



October  
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, October 1st** 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:



October seems to be the month of seeded hunts... I can't wait! The weather is starting to change and hopefully we'll be able to get outdoors without SPF1000 sunblock.

Below are some of my recent finds. Hope you got some too!

Now that it's officially fall, we hope you find some time to enjoy some metal detecting and spending time with good friends! We hope to see you at the East Fork Treasure Hunters seeded hunt on October 3rd. Until then... Happy Hunting! John



NOTE: Due to the Labor day weekend, there was no club Fun Hunt in September. We do hope that everyone had a great holiday and got to get out there and find some treasure anyways!

## **TERRY RELATES HIS TREASURE FINDING EXPERIENCES:**

At the September meeting, our own clubmember Terry R gave us a short talk on how he got started in metal detecting. He also talked about where to find other "treasures" like at garage sales and such. His adventures included purchasing an Olympic vase for \$30 which turned out to be worth much more! Same deal on a silver tourquoise necklace. Terry had some helpers model for him too. It was a fun talk and we surely thank you, Terry!

If you also would like to give a short presentation on your metal detecting adventures, pointers, or experiences...let us know! We are always interested in hearing from you!



## LUCKY WINNERS FROM THE LAST MEETING!

### DOORPRIZE WINNERS (Sept):

Last months lucky doorprize winners were:

Annette M, Steve D, Lee G, Andrew P, Jim M, David S, Otto F, Bill S, Terry R.

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



fishing pole!

### NAMETAG DRAWING WINNER (Sept):

Shelley K.



### FUNDRAISER WINNERS (Sept):

1723 2 Reale cob - Jim M  
1 ounce silver round - Steve D.  
1907 Barber Half - Larry C.  
1926 Standing Liberty Qtr - John W.  
1869 2 Cent - Denny K.



### 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.

Also we need volunteers to take the Refreshments Tote. Please take it home, keep it stocked with needed supplies, and bring it to the next meeting. Yes, you will be reimbursed for any purchases needed, or just donate those items to the club.

Its your chance to be a "super-hero"!





## FINDS OF THE MONTH WINNERS (Sept):

### COIN:

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Ken K - 1911 Barber dime

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Bill S - 1924 Merc dime

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Maureen W - 2 wheaties in



### JEWELRY:

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Ken K - silver brooch

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Maureen W - gold infant ring

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Bill S - St Chris medal



### SECOND CHANCE:

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Bill S - silver ring

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Ken K - 1903 Indian cent

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: : Marc W - silver ring



### WILD CARD:

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Ken K - 1950s cap gun

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Marc W - 1950 toy airplane

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: John W - mason jar lid



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 1<sup>st</sup> 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:



**Tickets are only \$1 each, or 6 for \$5, or 25 tickets for \$20!!!**

**Come on and get in on the winning!**

Fundraiser coins for OCTOBER includes:

**1992 Silver proof set  
1993 Silver proof set**

**1925 Lexington Concord Commemorative Half**

**1929 S Standing Liberty Quarter**

## UPCOMING EVENTS:



**LONE STAR TREASURE HUNTERS CLUB**  
**41st ANNUAL OPEN HUNT**  
**Oct 17th, 2015**  
www.lonestartreasure.com



**GOLDEN TRIANGLE EXPLORERS SOCIETY**  
**ANNUAL CLUB HUNT**  
**OCT 17th, 2015**  
**The Voyles are welcoming us back to Oak Leaf**  
**for the 2015 Club Hunt!**  
www.goldentriangleexplorers.org



## COIN SHOWS!

(source: www.coinshows.com)

### 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  
(4 miles northwest of DFW Airport)  
Grapevine, Texas 76051

FREE PARKING, \$3 ADMISSION CHARGE  
3 GOLD DOOR PRIZES, R J PEED SUPPLIES  
ANACS GRADING SERVICE (Saturday only)  
SATURDAY 11am-2:30pm - 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

### COLLIN COUNTY COIN CLUB COIN SHOW

U.S., World, Ancient Coins, Paper Money,  
Tokens, Medals, Jewelry, Collectibles

SATURDAY OCTOBER 10th 9am - 4pm  
QUALITY INN  
1300 North Central Expressway  
(Highway 75, exit 40B)  
McKinney, Texas

FREE PARKING  
FREE ADMISSION  
HOURLY PRIZE - \$10 GIFT CERTIFICATE

SPONSOR: Collin County Coin Club.

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DEALERS: 40. Tables available - Yes. Price  
\$60-\$80 each.  
DEALER SET-UP TIME: 7am to 9am.