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2015

CLUB NEWSLETTER

CELEBRATING 10 YEARS AS A CLUB

ABOUT OUR CLUB: Founded in 2005, we are a fun-seeking group of folks that enjoy the hobby of metal detecting, searching for lost coins, jewelry, or other treasures that are surely out there. We help clean up parks and recover items following our digging ethics. Typically meet on the first Thursday of every month and are open to the public. We are a family friendly organization and we would love to have you as a member or would welcome your visit.

Our next meeting will be on **Thursday, September 3rd** at the gymnasium inside the **New World United Methodist Church, 5134 Northwest Highway, Garland, TX 75043, from 7 – 9 pm.** Look for the EFTHA sign!

(The GPS coordinates are: N 32 51' 20.56 W 96 38' 10.05.)

CLUB OFFICERS:

PRESIDENT:
John W.



VICE PRESIDENT:
Jim M.



TREASURER,
Newsletter:
Steve D.



SECRETARY:
Annette M.



Appreciated volunteers!

Huntmaster: Bill A.



Find Of The Month:
Andretta L.



Refreshments: (open)

A FEW WORDS FROM OUR CLUB PRESIDENT:



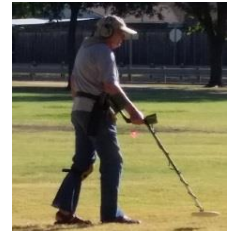
Have you been detecting through the summer and tried to dig into the clay concrete we have here in North Texas? Hopefully we'll get some rain to break the heat in the near future (which might help soften the ground again), maybe in time for our upcoming club hunts. We've been planning our donation hunt as well as our fall seeded hunt. You won't want to miss them, so be sure to sign up. The September meeting is the last chance to sign up for the donation hunt (bring an item worth \$10+ or \$10 cash and see Jim Marshall). Also, be aware that if you delay in signing up for the seeded hunt, the price is going to go up after the meeting - \$25 at the meeting. These are going to be some fun hunts...

Finally, we are still in the midst of West Nile season around here, so please be sure to use insect repellent while out and about (especially in the morning and evening hours).

Be safe and Happy Hunting! John

AUGUST FUN HUNT AT BEASELY PARK

It was a hot summer day, but a good time hunting when members from EFTHA came out to the Fun Hunt at Beasley Park. It took us a while but club President John W finally found the hidden token and scored the prize. "Most Quarters" went to John, Marc, and Steve. "Most Trash" was Curtis, Maureen, and Marc. "Most Bottle Caps" went to David, Joe, Marc. Everyone dug up and disposed of lots of trash, making the park safer and better then we found it! Good job everyone! See you at the next Fun Hunt! For Huntmaster Bill, John W (President)



LUCKY WINNERS FROM THE LAST MEETING!

DOORPRIZE WINNERS (Aug):

Last months lucky doorprize winners were:

John, Larry, Denny, Ken, Annette, Curtis, Steve, Rheia, Charles

Special thanks to Garrett, Jim M and all who donated our door prizes!



NAMETAG DRAWING WINNER (Aug):

(Bob S.)



FUNDRAISER WINNERS (Aug):

1776 Bolivian half Reale - Steve D.
1854 Large Cent - Shelley K.
1943 Walking Liberty half - Larry C.
1928 Standing Liberty Qtr - Jim M.
1859 Indian Cent (first year) - Jim M.



REFRESHMENTS REMINDER BOX:

Here is a reminder to bring your favorite goodies to share at the next meeting. If you signed up for food or drinks, please don't forget them.

Of course, anyone can bring snacks or soft drinks even if you didn't sign up to do so, they are always appreciated!

The club is still needing a "Refreshments Coordinator" volunteer, so if you wish to do that, please let the club know. We would appreciate the help with that.



FINDS OF THE MONTH WINNERS (Aug):

COIN:

1st Place: Ken K - 1951 Wash Qtr

2nd Place: John W - '62 Rosey dime

3rd Place: Curtis H - 50 Euro



JEWELRY:

1st Place: Ken K - 925 spinner ring

2nd Place: Maureen W - earring

3rd Place: John W - broken silver ring

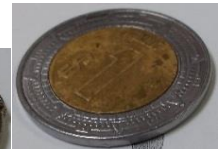


SECOND CHANCE:

1st Place: Ken K - 925 silver earrings

2nd Place: Maureen W - silver ring

3rd Place: : Curtis H - \$1 peso



WILD CARD:

1st Place: Ken K - 1950's dog tag

2nd Place: Jim M - 3 ring bullet

3rd Place: Maureen W - Lipstick



Thanks to all members who entered their finds in the "Find Of The Month" contest and congratulations to all the winners!

Yes, you can win silver at each meeting for your 1st place winning entry, plus a chance at the year- end prize!

Remember, only members can enter so if you are not yet a member it's never too late to join! To become a member, see our club secretary, Annette. For a points standing of all 2015 contestants to date or any other FOM questions, please see Andretta.

PREPARING FOR OCTOBER SEEDED HUNT

EFTHA will be having a Seeded Hunt on **October 3rd** at Samual Farms at 10:00 am. It will be for paid members only. Membership is only \$20 a year for family and \$15 for single so if you are not a paid member come on and join in on the fun!

The hunt will consist of 2 hunts, a "**Coin Hunt**", then lunch, then a "**Donation Hunt**". The donation item must be worth at least \$10 or you can just donate cash of course. You can bring in your donation at the next meeting and don't forget to pay your hunt fee of \$25 please. It was decided that members may pay up to the day of the hunt, but after the September meeting the cost goes up to \$35 and \$45 if you have to pay at the hunt so pay early! You may mail in your hunt fee to club Treasurer Steve D (see him for address) as needed.

At lunch, the club will provide sandwich meats (ham, turkey, and chicken), bread, condiments, plates and plasticware, napkins. Members are asked to bring in your own drinks, any special fixins, desserts, or covered dish as you desire.

Jim will have a flyer at the next meeting with all the details and there will be another email blast in September with the flyer pdf. Hunt will be rain or shine so prepare accordingly, no refunds, please bring your own chairs and pop-up shades.

UPCOMING FUNDRAISER PREVIEW:



Fundraiser coins for
September includes:

1723 2 Reale cob
1 ounce silver round
1907 Barber Half
1926 Standing Liberty Quarter
1869 2 Cent

Tickets are only \$1 each, or 6 for \$5, or 25 tickets for \$20!!!
Come on and get in on the winning!

UPCOMING EVENTS:



COIN SHOWS!

(Coinshows source: www.coinshows.com)

DENTON COUNTY COIN SHOW

SATURDAY **SEPTEMBER 12th** 9am - 4pm

VFW POST #2205
909 Sunset Drive
Denton, Texas 76201

FREE PARKING, FREE ADMISSION
HOURLY \$10 DOOR PRIZE,
PROOF SILVER EAGLE RAFFLE

PROMOTER:
Tony Hales
P O Box 832032
Richardson TX 75080
214-289-4545
EMAIL: tkhales@yahoo.com



WACO COIN CLUB FALL SHOW

SATURDAY **SEPTEMBER 12th** 9am - 4pm

BELLMEAD CIVIC CENTER
3900 Parrish Street
Bellmead, near Waco, Texas
(I-35, exit 339. just north of Waco)

FREE PARKING
\$2 ADMISSION CHARGE
CHILDREN - FREE ADMISSION
DOOR PRIZES

SPONSOR: Waco Coin Club.

CONTACT:
Waco Coin Club
P O Box 24267
Waco TX 76702
254-756-6613
or
Thomas Campbell
254-224-7761
EMAIL : trcam_51@hotmail.com



DEALERS: 32. Tables available - Yes. Price

TEXAS COIN SHOW

FRIDAY **OCTOBER 2nd** 2pm - 6pm
SATURDAY **OCTOBER 3rd** 9am - 6pm
SUNDAY **OCTOBER 4th** 9am - 3pm

GRAPEVINE CONVENTION CENTER
1209 South Main Street
Grapevine, Texas 76051

FREE PARKING
\$3 ADMISSION CHARGE
3 GOLD DOOR PRIZES
SATURDAY 1pm-5pm - 3 FREE NUMISMATIC
SEMINARS
(sponsored by Northeast Tarrant Coin Club)
24-HOURS POLICE SECURITY

PROMOTER:
Ginger & David Pike
P O Box 126
Tom Bean TX 75489-0126
214-535-3465
E-MAIL: TexasCoinShows@aol.com



DEALERS: 70. Tables available - Yes. Price
\$245 single, \$365 corner.

DEALER SET-UP TIME: Friday October 2nd
10am-2 p.m. Early Bird badges \$25.00.