If I wasn’t convinced before I am now - the most avid avocational archeologists in the State of Texas belong to the Houston Archeological Society! Instead of spending Black Friday and Thanksgiving Saturday shopping or getting ready for the holidays, many of them came out to our new project site near San Jacinto to help us screen dirt!! We were blessed with absolutely gorgeous weather… and we even recovered a few promising artifacts including ceramics and a couple of round metal objects that could be buttons. Once the artifacts are cleaned and identified I’ll report here. In the meantime, thanks to everyone who came out and screened dirt this weekend.

This was the crew on Saturday including John Rich, Bob Sewell, Tom Nuckols, Charlie Aulbach, Betsy Wittenmeyer, Mike Lemen, Pat and Beth Aucoin, John Lumb, Mack and Larry Golden, Cecil Jones, Louis Aulbach, Tom Williams and Dave Dyer.

Mike Lemen, our newest HAS member, believed all the other guys when they told him that the newbies had to dig all day!! Shame on them!

John Rich holding a recovered coin … a 1983 dime 😊 Not exactly as old as we were searching for … but a dime is a dime!
Charlie Aulbach, Mike Lemen, Tom Nuckols, and Bob Sewell.

John Rich, Dave Dyer and Louis Aulbach

Larry Golden right with his dad, Mack.

Cecil Jones, John Lumb, Beth and Pat Aucoin concentrating on the job at hand.

A sample of artifacts recovered including metal, glass and ceramics, before cleaning and identifying.

If you’d like to help us screen at this site we invite you to join the Houston Archaeological Society (you can find a membership form here), or contact me at lindagorski@cs.com.