

# Rainbow's End Metal Detecting Association

## Minutes for Meeting

July 13, 2016 (Start at 7:30 pm)

### Meeting called to order

- 31 Attendees
- Visiting: Marcel

### Minutes of June Meeting

- Motion to approve by Ed, seconded by John, all accepted

### Other

- Summer Challenge under way
- Sept dues are due in Sept
- Executive to meet to finalize dues amount and to address any additional changes
- John redid the membership list. There are still changes to be made. Everyone to review and provide John with the updates.
- Mexican 2 Peso for sale for \$90. Motion on the floor to agree to buy. John 1<sup>st</sup> and all members agreed
- Rob as new products, replacements for the Ace products, Fisher has several new detectors going out. Will bring out next month
- Dave know someone who would be willing to come out to talk about meteorites
- Rob also knows someone in Dunnville who could come in as well
- Dave asked about want people collect to get ideas on various talks
  - Rick collects Zippo lighters
  - Dave collects marbles
  - Rick S collects old movies
- Brenda said the Niagara club had a night where people brought in their collections
- Dave P would like to do a talk on coin cleaning
- Dave M heated a coin on the BBQ and put in salt water with a silver spoon
- Mike if there is a green corrosion on it will wipe the coin right out
- Richard found an 1876 big penny said it wasn't worth anything because it had a green patina on it
- Sometimes best to leave as is.
- Use baby wipes as soon as the coin comes out of the ground

### Program Director Report:

- We have 2 meeting in July & Aug. Suggesting to have off site meeting. Janet, Eugene & Gerry will be away for July. Suggesting to have a mini hunt
- Gerry suggesting a summer finds and have a big finds board in Sep
- Dave P will take over from July and help in Aug meeting and decided to have a regular meeting
- Dave M confirming he will not be doing the "Dover Dave" hunt. Janet thought it would be nice to still have a hunt in Dover and meet up at the Diary Bar.

**Break: 8:00 pm to 8:20 pm**

- Sep 18 is Dover Dave Day
- Meet at Powell Park

**Auction Time:**

- Bucket - \$4.00
- Planter - \$1.00
- Fishing tackle box – \$2.00
- BC case dollar 1971 - \$4.00

**Finds Board:**

- COIN: 1914 Fish scale – Joe
- GOLD: 10K Gold Cross – Rob C
- SILVER: Celtic Silver Ring – Dave M
- RELIC: Pocket Watch – Rob C
- COSTUME JEWELRY: Owl Necklace – Rob C
- MISC: Perry Sound money clip – Dennis O
- MOST UNUSUAL: Knife – Dave P
- BEST OVERALL FIND FOR THE NIGHT: - Rob C for Gold Cross

**Raffles/Draw**

- 50/50 Prize Winner – Steve
- Case Dollar Prize Winner – Mike
- Door Prize Winners (silver dimes tickets): Joe, Randy S (2), Mike, Cynthia M, Ron F, Dave P, Dennis, Dave M (2)

**Meeting Adjourned: 8:40 pm**

**Next Meeting: August 10, 2016 at 7:30 pm**

*Please note: any errors or omissions on these meeting minutes should be reported at the next scheduled meeting. A copy of these minutes will also be posted on the REMDA website along with photos of the Finds Board*