

NORTHSIDE COIN CLUB NEWSLETTER

October 2010 Issue

The monthly Northside Coin Club meeting will be held on Thursday October 7th, 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 given by Chris Marchase on the Clark and Gruber Mint which eventually became the Denver Mint.

SNACKS – No one has volunteered to bring snacks in October.

COIN of the MONTH – Indian Cent. (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.

Last month's meeting was held on September 2nd. We had 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 Dave F., called the meeting to order at 7:09 pm.

Dave introduced a youth guest named Aspen, who lived in the neighborhood and collected coins.

Dave reviewed the upcoming coin shows for September.

Dave reminded members of the Coin of the Month, the Raffle item, and the evenings Coin Quiz.

Steve L. indicated that he had the new Yellowstone Quarters available.

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

Michael T. gave the Treasurers report and stated we have \$1316.63 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.)

Old Business

No new information on the Coin Fair.

Dave F. indicated that he would be meeting with the Lady with the collection and that we will soon be disposing of parts of it via some type of auction. More info in October.

There is no news on a new meeting place.

There is no new information on promoting our club in the local newspapers.

We have forms available for anyone interested in getting involved with the Boy Scout

Coin Collecting Merit Badge program.

New Business

Dave indicated that our Web site domain name is up for renewal. Dave indicated he would take care of it.

SHOW & TELL

Dave F. invited a special guest, Bob Bair, a local coin dealer, to tell some interesting stories of some famous people in the coin hobby. He told a story of Walter Breen, a famous Numismatist, whom he had meet on a few occasions. He explained that Walter had graduated from Johns Hopkins University in one year and had a photographic memory. Bob meet Walter in 1990 at the Central States Coin Show and had him sign a copy of one of the books Walter had written. Bob continued the story in saying that he ran into Walter about five years later and Walter remembered Bob by name and the fact that Bob had had Walter sign his book. He also remembered that it was the third book he had signed that day.

Gertrude K. showed a Maryland World's Fair Francis Scott Key Medal she had. Don K. explained that he had gone to the same college as Francis Scott Key.

COIN QUIZ

There was a coin quiz covering miscellaneous topics. The winner was John B. who received a PCGS VF-35 1916-D Mercury Dime as the prize. ;)

PROGRAM – The program was given by John Barber on Winged Liberty Head (Mercury) dimes. John started off the program by giving examples of a Mercury Dime to YN member Andrew T. and our guest youth Aspen. Great gesture, John. His presentation was a wonderful Powerpoint presentation and gave a little history on the Winged Liberty dime, it's sculptor/designer Adolph A. Weinman, and then moved into some of the characteristics of the coin and some of the rarer varieties.

The “Coin of the Month”. Token or Medal. Dick C. took the pot of three items.

Door prizes and Raffle winners were;

The Door prize: A 1977 Proof set was won by Dave F.

The Raffle prize: 1945 Mercury dime graded MS65 by PCGS was won by Dick C.

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 November 2010 meeting, or any other future meetings.

Upcoming Coin Shows

- Oct 14th Greeley Evans Coin & Collectables Show
Greeley Evans Moose Lodge 909
3456 11 Ave
Evans, CO
9am to 5pm
- Oct 29th – 31st Denver Coin Exposition
National Western Stock Show complex
Expo Hall
I-70 & Brighton Blvd.
Denver, CO
10:00am to 6:00pm Fri-Sat, 10:00am – 3:00pm Sunday
Admission charged
Contact Jerry Morgan (719) 275-0585

Northside Coin Club Officers and Directors for 2010	
President	Dave F.
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* 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 .