

# Florida Gold Coast Chapter No. 60

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WATCH AND CLOCK COLLECTORS, INC.

## Meeting Notice Sun. Sept. 21

At the Miramar Civic Center, 9:30 AM

Here we go again!!! Summer is just about over and hopefully, those 90 plus temperatures. Come to the meeting where it's nice and cool. Our John Sand, a long time member, will conduct an auction of Horological items, as he has done in the past. We always have a lot of fun with this, so be sure to bring something to put on the block.

NAWCC President Dave Morgan has selected our President Joe Cohen to be the Chairman of a new ad hoc committee on security for Regionals and Nationals, (not just Florida), to help people with security related items.

Our Chapter has received a check for our participation in the 1997 Regional in the amount of \$1302.05, our percentage for the people who were on committees. Many thanks to those who gave freely of their time and expertise for this very successful event!

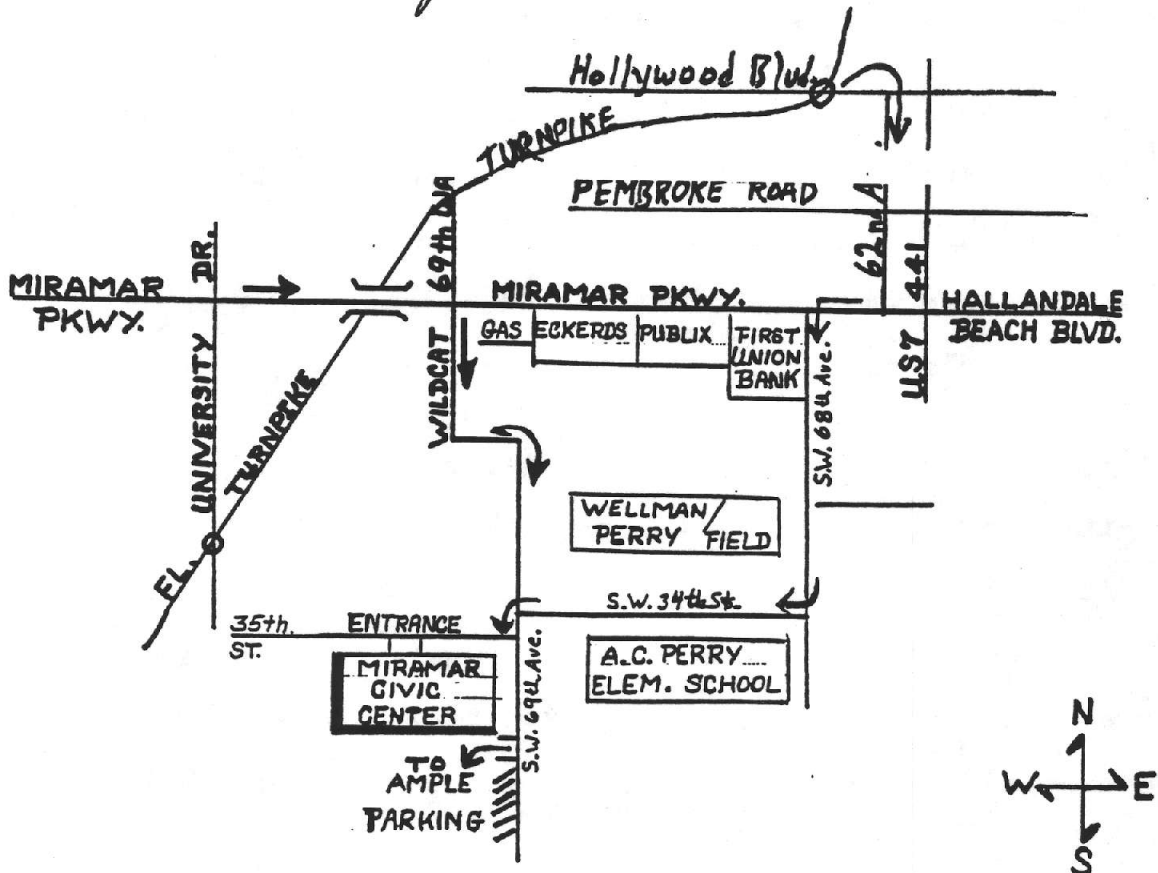
Speaking of Regionals, there will be a meeting and walk-through for the Committee for the 1998 Regional at the facility, the Fort Lauderdale Convention Center. The Center has offered us a room there to hold a meeting. The date is October 26th. a Sunday, at 12:15 PM. Please mark your calendars so you won't miss it. Very Important!!!!

Please note that there has been a change in the dates for the seminar on Evaluation, Research, and Pricing of Antique Clocks by Joe Cohen, at FAU. The new dates are October 25th. and November 8th. Please call Joe at 954-561-2234 for any information.

At the April and May meetings, suggestions were put forth and voted on and passed, to change the Bylaws of Chapter 60. To make this change official, there is a sheet in this notice that specifies these changes. Since they only involve two Articles, only these are printed. The Members at the next meeting will vote to accept the complete Bylaws as amended. Copies of the complete bylaws will be available at the meeting.

See you there.

*Jack Seely*



Minutes from September 21, 1997

The Mart opened at 9:30 AM. Registration was conducted by Annie Banks: 12 tables were sold and 74 people were in attendance.

The Meeting was brought to order by President Joe Cohen. The First Order on the agenda was a discussion on the need to amend the By Laws. A written list of the amendments was available for all members present. The By Laws amendments passed unanimously.

The Treasurer's report was read by Bob Spinney.

A new member, Jose Ramirez, was welcomed to Chapter 60.

The minutes from July were read by Jan Lamb.

The Treasurer's report and minutes were approved by the members.

Joe announced that he was the only volunteer from Chapter 60 to work the Discovery Expo on this week-end.

Old Business - None

New Business - None

Show and Tell was presented by Peter Klein. He presented an Austrian oil lamp clock from the late 1700's or early 1800's and also a palm reed watch holder.

Ed and Fran Malette, who will Co-chair the Ft. Lauderdale 98 Regional were introduced. They announced that 505 tables out of 815 have already been sold.

A survey which is being conducted for this Regional is being looked at very seriously by National and other participating members.

Jack Seely won the 50/50.

The September meeting for Chapter 60 was adjourned after which John Sand conducted an auction.

Special recognition once again to Boris Tociapski who was available during the Mart for Watch & Clock testing and analysis and also to Margaret Benjamin for the wonderful cake she brought.