

## Chesapeake Society of Treasure Hunters

Newsletter for: March 18, 2009

Members Present: 20

Treasurer's Report: March Balance \$1225.06

Winners:

Leg of Gold: Don Miller

50/50: Marge Peters

Silver Dollar: Nina Hammond

Old Business: John was on vacation, so Bill Anderson conducted the meeting. Bill stressed that we need to collect the money for the upcoming Treasure Hunt so there is enough for John to purchase the prizes in time. Please try to mail the check to Bill by the 1st week in April. The fee is \$50 per person and should be made out to: Chesapeake Treasure Hunters and mailed to Bill Anderson, 329 Beach Rd. Annapolis, MD 21403

New Business:

Bill and Sandy went to Florida and collected quite a few items, but said it was extremely windy on the east side making the waves quite high. Man of Wars were a problem also as they sting. He noted that Jelly Fish can also cause a sting even though they are dead, so you should be very careful. Use white vinegar if you get a sting. He also noted that your chances of finding things on the beach increase if there are condos, stores or concession stands nearby. A lot of Florida hunters seem to use a Mine Lab.

Leo Fisher went to Pennsylvania and hunted at a school. Found lots of coins and a couple of rings. Said it appeared not to have been hunted before.

We voted to purchase a Water Detecting Machine (CV20) for one of the Hunt Prizes. Bill noted that it is not able to find a necklace type chain unless it is very wide. Anyone with information on Water Machines, please bring it to the next meeting.

Bob Daniels brought in and displayed a grass plug digger that his friend made.

Bill let us know that John Gillen from the MARS Club had died.

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Three members brought in treasures to display, Leo Fisher, Dennis Blakeman and Bill Anderson. Leo was voted the winner.

Meeting Dates 2009

April 16 – Thursday

May 3 – Hunt on Sunday

May 21 – Thursday

June ?

July ?

August 20 – Thursday

September 17 - Thursday