

Apr 2015 Newsletter



Meeting Information

Wednesday - April 22th, 7:00 pm
St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
116 Marydell Road
Linthicum Heights, MD 21090

March 25, 2015 Meeting Topics

- **Meeting:** *Gary Pennington*, Vice President called the meeting to order.
Kay Snuffer served as Secretary for Paul Sweeney
- **Guests / New Members:** *Timmy Streaker, Rodney Scott, Kirk Rabenola, Tim & Laura Lindsey, Patrick & Sean Mattingly*
- **Bud Lamb:** Out of the hospital – still recovering.
- **Roster:** Please confirm your email and addresses with *Steve Cunningham* to be certain you receive MARS communications.
- **Meeting Program for April:** *Joe Preast* will give a presentation on water hunting.
- **Contest Board:** *Steve Cunningham* outlined proposed rules for 2015 that are now posted on the MARS webpage.
- **Leakin Park Hunt:** *Barney Dolt* will host a hunt on March 29th.
- **Benson Hammond House:** *Emily Kerruish* reports they agreed to a hunt on April 25th. *Steve Cunningham* will forward details. Kellyco will collect pull tabs for the Ronald McDonald House charity.
- **Tips & Advice:**
Barney Dolt: Bounce around your signal, dig to experiment and learn your equipment.

Equipment: A YouTube article outlined useful accessories for detecting that include - spare batteries, water, first aid kit, suntan lotion, pruners.

MARS Club Hunts

- **Open Hunt:** Scheduled for October 10th at Sandy Point State Park. Entry fee is \$ 90 by August 31st, \$110 after and \$125 “at the door.”
- **Closed Hunt:** Scheduled for October 24th at 10:00 in the morning – with one hunt for tokens and silver

Contest / Board Results

50 / 50: *Barney Dolt*
Silver Round: *Leo Fisher*

Water: *Joe Preast*
Relic : -
Land: *Gary Pennington*
Display: *Greg---*
Find / Month: *Joe Preast*
Leg of Gold: *Gary Pennington*

Reminders

Meeting Refreshments: The April meeting will be hosted by John Vice. Keep it light – not dinner. Water and paper plates are provided by the Club.

Club Dues: Bring \$25 checks / cash to next meeting.

Raffle Jug: Donations for the Open Hunt Jug for next year are welcome.