

Where has the summer gone! Nice that it has cooled down a bit. Still plenty of time to get your share of gold this summer. Last meeting, we had 49 attending Great job everyone! Nomination will start this meeting in September. We will have sheets to be passed around with all positions on it if you want to nominate or be nominated for a position in the club. You be an active carded member and in good standings to be nominated. Towards the end of each meeting we will read the results if they are any. We still have the Part Planner position still open. Mark will be handling the Hats & Shirts position for right now. Unless we have a member step forward wanting to do this position. Ticket drawing might become open also. Not sure currently. All the claim's paperwork has been submitted and returned. All the claims are good for another year. There has been a lot of nice gold coming off the Little Sevier claims down south. But no reports have come in from the Silver City claims from up north. If any of the members have been up to this summer. Please report back to us if any nice gold has been found. Thanks! There will be a special drawing being held at the Christmas Party this year. It will be known as the "Golden Christmas Party" due to that fact of how much gold could be had or won. These items that will be donated will be from Eric Teot. One of them is a beautiful gold specimen on its quartz host rock. Valued around \$250-\$300. And the second one is a cabbed gold in quartz gold wire wrapped with a nice gold nugget hanging from below. All hanging from a 14k gold chain. Valued at around \$450.-\$500. The pictures of these

will be posted on the clubs Facebook page and the regular Facebook page for all to view. So, check them out. And if you are feeling lucky when the tickets come up for purchase. Make sure you get them. Thanks! This month is the ninth month on the 3rd month ticket draw. So have your tickets ready at this next meeting, three in total. To see if you will win the nice prize for this time. It will be a piece of Black Topaz donated from the guest speaker for the night. Last but not least! The program for the meeting on Tuesday night will be " **ONCE IN A LIFETIME FIND, THE BLACK TOPAZ DEPOSIT OF UTAH**". Presented by Shaun Rasmussen. His discovery out in the West Desert was incredible! He will have heads up pictures on the screen for viewing and specimens to be purchased if you like. For the month of October, we will have Eric Teot with an awesome presentation on the "**GOLD OF COLORADO**". Another one not to miss! And the last item. The outing for the month of September will be once again up American Fork Canyon. Up on Mary Ellen Gulch. Full details at the meeting. Well, another month under our belts and it been a good year so far. Again, thanks for all of the members supporting the club though out the year. Making it the great club that it is.

THANKS AGAIN!

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