

#### NEWSLETTER OF THE THREE FORKS TREASURE HUNTERS CLUB

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The Outpost is published monthly by the Three Forks Treasure Hunters Club. We are a nonprofit organization dedicated to the promotion of metal detecting as a hobby. No brand or model of metal detector is endorsed by the club. Membership is open to the public with the only requirement being that all members follow the Treasure Hunters Code of Ethics. Club dues are \$25.00 per family yearly. Any comments or stories that you would like to contribute to your newsletter are always welcome.

**CLUB MEETINGS:** First Friday of each month.

*TIME*: 7:15 P.M

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**PLACE:** Wagoner Community Building at the corner

of Jefferson and Cherokee Streets

in Wagoner Oklahoma.

**NEXT MEETING:** September 5th

**BOARD MEETING:** 7:00 September 11th at Pizza Inn, Wagoner **CLUB PO BOX:** P.O. Box 753 Wagoner, Ok. 74477-0753

**CLUB WEB SITE:** www.threeforkstreasurehunters.org

#### 2014 CLUB OFFICERS:

PRESIDENT: Larry Koch
VICE PRESIDENT: Tim Adams
SECRETARY: Tim Dearman
TREASURER: Cathy Young

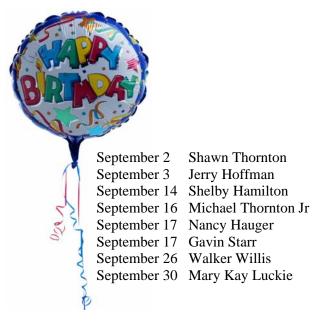
**BOARD MEMBERS:** Jerry Callison

Tom Spears Mary Tracy Francis Tracy Charles Williams Gary Young





September 23rd!





# **September Cookies**

Mary Francis Larry Koch

# **Upcoming Events**

September 5	3 Forks Club Meeting
September 11	3 Forks Board Meeting
September 13	Heritage Day @ 3 Rivers
September 20	Kelly B Todd Hunt & Walk
September 27	3 Forks Scavenger Hunt
October 3	3 Forks Club Meeting
October 18	Mississippi Hunt
October 25	3 Forks Fall Hunt
November 7	Meeting, Elections, & Pizza





September 1	Tim & Alli Adams
September 14	Richard & Rhonda Milsap
September 18	Mark & Shawn Gilbert
September 26	Sidney & Mary Kay Luckie
September 29	Tommy & Becky Thomas
September 30	Gary & Wanda Carnes

### **Editor's Notes**

We did not have a Find Of The Month Contest at our last meeting because the Ice Cream Social was scheduled. You may enter everything that you have found between July 11th up until September 5th at the next club meeting.

I will get a flier and entry form made for our upcoming October Fall Club Hunt and put up on our website and in the newsletter as soon as I receive the details of the hunt.

September 13th will be Heritage Day at the 3 Rivers Museum in Muskogee starting at 9:00. Bring some display cases and talk to the public about our fun hobby! Contact Pres Larry for more details. He should be getting a hold of the other clubs to get them involved also.

Our upcoming elections are very important! I have not heard who has volunteered to stay in office next year. I do know that we need a President since Larry has been in office for the maximum 2 years. We will probably need Board Members, a Secretary, and maybe a Vice President. Please step up and take your turn for our club. We have a very fun year coming up!



## **To Our Newest Member:**

**Bruce Person From Broken Arrow** 

**Welcome Back:** 

Lee Wierzchowski Of Broken Arrow

# Kelly B Todd Kid's Hunt September 20, 2014

Starting in 2006 members of all three of our local clubs have put on a hunt at the Kelly B Todd Walk. Gary Young and I were told by several people including the organizers that we were the biggest hit of the day, by far. They have ask once again for the local Treasure Hunting Clubs to put the Kids Hunt on again this year. What we need is a lot of volunteers. We need people to help the kids hunt, people to run the prize booth and just people to help promote our hobby. We also need metal detectors for the kids to use during the hunt. The Cerebral Palsy Neuromuscular Foundation is a non-profit organization that has a center located in Muskogee. The Center has delivered physical therapy to children with physical challenges in the Muskogee area at no cost to the families for 34 years. This is the biggest fund raiser of the year for them. This event is open to the public at no cost. There is a walk, silent auction, game booths, horse back riding and now of course metal detecting for the kids. This event is really a big deal for the kids as well as the grownups. If you were here last year you know how much fun it was and if you weren't, ask someone that was. The Center has received several prize donation for us to give away.

#### What We Need:

Lots of Volunteers Metal Detectors More Volunteers

#### What You Can Expect:

Lots of fun.
A great & a very rewarding time.

**Directions:** Located at Civitan Park, on the east side of Muskogee, approximately 1 mile west of the Muskogee Turnpike's Gibson Street exit. The park is located directly across from the Oklahoma School for the Blind. We will begin setting up the hunt field around 9:00.

If you need more information or have any questions please contact Gary Young or Chuck Marcum. Again, I hope to see everyone there. I cannot think of anything more rewarding than helping these kids have a great time.



A couple of pics from our 2007 Hunt.

# Win a \$500.00 Visa Gift Card for Christmas!



Our Three Forks Treasure Hunters Club will be having a drawing for a \$500.00 Prepaid Visa Card.

Tickets are a dollar each and we will have books of 5 for \$5.00. The drawing for the \$500.00 Prepaid Visa card will be held at our Christmas Party on December 5th. You need not be present to win. Photos of the winning ticket will be posted on our website the following day.

You can purchase tickets from any of our club members or you can buy them by mail. Visit our website at www.threeforkstreasurehunters.org for more details. Thank you for supporting our Club.

All Club members are urged to check out and sell as many tickets as they can. This is a major fund raiser for our club's general fund.

## **Notes from the President**

During our last month's meeting we gave away dimes that were not found during our night hunt. The following members have dimes that can be claimed during our September meeting. Mark Gilbert (2), James Marcum (1), Chuck Marcum (2), Ty Adams (1), Mac Adams (1), and Kim Hauger (1).

Congratulations to Jerry Hoffman for winning a Silver Dollar for the Attendance Award . Also Mary Tracy and Larry Koch for winning a Barber Half Dollar for the attending. Congratulation to Howie Rosser on winning the 50/50 pot of \$31 dollars.

September will be a busy month for the club. The board members will have a special planning meeting on the 11<sup>th</sup> at Pizza Inn to plan and discuss activities for 2015. We have been notified that the Heritage Day at Three River Museum has been changed to September 13<sup>th</sup>. Please plan on helping us support the event. Kelly B Todd Walkathon will be held on the 20<sup>th</sup>. Our club will be donating a basket for the silent auction. We will be asking club members to donate money to help with the basket and the club will match the money donated, up to \$250. Our scavenger hunt will be held on the 27<sup>th</sup> for members only. No entry fees required. Club will be giving away 50 dimes for different category of finds. There will be two tokens hidden in the field for silver half dollars.

In October we will have nominations for club officers. This will be my last year as President, so be thinking of who you would like to lead the club next year. We will do the voting in November. We will have our Fall Night Hunt, Mystery Maze Hunt, and chili /stew feed on the 25<sup>th.</sup> The club will be putting \$600 worth of dimes in the hunts. With the club donation and member's entry fees, there should be over \$1000 in silver dimes given away. Make sure you plan on attending.

**Pres Larry** 

## **Recap of our Water/Beach Hunt**

We held our water/beach hunt this past Saturday at Taylor Ferry North. In an effort to make this an outing for all members we held a beach hunt for those who didn't want to water hunt. We had five hunters in the beach hunt and ten members in the water hunt. It was a good day for an outing. Those who hunted the water had a chance to cool off as it was a little warm.

We had lunch at 12:00 and began our hunt at 1:30. We had 10 hunters competing for 180 dimes and ten prize tokens. Our top winners were John Hamilton 28 dimes, Jerry Callison 23 dimes, Lee Wierzchowski 22 dimes, and James Marcum found 20 dimes. In the beach hunt our top winners were Chuck Marcum 19 dimes and Wayne Starr 14 dimes. There were two dimes left in the beach hunt and two dimes left in the water hunt. The club's next hunt will be our Scavenger Hunt at Maple Park on the 27<sup>th</sup>.

Hope to see everyone at our meeting.

**Pres Larry** 



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