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President's Message

Pat Williams

Thank you; mom & dad,
Brothers sisters, family, friends,
USMC, club members, past &
current employers, coworkers,
wife, girlfriends, chance
encounters, enemies,
adversaries, those who smile
back and those who need one.

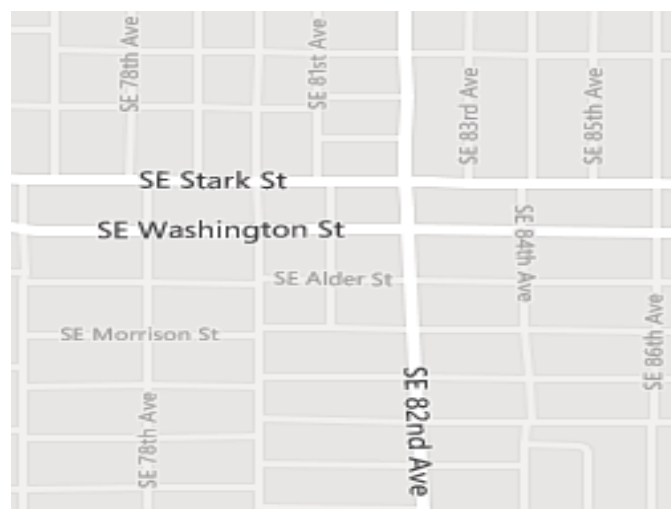
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truck drivers.

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Thank you,
Patrick Dana Williams
2013 president
Oregon Treasure Trail Society

Announcements

**Next Meeting:
Tuesday November 26, 2013**



Chinese Village

At 520 S.E. 82nd, Portland, or 503-253-7545
5:30 setup, 6 pm social, 7 pm meeting

Refreshments provided by:

Larry Williams and Maggie May

Monthly Club Hunt

**We will meet Saturday, November 30th
at 8:00 AM, at the McDonalds at 2875
Southeast Powell Boulevard
Portland, OR. Then heading for the
hunt site at 9:00 AM**

**Please wait for all (most) to arrive
before beginning.
Points are nice, teaching rewards.**

The Big Raffle

Clarence Sparks

It's hard to believe that Christmas is just around the corner. Why not do some of your holiday shopping at The Big Raffle? I'm sure you know someone who would love to receive a big shiny silver dollar or a pretty gold coin in their Christmas stocking. It will be our little secret that it just cost a \$1 raffle ticket.

Don't forget about the Mystery Envelopes. It's always something good but you won't know what it is until it is selected and opened.

A big "Thank You" to Gary at Coin Corner in Oregon City, for another mystery coin donation.

Don't forget to stop in when doing your holiday shopping. Coin Corner is across from the Oregon City Elevator.

Here are some of the coins for the November Big Raffle:

1873 One Dollar Gold

1898 Morgan Dollar

1885 Morgan Dollar

1883 Moran Dollar

1922 Peace Dollar

1851 Large Cent

1958-D Franklin Half

And more...

Courtesy of Mary Sparks

MONTHLY CLUB HUNT RESULTS

October's hunt was a very enjoyable day at Wilshire Park in NE Portland. Several club members came away with silver coins and there were numerous foreign coins in the mix. Abel Villasenor was first overall with 134 points followed by Byron Dunn with 105 points. They each found a silver dime, while third-place finisher Brian Stafford picked up four Wheaties enroute to 100 points. Rounding out the top six were Linda Carlson (72 points), Laura Smith (66) and Terry Bude (60). The top three won silver quarters, the next three took home silver dimes and Tylor Hankins won a 1964 Kennedy Half in the member draw. We hauled out 7.5 pounds of trash.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

USMC

LARRY WILLIAMS	BRUCE DRUGG
JACK HIPP	DEBRA LARSON
SANDIE MALONEY	LAURIE MARTIN
MELEAGRIS GALLOPAVO	

If you are not listed please let Pat know
So he can update list

OTTS Club Meeting Minutes

Tuesday October 22, 2013

Meeting was brought to order at 7:15 pm by Pat Williams with the Pledge of Allegiance and continued with the introduction of the board members. We had 4 guests that were introduced.

Larry went over the treasurer's report, there was a motion to accept & approve. The meeting minutes were also approved.

The member number was drawn by Nancy Auffet, she took home 1944 Walking liberty congratulations!!

Birthdays

Bill Bogynska

Sharon Jamieson

Tom Severson

Tom Severson won the birthday coin, he took home an 1878 Morgan dollar congratulations!!!!.

Matt provided the details of the last hunt. It was also requested that anyone attending a club hunt to let Bill B or Matt or pat know so you can receive your points for FOTM.

Arnie was able to deliver the last order of t-shirts he had pending to one of our members.

Pat mentioned new membership dues effective January 1, 2014 the constitution bi-laws will be rewritten with the assistance of Jim Cornwell.

Pat Williams also mentioned he was dropping the proposal regarding the lifetime member, it stays as it is. As a reminder he asked if we had all agreed in our last month's meeting that the past president is a board member so therefore he does not pay for membership and we all agreed that is correct.

Pat provided information regarding the Christmas dinner that will be held on December 14, 2013 at the Fremont Methodist Church. Sign-up sheets were put out 3 different committee's one for cooking, set up and clean-up also sign-up sheets for who can bring beverage, appetizer, and or dessert. The members are able to invite (one ?) guest and Brian Lundquist will oversee all the committee's as chairman.

Pat also reminded everyone that next month is the bake sale

We took a break to vote on FOTM and have refreshments, socialize, play games and buy more raffle tickets.

Brian Lundquist mentioned to the club members he is able to buy silver from club members if anyone is interested in selling he also encouraged all members to continue bringing in recyclable bottles.

Linda Williams provided information regarding the Eagles lodge gave some brief details in case we decide to use for future club meetings.

Jim Cornwell gave details of his trip In England and his findings as well .

Thanks to Bill Baker and Marilyn Laurence who helped out with the basket auction we also want to thank the members who participated in the auction and do to that we collected \$423 to the club.

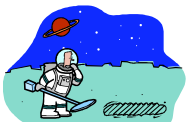
All games and raffle numbers were drawn all results and are found elsewhere in the newsletter. Bill announced the F.O.T.M. the results are elsewhere in the newsletter.

Mike Maxon won an 1866-S 2 1/2 Gold coin congratulations!!

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 PM

Club Secretary-Connie Villasenor

HAPPY HUNTING!



Find of the Month for October 2013

Oldest US Coin

- 1st Joe Imholt, 1917-S wheat penny
- 2nd Laura Smith, 1918 wheat penny
- 3rd Dick Gaboury, 1919-S wheat penny

Most Valuable US Coin

- 1st Joe Imholt, 1915-S wheat penny
- 2nd Dick Gaboury, 1963-D dime
- tie Laura Smith, 1959-D dime
- tie Brian Stafford, 1945-S Mercury dime

US Coin

- 1st Matthew Fritsch, no date Standing Liberty quarter
- 2nd Laura Smith, 1937 Mercury dime
- 3rd Dick Gaboury, 1945-S Mercury dime

Foreign Coin

- 1st Jim Cornwell, 1819 George III shilling
- 2nd Bill Bogynska, 1992 Bulgaria 1Lev
- 3rd Linda Carlson, 1978 Mexico 10 pesos

Token

- 1st Dick Gaboury, Union Pacific
- 2nd Steve Eichman, Car wash
- 3rd Marilyn Lieurance, \$100 Peppermill poker chip

Gold Jewelry

- 1st Jeff Sikorski, 14K Men's Hawaii ring
- 2nd Brian Stafford, 10K McCabe vintage woman's buckle
- 3rd Marilyn Lieurance, 14K Barpin "Dios Me Bendiga"

Silver Item

- 1st Larry Williams, 925 Crucifix & chain
- 2nd Laura Smith, Turquoise inlay filigree ring
- 3rd Dan Killian, 925 Fancy woman's ring

Jewelry

- 1st Bruce Dixon, Turquoise ring
- 2nd Jim Cornwell, Roman brooch, 2nd-3rd century
- 3rd Steve Eichman, Necklace with encased marble

Artifact

- 1st Tom Severson, US belt buckle
- 2nd Jim Cornwell, Viking stirrup mount, 9th-10th century
- 3rd Arnie Mauroni, 1889 Octagonal Elgin pocket watch

Display

- 1st Jim Cornwell
- 2nd Dick Gaboury
- 3rd Linda Carlson

Item of the Month

- 1st Larry Williams, Machete
- 2nd Linda Carlson, Roger Italy BB pistol
- tie Laura Smith, US Military pin

Best of the Best

Jeff Sikorski, 14K Men's Hawaii ring

OTTS RAFFLE

- 1. 1884 Morgan Dollar- John Maclanahan
- 2. 1886 Morgan Dollar – Bill Bogynska
- 3. 1897 Morgan Dollar – Jeff Sikorski
- 4. 1889-0 Morgan Dollar – Mike Maloney
- 5. 1890-S Morgan Dollar – John Maclanahan
- 6. 1855 Large Cent-Matthew Fritsche
- 7. 1864 Two Cent- Carol Meyer
- 8. 1926 Standing liberty Quarter – Bill Bogynska
- 9. 1926-S Standing liberty Quarter – Jack Hipp
- 10. 1912 D V Nickel – Linda Williams
- 11. 1918-S Lincoln Cent –Mike Maloney
- 12. 1907 Indian Head cent – Tom Severson
- 13. 1907 Barber Dime - Mike Jeffries
- 14. 1914-D Barber Dime- Michael Pfau
- 15. 1930-S Buffalo Nickel- Laurie Martin
- 16. ?1833- Large Cent- Brad Reicht
- 17. ?1939- Mercury Dime- Laurie Martin
- 18. ?1853- Dime half- Matthew Fritsche

1866-S 2 1/2 Gold – Mike Maxon

Quarter Drop

- 1. 1942 Kennedy Half – Steve Eichman
- 2. 1942 Quarter- Linda Carlson
- 3. 1942 Dime - Steve Eichman
- 4. 1956 Rosie - Arnie Mauroni

Plinko

- 1. 1942 Walking Half – Steve Eichman
- 2. 1958 Quarter- Connie Villasenor
- 3. 1946 Quarter- Steve Eichman
- 4. 1946 Quarter- Michael Pfau

Standings

1 st	Dick Gaboury	205
2 nd	Brian Stafford	174
3 rd	Laura Smith	123
4 th	Linda Carlson	101
5 th	Dan Killian	80
6 th	Don Lieurance	79
7 th	Bill Bogynska	76
8 th	Don Fantz	72
9 th	Larry Williams	63
10 th	Marilynn Lieurance	57
11 th	Joe Imholt	38
12 th	Terry Bude	33
13 th	Pat Williams	32
14 th	Jeff Sikorsky	27
15 th	Jim Cornwell	26
tie	Tom Severson	26
17 th	Steve Eichman	24
tie	Bill Payne	24
19 th	Scott Hadley	19
tie	Gary Bude	19
21 st	Abel Villasenor	9
tie	Brian Lundquist	9
tie	Matthew Fritsch	9
24 th	John MacClanathan	8
tie	Bruce Dixon	8
26 th	Jim Lyon	5
27 th	Michael Pfau	4
tie	Nancy Auffet	4
tie	Mike Maloney	4
tie	Arnie Mauroni	4
31 st	Doyle Thibert	2
tie	Mike Wade	2
33 rd	Clayton Bude	1

December meeting and dinner

I am happy to announce a site has been chosen for our December and Christmas dinner meeting. It will be at Fremont Methodist Church located at 26th and NE Fremont.

A number of committees, supplies, volunteers and itinerary will be discussed at the November meeting.

Thank you, Pat W

November meeting-bake sale

This will help to raise monies for Christmas. For members this will be reviewed as to how & parameters.

A-H SALADS I-P DESSERTS

Q-Z APPETIZERS (NO CHIPS!)

WATER PUNCH, COFFEE and MILK PROVIDED. ALL OTHER- BYO NON ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE. ABSOLUTELY NO ALCOHOL OR SMOKING WILL BE ALLOWED ON CHURCH PROPERTY. IF I CAN NOT DO IT SO CAN YOU.

Linda Williams will be chairing a committee for calling members to remind them new officers will be selected at December meeting. Nominations will be accepted at November and December meetings.

She could use some help.

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Refreshments

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I WILL respect private property and **WILL NOT** trespass without the land owners permission.

- **I WILL NOT** destroy property, buildings or what is left of ghost towns and deserted structures.

- **I WILL NOT** litter, always pack out what I take in and remove all trash dug in my search.

- **I WILL** leave all gates and other accesses to land as found.

- **I WILL** appreciate and protect our heritage of natural resources, wildlife, and private property.

- **I WILL** use thoughtfulness, consideration and courtesy at all times.

- **I WILL** abide by all laws, ordinances or regulations that may govern my search, or the area I will be in.

- **I WILL** fill all holes, regardless how remote the location, and never dig in a way that will damage, be damaging to, or kill any vegetation.

- **I WILL** report the discovery of items of significant historical value to a local historian or museum in accordance with the latest legislation.

I WILL Be an ambassador for the metal detecting hobby. Be polite and informative to those who inquire about your hobby - you are the ambassador of a pastime we want to protect and we will be judged by how you act & respond.

- **I WILL not misrepresent as to how a article was acquired**

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The Oregon Treasure Trails Society was formed in 1982 when five avid hobbyists put \$5 each into the kitty and started the club in an effort to provide an organization that would unite people together with the same interests in metal detecting and searching for coins, tokens, and other small interesting treasures of the past.

Today, we continue to provide a wonderful environment for those interested in this great hobby. Our club provides an opportunity to join with others and enjoy spending time on outings and sharing experiences. Everyone is welcome to attend one of our meetings.

We meet on the 4th Tuesday of each month, at 6:00 p.m. for social hr. at 7:00 pm meeting

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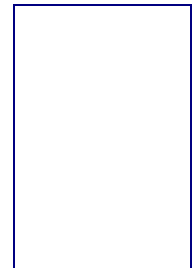
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