

# Florida Gold Coast Chapter No. 60

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WATCH AND CLOCK COLLECTORS, INC.

## Meeting Notice

**Sunday October 19, 9:30 AM**  
**Miramar Civic Center**

Our Meeting and Mart will open its doors at 9:30, with the business meeting starting at about 11:00. The program will be a Forum conducted by Mr. Ken Wilhelm, NAWCC Museum Trustee as a part of the new NAWCC Chapter Visitation Program. The thrust of this program is to improve communication between the members, chapters, National Officers and NAWCC Headquarters. In addition this program is to realign relations and credibility of all involved. The following are a few of the possible topics for discussion:

1. NAWCC Assessment Document
2. NAWCC Annual Report for the years ended March 31, 1997 and 1996
3. The Moore & Associates Situation Analysis and Recommended Resource Development Strategy Report
4. NAWCC Internet Members Forum (an E-Mail information highway)
5. Any questions, complaints etc. that you the members may want to discuss on the floor or in a private conversation with our representative from NAWCC.

Copies of the NAWCC Assessment Document and other documents will be available during the Mart and prior to the meeting for your review.

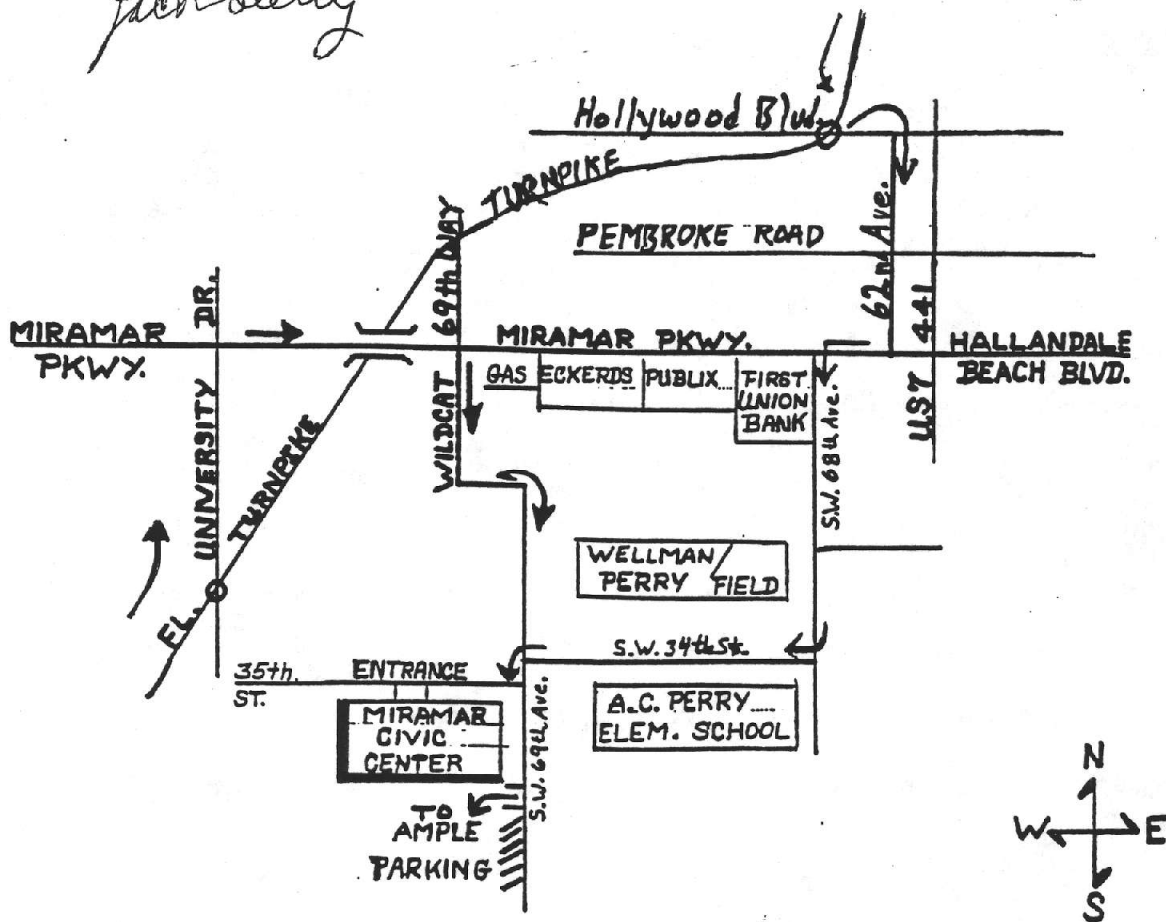
This will be a very informative program to learn more about the workings of NAWCC Headquarters, NAWCC Council, and NAWCC Committees. The future of NAWCC is in the hands of the active members who make their contributions to the various committees. Please attend!

The Exhibit we held at the Coral Ridge Mall was a great success, with sixteen members in attendance: Joe Cohen, Chuck and Annie Banks, Ben and Sylvia Appel, Ely and Belle Wishnick, Israel and Margaret Benjamin, Moe Goldy, Adolph Greenbaum, Murray Friedlander, Alan Garrett, Nat Gluckman, and Jack and Trudie Seeley.

President Joe Cohen won First Prize, representing Chapter 60 at the Discovery Museum Collectors Expo in Fort Lauderdale on September 21st. Congratulations! Joe has received a request from the 1998 Portland Oregon National Convention to present his program on Evaluation, Research, & Pricing of Antique Clocks.

Come one, come all, this will be a great meeting.

*Jack Seeley*



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The Mart opened at 9:30 a.m. Registration was conducted by Annie Banks. There were 57 members, 3 guests & 8 tables were sold. We welcome 2 new members, Jose Ramirez & The meeting was opened by President Joe Cohen around 11 a.m. The Treasurer's report was given by Bob Spinney & approved. Bob also reminded everyone of the new dues schedule & payment by Jan. 31st. to avoid surcharge.

The Corresponding Secy's report, for the September meeting was read by Jack Seeley.

No Old business.

Joe then presented Certificates of Appreciation to those seventeen members who participated in the exhibit at the Coral Springs Mall on October 12th.

In order to create more public awareness of NAWCC, Inc., and Chapter 60, with National's approval, Joe has contacted a Florida publication, "Antiques & Arts" whose mailing reaches over 60,000 readers. An ad will appear in the winter/spring edition stating our name, Florida Gold Coast Chapter #60, address, meeting place and dates, etc. Joe also furnished a short story about NAWCC and will provide pictures in this publication. The cost is minimal, \$268 biannually. The ad has been approved by the board of directors.

Member Alan Garrett, president of the Broward Watch Maker's Guild, said he would be happy to provide applications to National to his membership. A membership vote was taken and passed.

Joe announced there will be NO HOSPITALITY area for the '98 Regional. Concessions will be available in the Mart.

The Banquet will be on the Sea Escape. The reason the Fla. Hotel Network is used, rather than listing individual hotels, is for security reasons. Transportation will be provided by the hotels that registers the greater number of guests.

Joe reminded the members to participate in the Survey from the Florida Council.

Our guest speaker, well-known and well-liked Ken Wilhelm, was here from Lakeland to explain the "Moore Report". His mission is to record questions, problems and suggestions that Florida chapters have concerning National's credibility.

The meeting ended with chairman Ely Wishnick announcing the nominees for our new 1998 slate of officers. The nominees are: incumbent Joe Cohen, President - Sturdevant Nye, 1st. Vice President - Nat Gluckman, 2nd. V.P. - Robert Spinney, Treasurer - Jack Seeley, Corr. Sec'y. - Jan Lamb, Record-

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## Meeting Calendar Third Sunday - Each Month Except August and December

Our October meeting at the Miramar Civic Center opened the Mart at 9:30. The business meeting began about 11:00. President Joe Cohen presented Certificates of Appreciation to the seventeen members who participated in the exhibit at the Coral Springs Mall on October 12. This exhibit created quite a lot of interest in spite of a relatively slow day at the mall. Quite a few people were interested in what we had to "show and tell". Quite a large number of people took application folders with them.

The speaker for this meeting was Ken Wilhelm of Chapter 19 in Lakeland. He represented the National Headquarters to explain the "Moore Report" and to improve interactivity between individual chapters and National.

The announcement of the nomination of Officers for 1998 was made at our October meeting. Chairman Ben Appel being out of town, the candidates were announced by Ely Wishnick, a member of the Nominating Committee.

At the November meeting, all nominees were elected unanimously. They will be officially installed at our December meeting. This is the new slate of officers:

Joseph C. Cohen	President *
Sturdevant Nye	First vice President
Nat Gluckman	Second Vice President
Robert Spinney	Treasurer *
John R. (Jack) Seeley	Corresponding Secretary *
Jan Lamb	Recording Secretary
Alan Garrett	Sargeant-at-Arms
	* Incumbents

President Joe Cohen, who is also the Chairman of the 1998 Florida Mid-Winter Regional gave an update on the status of the Regional and again asked for Volunteers.

Because of the Holiday Season, our December meeting will be on the second Sunday, the 14th. at the Miramar Civic Center.

Jack Seeley