

THE SILVER SIGNAL

Next Club Meeting
September 30, 2016 7:30 p.m.

Club Website: <http://www.lonestartreasure.com/index.shtml>

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PREZ SAYS

Hello All,

There are lots of activities going on in October. Our open hunt will be another spectacular event with a lot of great prizes including metal detectors and GOLD. Please sign up as soon as possible. There are also other hunts worthwhile in October that we will be noting at the meeting. The weather is getting cooler, so October should be a great month. The Lost Treasure Newsletter features our club in their 8-20-16 edition, and advertises our Annual Hunt. Please be advised that membership dues are due in September. Keep Digging!

Bill

Future Speakers at the October meeting: Bill Abbott & Mary Penson

Mark your calendar for these future club meeting dates:

Oct 28, 2016

Dec 2, 2016 (Christmas Party—not a regular meeting)

2017 dates will be posted next month when our annual reservations have been confirmed for the Garden & Arts Center. Our meetings are regularly the last Friday of the month.

Our August Speaker: Herman Denzler



Herman showed pictures of Keith Wills' East Texas Metal Detectors business in Gilmer, TX. It's the place to go if you have a detector that needs a repair; or if you want to buy a refurbished detector. The workshop also includes a sales floor and museum with many display cases of finds Keith has made over the years. Herman's presentation included an inventory of new or refurbished detectors that Keith is offering at excellent discount prices.

Herman did a second presentation on the Cowtown Community Service Hunt at Kiest Park. Members were asked to help find 22 bronze plaques that commemorated important public figures in the 1940s and 50s. The plaques had originally been set in cement bases next to trees on the west end of the park. Cowtown members recovered 2 plaques and made several other interesting relic finds.

After these presentations Ellen Jackson showed several pictures of the Community Service Project that Lone Star members did at the DeSoto Meadow Creek Park Football Complex. Then President Bill Stanford called forward all members who had participated in the hunt and gave them each a silver half dollar! We are grateful to those who serve our local communities and give a good name to metal detecting.



Other Pictures of the August Meeting



Brooks demonstrates his Pokemon Go accessory



The Fund Raiser drawing: a member favorite!

Pictures compliments of Eva Aguinaga

August Door Prize Winners

Door Prizes	Donated by	Winner
Digger	Rick Anderson	Herman Denzler
Treasure Book	Ronnie Morris	Bill Stanford
Garrett Hat	Rick Anderson	Frank Lawson
Garrett Hat	Rick Anderson	Brooks Harkey
Garrett Stuff	Garrett	Eric Whetstone
Garrett Hat	Garrett	Elizabeth Cox
Minelab Bag	Rick Anderson	Roy Harston
Digger & Earphones	Rick Anderson	Dave Totzke
Coin Books	Dave Totzke	Robert Gibson
Biopack	Dave Totzke	David Bennett

August Fundraiser winners

Fundraiser Prizes	Donated by	Winner
2016 American Eagle	LSTHC	Sherry Lopaz
½ oz Silver Round	LSTHC	Susan Caldwell
2016 American Eagle	LSTHC	Frank Lawson
½ oz Silver Round	LSTHC	Bill Parkey
2016 American Eagle	LSTHC	Ronnie Morris
1890 Morgan Dollar	LSTHC	Richard Aguinaga
1922 Peace Dollar	LSTHC	Chuck Howell
1880 Morgan Dollar	LSTHC	Andy Mesanos
1883 Seated Dime	LSTHC	Wesley Clark
1839 Large Cent	LSTHC	Mike Reider

1854 Seated Half Dollar	LSTHC	Bill Stanford
1883 Seated Dime	LSTHC	Ronnie Morris
1857 Half Dime	LSTHC	Tommy Jordan

Winner of the marble drawing: Zack Stone \$5.00

August Finds of the Month



Coin

1st John Wright
 2nd Bill Stanford
 3rd Grant Cox

Shield Nickle
 1942 Walking Half
 1942 Walking Half



Gold Jewelry

1st Shawn Kelly
 2nd Mike Reiter
 3rd Maureen Wright

10 k Class Ring
 14k Child's Baptismal Bracelet
 10k Ring with Diamonds



Silver

1st Herman Denzler
 2nd Shawn Kelly
 3rd Sherrie Lopez

Cub Scout Ring
 Silver Engagement Ring
 Mont Blanc Spinner



Relic

- 1st Herman Denzler
- 2nd Dave Totzke
- 3rd -----

Silver Mason Badge
Eagle Button



Token

- 1st Dave Totzke
- 2nd Eric Whetstone
- 3rd Sherrie Lopez

1954 Dog Tag
Southbend Fishing Token
Continental Car



Wildcard

- 1st Dave Totzke
- 2nd Mike Reiter
- 3rd Elizabeth Cox

Toy Race Car
1 c + Topaz Silver Ring
Tootsie Toy Truck

Calendar of upcoming hunts

Flyers for all the hunts in October will be available at our next meeting, and are also available online at <http://www.wwats.org/> , <http://www.tamdc.org>, and <http://www.wbtha.com/events/deep-south-treasure-hunt/>.

October 2016

Day	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
			1	2
			Cowtown Annual Open Hunt	
5	6	7	8	9
			43 rd Annual Deep South Treasure Hunt	
12	13	14	15	16
			WWATS Hunt, K River Campground	
19	20	21	22	23
			Lone Star Annual Open Hunt	
26	27	28	29	30

TAMDC Turkey Hunt -- November also has a great hunt opportunity, the TAMDC Turkey Hunt, "Members Only" Fall Hunt, November 19, 2016. See the information on the TAMDC website above.

LSTHC 42nd ANNUAL OPEN HUNT – October 22, 2016

Huntmaster Robert Jordan is preparing another extraordinary Annual Open Hunt! Last year there were 14 metal detectors among the prizes; this year there will be even more! Bad Andy's hunt is always special too, with unusual coin caches, and other valuable token prizes (including gold). You won't want to miss this year's hunt. Pick up an entry form at the club meeting or print out the copy from the club website.

We count on member donations of prizes for the main hunt, and particularly for the cake auction. Please help with your donation...and remember to bring a cake (or cookies or pie) on the Hunt morning. This is an opportunity to support your club in a big way, and also enjoy a very special day of fun, food, and friends.

Other announcements and reports

Mo-Kan Hunt in Lathrop, Mo. --Five Lone Star members made the trek to Missouri for the 40th Annual MoKan Treasure Hunt. Dave Totzke, Robert Jordan, Frank Lawson, Ronnie Morris and Rick Anderson all vied for the silver, gold, detectors and other prizes on September 18. Word has it that Rick Anderson was the big winner with a detector (Ace-250) and 2 ½ Gold Peso. Congratulations Rick!

Our Lone Star Treasure Hunt Club was featured in the latest Lost Treasure Newsletter. Click on the 09-20-2016 newsletter link at this address: <http://www.losttreasure.com/Home/Newsletter>. Lost Treasure Newsletter is a free bi-monthly online newsletter created by the **Lost Treasure Magazine**. Of course if you like the articles and information in the newsletter you will want to subscribe to their larger printed magazine. Subscription information is here: <http://www.losttreasure.com/Subscription>

Detector Repair Service – If you have a broken detector, or one that just needs a part or an adjustment, Keith Wills is the person to see. See his website: www.brokendetector.com. Keith has many years' experience selling and repairing detectors. He writes: "We still repair all brands of detectors made here in the US and all the closed manufacturers from years past except for Minelab".

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