



# OKANAGAN TREASURE HUNTERS CLUB NEWSLETTER - MARCH 2017

## Hunt For the Club Coin - Clues by Christian Noel

Settled here in 1888.

But this family did not supply swashbucklers,  
as their name would suggest.

Find the intersection of Lakeshore and this family name.

Stop by for a “picnic” and the treasure will be close by.

Google Map says it is 66.5 km’s from our old meeting place.



## Club Hunt - March 26, 2017

It was a cool morning for sure, with more than twenty hunters attending our monthly club hunt. This month’s hunt was held at Sunoka Beach and it was especially pleasing to see that a half dozen of the participants were new members. Looking forward to “Sunny Skies” and warm conditions, our next Club Hunt will be held at Powell Beach on Sunday, April 23rd at 10:00am. This will be confirmed at our next Club meeting on April 18th.

# Finds of the Month - March 2017 Meeting

Coin

Jewellery

Miscellaneous

1st



1913 Cdn Silver Quarter  
Brett Johnson

18K Gold Ring  
Brett Johnson

Shoulder Flash  
Paul Snider

2nd



1910 Cdn Silver Dime  
Paul Snider

Silver Ring  
Paul Snider

Klondike Token  
Brett Johnson

3rd



Arabian Coin  
Carol Snider

10K Sterling Ring  
Carol Snider

My New Girl Friend  
Hank Vodarek

## Find of the Month Standings as of March 21st, 2017

Brett Johnson	11	Karen MacKenzie	2
Paul Snider	10	Michael MacKenzie	2
Carole Snider	5	Robert Ames	2
Hank Vodarek	4	Rob Blackie	1
Jim Tennant	3		
Maretta Saulnier	3		
Syd Birch	3		





## Our New Home at “The Pines”

A huge Thank You to Gord and Shelley Jackart, managers of the Pines Mobile Home Park, who have offered us the use of their club house for our regular monthly meetings.

We look forward to seeing you:  
98 Okanagan Avenue East,  
Penticton, BC



Let's give a real warm  
welcome to our newest  
club members!

Julie Hinton  
Lee Simmons  
Maggie St-Hilaire

Shelley Jackart  
Gordon Jackart  
Chris Bilocerkowec

## SILVER HALVES WINNERS!



Syd B.	Brett J.	Jo-Anne B.
Brett J.	Jim T.	Brett J.
Ray M.	Ken D.	Christian N.

# Okanagan Treasure Hunters Club

President..... Syd Birch  
 Vice President..... Christian Noel  
 Treasurer..... Syd Birch  
 Secretary..... Christian Noel  
 Find of Month..... Brett Johnson  
 & Ken Dewerson  
 Raffles..... Rob Blackie  
 Refreshments ..... Bonnie Nesbitt  
 Archivist ..... Rob Blackie  
 Newsletter Editor ..... Jim Tennant  
 Webmaster ..... Samantha Tarbet  
 Hunt Master Coordinator..... Syd Birch  
 Treasures in the Sand Chair..... Ken Dewerson,  
 Brett Johnson &  
 Ray Matzick.

Board of Directors  
 March 2017  
 to  
 March 2018

## Canadian Coins - Silver Content

Compiled by Editor - from info on the Internet

Looking through your coin collection have you ever wondered just how much silver content are in the different dates? The following is a quick guide. You may also not have known that during some years silver coins were not even produced (1800s & early 1920's) and also in some years (1967 & 1968) there were a portion of the coins produced each with different metal content.



Queen Victoria  
Coins 1858 - 1901



King Edward VII  
Coins 1902 - 1910



King George V  
Coins 1911 - 1936



King George VI  
Coins 1937 - 1952



Queen Elizabeth II  
Coins 1953 - 1968

Dates	Nickles	Dimes	Quarters	Halves	Dollars
1858	.925	.925	none	none	none
1870 - 1901	.925	.925	.925	.925	none
1902 - 1910	.925	.925	.925	.925	.none
1911 - 1919	.925	.925	.925	.925	none
1920 - 1921	.800	.800	.800	.800	none
1922 - 1936	none	.800	.800	.800	.800
1937 - 1952	none	.800	.800	.800	.800
1953 - 1966	none	.800	.800	.800	.800
1967	none	.800	.800	.800	.800
1967	none	.500	.500	.500	.800
1968	none	.500	.500	.500	none
1968	none	none	none	none	none