# Colorado Springs Coin Club

PO Box 10055 COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80932 Meetings: 7:00pm on the fourth Tuesday of every month except December at the Colorado Springs Police Department Community Room 955 W. Moreno Avenue Colorado Springs, CO 80905 Guests are always welcome at our regular meetings



### **CORONAVIRUS NOTICES**

Our March 24 Meeting is CANCELLED.

We will **not** be serving **food and beverages** at future meetings–Please plan accordingly.

In general, please do **not** come to future club meetings if you are feeling sick. Whatever it is you've got, it may be mild for you, but not-so-mild for the person you give it to.

The ANA Headquarters, including the Money Museum, is closed to the public until April 30th.

### 2020 DUES REMINDER

Dues are \$10 for individuals, \$5 for Young Numismatists (under 18), and \$20 for Families (all adults and children in the immediate family).

We will accept cash or check payable to "Colorado Springs Coin Club." Please pay at the check-in desk to either President Ken B., 1st VP Dave S., or 2nd VP Kevin L. Dues can also be mailed to: PO Box 10055, Colorado Springs CO, 80932.

Those who paid no dues for 2019 have now been removed from our contact list (effective February 29) but can be restored by paying 2020 dues.

### MARCH 2020 MEETING AGENDA

TUESDAY, MARCH 24, AT 7:00PM

Due to the Coronavirus, this meeting has been CANCELLED.

Instead, check out the National Coin Week Trivia Challenge at the end of this newsletter.

Please submit your answers to ColoradoSpringsCoinClub@gmail.com by April 20.

## FEBRUARY 2020 MEETING SUMMARY

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25 AT 7:00PM

#### Membership

22 members were present. There were no guests.

#### MEETING BUSINESS

• New President Ken B. introduced new officers for 2020-2021.

- We will have photography permission release forms.
- Steve D. has been added as a club photographer.
- No names will be attached to photos (except where permission is explicitly given).
- Terry C. will be the webmaster for both the CSCC and Numismatic Society; George M will discuss this at the Numismatic Society meeting.
- Wayne W. has been added as a CSCCC Show Volunteer Coordinator with Dale G. and Cary R.
- A recap was given on incorporating tin the State of Colorado as a Non-Profit Organization. This will allow us to receive our raffle license and 501c status. Dan U. will be chairing the Incorporation Committee, which will include Georgia W., Barbara T., and Doug L. as members.
- CSCC PO Box keys were given to Barbara T. and Holly S. George M and Wayne W. also have a set of keys as the Numismatic Society shares the same box.
- Executive Committee met with Pikes Peak Bank to change signature authority and update paperwork. Ken B., Barbara T., and Holly S. are the only members with signature authority. Barbara T. and Holly S. each have a Club Checkbook.
- The club now has a database to store all electronic files and emails/correspondence. Our e-mail address is: <u>ColoradoSpringsCoinClub@gmail.com</u>
- CSCC and CSNS are now on CoinZip for advertising.
- Steve D. surrendered his CSCC checkbook to Treasurer Barbara T. since he no longer is 2nd Vice President.
- A change to the auction process was announced (see below, under "Auction").

#### PROGRAM

This was a two part program.

- 1. Review, vote and approve the CSCC Constitution, By Laws and Auction Rules. There were a number of minor edits ranging from grammar to clarity (plus at least one fixed inconsistency on dates) noted. All these items were approved unanimously.
- 2. Silver ounce trivia contest Guess what the price of silver will be on November 24, 2020. The ask price as of February 25 was \$18.15. You will have until May 25th to submit your guess to ColoradoSpringsCoinClub@gmail.com to be eligible for a prize.

#### Secretary's Report

- Minutes from the previous month were approved unanimously.
- Name badges have been updated to be more visible and a star has been added to indicate 2020 dues were paid. If you hold a club office, that is on your name tag as well. Please let us know if we got anything wrong. (For the coin show all badges will show only first name and last initial.)
- Dues will continue to be collected throughout the year.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

- Our balance is \$12,461.56
- This report was approved unanimously.

#### COLLECTOR'S CORNER

Jerry F: Typeset of 2020 W Coins and their release dates (see separate article) James N: Y2K Eve B: Grandmother's coin necklace that she inherited George M: Past President Medal Hector R: Jefferson set 50th Anniversary and other assorted coins

#### AUCTION

To speed up the auction process, we ask that you mark an item you are interested in with a white poker chip (provided). (If there is already a poker chip on that item, there's no need for you to do anything.) Only items with poker chips will be called by the auctioneer; others will not be put up for bid nor sold.

### **FUTURE EVENTS**

#### COLORADO SPRINGS COIN CLUB MEETINGS

Apr 28 White Elephant Sale (please set aside items you'd like to donate and bring them to this meeting)
May 26 Tiffanie Bueschel, ANA Club Coordinator *The Benefits of ANA Membership for Clubs and Individuals*Jun 23 Coin and Currency Preservation Colorado Springs Coin, Currency and Collectibles Show planning
Jul 26 Young Numismatist (YN) Night
Aug 25Open, possible ANA program
Sep 22 Open, possible ANA program
Oct 27 Open, possible ANA program
Nov 24Open, possible ANA program
Dec 8 Joint CSCC and & CSNS Christmas Dinner and Party at Golden Corral, 6 PM

#### COLORADO SPRINGS NUMISMATIC SOCIETY MEETINGS

These are on the second Sunday of every month, except December, at 2 PM. Location is the same as our meetings, at the CSPD Community Room, 955 W. Moreno Avenue.

If you've never been to a Numismatic Society meeting, they're a bit different. Every month, instead of a program they have exhibit talks—extended presentations by the membership on whatever they want to show.

#### COLORADO SPRINGS COIN, CURRENCY AND COLLECTIBLES SHOW

Colorado Springs Event Center - 3960 Palmer Park Blvd, CS, CO 80909

Wednesday July 1 — Dealer Setup 2-8 PM

Thursday July 2 — Dealer setup 7–9 AM, Public 9 AM - 6 PM

Friday, July 3 — Public 9 AM-6PM. Auction at 6PM

Saturday, July 4 — Public 9 AM-4PM

#### AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION (ANA) EVENTS

National Coin Week, April 19-25

Summer Seminar, ANA and Colorado College Session 1: June 27-July 2 Inter Session: July 2- July 3 Session 2: July 4 - July 9 2020 World's Fair of Money, Pittsburgh—David L Lawrence Convention Center, August 4-8 2020

2021 National Money Show, Phoenix—Phoenix Convention Center, March 11-13, 2021

2021 World's Fair of Money, Rosemont IL—Donald E. Stephens Convention Center, August 10-14 2021

### KEN B. DISCUSSES COOPERATION WITH THE ANA

Ken B. met with Colonel Steve Ellsworth, ANA President, and Richard Jozefiak, ANA National Coordinator, at the ANA Show in Atlanta to discuss a concept for the ANA to use to show the benefits of being a member.

Some background: In December Ken B. sent several emails to the folks that have different functions at the ANA asking them if they could come to a Club meeting and give a presentation on what the ANA could do for the Club and the member as well as what the Club and member could do for the ANA.

Tiffanie Bueschel, who is the Club Coordinator for the ANA, stepped up immediately and signed up to make a presentation at the January meeting, but unfortunately she was unable to make the meeting because of emergency dental surgery; she will be doing her presentation in May.

The other folks that Ken contacted at the ANA have either not responded or have been unable to assist because our Club meets in the evenings and they would have to attend our meeting in their free time. On his emails he included their bosses as well as Kim Kiick — he did not want anyone to think he was going behind their backs

So Ken tried to figure out how to make this concept a "Win-for-ALL" concept and recommended the following:

- 3. The ANA makes educational videos on all of the different aspects of the ANA and what they have to offer to individual members as well as clubs and National Organizations
- 4. Use the Colorado Springs Coin Club as the perfect studio audience for the videos because they would be people who work at the ANA daily and our members would not be asking canned questions but real collector thought out questions
- 5. On a monthly basis we have 30 to 50 members attend our meeting so it would really be a great session for each of the topics
- 6. He also suggested that the presentations would be considered "work" for the ANA employees, so they do not have to do the presentation on their own time. We would coordinate the activity with the presenter but also the video production team at the ANA.
- 7. Kim Kiick and Steve Ellsworth could do an introduction about the series and why it is important to the ANA for the video that could be added to the beginning of each one

We can come up with a lot more topics but some of the ones Ken thought of were:

- Summer Seminar
- Youth Education and Educational Programs
- The Library
- The Museum and Tours
- National Conventions
- Advertising and Publications

Discussions are ongoing. Look here for future updates!

## ANA MEMBERSHIP OFFER

#### By Tiffanie Bueschel

To encourage individual membership within our member clubs the ANA is offering an unprecedented \$5 Gold membership (regularly \$28) for club members who are not current members of the Association. This membership category includes all regular member benefits, including a digital subscription to The Numismatist magazine.

Club members who would rather receive The Numismatist by mail can upgrade to an ANA Platinum membership for only \$20 (a \$26 savings!).

Club members can call 800-514-2646 or join online at money.org/join by using code CLUB2020.

https://promo.money.org/club-coupons/

(See ad to the right.)

## THE 2020 W US MINT COINS

by Jerry F.

Quarters w/V75:

- April 6 Weir Farms National Historic Site
- June 1 Salt River Bay National Historic Park
- Aug. 31 Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller Historical Park
- Nov. 16 Tallgrass Prairie National Preserve
- TBD National Park of American Samoa (w/mother and baby bat)

Nickel (annual sets premium)

- Feb. 27 Proof Set (w proof nickel)
- TBD Silver Proof Set (with reverse proof nickel)
- TBD Uncirculated Set (with uncirculated nickel)



## THE ANA NATIONAL MONEY SHOW, ATLANTA

#### by Steve D.

I'm writing this only nine days after the February meeting, and it seems like a *lot* more than nine days of things have happened.

I left the February meeting early to begin my drive (yes, *drive*) to Atlanta. I couldn't get decent timing and fares for a plane trip, and given the coronavirus, I figured it was just as well I wouldn't be cooped up in an aluminum cigar tube with a couple of hundred people who had been who-knows-where.

I had to be in Atlanta 10 AM on Thursday to attend the exhibit judges' meeting. This left me very little time to sleep. I was able to get by with cat naps during the drive and six hours of sleep in Atlanta before the judges' meeting. Ken no doubt noticed I seemed slightly frazzled that first day. I was assigned to be head of the three-judge group working the Geography class, and then I was on the five-judge team to pick the Best of Show winner from the seven class winners.



Me judging the exhibit that ultimately went on to take Best of Show

This kept me pretty busy, but not so busy I couldn't do some shopping. But first, I should talk about some of the other CSCC people who were there.

Most of you will remember Bruce B. It turns out he moved to Georgia, and he ended up on the host club committee. He and I had been in occasional contact over the past few months for advice. I saw him several times during the show.

Ken B. not only had a table, he spent a lot of time meeting with ANA officials to propose some mutually beneficial activities. These are highlighted in a separate article. Of course, Tom and Ken H. had a table at the show, about midway back from the front of the hall.

Finally, on Saturday there was a reception and awards ceremony for the winners of exhibit awards, and I had the pleasure, once again, of presenting the three Best of Show awards--gold, silver and bronze-to their very deserving recipients. (I get to do this because I endowed the award.)



Ken B. also had a table at the show, near the exhibit area.

After helping take down the exhibit area, I left Atlanta at about 4PM. Between that and the fact that the time zones were working with me, not against me, I had the luxury of eight additional hours to drive home versus driving there, so I slept in a motel somewhere in the Missouri Boot Heel. After a long day of driving, I was greeted by about four inches of fresh snow with more falling as I drove in on US 24 from Limon.

Aaaah, Colorado!

## CELEBRATE WOMEN IN NUMISMATICS DURING 2020 NATIONAL COIN WEEK

#### **R**EMARKABLE WOMEN: CATALYSTS OF CHANGE

#### From the ANA

Inspired by the 100th anniversary of the 19th Amendment and the many contributions of women in society and numismatics, "Remarkable Women: Catalysts of Change" is the theme for the 97th annual National Coin Week, April 19-25. The theme was provided by ANA member Gene Schafer.

The Association will host a variety of <u>National Coin</u> <u>Week</u> activities online and at the Edward C. Rochette Money Museum in Colorado Springs, Colo. Events and educational content focuses on women around the world, from ancient times to present.

"The impact of women in improving our hobby and our world is often overlooked," said ANA National Coin Week Coordinator Andy Dickes. "This year is a perfect opportunity to celebrate their substantial contributions."

ANA-sponsored activities for National Coin Week include:

• A writing challenge for members on the ANA blog. Quality entries will earn 2020 Women's Suffrage Centennial silver dollars and other prizes.



- A student activity to create a coin design centered on the Seneca Falls Convention.
- Online daily trivia challenges. Every day of National Coin Week, a new question will be released on the ANA's <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u> and accounts and online at <u>NationalCoinWeek.org</u>. Participants must submit their answers on the ANA website for a chance to win prizes.
- The annual coin club trivia challenge, where ANA member clubs test their numismatic knowledge and compete for prizes. (See the end of this newsletter.)
- Online resources including articles from *The Numismatist*, objects from the ANA collection, promotional documents, links and suggestions from the ANA library

Prizes for the writing contest and club trivia challenge include:

- **Grand prize** American Eagle 2020 one-tenth ounce gold proof \$5 coin
- Second prize Women's Suffrage Centennial 2020 proof silver \$1 coin
- Third prize –Women's Suffrage Centennial 2020 proof silver \$1 coin

Other prizes, including 2020 proof sets, will be awarded as well.

ANA member club Women In Numismatics (WIN) is offering special programs and free memberships to Young Numismatists. For more information, visit <u>www.WomenInNumismatics.com</u>.

The Great American Coin Hunt is back again this year and launching during the week. Be on the lookout for any rare or unique coins in pocket change. Coin dealers will release thousands of collectible coins across the nation to spark interest in coin collecting. For more information, visit www.GreatAmericanCoinHunt.com.

For additional information email <u>ncw@money.org</u>, call 719-482-9814, or visit www.NationalCoinWeek.org.

The American Numismatic Association is a congressionally chartered, nonprofit educational organization dedicated to encouraging the study and collection of coins and related items. The ANA helps its 25,000 members and the public discover and explore the world of money through its vast array of instructional and outreach programs, as well as its museum, library, publications and conventions. For more information, call 719-632-2646 or visit money.org.



# **Club Trivia Challenge**

Answer 15 questions. Clubs that achieve the highest score will be entered into a drawing for prizes, including:

**Grand Prize:** American Eagle 2020 one-tenth ounce gold proof \$5 coin **Second Prize:** Women's Suffrage Centennial 2020 proof silver \$1 coin **Third Prize:** Women's Suffrage Centennial 2020 proof silver \$1 coin \*Other prizes, including 2020 proof sets, will be awarded

Send your answers to ANA, c/o National Coin Week, 818 N. Cascade Ave., Colorado Springs, CO 80903; by email to ncw@money.org; or by fax to 719-634-4085. Answers must be received by Monday, May 4. Good luck!

- 1. What is the first U.S. circulating coin to feature the likeness of an actual (historical) woman?
- 2. Name the first private citizen to send a message via telegraph, and a U.S. coin on which she appears.
- 3. A female artist created the design for two coins minted in 1922. Who was the artist and what coins share her design?
- 4. Name the first woman to serve as Director of the U.S. Mint, and the only woman to serve as Chief Engraver of the U.S. Mint (two answers).

- 5. What famous author and educator appears on the reverse of a 2003 U.S. quarter dollar?
- 6. What anti-discrimination activist is featured on the 2020 Native American \$1 coin, and for what group of people did she dedicate her work?
- 7. What powerful Roman citizen was the first actual (historical) woman to be featured on a Roman coin?
- 8. What 18th-century ruler continues to be depicted on coins produced today all bearing the same date?
- 9. What South African musician and civil rights activist is featured on 500 and 1,000 sylis coins from Guinea dated 1977, when she lived in exile from her home country?
- 10. Coins released by India in 1985 honor what famous Indian stateswoman?
- 11. A 1988 \$5 coin from Niue features three of the greatest tennis players of all time. Name them.
- 12. What 17th-century Mexican nun, philosopher and writer from the Spanish Golden Age appears on Mexican 1,000 peso coins dated 1988 to 1992?
- 13. Name the prime minister featured on 10 new sheqalim coins dated 1995.
- 14. Each year the ANA presents an award honoring a woman for her contributions to numismatics. For what influential numismatist is this award named?



Who is the important suffragist seen here, and on which U.S. coin is she featured?