

# COLORADO SPRINGS CON CLUB COLLECTOR

Meetings: 6:30pm on the fourth Tuesday every month except December at the Fraternal Order of Eagles

1050 S. 21st Street

Colorado Springs, CO 80905

Guests are always welcome at our regular meetings

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Please park on the west (back) side of the building and use the right-hand door.

If you have items to sell, there will be an area adjacent to the regular seating to accommodate you.

Please do not use the regular seating area.

Have dinner at the Fraternal Order of Eagles before our meeting!

Dinner will include an entree, side and dessert Drink is extra

If our door is closed use the front door 5-6 PM If asked, tell them you're a Coin Club member

# MAY 2023 MEETING AGENDA

TUESDAY, MAY 23 AT 6:30PM. DOORS OPEN AT 6PM.

- 1. Pledge of Allegiance
- 2. Introduction of guests and new members
- 3. Secretary's Report.
- 4. Treasurer's Report.
- 5. Old Business
  - Are there any items that the membership would like to discuss?
- 6. New Business
  - Is there anything the membership would like to discuss?
- 7. Collector's Corner.
  - Please bring any items you'd like to show.
- 8. Intermission/Break
- 9. Program:

**Akio L.** Presentation on the copy of Thomas Jefferson's "Report of the Secretary of State, on the Subject of Establishing a Uniformity in the Weights, Measures, and Coins of the United States." recently donated to the ANA Library by Dwight N. Manley.

10 Auction

Bring items you wish to auction off. Proceeds can go to either you or the Club.

11. Door and Membership Prize Drawings

Member Prize: To be Announced

Door prizes: Silver half dollar, two silver quarters, two silver dimes.

YN prize: All YNs will win something!

12. Adjournment.

# **APRIL 2023 MEETING MINUTES**

TUESDAY, MARCH 25 AT 6:30PM

This meeting was held at the Fraternal Order of Eagles.

- 1. Pledge of Allegiance
- 2. Introduction of guests and new members:



- 29 members, 1 guest (Fred W.)
- 3. Secretary's Report:
  - Current membership is at 92 members.
  - Club member Elden L. passed away on April 1. Condolences to his wife Sylvia who is also a member and daughter Lashelle who is currently operating their business.
- 4. Treasurer's Report:
  - Current balance as of the March meeting \$14,047.18
- 5. Old Business:
  - Thank you to Tom W., Patricia W., Kirsten G. Akio L. and Holly S. for helping the ANA during the open house this past Saturday.
  - Dave S. discussed the Springs Coin Show that will take place Saturday, June 24 from 10:00 4:00 (9:30 early bird) at the FOE. 40 tables will be available and 26 have sold so far. We will need help with set-up Friday at 5:00, manning the entrance table and tear down on Saturday. The show has been advertised through several outlets.
  - Dave S. is also in the process of creating a club medal with Dan Carr.
  - The Denver Show will be May 3-6. And the National Money Show at the Broadmoor in March 2024.
  - A reminder email will go out to submit your answers for National Coin Week Club Trivia.
  - White Elephant Auction What a fantastic turnout for the auction. Members were generous bidding and thank you for all the donations. We raised \$797 for the club.
- 6. New Business:
  - Upcoming meeting schedule:

May – Akio L.

June – Bob B.

July – Pizza and Bingo Party

Aug – Bob S.

Sept – Tom H.

Oct – Officer Elections

- Discussion was brought up with who is eligible for tickets and prizes at the Christmas party. The conversation was tabled and will be discussed at a future point.
- Larry W. will be presenting on different ways to collect at our meeting tonight.
- ANA Summer Seminar sessions are posted on www.money.org
- 7. Collector's Corner:
  - Chris L. Put together a mystery jar with various assorted coins Dollars, Kennedy's, cent rolls, etc. as a fund raiser for the club. Members will pay \$1 per guess as to how much money is in the jar.
  - Akio L. Discussed Maundy Money and brought in 2 examples. 1 cent Queen Victoria from 1851 and a 4 Pence from King Edward 7<sup>th</sup>.
  - Steve D. The spring National Money Show does not create a medal, so the Arizona club created one and he picked it up at the show.
  - Dave S. 1935 buffalo reverse double die VF, 1984 MS-64 double ear and 1997 double ear.
- 8. Program:
  - Larry W. presented on types of coin collecting and themes. He shared info on the "Libertine" coin, "Brutus" coin and themes such as: designs, music, animals, professions, sports, and holidays. He encouraged us to share our knowledge with others.
- 9. Membership Prize 1953-D MS66 FT Dime

Door Prizes (All Silver) – One silver half dollar, 2 silver quarters, and 2 silver dimes.

YN Member Prize- 1965 Canadian Silver Dollar. All YNs in attendance received a prize.

Adjourn at 8:50 pm

# TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer Barbara T. submitted this March 28 – April 25, 2023 treasurer's report at our meeting.

Balance in account 3/28/2023		\$11,893.18
Monies Received		
3/31/23	857.00	
4/10/23	722.00	
4/17/23	600.00	
Total Deposits:		+2,179.00
Sub-Total		\$14,072.18
Expenses		
Kevin L., Website maintenance	25.00	
Fraternal Order of Eagles	75.00	
Holly S., Refreshments	45.25	
Dave S., Eagles' Dues	42.00	
Dave S. Member Prize	25.00	
A.N.A. Donation	25.00	
Dave S., Springs CoinShow	90.41	
Holly S., Springs Coin Show	13.80	
Barbara T., Reimburse CSCC share of PO Box Rent	88.00	
Total Expenses		-429.46
Balance in Account 04/25/2023		\$13,642.72

# 2024 GUESS THE PRICE OF GOLD CONTEST

Guesses have now been made for the 2024 Guess the Price of Gold contest. Whoever guesses closest to the closing ask price at 5 PM January 23, 2024 wins a gold coin! To win, you must be a member in good standing on that date.

The following fifty members submitted entries (sorted by dollar amount):

128.00	Michael D.	1909.48	Wayne W.	2015.00	Keith M.	2114.00	Cliff S.
135.00	Aileen W.	1925.00	Dan R.	2023.13	Cary R.	2114.14	Kathy B.
1632.67	Jan K.	1933.35	Frank T.	2046.00	Kirsten G.	2125.00	Eve B.
1650.00	Peter S.	1947.02	Robert D.	2046.00	Debbie G.	2132.50	Bruce B.
1650.00	David T.	1948.00	Bob C.	2050.00	Tom W.	2140.00	George M.
1667.00	Terry G.	1951.00	Larry F.	2050.51	Doug L.	2175.50	Dennis H.
1725.00	Sheryle M.	1952.50	Cheryl R.	2053.00	Patricia W.	2222.00	Larry W.
1879.00	Russell J.	1953.00	Chris L.	2055.00	Dave S.	2250.00	Kelly R.
1879.04	Elise P.	1958.14	Douglas I.	2103.00	Dan U.	2300.00	Steve D.
1885.00	Brad O.	2003.00	Kathy W.	2107.50	Gary R.	2450.00	Holly S.
1892.90	Barbara T.	2005.00	John G.	2110.00	Robert H.	2756.32	Akio L.
1907.00	Scott S.	2007.00	Craig B.	2112.00	Dave R.	3000.00	Lynn M.
		2012.00	Robert T.			3847.95	Marlyn P.

# **ANA LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS**

The American Numismatic Association (ANA) is currently looking for volunteers to help support with various tasks at their headquarters here in Colorado Springs. This is a great way to meet other collectors and to learn more about numismatics while giving your time to an organization that promotes the hobby.

#### LIBRARY ASSISTANCE

Shelving, cataloguing & organizing holdings, cataloging, scanning & archiving, assistance with library books sales during Summer Seminar.

Contact: Akio Lis *Library Manager* 719-482-9859

#### MEMBERSHIP ASSISTANCE

Stuffing & labeling envelopes for mailings.

Contact: Donna Frater Director of Development & Membership 719-482-9856

#### **MUSEUM DOCENT**

Guide various groups through the museum on a tour. Typically 45-60 minutes. Contact: Andy Dickes Museum Specialist Accessions & Loans 719-482-9814

## **FUTURE EVENTS**

#### COLORADO SPRINGS COIN CLUB MEETINGS

May 23 Program by Akio L.

June 27 Program by Bob B.

July 25 Pizza and Bingo Party

August 22 Program by Bob S.

September 26 Program by Tom H.

October 24 Officer Elections.

#### COLORADO SPRINGS NUMISMATIC SOCIETY MFFTINGS

These are normally on the second Sunday of every month, except December, at 2 PM. They meet 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.

#### **UPCOMING LOCAL COIN SHOWS**

June 24th – Springs Coin show at the Eagles

# **EVENTS**

**Museum,** is now open from 10:30-5:00 Tue – Sat.

AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION (ANA) The ANA Headquarters, including the Money



2023 World's Fair of Money August 8-12 David L. Lawrence Convention Center, Pittsburgh PA.

**2024** National Money Show March 14-16 Broadmoor Resort, Colorado Springs CO.

2024 World's Fair of Money August 6-10 Donald E. Stephens Convention Center, Rosemont IL.



# **ADVERTISE IN THIS NEWSLETTER!**

Want our membership to know about your business? Advertise in this newsletter! Here are the rates:

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Size	(width x height)	6 months	Full Year	
Business Card	3½ x 2	Not Available	\$12	
Quarter Page	$3\frac{5}{8} \times 5$ or $7\frac{3}{8} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$	\$30	\$55	
Half Page	35/8 x 10 or 73/8 x 5	\$60	\$110	
Full Page	73/8 x 10 (text area) or 81/2 11 (no margins)	\$150	\$275	

Ads will cover that fraction of the text area, for example a quarter page ad will be half of one column on a two column page, or the bottom quarter of the text area, excluding header, footer and margins. The exception is a full page ad, which (if provided as a PDF) can "bleed" to cover the entire page.

Ads must be print-ready. They can change from issue to issue by providing an updated print-ready ad at least ten days before the next club meeting.

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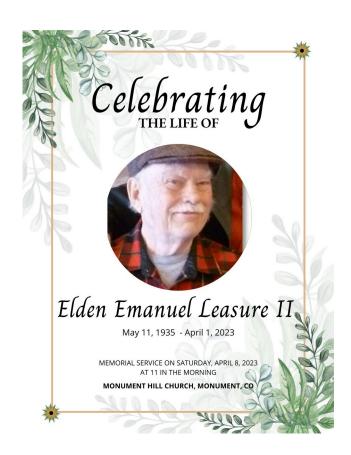
## Elden Emanuel Leasure II May 11, 1935-April 1, 2023

Elden was born in Manhattan, KS to Dr. E.E. Leasure, DVM and Freda Marie Nixon Leasure.

Elden attended school, K - High School, in Manhattan, KS and graduated from Kansas State University in 1954 with a degree in Field Geology. His Freshman year he met his wife and loving life partner, Sylvia Diane Helmke. They married in Garden City, KS on September 5, 1954. This union produced 3 children Crystal Kay (Timothy Holub), David Elden (Debbie Dietrich), and Lashelle Ann (Brad Brown), 11 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren and 4 great- great grandchildren.

After graduating from KSU, Elden went to work for City Service Oil Co. in Amarillo, TX. During this time Elden built on his childhood love of collecting coins by buying and selling rare coins at shows. Taking a leap of faith in 1963, he and Sylvia decided to open their own business, Leasures Treasure Chest, in Manhattan, KS. In 1980, they took another leap of faith and purchased the Amarillo Motel in Colorado Springs, CO. They turned the Motel office into Leasures Treasures and operated both business until the fall of 2022, when they decided to permanently close the motel and begin the road to retirement.

Elden was a member of Monument Hill Church, a lifelong member of the American Numismatic Association & Sertoma International.





The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me
beside still waters.

He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD forever.



