



Tidewater Coin & Relic Club Newsletter

Nov-Dec 2018

Welcome to the Tidewater Coin & Relic Club Newsletter!

Our monthly meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month.

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111 West Oceanview Avenue
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Doors open at 6:30PM and the meeting starts at 7PM, so come join the fun!

Next Meeting: January 8th 2019

November-December Meetings Recap

The November Meeting was called to order at 7:10 by Ina Finn. 20 of 37 TC&RC Members attended the meeting. Additionally, there was 1 visitor, Les Robinson. There were no new members. The first order of business was election of the 2019 TC&RC Officers, who were elected by voice vote of members present.

2019 TC&RC Club Officers

President: Ina Finn

Treasurer: Billy Matthews

Vice President: John Lefevre

Public Relations: Kelley Rea

Web Master: Kelley Rea

Secretary: John Galle

Librarian: Ron Ratcliff

Congratulations to all!

The main topic of discussion was the upcoming Christmas Party. The party will be held at the Azalea Inn, 2344 East Little Creek Road Norfolk, VA 23518-3225. The party will start at 6:00 PM and end whenever... All were encouraged to bring a \$20 gift for a Pollyanna Gift Exchange where steals can happen. All the Category Winners for the year will be recognized and provided a prize, and the top three point winners for Hunter of the Year will be awarded. The "2nd Chance" Drawing will be for gold!

The following Members received a Find and Return pin for returning something they found to the owner:
Danny Parker, who found and returned a gold ring.

NOVEMBER FINDS OF THE MONTH WINNERS

Our Finds of the Month competition was very intense, since there were several folks very close together for the Hunter of the Year. The Judges were chosen and the winners for November were:

Coin: Kelley Rea (1748 King George)

Relic: Kelley Rea (Blowhole)

Jewelry: Billy Matthews (Gold Ring)

Other: Doug Parker (Ingot)

Wild: Steve Czarny (Fish Weight)

Table: Doug Parker



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NOVEMBER RAFFLE WINNERS

Norm's Raffle: Mark Weingartner
Doug Brooks

Second Chance: Billy Matthews

50/50 Raffle: Ron Ratcliff

The meeting was adjourned at 8:32.

Christmas Party Summary

The TC&RC Christmas Party was held at the Azalea Inn and was well attended by about 40 members and friends. The food was great and fun was had by all. There was even a cake!



Additionally, the following annual year end awards were presented:

2018 Perfect Attendance Awards:

Doug Brooks, Paul Dougherty, Ina Finn, Gary Gray, Rex Hazlett, Billy Mathews, Richard Pollard, and Kelley Rea

2018 Category Hunter of the Year Awards:

2Coin: Kelley Rea

Relic: Kelley Rea

Jewelry: Steve Czarny

Other: Billy Matthews

Wild: Billy Matthew

Table: Billy Matthews

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2018 Overall Hunter of the Year Awards

1st Place: Kelly Rea (124 pts) **2nd Place:** John Lefevre (114 pts) **3rd Place:** Billy Matthews (105 pts)

Distinguished Club Member Award

John Galle

Pollyanna Christmas Gifts

There were 18 Pollyanna gift participants this year. After some discussion of what the rules were, the festivities began with each number being called one at a time to pick and open their gift. But their gift might not stay their gift... There were many steals and haggling, along with some hiding and searching... but fun was had by all!

There were 2 raffles at the end of the evening, the 2nd Chance Raffle (for Gold) and the 50/50 Raffle. The winners were:

50/50 Raffle: John Lefevre and Martin Whitman **2nd Chance (for Gold):** Ina Finn

Pictures from the event were posted on the Club Facebook site.

Annual Club Dues is due in January!
Please Provide your Dues to the Treasurer!