

December 2011

Meetings are held at PERKINS Restaurant, 12300 S. Cleveland Ave. (US41), 2.5 miles South of Edison Mall or 1.2 miles North of Daniels Pkwy (SR865). First Tuesday of every month, 4:30 to 7:30 PM



Ft Myers Knife Club - Last Meeting Update

The November meeting of the Ft. Myers Knife Club had a attendance of 21 members and guests. This month's door prizes were a Case XX Bone-Stag Peanut and a Queen Knife Sharpener. The winner of the Case Peanut was Jim Fahnenstiel and the sharpener went to Don Fowler. The 50/50 winner's share of \$50 went to Russ Smegal. 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 Award went to George Niehaus for his Dawson Custom Tactical Fighter. Next month's BEST SPECIAL KNIFE will be your **Best 10 Dot (1970) Case XX Knife**. So bring your favorite 10 Dot knife to impress the members and the judges. You may also be rewarded with a small prize from the club.

*Next meeting Date: December 6th – Free Door Prizes Drawing
Bring your favorite knives for Show & Tell and share with the members
December's Best Special Feature Knife is : Best 10 Dot Case XX Knife*

Monthly Gun & Knife Show Schedule

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

Dec 3-4	Cape Coral Gun & Knife Show - German American Club/Pine Island Rd.
Dec 3-4	Tampa - Suncoast Gun Show - Florida State Fairgrounds
Dec 10-11	Ft Myers - Suncoast Gun Show - Lee Civic Center
Dec 17-18	Port Charlotte - 2 Guys Gun & Knife Show - Charlotte County Fairgrounds
Dec 17-18	West Palm Beach - Sport Show Specialists - South Florida Fairgrounds



Meeting Location Change

Effective January 1, 2012 the Ft Myers Knife Club meetings will be held at Abe's Kountry Kitchen. This new restaurant was formerly the Perkins restaurant which was our former meeting place for many years in the Morse Shores Plaza on Palm Beach Blvd in Ft Myers. This month's meeting (Dec 2011) will be our last meeting at the Perkins Restaurant on South Cleveland Ave. We have been meeting at this location since March 2009. It has served us well. However, the size of the room has been a bit small for our needs. Hopefully the new

location will better meet our needs. Our president and vice-president have checked the new location carefully and have stated that the food is good, reasonable priced and nice portions.



**ABE'S KOUNTRY KITCHEN
4921 PALM BEACH BLVD.
FORT MYERS, FLORIDA**



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FMKC NEWSLETTER



What Makes Case Knives Different ?

Made In The U.S.A. Since 1889 every Case Knife is made with pride in the United States.

Hand-Crafted. Every knife is hand crafted by the most skilled artisans and cutlers in the business.

160 steps. Each knife takes over 160 manufacturing processes to complete.

Tradition. Case knives are cherished possessions passed down through generations and hand crafted to stand the test of time.

Tested XX. The Tested XX is a symbol of Case's commitment to quality which can be traced back to the early days of Case when blades were tempered and tested not just once (X), but twice (XX).

Collectable. The 19,000 plus members of the Case Collectors Club can attest to the fact that Case knives are the most collected knives in the world.

Natural Handles. Case stretches to the far corners of the earth to find the finest natural handle materials available.

Premium Knives. Case is dedicated to making the everyday tool into a valuable treasure for discerning men and women who want more than just a knife.

Experience. Case has been making pocketknives since 1889. With over a century of experience, we know how to make a premium pocketknife.

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIPS DUES: Membership dues for 2012 are due effective in January. 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 is a one-time fee of \$75.00. You can pay at the next meeting or submit payment to the club's address:

FMKC, PO Box 706, St James City, FL 33956-0706.



Merry
Christmas
&
Happy
New Year!

NOTICE: Receive your monthly newsletter via e-mail instead of snail mail. Contact the club secretary, Russ Smegal at: rsmegal@comcast.net By doing this you will save the club the newsletter mailing cost.