

Chesapeake Society of Treasure Hunters

Newsletter for: July 17th, 2008

Members present: 25

Guests: Rick Flater and Jan Kanaioski

Treasurer's Report: \$1262.72

Winners: Silver Round: Nina Hammond
50/50 \$28 Harrison Cowell
Gold Coin: Sally Richter

Old Business: Club still looking for a place for summer picnic.
Incorporation, need help getting it up.
Closed hunt to be discussed at August meeting.

New Business: Mark Ragan gave a talk on Civil War's 6th Corps John Winners.
Bob Daniels to bring refreshments for August meeting.

Trade/ Sale:

Lil-John still has the CZ 20 shop demo for \$500.00

Important Dates:

Thursday, August 21st

Wednesday, September 17th

Thursday, October 16th

Monday, November 17th

Wednesday, December 10th at Cactus Willies 7 to 9 PM

HERE IS THE LINK: www.midwestrefineries.com They have been in business since 1939. MOST hunters are happy with them and have had excellent feedback on the forums. If you know what you have before hand it's usually pretty close. Use this calculator to determine the approximate value of what you have, but just keep in mind that jewelers fudge some on that. Here is that link: dendritics.com/scales/metal-calc.aspey They weigh the items sent to them in troy ozs. They then test each item with full strength nitric acid to ensure that it is real. They then melt the items and take an assay, which tells the pure gold, silver, etc. content. . At that point you can choose cash, coins or bars. The rest of the details on what's paid is on their sight, check them out. At that point you can choose cash, coins or bars. The rest of the details on what's paid is on their sight, check them out.

