

## Pa Prospectors Meeting March 16, 2024

The March meeting was called to order by President Ryan Martin. Pledge of Allegiance was said and roll call of officers. All were present minus a secretary. Decembers minutes were read and approved Chad made a motion and it was second by Claude. The treasurer's report was read by William. The following bills were presented for payment. \$50.00 dollars for Lightstreet United Methodist Church and \$10.55 cents from William for supplies for the club. No other bills were presented. Chad made a motion to pay the bills. it was seconded by Ken. There was no unfinished business. Under new business the following items were discussed. 1. Joe Hines brought up, "When we cancel for bad weather, how about having the meeting the following weekend?" Ryan said he will check with Beth from the church to see if that would be acceptable. 2. Chad brought up about different places to go. He mentioned we can hold meetings at the farm as there is 36 acres available with plenty of parking and camping is allowed. He also has a porta outhouse on site. Along with a water buffalo, and custom made benches to sit on. Also the address will be given so people can find the place on their GPS etc. Tony added, He doesn't do high banking, and metal detecting. He asked if that could be done there. He remembered it being done at Frank Gray's in the field by his house. 3. William brought up about the insurance coverage. He said he spoke with the insurance company awhile back about the coverage at Frank Gray's and other places We haven't been to Frank's since 2019 before the pandemic. We probably won't be going back to Frank's. It's 40 dollars for the year. William also stated that when he was with the fire department, when they had events. They would get insurance coverage just for that weekend. And they didn't have to pay again until the next year's event. A motion was made to remove Frank Gray's property off the insurance. It was seconded and approved. Tony asked if the insurance is all inclusive or not. William mentioned he will check into that as well. Tony brought about the website and domain name. He has been working with Bill over the years as a incentive to be a member. He enjoys doing the website. Me and my son don't normally charge for doing the website. Since I am no longer working, I proposed to Ryan that possibly going 50/50 . It's 140 dollars total . It was voted and approved that we split the cost and give Tony 70 dollars at the Christmas party in December of this year. Winners of the prizes were William (door prize), Claude, Joe Hines and George Martin. Meeting was adjourned. Chaplain Claude said the blessing for the meal that was enjoyed by all. And we processed dirt outside after we ate and the winner of the door prize panned the gold bag as well.