Colorado Springs Coin Club

The Colorado Springs Coin Club meets
the fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:00 P.M. at the
Colorado Springs Police Department, Gold Hill Division (South West)
Community Room
Station is located at 955 West Moreno Avenue
west off of 8th street
Guests are welcome at all our regular meetings.

August Regular Meeting - August 22, 2017

Agenda for August

Due to the nature of this special meeting our agenda will require these changes;

No Collector's Corner

No "Did you know?"

No August Auction

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Introduction of guests
- 3. Introduction of Sam Gelberd from the ANA
- 4. Y/N Event
- 5. Membership Prize Drawing
- 6. Volunteer Prize Drawing
- 7. Adjournment by 8:20—8:30

July Meeting

Last months meeting was attended by forty-four members and two guests, Eddie S. and our program speaker and honorary member, Ken Bressett.

The secretary's report as published in the June newsletter was accepted.

The treasurer's June report by Barbara T. was given and accepted.

July Business

Jerry F. shared/reviewed the status of the Coin Club's volunteer workers for the Colorado Springs Coin & Collectibles show.

Steve D. told of the preparations of the committee efforts for the ANA's Worlds Fair of Money in August in Denver. The money for members helping at the event, (mileage and parking) will be distributed afterwards. He also mentioned that the show polo shirts would be handed out when showing up for helping at the event.

July Door Prize Winners

Members winning door prizes were; Terry C., Dale G., Steve I., Wayne W., Sylvia L. and Bob C.

July Membership Prize Winner

Buddha I. was our winning member for July

July Auction

Twelve lots were auctioned with nine lots selling.

July Collectors Corner

Displaying numismatic items were;

Bob C. - Two Roman coins

David J. - medals from the 1853 New York expo

Jin G. - Max Meil book & 1958 Red Book

George Mi. - Canadian small cent collection

Steve D. - Two ancient coins

Dan U. - 1836 steam press medal

J. C. S. - Three Ancient coins

Kevin L. - Carousel token from Elitch Gardens

Elden L. - book of oversize cents x Bruce B. - two saved Kennedy halves

Frank T. - Vam! 1880 Morgan

Jerry F. - Wisconsin quarters high and low leaf

July Program

Ken Bressett with a PowerPoint presentation to the membership gave an informative presentation of:

"Coins of the Roman Republic"

He told of the casting of bronze coinage produced by the Roman Republic and striking of the denarius, denominations, fractions, values and compositions. The slide program was very informative and well presented.

August Program

"Young Numismatist's Night"

For ages 6 to 18 -- games, door prizes, contests, awards, lots of fun, education, meet fellow numismatists, fill your coin books and refreshments. Grand Prize will be a partial set of Lincoln Cents (valued at over \$200.00)

For this August evening meeting Sam Gelberd, ANA Numismatic Educator will be directing. Sam joined the ANA in 2013 after teaching middle school, although he was first introduced to the group in 2006 when he attended the Coins in the Classroom course at the ANA Summer Seminar. He calls his current role his dream job.

Please invite your children and/or grandchildren who are 6-18 years of age. Ask neighbors who have children to attend.

Send an E-Mail to Jerry Fritz (jerryfritz@generatingwow.com) by August 20 with the number of guests who are planning on attending.

Members are encouraged to bring their Lincoln Cent sets and/or speci mens as well as extra loupes for the kids to use. Thanks

Please Note

Based on numbers we may need a variety of refreshments. I don't think coffee and donuts will work for this meeting. So, members should be aware that we will be sending out another note on Aug. 17 or 18 with a call out for refreshments.

September 26th Meeting

Our tour is confirmed for September 26th from 6:30 to 7:30-45 PM. and will be held at the Western Museum of Mining and Industry — 225 North Gate Blvd.

Colorado Springs, CO 80921 — 719-488- 0880 — I-25 to Exit 156, Opposite the North Entrance to the United States Air Force Academy

Members should be parked and ready to form up for tour instructions between 6:15-6:25. Anyone arriving after 6:30 will not be allowed on the tour. Admission fees -- normally is \$9 but for our group it is only \$8 with the following reductions (Seniors 60 + is \$7; children 13-18 is also \$7; children from 4-12 is \$5; and, any members of the Museum or the Gold Prospector's Club (need their membership cards on person) are free.

Need confirmation of who will be attending by September 24th.

ANA's Web Space Page

Our website can be viewed at (**cscc.anaclubs.org**) or (csns.anaclubs.org). We do need Members' help with this website and ask for any ideas for adding information, articles, and art work to the site. Our monthly newsletters and all club information can also be viewed on the website along with the Coin Club and Numismatic Society monthly newsletters.

July Did You Know?

For 7/25/2017

- 1.For Y/Ns only In what country is the city of Rome? Italy Kevin L.
- 2. Where were the first cast coins produced?

 China Dan
- 3. Who was Juno Moneta?

Rome - George Mi.

- 4. What was the meaning of "Head or ships?" heads or tails Steve D.
- 5. What is an astragalos?

bone - Sam

Show Summary

According to the feedback I received from the ANA, things went well at the

World's Fair of Money.

Everyone seemed pleased, including some dealers I know who are (seemingly) never pleased. My understanding is that we had three no-shows out of 42 expected for Ambassador and Kids Zone. Thanks to everyone who helped out! (And I'll say that again: Thanks to everyone who helped out!) I heard at the numismatic society that we had four hundred kids work the treasure hunt, versus a couple of dozen last year in Anaheim. The quality of the exhibits was extremely good as well (though we didn't have a lot of control over that). We had very good coverage with the pages. Jerry F. (I heard from a third party) was doing an excellent job introducing the Money Talks speakers. I don't know numbers on the scouting clinics, but everything went smoothly.

Good show, everyone! Steve D'I

Please Note

To alleviate any problems with the meeting room Tuesday, please remain in your vehicles until 6:30 P.M.

George Mountford, Secretary