

Rainbow's End Metal Detecting Association

Minutes for Meeting

March 8, 2017 (Start at 7:30 pm)

Meeting called to order

- 29 Attendees

Minutes of February Meeting

- Motion to approve by Alex, seconded by Joe, all accepted

Treasurer Report:

- Janet away this month.

Public Relations:

- Dundas snow hunt still on the weekend even if no snow.
- Southern Ontario Beach Hunt:
 - Robin emailed beggars letter to members to use to get prizes
 - Treasure chest needs donations, bring to next meeting
 - check the website for Super 8 hotel blocked rooms for our event
 - 1st hunt at 11:00. Dave will be the hunt master, 12:00 lunch and 1:00 second hunt
 - Raffle tickets - club has 150 and sold 113 books, 130 went to other clubs
 - Dave got a call from Chatham that they had a bag of books labeled for the Barrie Club
 - Cynthia has rec'd 3 registration in the mail
 - Dave M is still buying gold

Membership

- John is still accepting members. We have 45 signed members

Other:

- CHCH news had a metal detecting story. Showed the rules on how to fill the holes and pickup trash. If anyone comes across the guy we should invite him to our meeting. His name was Mike Guariascia
- Dave M was at Gage park and someone was not filling the holes properly. Dave fixed the holes
- Robin suggested if you have a ground sheet put the dirt on the sheet to keep your area clean
- Joe said that Ed Blowers passed away. He was with the Niagara Relic Hunters and past president of B &A

Break: 8:10 pm to 8:25 pm

Other

- Waterloo coin show is Mar 19/17
- Scott is going to Vimy Ridge and would like to hand out 1917 large cent coins to the kids if anyone has any. He is going Apr 1-10 . Can bring to the club hunt

- Len mentioned in the National Post there was an old TV that was donated and was stuffed with \$100,000 in cash. The person who found the money was able to return it to the rightful owner

Auction Time:

- S Video Cable - \$.500
- Travel Mugs – \$1.00 each
- Copper Nickel 1975 – \$5.00
- Books - \$1.00
- Empty Boxes - \$4.00
- Empty Boxes - \$1.00

Finds Board:

- COIN: 1905 Indian Head Penny – Michelle
- GOLD: no gold
- SILVER: Silver Ring– Dave M
- RELIC: Sleigh Bell – Dave M
- COSTUME JEWELRY: Lady Bug Pin – Dave MP
- MISC: Fair good luck Token – Dave M
- MOST UNUSUAL: Train set game piece (Free Air) - Dave P
- BEST OVERALL FIND FOR THE NIGHT: - Dave M for Sleigh Bell

Raffles/Draw

- 50/50 Prize Winner – Robin
- Case Dollar Prize Winner – Cynthia, Paul D
- Door Prize Winners (silver dimes tickets): Angelo (2), Len, Joe (2), Randy, Gerry, Cynthia

Meeting Adjourned: 9:00 pm

Next Meeting: Apr 12, 2017 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