



Ft Myers Knife Club - Last Meeting Update

The October meeting of the Ft. Myers Knife Club had an attendance of 12 members & guests. This month's door prizes consisted of a CRKT Rollock and a Parker Kayak Canoe. James Patton won the Rollock and Coy Baughman III won the Parker Canoe. The Monthly 50/50 drawing of \$25.00 went to James Patton. The **Best Special** knife for the month was won by Renate Taylor. It was a large beautiful custom knife made by Gordon Romeis of Fort Myers.

Next meeting Date: 3rd of November – Free Door Prizes Drawing.

Bring your favorite knives for Show & Tell and/or Sell

November's Feature Knife will be your best: Pearl Single Blade Folder Knife.

Bring your best to win a Prize

Monthly Gun & Knife Show Schedule

SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL GUN & KNIFE SHOWS - GO THIS WEEKEND !!!

Nov 14-15	Sarasota - 2 Guys Gun & Knife Show - Sarasota Fairgrounds
Nov 14-15	Venice - Florida Expo Gun - Venice Community Center
Nov 14-15	West Palm Beach - Sports Shoe Specialists - South Florida Fair grounds
Nov 21-22	Ft Myers - Gun, Knife, Civil War Show - Araba Shrine Temple
Nov 28-29	Orlando - Florida Gun Shows - Central Florida Fairgrounds
Nov 28-29	Port Charlotte - 2 Guys Gun & Knife Show - Charlotte County Fairgrounds
Nov 28-29	Naples - Florida Expo Gun Show - Italian American Club

***CASE XX
Pearl
Mini-Copperlock***



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AL MAR HAWK ULTRALIGHT

PRICE ~\$100



That's not a typo – the Ultralight version of the **Al Mar Hawk** weighs *one ounce*. For reference, that's about as much as a slice of bread, or 5 US Quarters. That's next-level [light weight](#) for a real knife, made with real steel, which has a real lock. Of course that lack of weight comes from somewhere.

The Hawk Ultralight has canvas micarta handles with no liners, and it's pinned together with polished rivets flush with the handles – no fiddling or dismantling this one. It uses what Al Mar calls a “front lock” which is really just a [lockback](#) with the pivot point moved further forward for easier access. There are also no washers, the blade riding directly on the [micarta](#), which gives Al-Mar's Ultralights a unique feel when opening – slick and soft once they break in. There is also no pivot adjustment on the Hawk, or for that matter a pocket clip – this is one you just slip deep into your pocket.

What it does have is a hell of a blade: whether you choose the standard Hawk with its full flat ground spear point blade, or the Hawk Talon with its swedged spearpoint, the super-thin **AUS-8** blade (0.07” stock) and its perfect grinds make for an ideal slicer, for packaging, food prep, or any other household task. Al Mar's fit and finish is arguably the best in the business, with everything coming together with “how do they do this?” smoothness. It makes the price tag easier to swallow, although in 2017 we can't help but wish for an upgrade to the blade steel for the \$105 retail price. Still, an all-time classic that is so light you'll accidentally grab a second knife because you forgot you already had one in your pocket.



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