

SEARCH AGREEMENT FOR METAL DETECTING

East Looe Town Trust as the owner of East Looe Beach agree that in consideration of the payment to landowner of 20% of the value or rewards arising from the recovery of any property or objects found by the undersigned (herein after called the licensee) over the value of £1000, the licensee may enter the said land of search for items of buried or other material, whether antique or modern.

1 – It is the licensee's responsibility to hold a current NCMD membership card showing details of the Public Liability Cover or to arrange their own Public Liability Cover. **You must include evidence of this with your application.**

2 – The licensee shall record finds made on the said land with third parties, including The Portable Antiquities Scheme, Historic Environment Records or any museum service only after gaining the appropriate permission of the landowner to do so and then only to an accuracy of find spots that all parties are comfortable with.

3 – Do not leave a mess or unsafe surface for other beach users – any holes that are dug must be filled in.

4 – If you discover any live ammunition or any lethal object, such as an unexploded bomb or mine – do not disturb it or attempt to move it. Mark the site carefully and report to the landowner (East Looe Town Trust), HM Coastguard and the Police.

5 – If you discover any traces of human remains or a likely burial, do not disturb it. Mark the site and report it to the landowner (East Looe Town Trust) and the Police.

6 – Finders of potential Treasure should contact their regional Finds Liaison Officers for further advice. Further information can be found at 111.finds.org.uk/treasure

7 – Property found in the sea or the seashore could be from a ship and is known technically as "wreck". Wreck is not treasure. All wreck must be reported to the Receiver of Wreck – further information available at www.mcaga.gov

8- Be aware of sharps and how to deal and dispose of them. Sharps bins are available from the workshop and guidance will be available from the maintenance team – if in any doubt then please contact the maintenance team who will assist you.

8 – Beach maintenance staff may ask licensees to vacate the beach or move to another part of the beach – these instructions must be complied with.

9 – A maximum of three licensees are permitted to be on the beach at any one time – this is generally on a "first come first served" basis. Licensees must avoid using the beach at peak times and when events are organised. Generally this would mean using the beach between 6pm and 7am.

The landowner (East Looe Town Trust) can be contacted at info@eastloometowntrust.co.uk or by ringing 01503 263709. For urgent contact out of office hours please contact 07787 744955

Signed

Email Address:

Name:

Home Address:

Date:

Mobile No:

NCMD Membership Number:

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