

Colorado Springs Coin Club

Meetings: 7:00 pm, Fourth Tuesday of each month

Location: Colorado Springs Police Department, Gold Hill Division
Community Room
955 W. Moreno Avenue
Colorado Springs, CO 80905

Guests are welcome at all our regular meetings

Agenda for March Meeting- March 27, 2018

- I. Introduction of Guests and New Members
- II. Officer Reports: Secretary and Treasurer
- III. Collector's Corner
- IV. Old and New Business
- V. Did You Know?
- VI. Intermission Break
- VII. Program: White Elephant Auction**
- VIII. Door, Membership, and Volunteer Prize Drawings
- IX. Adjournment

February Meeting Guests and New Members: The attendance included 33 club members; Dave Starling came as guest and was voted in as a member.

February Door Prize Winners: Milt N., Jerry F., Chris L., Georgia W. Joshua Y.

February Volunteer Prize Winners: Bob C. and Milt N.

February Membership Prize: Bob C.

March Meeting Program: We will be holding the annual "White Elephant Auction". We ask that members please bring numismatic items, preferably coins, medals, tokens, or currency, for donation to the auction and also bid on items auctioned with proceeds going to the club treasury. This is one of the ways that funds are raised for prizes, donuts, coffee, and other club expenses. It is also a fun event, hopefully enjoyed by all participants.

April Meeting Program: Colorado Springs Coin Club members will be presenting their 10-minute "Short Stories" at the April 24th meeting. If you are interested in being one of the presenters please notify either V.P. Georgia W. or Pres. Bob C. Hopefully several members will sign up to speak so that we could do a "Short Story" program again in the fall.

June Meeting Program: Since the Colorado Springs Coin, Currency, and Collectibles Show began allowing collectibles along with coins and currency to be sold at the 2017 show the coin club would like to do the same at the June 26th meeting. Any member who would like to display and sell collectibles at the June meeting please notify V.P. Georgia W. or Pres. Bob C. This could be a very fun and interesting meeting.

Coin Show Volunteer Sign-Up: George M. will continue with the volunteer sign-up for the coin show. To be eligible for the volunteer prize after the June show a minimum of four (4) hours of volunteer time will be required. Members can volunteer to help with set up, tear down, or serve at the registration tables. All coin club members benefit from funds received from the coin show. PLEASE VOLUNTEER!!!

George M. shares with us:

“At the March 13th coin show steering committee meeting a couple changes have been made regarding the shows front registration desk operation, the clubs show tables and the show exhibiting process. Instead of only two members at the front desk at all times, we must now have a third member to do raffle ticket sales and help explain the raffle process to the guests, (names and phone numbers added to the ticket). Also the third member may offer and discuss the CDN Sponsorship subscription form to the public as they enter the show. Because of the show exhibits area being at a different location than the show registration desk, I, George will not be able to be at the show registration desk full time. I will try to help with the Societies/Coin Clubs membership enlistment tables if they are close to the show exhibiting area. Thank You, George.”

CSNS/CSCC Raffle: The numismatic society and coin club are currently collaborating to initiate a raffle at the coin show and possibly at future coin club meetings. V.P. Georgia W. has volunteered to serve as the Raffle Committee Chairperson. Information about the raffle procedure will be shared and discussed at the March coin club meeting.

2018 Coin Show Exhibiting: If you have interest in exhibiting at the show this year, we would love your application. It is a great learning experience to share and exhibit what you collect. George has the sign-up sheets and can clarify questions if more information is needed.

Membership Dues: If you are unsure if you have paid for this year, please feel free to check with George or Phoebe. Beginning at the March 27th meeting those that have not paid 2018 dues will not be eligible for the coin club monthly membership prize. (Reminder: If you have joined the club from October- December 2017, your dues are paid for the year of 2018).

January Collector's Corner- Displaying Numismatic Items were:

- Jim G. A collection of 1972-1975 First Day Covers/FDC with 8 & 10 Cent Stamps
- Bruce B Opti-Tekscope Digital USB Microscope Camera (from Amazon)
<https://www.amazon.com/Opti-Tekscope-Digital-Microscope-Advanced-Definition/dp/B0184CCOY0>
- Bob C. Daniel Carr August 21, 2017 USA Total Solar Eclipse medal, .999 Silver (one troy ounce), with obverse Map of the USA and a reverse of an Aurora
- Mike W. Coin Dealer Newsletter Monthly Market Price Guide & www.coinprices.com , 1921 Morgan Dollar AU PCGS Sample Slab 3.0
- J.C (2) 1993 Lincoln Cents with Die Caps, and How Die Caps Happen
- Jim B. Foreign Coin Collection of Silver and Clad Coinage including Israel, Korea and UAE
- Holly S. 1988 Federal Reserve Notes issued from Dallas with Flaking Ink on Obverse
- Milt N. Circa 1700's Spanish Colonial Mint issued 8, 4 & 2 Reales
- Hector N. Jefferson Nickel Date Set in Dansco Book and 1973-S Lincoln Cent

Old and New Business: Reports: The secretary's report as published in the February newsletter was accepted. The treasurer's report was given and accepted.

Reviewed Application for A.N.A. Summer Seminar scholarships and discussed a follow-up in accordance with by-laws for 2019.

Colorado Springs Coin Show: Ken B. shared with the steering committee information regarding the continued growth of the show, the CDN sponsoring of the event, and outside parties looking to buy the coin show. Ken B. is interested in preserving the interest of the club's involvement in the event. Barb T & Frank T. reminded the importance of volunteers to not only commit, but also complete the window of time originally committed. Also, the show's location has moved to an event center on Palmer Park and Academy.

Donations to the A.N.A. have been voted and approved for Barb to donate \$100 each, in honor of the late Frank Kazee and Ed Rochette.

Daniel Carr struck uni-face medals will be presented to speakers on behalf of the club.

Georgia W. discussed upcoming programs including the March- Elephant Sale, April- "Short Story", May- Paul DeFelice from ANACS, June- "Special Day for Collectibles",

July- Kid's Program, and August- Dan U. will present on his experience at Summer Seminar.

Website Information: The website for the Colorado Springs Coin Club can be viewed at cscclubs.org. All monthly newsletters are available for viewing on the site. Any members with feedback regarding content or are interested in helping are always appreciated.

"On the Spot Trivia/Did You Know? 2/27/2018

1. What Building is on the Bicentennial Kennedy Half Dollar?
 - Independence Hall, Philadelphia (James N.)
2. During what year was a mintmark first placed on a cent?
 - 1908 Indian Head Cent (Bruce B.)
3. Before 1979 during what four years did a P mintmark appear on a US coin?
 - 1942-1945 Jefferson Nickels (Jim G.)
4. What two different 1938 coin designs of the same denomination were struck?
 - Buffalo and Jefferson Nickel (George M.)
5. What is the name of the process, which softens dies, planchets or metals by heat treatment?
 - Annealing (J.C. S.)
6. What building appears on the St. Gauden's Double Eagle?
 - Capital Building (Jim B.)

Did You Know? 3/27/2018

1. (YN ONLY) What three alloys has the Kennedy Half Dollar been struck in?
2. What was the first authorized U.S. coin to bear a portrait of a president?
3. What two U.S. coins share the same moon landing reverse?