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August 2016

President's Message

Sorry all, missing in action this month.

Byron Dunn, 2016 O.T.T.S. President

Announcements

**Next Meeting:
Tuesday August 23, 2016**

**Eagles Lodge
7611 N. Exeter Avenue
Portland, OR
5:30 setup, 6 pm social, 7 pm meeting**

**MONTHLY CLUB HUNT
????**

On the hunt for hunt information

If you have any Questions my number is 360-773-8708 Between 9 am and 0 Pm 7 days a week.

August Birthdays

Bruce Dixon Steve Eichman

Beverly Parker George Parker

Don Spillman Join Tait Dustin Anderson

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL!!

The Big Raffle

It's Big Raffle time again! I cannot reveal the specifics but once again, there will be a GOLD coin for the top prize along with plenty of big silver coins for you to choose from at the August meeting. Purchase your Big Raffle tickets before the meeting and during the break. All coins will be going home with their lucky new owners at the end of the meeting. You just need a Big Raffle ticket to win.

All tickets are just \$1 or buy the value pack of six tickets for just \$5. This is how it works. The first ticket drawn goes face down under the gold coin. It will be the last number revealed at the end of the meeting. This gives everyone equal chance to win the top prize. We continue to draw tickets as each winner gets to take the coin of their choice until all coins are gone.

25% of all Big Raffle funds go directly into the OTTS club treasury. The remaining 75% will be used to purchase the coins for next Big Raffle. The more tickets you buy, the better your chances to win, the more funds go to the club and we have more money to purchase coins for the next month. If you like to see all those big silver coins and a pretty gold coin in the monthly raffle, you need to support it by purchasing your tickets.

See you at the August meeting!

Clarence Sparks

Monthly Club Hunt Results

July ??, 2016

[MIA As Well. Sorry guys — have to get the info at the meeting. — Newsletter Editor]

And a good time was had by all.

If you have any questions about the Club Hunt, please contact me at my home phone number — 360-773-8708.

Thanks to all — And good hunting!

Don Spillman

OTTS Club Meeting Minutes July 26, 2016

Byron called the meeting to order at 7pm. We all stood for the pledge of allegiance.

Minutes for the last meeting were voted on and accepted. There was no club hunt report. We had the member draw and George Parker won a 1964 Kennedy half dollar. Larry read the treasures report and it was voted on and accepted. July birthdays were announced and Nancy McClanathan won a 1922 Peace dollar. Paul Vandehay told us another clue to location the special token — There is a community garden at the location. Add that to the clue, there is a briar sticker bush that runs the whole length of the property - park/school

There is a need for volunteers for both the Christmas party and next year’s annual club picnic. So please step up and volunteer to help. Jim Cornwell will be sending out an OTTS input questionnaire next week. We need your input so please be honest.

Mike Maxon is putting together a program to help new members with machines and gave the previous month’s hunt report.

The break was taken and Find of the Month was voted upon.

The Detiniks pinpointed came back with a good review from Anthony Wagstaff. Some first finds were announced. Linda Carlson has volunteered to bring some refreshment in August for break time.

Crystal French said she had some extra OTTS wear for sale. Bill Bogynska gave find of the month.

Don’t forget the new location for the meeting in north Portland, Eagles off Lombard.

Plinko

Don Spillman - 42 Half Steve Eichman - 62 Quarter Dave Webster - 64 Dime Don Frantz - 64 Dime

Quarter Drop

Steve Eichman - 42 Half Mike Jefferies - 41 Quarter Steve Eichman - 61 & 62 Dime

Big Raffle

Arnie Mauroni - 1906 Gold Steve Eichman - 1900 Morgan Mike Jefferies - 1921D Morgan

Mary Sparks - 1922 Morgan Boll Bogynska - 1925 Peace Steve Eichman - 1926S Morgan??

Steve Eichman - 1942 Walker Anthony Wagstaff - 1951 Franklin J.R. Banks - 1957D Franklin

Larry Smith - 1961D Franklin Mike Jeffries - 1962D Franklin Laura Smith - 1959D Washington

Steve Eichman - 1952D Wash Anthony Wagstaff - 1952D Wash Bev Parker - 1954D Washington

Don Frantz - 1956 Wash Special Drawing for a 1964D Kennedy and Mike McCoy won it - Congrats!

Terry Bude — 2016 OTTS Secretary

Find of the Month - July 2016

Oldest US Coin

- 1st Bill Bogynska, 1892 Indian head penny
 2nd Anthony Wagstaff, 1917 Wheat penny
 3rd Paul Vandehey, 1920 Wheat penny

Most Valuable US Coin

- 1st Tim Bogynska, 1939-S Walking Liberty half
 2nd Bill Bogynska, 1907-S Barber dime (fine)
 3rd Dan Killian, 1964-D Quarter

US Coin

- 1st Tim Bogynska, 1928-S Standing Liberty quarter
 2nd Dan Killian, 1897 V-Nickel
 3rd Bill Bogynska, 1943 Mercury dime

Foreign Coin

- 1st Don Fantz, 1966 Tanzania 50¢
 2nd Paul Vandehey, 1982 Mexico 50 pesos
 3rd Linda Carlson, 1974 France 20 centimes

Token

- 1st Anthony Wagstaff, Vancouver Bus Company token
 2nd Don Fantz, Mass. Bay Transit Authority token
 3rd Laura Smith, Portland, Ore 5¢ trade token

Gold Jewelry

- 1st Anthony Wagstaff, 14k Man's band ring

Silver Item

- 1st John MacClanathan, 925 Spinner ring
 2nd Tim Bogynska, 925 ring w/ purple stone
 3rd Greg Howell, 925 Superman ring

Jewelry

- 1st Bill Bogynska, 1/20th 14k Necklace w/ crystal
 2nd Don Fantz, Orbit pendant and necklace
 3rd John MacClanathan, Blue stone in copper pendant

Artifact

- 1st Tim Bogynska, 10k Rolled gold pocket watch case
 2nd Bill Bogynska, Brass knuckles
 3rd Anthony Wagstaff, 1942 Vancouver Dog Tag

Display

- 1st Bill Bogynska

2nd Tim Bogynska

3rd Greg Howell

Item of the Month

- 1st Nancy Arcement, GAR watch fob
 2nd Anthony Wagstaff, WWI Eagle button
 3rd John MacClanathan, Vintage Big Buck cap gun

Best of the Best

Anthony Wagstaff, 14k Man's band ring

2016 Detectorist of the Year Standings

1 st Tim Bogynska	139
2 nd Bill Bogynska	125
3 rd Paul Vandehey	111
4 th Anthony Wagstaff	110
5 th Don Fantz	87
6 th Dan Killian	80
7 th Linda Carlson	69
8 th Orly Halpern	47
9 th Laura Smith	37
10 th Rick Page	27
11 th Greg Howell	25
12 th Terry Bude	23
13 th Jeff Sikorski	17
14 th Brian Stafford	16
Tie Mike Wagstaff	16
16 th Tom Severson	15
17 th Nancy Arcement	13
Tie John MacClanathan	13
Tie Ed Arcement	12
20 th Byron Dunn	11
Tie Hayden Vandehey	11
22 nd Steve Eichman	8
23 rd Gary Bude	7
24 th Caleb Wagstaff	5
25 th Mike Maloney	4
Tie Jim Cornwell	4
Tie Sandie Maloney	4
28 th Bruce Dixon	3
29 th Arnie Mauroni	2
30 th R.J. Banks	1
Tie James McCaston	1

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The Oregon Treasure Trail 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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