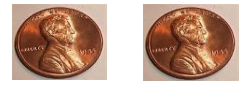


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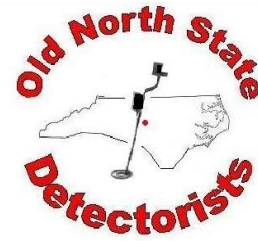
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The President's Corner

By Rodney Joslin

September 27, 2014 Meeting at 9:00AM

Agenda:

50/50 raffle (buy tickets before meeting - see Becky Craddock)

9:00 a.m. - Call to Order

Introduce guests

Read Code of Ethics

Treasurer's Report

Committee Reports.

Web page - Carole Kaplan

Newsletter - Jim Prettyman

Liaison - Mc McAtee

Annual Picnic & Seeded Hunt - Jim Spivey

Orientation - Robert Underwood

Club Hunt - Robert Underwood

By Laws - Jeffrey Blackburn

Membership - Rodney Joslin

President's Report – Rodney Joslin

Information on upcoming club hunt

Best Find of Summer Competition – June – September. Silver Eagle is the prize for the best find

50/50 winner

Adjournment

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President's Corner

Hello ONSD Members,

The last couple meetings have been successful informational meetings in a round table format. I hope that they have helped everyone to improve their techniques in identifying and getting access to hunt locations. I will be looking for feedback at the September meeting on additional topics that should be covered in this format.

If you had success over the summer you should plan to attend the next meeting on September 27, 2014. We will have a "Find of the Summer" competition. The best finds by club members through the months of June, July, August, and September will be judged. The best find will be awarded an American Silver Eagle. The meeting is at East Coast Wings Bar and Grill restaurant at 9:00 a.m.

I am also hoping to have plans set for an upcoming club hunt at a historic location near Burlington. Details will be discussed at the meeting.

Odds & Ends:

- * Keep on the lookout for a club hunt location. An American Silver Eagle will be awarded to any member who secures a club hunt at a qualifying location.
- * If you find and return a valuable item to their owner you are eligible for the Randy Woolbright Community Service Award.

Looking forward to seeing you at the September 27th meeting.

Happy Hunting,
Rodney Joslin

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The Old North State Detectorist Treasurer's Report

(August , 2014)

Starting Balance: \$2597.19

Income:

Membership Dues Collected:	\$ 0.00
August 50/50 raffle :	\$ 20.00
July Interest	.10
Total Income:	\$ 20.10

Expenses:

None for August

Total Expenses:	\$ 0
Starting Balance:	\$ 2597.19
Income:	<u>\$ 20.10</u>
	\$ 2617.29
Expenses:	<u>\$ 0</u>
Ending Balance:	\$ 2617.29

(Susan Neubauer Treasurer)

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MINUTES OF MEETING AUGUST 30, 2014

Mal Kaplan approved the minutes and Joseph Rappa seconded. The minutes were not read but they were published in the bulletin. The treasurer reported that we have an ending balance of \$2597.19.

Old Business – we had a round table discussion which was well received.

Under New Business the board we discussed that the membership is about the same as last year.

Pete Nowack from Randleman, NC introduced himself as the newest member.

Jim Spivey spoke about the seeded hunt that we usually have on Memorial Day weekend and discussed changing the date. We will vote next month on a different date. He will give us 3 possible dates to vote on.

We also talked about the Christmas Party and we will ask Becky to head this up as she did such a great job in years past. We will have breakfast as before. Carole Kaplan made a motion to keep doing this and Pat Romano seconded it. We will also make a decision at the next meeting whether to have it on Dec 6 or Dec 13. There may be construction issues at the place we meet and Susan will look into this and let us know.

Rodney Joslin is working on a hunt site near Burlington and will let us know at next meeting.

Pat Romano is going to donate some military knee pads for the seeded hunt. He also has some to sell for \$10 a pair.

We had a round table discussion on hunting sites and how people hunt and where. Some of the suggestions were to get information from the library and on the internet. Places to look are playgrounds, ball fields, schools, Google maps, Google Earth and knock on doors. NCpostcards.com is a great site to look up parks and do information for research. Rodney did a slide presentation on different sites for property information. He explained what GIS is all about. Every county in NC has one of these sites for property information. GIS stands for geographic Information Services.

Thom Metz showed us Treasure Hunter's Handbook by Andy Sabisch which he believes is a wonderful book on hunting.

It was suggested that someone compile a list of internet sites for the newsletter.

The 50/50 Raffle Winner was won by Mal Kaplan.

We were reminded that if you find a site we will give an American Eagle Silver Dollar to that person.

Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by Carole Kaplan.

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CODE OF ETHICS

The Old North State Detectorists (ONSD) encourage responsible conduct and strict compliance with all local, state, and federal regulations and restrictions.

The club takes pride in adopting this Code of Ethics.

I will respect private property and do no metal detecting without the owner's permission.

I will fill in all excavations and do no damage to property.

I will work with and support professional archaeologists and historians to protect national treasures.

I will remove and properly dispose of any trash I dig or is located in my digging area.

I will make a reasonable effort to return identifiable items to their owners.

I will conduct myself with courtesy and seek to set an example for other detectorists.

Adopted by unanimous vote of ONSD members, February 6, 2010



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ONSD CLUB OFFICERS

Rodney Joslin– President
Tom Metz--Vice President
Susan Neubauer – Treasurer
Becky Craddock – Secretary
Dan Kauppila – Sergeant-at Arms

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Rodney Joslin – Communications
Carole Kaplan – Webmaster
Mac McAtee – Liaison
Pat Romano – Special Projects
Newsletter – James Prettyman

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Monthly Meeting Time & Location

The Old North State Detectorists usually meet at 9:00 am on the last Saturday of each month at East Coast Wings & Grill, 1579 A-B, New Garden Rd., Greensboro, NC 27410

Occasionally, a club meeting may be held at a hunt site prior to a dig. Be sure to check the ONSD website at www.onsdclub.com

Calendar of Events page for the latest information.

The club membership fee is \$20.00 per year for individuals and \$30.00 for families which includes an embroidered hat and iron-on patch.

Guests are welcome to observe our hunts, however, you must be a club member to participate in the activities.

Have you clicked on the ONSD website for the latest news and events info?

www.onsdclub.com

Need more information

Contact us at.....

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HERITAGE DISPLAY CASES & RIKER MOUNTS

We have had many requests for sources for display boxes. The company is Heritage Display Box Co.

This is the manufacturer for Riker Mounts and Heritage Display Cases and they are made in Hickory, NC. Their website is only a home page and does not list prices or show individual items. If anyone is interested, we can make copies of the price sheets we received.

These are their phone numbers 888-851-6557
fax 888-216-6282 local 919-496-7847

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HOW QUICKLY SUMMER PASSES. THIS WAS THE SEEDED HUNT AT THE MAY 2014 PICNIC.

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