

NORTHSIDE COIN CLUB NEWSLETTER

February 2010 Issue

The monthly Northside Coin Club meeting will be held on Thursday February 4th, 2010 at 7 PM (doors open at 6:30) at the Cimarron Village Community Building in Broomfield, see our web site www.northsidecoinclub.org for directions. The program for this month will be a presentation given by Dan Carr on his Moonlight Mint. In case you don't know Dan, he designed the New York and Rhode Island state quarters. He lives in Colorado and is active in the Fort Collins and Front Range coin clubs. He has been designing and minting his own tokens and coins for quite some time. Recently, he purchased his own press so he can strike them himself and calls his mint the Moonlight Mint.

SNACKS – No one has signed up for snacks.

COIN of the MONTH – Buffalo Nickel. (A nice, no problems, coin that you, as a collector, would like to have, would be appreciated).

[The “Coin of the Month” works as follows. Bring one coin, of the type described as the featured coin of the month, preferably in a 2x2 or flip. If you bring a coin, you will get a ticket in the drawing and your coin goes into the pot. We then draw one ticket and the winner gets the entire pot of coins that were featured.

SHOW and TELL – bring some interesting item from your collection that you would like to show the members and give a quick (1 minute) talk on.

DUES are due!

It is that time again! Time to pay your annual dues. Dues are \$12 for Adult members and \$1 for Junior members. You can bring your check (made out to “Northside Coin Club”) or cash to the February meeting or mail your check to NSCC PO Box 1837 Broomfield, CO 80038-1837.

Last month's meeting was held on January 7th. Only 16 members signed in on the attendance sheet. Please remember to sign in when you arrive and put your chip in the can for the door prize drawing.

MINUTES – President Tim Z. called the meeting to order at 7:03 pm.

Tim Z. presented Andrew T. with a prize for giving his report last month on a Mexican Peso given to him by Don K. as part of a new Junior member education program. Andrew received a 1961 Mexican Peso that contained 10% silver. Congratulations Andrew.

Tim welcomed a guest, Jeff.

The upcoming coin shows were reviewed.

A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes of the last meeting.

Michael T. gave the Treasurers report and stated we have \$961.22 in the club account. A motion was made and seconded to approve the Treasurers report. (Remember that any adult member may see the complete Treasurer's report by simply requesting to view it at the meeting.)

Elections were held and Dave F. was elected unanimously as the new club President. Mark H. was unanimously re-elected as the club Secretary. Steve L. was unanimously elected as a Director. Because Dave F. election to President created a vacancy in the Vice-Presidency, Stuart R., a current Director, was elected to fill the remaining year of Dave F. Vice-Presidency. Stuarts now vacant Director position was filled by outgoing Director Dave Wi. who will fill out the remaining year of Stuart Director position. See a summary of the 2010 NSCC Board further down in this newsletter.

Old Business

Dave F. had no new information on the collection sale.

Steve L. had new information on his Pathfinders merit badge program. Steve indicated that 9 students had participated in the program. He brought 3 of his students to the meeting and they each gave a brief presentation on what they had done.

Zack indicated that he had done a collection of foreign coins and had collected 25 different foreign coins.

Kendra discussed her "Series Set" of Lincoln cents from 1998 to present.

Katlin talked about her special collection of a 20th Century Type set. The set consisted of 30 coins and she was able to obtain example of all 30. She indicated that she liked the design of the Walking Liberty Half dollar the best.

New Business

None

SHOW & TELL

Tim Z. had a Columbian gold coin dated 1919 that had an extra small 1 located between the first 9 and second 1. It looked something like this. (19¹19)
He also showed a gold coin from Costa Rica dated 1921.

Stuart had a coin from France that was domed or concave. The coin he presented was silver but he indicated that there was also a gold version that had the sky made out of "Blue" gold.

COIN QUIZ

The coin quiz was won by Michael T. and his prize was a 1965 Special Mint Set.

PROGRAM – The program this month was on Lincoln cent RPMs and OMMs. The presentation had been produced by CONECA. The presentation defined RPM or RePunched Mintmarks as an error when the mint mark has been punched into the die more than once but in a slightly different position creating a doubling, tripling, etc. Some of these are very obvious and others require some good magnification to see. An OMM or Overpunched MintMark is similar to a RPM except that the mintmarks are different, such as a D over S. Some of these RPMs or OMMs can be very valuable, so start looking

for them!

The "Coin of the Month". Wheat back Lincoln cents were the Coin of the Month. Tim Z. won a pot of 5 coins.

Door prizes and Raffle winners were;

The Door prize: A 1986 Proof set was won by Neil R.

The Raffle prize: A 1936 Lincoln Cent graded MS-64 RED by NGC was won by Andrew T.

No Auction was held following the meeting.

If you would like to bring snacks, just sign up on the attendance sheet for the month you would like to bring them.

No one has signed up yet to bring snacks for the March 2010 meeting, or any other future meetings.

Upcoming Coin Shows

There do not appear to be any coin shows along the Front Range during February.

Northside Coin Club Officers and Directors for 2010	
President	Dave F.
Vice President	Stuart R. *
Secretary	Mark H.
Treasurer	Michael T. *
Director #1	Wayne W. *
Director #2	Steve L
Director #3	Dave Wi. *

* Indicates that this persons' term expires at the end of 2010.

Secretary's Editorial Page

(Views here are mine and may not reflect the views of the NSCC or its other officers)

No editorial this month.

If you would like to submit an article to be used in the Secretary's Editorial Page, just email it to me at secretary@northsidecoinclub.org .