



Gateway Treasure Hunters Club

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#### Gateway Treasure Hunters Club Code of Ethics

- 1) Respect the rights and property of others.
- 2) Never destroy historical or archeological artifacts.
- 3) Observe all laws, whether national, state, or local.
- 4) Aid law enforcement officials whenever possible.
- 5) Leave the land and vegetation as it was.
- 6) FILL IN ALL HOLES.
- 7) Remove all trash and litter, take it with you when you leave.
- 8) Remember that all Treasure Hunters may be judged by the example YOU set.
- 9) Always conduct yourself with courtesy and consideration toward others.

The 2012 Open Hunt Flyer and Applications are in the Mail. The hunt is to be held on Saturday, May 19, 2012 at Onset Beach. Hope to see you all there. At our last meeting the Prizes were discussed and some changes were made to make for more prizes to be awarded.

In area News of local finds Roy G. reported that a treasure hunter came by his store and showed him a \$2 Half Dollar 1915 US Gold coin found in Wareham water on January 23, 2012.

Congratulations to Rick B., Jeff L., and Kenny B. winners of the Find of the Month at last our last meeting.

We Have some New Club Business Cards available for you to hand out to interested parties you meet in your travels and hopefully get some New Members. The Cards are available through the Treasurer Roy G.

We are looking for anyone who hasn't paid their dues yet to send it in as soon as possible and anyone who may be reading who knows someone who was a member and let their membership expire, to say hello and invite them back.

#### Note from the new Club Secretary

Being a fairly new Member of the Club I know some of you have no idea who I am, but I hope to change that over time and as soon as possible. I hope you'll come to the meetings so those I haven't met yet I'll have a chance to get to know. I'm going to need a little help along the way from those who want to see the Club grow and we can work together making our events as much of a success as was in the past. I have been Metal Detecting since 1972 but have found over the years that the more I learn, the more I realize how little I know. It will be fun to do the Secretary's job, but I feel I have a lot to learn and need more experience to be good at it. Any time you have some information, comments and or suggestions please feel free to let me know what's on your mind. I hope everybody had a wonderful Holiday Season. Let's Have another Great New Year together! My email address is - [thomassmith419@comcast.net](mailto:thomassmith419@comcast.net).



Journey through New England and learn about the lost pirate riches of Captain Kidd, Blackbeard, Edward Low, and other dastardly buccaneers. Consider hidden treasures in the Appalachian, Longfellow, White, and Green Mountains...and how you might find the loot. Read further to unmask the mystery, intrigue, treasure, and

We recived a letter From this Author and thought you migh like to check Her Books out. See the listing and of other books she has written at:

[http://www.amazon.com/Lost-Loot-Ghostly-England-Treasure/dp/0764328166/ref=ntt\\_at\\_ep\\_dpt\\_2](http://www.amazon.com/Lost-Loot-Ghostly-England-Treasure/dp/0764328166/ref=ntt_at_ep_dpt_2)

Our Next meeting is at 7:00PM, February 22, 2012 in the Church Hall in Wareham.