

Uncompahgre Treasure Club

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Website: <http://www.UncompahgreTreasureClub.com>

Club Meeting: Lions Park Clubhouse, 7:00 pm, Monday, May 9, 2022

Board Meeting: Time and place will be decided at the club meeting

President's Message:

Hello Members, All permits submitted by members to our claim have been approved and will be available at the May 9th meeting. I plan on having a trip to the claim possibly the first Sat. or Sun. after the next meeting. I have contacted the city about detecting in Montrose County and we have permission to hunt parks, recreational areas, and city lots, just so long as they are not posted otherwise.

The club is going to have our in-house auction at the May meeting. Please bring items you are willing to depart with and limit the number of items, so we are not overwhelmed. This auction is to raise funds for our yearly Club Hunt and Picnic.

Talked with Dave Lehman today and he is still going through treatment at this time. He sounded very well and very optimistic about his treatment and results. Please continue your prayers and know that he thinks about all of you and thanks you so much for your support. Jim and Becky Waugh are still transitioning and trying to get back to normal after the move from Oregon. It's been quite the ordeal for them and we can only pray things continue to get better soon.

I am going to talk with Sally Johnson at the Historical Museum about having our June meeting there. So, I hope it will work out as that would be an exciting place to have a meeting.

I also plan on having a treasure hunt out soon. I'm working on a set of clues and will set out a token for the club to go out and locate for a nice prize. These hunts have been so much fun and have had members getting out and enjoying the challenge.

NEXT MEETING IS MONDAY MAY 9TH. 7 PM AT LIONS' CLUBHOUSE. Don't forget there will be an auction, so please bring something to donate.

Don Rodarte, President UTC

Secretary's Report:

UTC Minutes

Meeting of Monday, April 11, 2022

President Don Rodarte called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Duane Renfrow, followed with a prayer by Don.

Secretary Sandy Bliss read the Minutes of the March 14, 2022, meeting and the Minutes were approved.

Treasurer Barb Roth read the Treasurer's Report and the report was approved.

Don had new business cards for the Club. He encouraged members to keep some on hand for anyone expressing an interest in the club. He also had about 20 club ball caps for \$12 each, and asked if anyone would be interested in ordering a club t-shirt. Deb Hyatt asked if a club vest might be possible.

A big thank you to Dennis and Robin Freed for donating more coins to the evening's raffle.

At May's meeting we will have an in-house auction to raise money for our club hunts and prizes.

In June we will hold our meeting at the Montrose Historical Museum at 7:00 pm. Refreshments will not be available, but we will have our club raffle.

Don said he's getting closer to setting a date for a club trip to the claim. There is a sign-up sheet for members interested in going and he will call those on the list when the weather and river conditions improve. For those interested in going he suggested we meet at the City Market parking lot and caravan to the claim.

A special thanks from all of us to those who brought refreshments...as well as to Deb Hyatt who is our wonderful coffee maker!

There was a brief break for refreshments and voting at the Finds Table.

Following the break, the Club Raffle was conducted by Duane and Don.

Mike Stansbery announced the winners of the Finds Table. Find of The Month was won by Don with his diamond ring.

The meeting was adjourned.

2022 Find of the Month Scoreboard:

Numbers in red denote find of the month winners												
NAME	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	TOTAL
Sandy Bliss				1								1
Earl Bryan				3								3
Marilyn DiPrimo			1									1
Vince DiPrimo			5	4								9
Ron Haglund	1	8										9
Deb Hyatt			1	2								3
Ben Golden	4		3									7
Eileen Golden			1									1
Carole O'Donnell	2	1	1									4
Joe Obert		7	8									15
Brian Rau			2	13								15
Don Rodarte	14	11	16	15								56
Barb Roth		1										1
Mike Stansbery	4	9	5	7								25

April 2022 Category and Find of the Month Winners:

Category	Winner	Description
A US COINS	Brian Rau	1851 Braided Hair Large Cent
B TOKENS & FOREIGN COINS	Brian Rau	25 Cent Trade Token
C JEWELRY (SILVER & GOLD)	Don Rodarte	10K Diamond Ring
D JEWELRY (ALL OTHER)	Brian Rau	Victorian Brooch
E TOYS (ALL)	Mike Stansbery	Cap Pistol
F MISCELLANEOUS	Vinnie DiPrimo	Old Cell Phone w/case
G RELICS	Don Rodarte	D & RG Railroad Lock
H MODERN METALLIC	Don Rodarte	Pewter Boat
I MINERAL SPECIMENS	Don Rodarte	Fossilized Snail
J DISPLAYS	Don Rodarte	Display
FIND OF THE MONTH	Don Rodarte	10K Diamond Ring

Birthdays in May:

Earl Bryan
Tom Davis
Marlene Mitchell
Duane Renfrow
Karla Waltz

Events Calendar 2022:

May 9th -- Club meeting, in-house fund raiser auction, 7:00 pm, Lions Clubhouse

June 13th -- Club meeting, 7:00 pm, Montrose County Historical Museum, 10 N Rio Grande St.

July 11th -- Club meeting, 7:00 pm, Lions Clubhouse

August 8th -- Club meeting, 7:00 pm, Lions Clubhouse

September 12th -- Club meeting, 7:00 pm, Lions Clubhouse

October 10th -- Club meeting, 7:00 pm, Lions Clubhouse

November 14th -- Club meeting, 7:00 pm, Lions Clubhouse

December 12th -- Club meeting, 7:00 pm, Lions Clubhouse

Wisdom:

When out detecting or digging, remember... some days are diamonds, some days are stones.