

Dec 2015 Newsletter



Meeting Information

Tuesday - December 22nd, 7:00 pm
St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
116 Marydell Road
Linthicum Heights, MD 21090

November 25th, 2015 Meeting Topics

- **Meeting:** President *Lance Griffin* called the meeting to order.
- **Anne Arundel County:** *Lance* again cautioned that parks in Anne Arundel Co. are posted with signs that prohibit metal detecting. A general discussion followed with ideas to reverse the prohibition.
- **Thank You:** *Bud Lamb* thanked *Lance* for his service and presented him with a "I'd rather be metal detecting" license plate frame.
- **Open Hunt 2016:** *Lance* announced that the Club will be looking for a member to lead a team to organize the 2016 Open Hunt.
- **Meeting Programs:**

Gary Pennington led a discussion regarding his recent finds at Druid Hill Park. *Gary* noted the extent of his finds but cautioned that older targets are deeper and may require a larger coil. *Gary* also noted the activities of MFSTC at Kent Island.

John Vice outlined his 150 finds at a site near Westminster. *John* noted that almost every railroad bridge was guarded by Union Troops.

Tim Streaker will test the "pink" pin pointer that is circulating throughout the Club.

Lance Griffin recommended a free app called "Maprika" for overlaying historic maps.

Western Maryland Clubs – you can join them for as little as \$20 and have access to historic sites in the area.

MARS Club Hunts

Leakin Park: *Barney Dolt* has generously agreed to host a joint (MARS & MFSTC) Hunt at Leakin Park on December 12th at 9:30 am.

Steve Cunningham will email the Clubs with the details the week before.

Randy Jordan is proposing to host a Hunt at a farm and anticipates a fee of from \$5 to \$20. A date will be announced in the future.

Contest / Board Results

50 / 50: *Tim Streaker*
Silver Round: *Jerry Boston*

Water: *Joe Preast*
Relic : *Tim Lindsay*
Land: *Tim Lindsay*
Display: *Gary Pennington*
Find / Month: *Tim Lindsay*
Leg of Gold: *John Vice*

Reminders

Meeting Refreshments: The December meeting will be the holiday party with Club members supplying the menu items. A list of menu items will be circulated.

Thank you to *Gary Pennington* for November.

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

Raffle Jug: Donations for the Open Hunt Jug for the Hunt are always welcome.