

# THE SILVER SIGNAL

**Next Club Meeting August 29th 2014 7:30 p.m.**

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### **Message from the Prez**

Our July speaker, Bill Covington, gave an excellent presentation on the clothing and arms of a Continental soldier in the Revolutionary War. If you missed the meeting you missed something special. Bill had a full table of period artifacts. He told stories of items found at archaeological digs with metal detectors. See pictures in this Silver Signal.

Mike Lacey and Brook Harkey have volunteered to look into the possibilities of updating our website. Mike Johnson has also volunteered to help with a redesign. We hope to see new activity on the website soon.

Remember that next month is RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP month. September is the annual month for paying club membership dues (although you are welcome to pay early if you want to take care of it this month). The cost is \$25 for single membership and \$30 for families.

It's not too early to begin thinking about the Annual Open Hunt October 25. We appreciate all contributions of prizes, as well as early registrations. Don't forget the cake auction too. Homemade cakes are a special treat, so if you have a recipe, stock up on the ingredients now. Store bought cakes will also be welcome from the non-bakers among us. Annual Hunt Registration Forms will be available at the meeting.

Happy hunting, fill your holes, and leave behind a good impression of our hobby.

Ellen

### **Speaker of the Month**

We have no special speaker for the August meeting. If you would like to do a presentation on an aspect of metal detecting, or describe a recent treasure hunting trip, let Paul Wilson know, and we will book you for a future meeting.

## July 2014 Door Prizes

<u>Door Prize</u>	<u>Donated By</u>	<u>Winner</u>
Book: Grant Take Command	Ronnie/Robert	Liz McGee
Book: TheCivil War	"	Andy Mesaros
Book: The Federal Union	"	Bob O'Day
Missouri Historical Galveston	"	Kerry Schaller
Deep Treasure Cache/1oz copper	"	Neil Moore
Working S/1 oz copper	"	Earl Hitt
Advanced Treasure/1 oz copper	"	Mike Skinner
Treasure Charles Garrett	"	Jorge Gonzales
Chinese Coins	Ivan Santos	Ivan Santos

## July Raffle

1812 Large Cent	LSTHC	Roy Harston
1870 3 Cent Piece	LSTHC	Bill Stanford
1857 Seated Dime	LSTHC	Bob Rigdon
½ oz Silver Round	LSTHC	Anthony Buchanan
½ oz Silver Round	LSTHC	Lira Krell
1 oz Silver Round	LSTHC	Gary Nichols
1922 Peace Dollar	LSTHC	Neil Moore
1921 Morgan Dollar	LSTHC	Tommie Jordan
1921 Morgan Dollar	LSTHC	Brenda Boles
2014 Silver Eagle	LSTHC	Jack Ellett
2014 Silver Eagle	LSTHC	Leta Jolly
1 oz Silver Round	LSTHC	Bob O'Day
Morgan Dollar	LSTHC	Kathleen Hitt

## July 2014 Find of the Month



### Coin

1 <sup>st</sup> Bill Stanford	1944 Half Dollar
2 <sup>nd</sup> Bob Rigdon	1861 New Brunswick 1 Cent
3 <sup>rd</sup> Ivan Santos	1770's Chinese coin



### Gold Jewelry

1 <sup>st</sup> Ivan Santos	18K Gold Chain
2 <sup>nd</sup> Janet Hall	Class Ring
3 <sup>rd</sup> Gary Nichols	14K Watch Fob



### Silver

1 <sup>st</sup> Leta Jolly	Religious Pendant
2 <sup>nd</sup> Gary Nichols	Silver Marlin, Anchor
3 <sup>rd</sup> Bill Stanford	Silver St Christopher



## Relic

1<sup>st</sup> Bob Rigdon  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reg Cusick

1898 Union Carriage Co. St Louis  
Musket Ball



## Token

1<sup>st</sup> Earl Hitt  
2<sup>nd</sup> Bill Stanford  
3<sup>rd</sup> Leta Jolly

1907 Elks Badge  
1881-1918 Sheboygan Watch Fob  
Neiman Marcus Token



## Wildcard

1<sup>st</sup> Janet Hall  
2<sup>nd</sup> Bill Stanford  
3<sup>rd</sup> Ivan Santos

State Fair 1929  
Silver Baby Fork  
MKT Railroad Button

## July pictures



Speaker: Bill Covington



Display items from the Revolutionary War

Pictures compliments of Mike Lacey

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