Beaver County Detecting Club

Meeting Minutes – 06/03/2021

Meeting Content

* 17 people attended
* Last gathering was the hunt – Toby reviewed the event for everyone and those not in attendance.
  + Got number brass football #33 back (missing for a year!)
  + Buried 3000 coins and tokens
  + Fernando got Elvis coin and won pinpointer
  + 50 brass miners tokens, still missing one - #50 still missing – a silver still outstanding to go to the one who finds it (maybe in the fall!)
  + All 350 pink quarters found
  + Garrett tokens – with key for chest – win metal detector (James won!)
  + Competition hunt went smoothly – James won silver eagle / Terry won Lesche digger.
  + Poker hunt – 3 teams won – different coins
  + Very good $1390 at hunt
  + 12 people showed up early to seed.
  + Everyone brough food.
* Tonight, need to figure out fall hunt date
* Allegheny Land Trust is a good place to hunt. You only need a permission slip if you are going to go deer hunting.
* News: Next fall James wants to do a kids hunt. He asked if club would support.
  + There was a lot of discussion about clearances / etc.
  + Discussed starting with just kids from club parents/relations.
* This saturday is the last day to get registered for the seven springs hunt (Southwest Pennsylvania Regional Hunt). The hunt is next weekend. There is a Friday meet and greet. Also a night hunt with no pinpointers. Nothing is buried but grass is taller. 2 days maybe around $70. Saturday and Sunday.
* Club Finance update - $1390 – $1433 in checking / $255 in savings / $329 in cash
* Winners for tickets bought at this meeting
  + 1904 cleaned indian head penny – Winner: Dale
  + Morgan 1900 p – Winner: Greg Thompson
  + 1974 consolation prize Ike ($40% silver) – Winner:
  + 2009 bicentennial cent set – Winner: Nora
  + Brown Ike Winner: Dale
  + 50/50 raffle – Winner: Fernando Lopez – consolation on 50/50: Fred
* Strip ticket – 250 –
* Drippy Lip Auction – June 10
* Winners of finds for this month from voting
  + Oldest Coin

1. Fred – 1862 Fatty
2. Gary – 1888 IHP
3. James – 1891 IHP
   * Best Coin
4. Toby – Love Token
5. Fred – 1916 S Barber dime
6. Phil – 1942 S Half Dollar
   * Best Jewelry
7. Fred – Sterling Cross (only entry)
   * Best Whatever
8. Gary – Garter Clip
9. Phil – Radiator Key
10. Toby – Compact Lid

* Next month, we will have shirts available

Decisions

* October 9th – Fall Hunt – at Green Valley park (upper).
* October 9th - Decided to do kids hunt for fall hunt – 12 and under – Just kids from club
  + Until then, folks from the club can make a donation to be specifically labeled for the kids hunt.
* Chinese auctions – Taking a couple of months off. Start up after a few months.