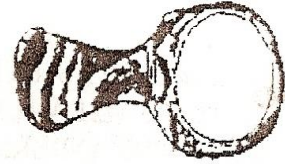




# The Pull Tab

## FEBRUARY 2015



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Meeting Place: American Legion Post 140, 305 American Legion Blvd. Longview, TX  
Time: 6:30- P.M. on the 2nd Monday of each month. Visitors welcome.

### EAST TEXAS TREASURE HUNTERS ASSOCIATION CLUB MEETING MINUTES

#### January 12, 2015

The President, Tommie Deese, called the meeting to order. 28 members and 1 guest attended the meeting. Minutes from the December meeting were read. Motion to approve the minutes was made by Marie Smith and Nealie Valentine seconded the motion. Treasurer report was given. Marie Smith made the motion to approve the minutes and Nealie Valentine second the motion.

#### OLD BUSINESS

**We need speakers for future meetings.** No speaker as of yet for February. March we will have a club auction.

**Website update:** The officers decided to keep the website up and running.

**The Pull Tab** is being added to the website by Dana Logston. The participation list will be updated as entries are received.

**Copies of The Pull Tab** were distributed to members.

**ADVERTISING:** Still being put in newspaper.

#### NEW BUSINESS

A new backdrop has been purchased for club events. The club will decide what to display on the board before the TAMDC convention in April. Terry gave an update on the 2015 Piney Woods Open Hunt. 20 entries have been received to date. Receiving artifacts now. Margaret will contact Sue Wilson of Garrett Metal Detectors to get a hunt package lined up for the Open Hunt. **A cake auction sign up sheet** was put out for members to volunteer to make cakes. If you are willing to make a cake, please contact Candra Deese at 903-315-8692. The **fundraiser quilt tickets** are not being sold very well.

We need members to help sell tickets. Please consider helping out your club. This helps our club throughout the year to function.

**No one has found the gold coin token as of yet.**

The 5th clue is: *I am not far from where the walk trail goes over the bridge. You can see me if you are sitting at the table, that is by the main trail. I think if you park off Highway 80 it's about 1/2 to 3/4 miles to where I am. If you are at Lois Jackson Park it's about the same. H. H.*

**Club member, Mallory Parker,**

Mallory talked about the trip she is going on this summer from June 11<sup>th</sup> - June 31<sup>st</sup>. She will be traveling to France, Italy & Greece with the People to People Program from her school. She will learn so much about other cultures. Terry and Marie have donated 5 gold coins to be used as a fundraiser to help raise money for her trip. This trip is very costly. So please help out by purchasing tickets to help her go on this trip. Tickets are \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00. She will have the tickets at the next club meeting in February.

**The Spring Silver Hunt** has been scheduled for April 25, 2015 at the Smith Hunt field. The club will use the monies earned through the March club auction to help fund a better hunt. Please make plans to attend. We always have great food and lots of fun.

**A possible hunt** is being planned at the Lon Morris College Campus in Jacksonville in late March or early April timeframe. Will keep you updated as to when this may occur.

**The TAMDC Convention** will be held in April. The club elected to have 4 tables at the show. A fundraiser will be held at the club booth. A 5 ounce silver bar will be a fundraiser prize. Several members volunteer to help man the booths.

**SPEAKER**

Vice President Tom Moss was our speaker for the January meeting. Tom gave a very interesting program on Indian Arrowheads and Projectile Points. Arrowheads and Projectile Points are measured by a score of 1 -10. With 10 being a perfect arrowhead or projectile point.

Took a break and voted on the finds of the month, drew for fundraiser prizes, split the pot and door prizes.

The meeting was adjourned. The next club meeting will be February 9, 2015.

**SCHEDULE OF UPCOMING EVENTS**

4th Annual Piney Woods Relic Hunt	March 7, 2015
TAMDC Convention, (Maude Cobb) Longview, Texas	April 10, 11, 12, 2015
Club Auction	TBA

## JANUARY 2015 FINDS OF THE MONTH

### COINS

1	MICHAEL HEIMS	1882 INDIAN HEAD
2	JIMMY CLARK	1943 WHEAT PENNY
3	KENNY MATHEWS	1906 INDIAN HEAN

### JEWELRY

1	MICHAEL HEIMS	Vintage Chain Link Ring
2	JIMMY CLARK	OWL
3	RUSSELL POOLE	Bracelet Piece

### TOKENS

1	MICHAEL HEIMS	SAWMILL
2	DAVID GLOVER	Vivian Lumber Co.
3	RUSSELL POOLE	Copper Worn Lettering

### JUDGES CHOICE

1	MICHAEL HEIMS	Group of Buffalo V Nickels
2	TOM MOSS	Sheriff Badge
3	DAVID GLOVER	Brandenburg Silver Medal

### ARTIFACTS

1	TOM MOSS	Republic Star Button
2	RICK HURLBURT	WWII General Service Button
3	RUSSELL POOLE	Chauffer Badge

### SCAVENGER

1	KENNY MATHEWS	Milk Bottle
2	TOM MOSS	1917 Mercurv Dime
3	RUSSELL POOLE	Iron Crank Handle