

ESTABLISHED 2007
Celebrating our 13th Year
November 2020

BEAVER COUNTY DETECTING CLUB

<http://www.beavercountydetectingclub.com>

The meeting was called to order by President Ray Rak at 7:07 pm on November 5, 2020 at the Penn Bistro in New Brighton. There were 15 members and one guest in attendance. Rich Spigot has only been detecting for a few months but has already found a class ring which he returned to the owner.

The minutes from the October 1st meeting were read by Ray Rak. There were no corrections or additions. A motion to accept the minutes was by Dave Heberling and seconded by Gary Waddell.

The treasurer's report was read by Fred Gould. The club has \$1,294.81 in checking, \$501.06 in savings and \$65.00 in cash for a total of \$ 1,860.87. A motion to accept the treasurer report was made by Toby McCleery and seconded by Bernie Conner.

Old Business

Everyone who attended the hunt enjoyed it. The weather was beautiful with some cloudiness but no rain. There were 25 members who attended the hunt.

One item of note was that more than usual number of targets were left in the ground. Out of the 2,900 targets buried there were 86 targets that were not recovered.

New Business

Changes to the Bylaws which were approved by the Executive Committee in November 2017 were voted on and passed as revisions to the BCDC Bylaws. A document listing the changes is posted on the website.

For election of officers, Jim Onuska was nominated for President but declined. Ray Rak is stepping down to be the Secretary as well as the webmaster.

Toby McCleery was nominated for President and James Onuska was nominated for Vice President. The majority of members voted for both Toby and James. Fred Gould will remain Treasurer.

The Christmas Party will be held on December 3rd at the Penn Bistro. Each member may bring a guest. The cost of the Christmas Party is \$15 per member and \$15 per guest. Some of the cost for members will be paid by the Beaver County Detecting Club. There will also be a voluntary gift exchange.

A 1/10 ounce gold coin will be raffled off as well as a Garrett AT Max and a Morgan dollar. All of the 50-50 will be given away and strip tickets will also be available.

A motion was made to replace Harry Niemeyer on the Executive Committee with Red Craft. Harry has not been active and therefore should be replaced. The motion passed.

A suggestion was made to have only one hunt per year instead of two which is the tradition. It was voted to continue with two hunts as per the Bylaws.

Raffle Results

1898 P Morgan dollar	Rich Lockhart
Consolation Prize	Phil McDowell
50-50 winner	Fernando Lopez
Proof Set	Nora Deppner
Attendance Prized	Chris Liebegott

Show and Tell Results

Coin Category

1st	1891 Seated Dime	Gary Waddell
2nd	Large Cent	Dave Heberling
3rd	1945 Large Cent	James Onuska

Jewelry Category

1st	Sterling Broach	Dave Heberling
2nd	White Gold Ring	Terry Taylor
3rd	Jesus Pendant	Hogan Eolo

Whatever Category

1st	Broken Money Clip	James Onuska
2nd	Victorian "Bling"	Gary Waddell
3rd	Bullet Fishing Sinker	Nora Deppner

Oldest Coin

1st	1825 Large Cent	Bernie Conner
2nd	1829 Large Cent	James Onuska
3rd	1837 Half Dime	Red Craft

The next meeting will be the Christmas Party on December 3rd. A motion to adjourn was made by Dave Heberling and seconded by Toby McCleery.



Best Coin



Best Jewelry



Best Whatever



Oldest Coin

BEAVER COUNTY DETECTING CLUB OFFICERS

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Dan Gabler
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Amanda Dickey
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Fred Gould
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Executive Committee 2020

Red Craft
Dan Gabler
Fred Gould
Ray Rak
Gary Waddell

Hunt Committee

Fred Gould, Jeremy Lockhart, Fernando Lopez, Toby McCleery & Gary Waddell