

OKANAGAN TREASURE HUNTERS CLUB OCTOBER 2016 NEWSLETTER



Congrats to Syd Birch on finding the club coin.

NEW CLUES FOR THE CLUB COIN

Treasure Hunters from around the world are using the power of Google Earth in their search for treasure. Use Google Earth to narrow your search for the hidden club coin. Here are your clues:
Penticton's one eyed Nazca figure has two short arms and two long legs.
As he strides by, imagine that he steps on the club coin.



SILVER HALVES DRAW

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| 1. Robert Ames | 2. Christian Noel |
| 3. Nick Nesbitt | 4. Ray Matzick |
| 5. Carole Snider | 6. Samantha Tarbet |
| 7. Nick Nesbitt | 8. Robert Ames |
| 9. Carole Snider | |

DIAMOND RING RAFFLES



1st - Hank Vodarek
Gold Ring/Diamonds



2nd - Samantha Tarbet
1930 Wilhelmina 2.5 Gulden silver coin



3rd - Bob Omand
1985 Specimen set

Royal Portraits

OTHC Contest (begins at the September meeting and ends at the November meeting - 2 months)

Canadian coinage always displays the portrait of the reigning monarch. Since 1858 our coins have depicted five monarchs. Two of these, Queen Victoria and Queen Elizabeth II, appear in multiple portraits. A complete list follows:

1. Queen Victoria Laureated Portrait 1858
2. Queen Victoria Diadem Portrait 1870 - 1901
3. King Edward VII Imperial State Crown Portrait 1902 - 1910
4. King George V Imperial State Crown Portrait 1911 - 1936
5. King George VI Uncrowned Portrait 1937 - 1952
6. Queen Elizabeth II Laureated Portrait 1953 - 1964
7. Queen Elizabeth II Tiara Portrait 1965 - 1989
8. Queen Elizabeth II Royal Diadem Portrait 1990 - 2003
9. Queen Elizabeth II Mature Portrait 2003 - to date.

The Contest

In a single denomination, find four or more Canadian coins with different Royal Portraits and win a prize.

The Rules:

1. This contest begins at the September meeting and ends at the November meeting (2 months).
2. Coins must be found while metal detecting.
3. Coins found in any seeded hunt do not qualify.
4. A club member may be a winner in a denomination (ie. nickels) and may also be a winner in another denomination (ie. quarters), but may claim only one prize in a denomination.

The Prizes:

1. Find four portraits to win a silver dime.
2. Find five portraits and win a silver quarter.
3. Find six portraits and win a silver half.
4. Find seven or more portraits and win a silver dollar.



Huntmaster's Tips:

Search those old parks, old homes, old schools and swimming beaches that are no longer used. The Okanagan Historical Society publishes an annual report that contains a wealth of information for the treasure hunter. Always get permission to detect private property. Stay safe.

Good luck everyone!

OCTOBER 2016 FIND OF THE MONTH

JEWELRY

		
1st - Ken Dewerson 18K Gold Chain	2nd - Carole Snider 10K Gold Ring/Bloodstone	3rd - Syd Birch Silver Chain

COINS

		
1st - Ken Dewerson Greek Coin	1st - Syd Birch 1957 Cdn. Silver Dime	2nd - Brett Johnson 1965 Cdn. Silver Quarter

MISC

			
1st - Brett Johnson Cap Gun	2nd - Samantha Tarbet Old Lipstick	2nd - Syd Birch Skeleton Key	2nd - Robert Ames Swiss Army Knife

OTHER GREAT FINDS



Winner of the “Non-Winner’s draw”
(for entering an item in the Find of the Month,
but did not win 1st, 2nd or 3rd)

Rob Blackie

The Find of the Month Standings as of October 2016:

Ken Dewerson - 85
Paul Snider - 55
Syd Birch - 52
Brett Johnson - 49
Samantha Tarbet - 34
Rob Blackie - 28
Carole Snider - 25
Maretta Saulnier - 24
Ray Matzick - 20

Jim Tennant - 16
Bob Omand - 12
Christian Noel - 8
Robert Ames - 8
Hank Vodarek - 7
Sue McCardell - 4
Jo-Anne Birch - 4
Sharon Vodarek - 3
Hugh McCardell - 3



Club Hunt

**Sun-Oka Beach Provincial Park,
Summerland**



**Saturday, October 22
@ 11:00am!**

Best Halloween Hat Wins A Prize!!!

**See you all at the next meeting, Tuesday November 15, 2016, 7PM Start Time!
@ The Penticton Library Auditorium**