

EAST FORK TREASURE HUNTERS ASSOCIATION



NEWSLETTER



AUGUST 2016



ABOUT OUR CLUB: Founded in 2005, we are a family friendly, 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 responsibly recover items following our digging ethics. Typically we meet on the first Thursday of every month and our meetings are open to the public. We would love to have you as a member or would just welcome your friendly visit. Lost something and need our help finding it? Visit our website or email us at eastforktreasure@gmail.com. Our club Newsletter helps keep our members informed about the activities and adventures of our metal detecting club. We welcome your visit!

Our next club meeting will be on **Thursday, AUGUST 4th** 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.



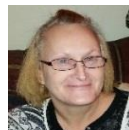
**VICE
PRESIDENT:**
Jim M.



**TREASURER,
Newsletter:**
Steve D.



SECRETARY:
Rheia D.

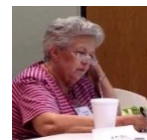


Appreciated volunteers!

Huntmaster: Bill A.



Find Of The Month:
Andretta L.



Refreshments:
Earl H.



A FEW WORDS FROM OUR CLUB PRESIDENT:

Greetings from California. Sarah and I took a week to escape the heat and are enjoying the cool evenings in the SF Bay Area. While here in California, I was given the chance to detect a private school, school yard. There were so many targets, I actually got tired of digging quarters. During these hot months, it is extremely important to stay hydrated, especially while enjoying outdoor activities. I look forward to seeing each of you when we get together at our upcoming meeting. Stay safe...Happy Hunting! John



JULY FUN HUNT - Return to Embree park !

Apparently Embree Park in Garland is still a great place to find clad quarters, dimes, and also pennies! Lucky hunter John W found the hidden token and scored the prize. Some of the prize categories winners were: "Most quarters" - John with 13, Steve and Maureen tied with 5 each. It was awefully hot by 11am already so we grabbed our club provided ice cold waters and left. See ya at the next one! Filling in for Huntmaster Bill A, Steve D.



This coin was found in the ground laying next to a dime as you can see by the imprint.

There are always interesting finds to be made when metal detecting.



Lucky Hunter John W found the token and won the prize!

Later on, John also found 2 quarters in the same hole. He said it actually rang up as "50 cents" on his AT Pro. Cool! Good hunting, John!



Our club always pulls trash out of the ground and cleans up the park when we visit.



Yes, there still is treasure to be found out there and we certainly have fun finding it!

LUCKY WINNERS FROM THE LAST MEETING!

DOORPRIZE WINNERS (July):

Last months lucky doorprize winners included:

Zack, Ken K, Andretta L, Catherine L, Bill S, John W, Bob S.

Congratulations to our lucky winners!
Special thanks to Garrett and all who donated our door prizes!



NAMETAG DRAWING WINNER (July):

Charles L.



FUNDRAISER WINNERS (July):

Lucky clubmember Earl H won 2 of the Peace dollars!
Congratulations to all the lucky winners!



Lucky Bingo Fundraiser winners were:
John W, Shelley K, Maureen W, Earl H, David S.
Congratulations to all the lucky winners!

NEXT COIN FUNDRAISER:

Coin Fundraiser for AUGUST 2016 is:

2016 Silver Eagle dollar
1923 Peace dollar
1924 Peace dollar
1845 LARGE cent
another 1845 LARGE cent



Coin FR Tickets are only \$1 each, or 6 for \$5, 12 for \$10 or 24 tickets for \$20 !



We have had folks win coins worth \$20 on a single ticket purchase!
It can happen, so come on and get in on the fun!



REFRESHMENTS REMINDER BOX:



Thanks to all who brought food and drink items to the last meeting!

For the August meeting, please let Earl know what you are bringing.
Thank you to all who bring snacks and refreshments to our monthly meeting!

FINDS OF THE MONTH WINNERS (July):

COIN:

1st Place: Bill S - 1911 Barber Dime

2nd Place: Ken K - 1927 Merc Dime

3rd Place: Maureen W - 2 Wheat cents



JEWELRY:

1st Place: Ken K - Indian tie clasp

2nd Place: Maureen W - lapel pin

3rd Place: (no entry)



SECOND CHANCE:

1st Place: Bill S - 1928 Merc Dime

2nd Place: Ken K - silver ring

3rd Place: Maureen W - 1963D Rosie



WILD CARD:

1st Place: Maureen W - Pachinko token

2nd Place: Ken K - Beechcraft plane

3rd Place: Bill S - Disney plane



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 a silver coin at each meeting for your 1st place winning entry, plus a chance at the year- end prizes!

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.



EFTHA YEARLY CALENDER OF EVENTS: (tentative)

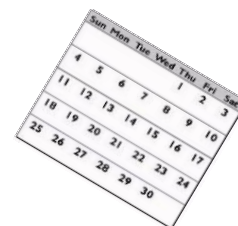
AUGUST: Regular meeting, no Fun Hunt

SEPTEMBER: Regular meeting and Fun Hunt

OCTOBER: Seeded hunt

NOVEMBER: Silent auction, officer elections

DECEMBER: Christmas dinner, FOM awards



NEARBY COIN SHOWS IN AUGUST!

(visit www.coinshows.com for more information)

BELLAIRE COIN CLUB COIN SHOW

SATURDAY AUGUST 6th 9am - 5pm
SUNDAY AUGUST 7th 9am - 3:30pm

BELLAIRE CIVIC CENTER
7008 South Rice Avenue
Bellaire, Texas

FREE PARKING
\$3 ADMISSION CHARGE
FREE ADMISSION (Active Duty Military with
Military ID)
FREE ADMISSION (Kids under 12 and Scouts in
uniform)
GOLD & SILVER DOOR PRIZES
CHILDREN'S AUCTION - Saturday 1pm
(followed by Scouts Collecting Merit Badge)



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DEALERS: 40. Tables available - Yes. Price \$245.

TEXOMA COIN SHOW

US, World, Ancient Coins, Paper Money,
Tokens, Medals, Jewelry & Collectibles

SATURDAY AUGUST 13th 9am - 4pm

TEXOMA EVENT CENTER
5015 US Highway 75 South
(FM 691, exit 65)
Denison, Texas

FREE PARKING, FREE ADMISSION
HOURLY PRIZES (Free \$10 Gift Certificate)

PROMOTER:
Gary Rollins
P O Box 744
McKinney TX 75070
972-978-1611
EMAIL: grollins1@peoplepc.com

DEALERS: 40. Tables available - Yes. Price \$75 each.
DEALERS SET-UP TIME: 7am-9am

29TH ANNUAL PLANO COIN SHOW

FRIDAY AUGUST 19th 3pm - 6:30pm
SATURDAY AUGUST 20th 9am - 5pm
SUNDAY AUGUST 21st 9am - 3pm

RICHARDSON CIVIC CENTER
411 West Arapaho Road
(Southwest corner of Central
Expressway)
Richardson, Texas 75080

FREE PARKING
FREE ADMISSION
DOOR PRIZES
FREE APPRAISALS
SECURITY



PROMOTER:
Gail Christopher or Tina Simmons
Lone Star Mint
805 East 15th Street
Plano TX 75074
972-424-1405
EMAIL: gailc194911@verizon.net
or, twhit1970@verizon.net

DEALERS: 85. Tables available ? Price \$
DEALER SET-UP: Friday August 19th 1pm - 3pm.

