

Antique Bottle Club of Northern Illinois

Pick and Probe Newsletter



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Show and Tell:

The next meeting will be on Wednesday August 2, 2023 at the Antioch Senior Center at 7:30 pm.

Meeting was called to order at 7:33 pm with 9 members present.

Old business: Former member Lou Metzinger passed away at the ripe old age of 86. Nickname 'mudslinger'.

Jim K. presented Stacy a framed 8 x 10 photo of her doing her wonderful presentation.

R.T. Stated he saw Jim Skinner at Elkhorn.

New news: Dick S. attended the Iowa City Antique Show and sold \$2600. One lady looking for milk bottles bought all the bottles left for \$700.

Dan went digging twice with Mike Sycamore and dug a unembossed whiskey, Freeport 1840's. Checked out a old farmhouse but no privy found.

Website for club probably with Go Daddy. Cheapest route. Club unanimously approved a expenditure not to exceed \$100.

Jim K was diving and came up with a Mason's half gallon apple green. Base is missing but a nice display piece.

Dick S. went to a church rummage sale got 2 mini bottles and 1 mini beer stein probably 1910.

John Panek showed a M Feinin broun beer bottle. Exceedingly rare and a green Paul Pohl squat Chicago, a weis beer style amber Scheffel & Co. Chicago, a aqua blue Hayes Bros, a weis beer shape by a soda manufacturer but bottled beer. Very rare and a 4 sided Dutch Liter Gin. Uncommon style.

Stacy showed a Orange Crush, a green glass basket, a Bunte candy jar and a fan post card from Estes Park, Colorado.

R.T. Showed a torpedo bottle from 1880's to 1890's, a A. Lancasters Indian Veg. Joundice bitters, blue repro. A Gibbs bottle corked with contents. A Hendricks Amethyst large 1999 gin bottle, a McKesson's Castor Oil Green bottle with lid and contents and a clear pharmaceutical bottle and a Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Side of bottle marked R.V. Pierce MD Buffalo, NY