

# THE DIXIE DIGGERS

## WARRIOR BASIN TREASURE HUNTERS ASSOCIATION (WBTHA)

The only meeting of WBTHA in December was held on the 1st at Niki's West Restaurant. The meeting was brought to order by President David Scales at 7:28 PM with nine members present. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Secretary Bonnie Watson and were approved as read.

### OLD BUSINESS

\*The members present voted to go to a one day hunt for the 2016 Deep South Treasure Hunt (DSTH). This means the Friday night fun hunts and the hotdog dinner will not happen this year.

\*A discussion of prizes for the DSTH was held.

\*The relic show in Franklin, TN is the first weekend in December, so the Club set aside \$300.00 to be used if some good prizes, and/or relics can be purchased.

### NEW BUSINESS

\*Perry Watson sold two prizes to the Club.

\*It was announced there would be no meeting on December 15, 2015.

### THE GAMES

Bingo Coin: 1914, 1917, 1936, 1942 (for the money), 1951, and 1912.

Perry Watson had a 1942 dime, so he one \$1.00.

Oldest Coin: Perry Watson won with a 1941 penny.

### RAFFLE

1st Draw: Perry Watson won a 1923 Peace Dollar.

Door Prize: Joe Box won his \$4.00 cash back.

### MARBLE GAME

Bill Glass won the opportunity to draw a marble and drew a clear marble.

There being nothing further for the good of the meeting, meeting adjourned at 8:25 PM.

There was not a second meeting in December of WBTHA.

As is usual for this time of year when we do not have two meetings in December, this second section will be dedicated to reminding ourselves of how we should conduct ourselves in the field to protect our hobby.

The following is borrowed from the FMDAC website:

**I WILL ALWAYS CHECK FEDERAL, STATE, COUNTY AND LOCAL LAWS BEFORE SEARCHING. IT IS MY RESPONSIBILITY TO "KNOW THE LAW".**

**I WILL RESPECT PRIVATE PROPERTY AND WILL NOT ENTER PRIVATE PROPERTY WITHOUT THE OWNER'S PERMISSION. WHERE POSSIBLE, SUCH PERMISSION WILL BE IN WRITING.**

**I WILL TAKE CARE TO REFILL ALL HOLES AND TRY NOT TO LEAVE ANY DAMAGE.**

**I WILL REMOVE AND DISPOSE OF ANY AND ALL TRASH AND LITTER THAT I FIND.**

**I WILL APPRECIATE AND PROTECT OUR INHERITANCE OF NATURAL RESOURCES, WILDLIFE AND PRIVATE PROPERTY.**

**I WILL AS AN AMBASSADOR FOR THE HOBBY, USE THOUGHTFULNESS, CONSIDERATION AND COURTESY AT ALL TIMES.**

**I WILL WORK TO HELP BRING UNITY TO OUR HOBBY BY WORKING WITH ANY ORGANIZATION OF ANY GEOGRAPHIC AREA THAT MAY HAVE PROBLEMS THAT WILL LIMIT THEIR ABILITY TO PEACEFULLY PURSUE THE HOBBY.**

**I WILL LEAVE GATES AS FOUND.**

**I WILL BUILD FIRES IN DESIGNATED OR SAFE PLACES ONLY.**

**I WILL REPORT TO THE PROPER AUTHORITIES ANY INDIVIDUALS WHO ENTER AND OR REMOVE ARTIFACTS FROM FEDERAL PARKS OR STATE PRESERVES.**

**HAPPY NEW YEAR!!  
2016**

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I hope 2016 is a safe, healthy, and prosperous year for each of you!!

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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

**January 19, 2016 WBTHA meeting. 7:30 PM Niki's West Restaurant.**

**February 2, 2016 WBTHA meeting. 7:30 PM Niki's West Restaurant.**

**February 16, 2016 WBTHA meeting. 7:30 PM Niki's West Restaurant.**

**March 1, 2016 WBTHA meeting. 7:30 PM Niki's West Restaurant.**

**March 15, 2016 WBTHA meeting. 7:30 PM Niki's West Restaurant.**

