

# THE DIXIE DIGGERS

## WARRIOR BASIN TREASURE HUNTERS ASSOCIATION (WBTHA)

The first meeting of the WBTHA in November was held on the 3rd at Niki's West Restaurant. The meeting was brought to order by President David Scales at 7:24 PM with eight members, and two Guests, Larry Nauta, and Jordan Box, present. Secretary Bonnie Watson read the minutes from the last meeting. The minutes were approved as amended.

### OLD BUSINESS

\*President Scales advised that Cullman County Commission has not been paid for the use of the pavilion at Smith Lake Park for the Deep South Treasure Hunt, but the check will be written tonight.

### NEW BUSINESS

\*Mike Harvey made a hunt schedule based on the ideas discussed at the October 20th meeting. This considers doing away with the Friday night hunts and fellowship. He also did a breakdown on the price per hunt, and a comparison with other comparable hunts across the U.S. All the members were asked to consider the changes by the next meeting.  
\*A general discussion was held about the Deep South Treasure Hunt.  
\*Mike Wardlow made a motion to include the Relic Hunt in the 2016 Deep South Treasure Hunt. The motion was seconded by Lawrence McKelvey, and approved by the members present.

### THE GAMES

Bingo Coins: No coins tonight.

Oldest Coin: Mike Wardlow won with an 1918 Mercury

dime.

### RAFFLE

1st Draw: Archie Trahan won a silver dollar.  
Door Prize: Mike Harvey won back his \$4.00 entry fee.

### MARBLE GAME

One of our guests, Larry Nauta won the opportunity to draw a marble, and he drew the green marble. Larry won \$12.00 cash.

There being nothing further for the good of the meeting, adjourned at 8:10 PM.

The second meeting of the WBTHA in November was held on the 17th at Niki's West Restaurant. The meeting was brought to order by Treasurer Joe Box at 7:30 PM with nine members present. President David Scales was absent due to a death in his family. Minutes of the last meeting were read by Secretary Bonnie Watson, and were approved as read.

### OLD BUSINESS

\*A check has been sent to Cullman County Commission for use of the pavilion at Smith Lake Park for the 2015 Deep South Treasure Hunt.

\*Mike Wardlow mentioned the Relic Show will be in Franklin, TN the first weekend in December in case the Club needs to send someone.

\*The hunt flyer Mike Harvey had put together for the last meeting and discussed with most members present showing a favorable feeling toward it. Final decision is still pending on the schedule.

\*An overall general discussion was held about the Deep South

Treasure Hunt.

### NEW BUSINESS

\*It is time to start thinking about the WBTHA Members Only Spring Hunt.

### THE GAMES

Bingo Coins: Treasurer Joe Box did not have the cards, or the playing sheets, so members were told to bring their coins back again for the December 1st meeting.

Unique Find: Mike Wardlow had the only entry in this category this time. He found a National Supply Company, Birmingham, AL watch fob. He also showed a he had found that he dated to around 1890.

### RAFFLE

1st Mike Wardlow won an IOU for a silver dollar, since President Scales was not present with the coins.  
Door Prize: Lawrence McKelvey won his \$4.00 cash entry fee back.

### MARBLE GAME

No drawing tonight due to the marbles were not available due to President Scales absence.

There being nothing further for the good of the meeting, adjourned at 7:57 PM by Treasurer Joe Box.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

December 1, 2015 WBTHA meeting. 7:30 PM Niki's West Restaurant.  
January 5, 2016 WBTHA meeting. 7:30 PM Niki's West Restaurant.

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January 19, 2015 WBTHA meeting. 7:30 PM Niki's West Restaurant.

I hope everyone has a wonderful Christmas!! Spend time with your family and friends, and remember the reason for this season!

*MERRY CHRISTMAS!!!*

