans behind it. The world famous Buck Model 110 Folding Hunter is one of the best-selling pocket knives in history selling more than 15 million since 1964 with good reason. The 110 has a 3.75-inch stainless steel blade with a beautiful wood handle and was among the first lockback knives created.

The Buck 110 is widely considered one of the best knives ever and it's not hard to see why. Aside from the quality construction, the knife has everything you'd need in a good pocket knife, which is why it's not surprising that the 110 style is mimicked by many brands. Still, there's only one Buck 110 Hunter and it should be your next pocket knife.

Victorinox SwissChamp



It's impossible to lay out a list of best pocket knives without putting a Swiss Army knife somewhere on it. Choosing between the One Hand Trekker and the SwissChamp is difficult, but the SwissChamp deserves the mention here because of its presence in the lore of knives.

Not only is the SwissChamp one of the most functional and highly regarded Swiss Army knives around, but it puts all other multi-tools to shame. The SwissChamp prides itself on having 32 tools that can turn any novice into a handyman. The knife itself carries the reliable stamp of Victorinox and is beloved by anyone who owns one. For more than 25 years, the SwissChamp has been the first knife of many wide-eyed young men and many knives since then have failed to live up to the quality and dependability of the Swiss Champ.

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