NORTHSIDE COIN CLUB



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November 2017

Founded in 2001, Member: ANA, CWNA

Upcoming Meeting Announcement

The monthly Northside Coin Club meeting will be held on Tuesday November 14th, 2017 at 7 PM (doors open at 6:30) at the **Cross of Christ Lutheran Church** in Broomfield, see our web site www.northsidecoinclub.org for directions. The church is located on the corner of Lowell Blvd and 121st Place.

Other Announcements

<u>RAFFLE PRIZE</u> – This months' Raffle Prizes (A) 1940-S Mercury Dime graded MS66 by PCGS. (B) 1948 Washington Quarter graded MS-64 by NGC. (Prize offered depends on level of attendance, 12 or more in attendance will mean the A prize)

PROGRAM – The program this month will be "Minting in Colorado" by Dan Carr.

<u>ELECTIONS</u> – Nominations are open at the November meeting for the following positions. President, Secretary, and Director #2. Be thinking of someone you would like to nominate, or even better, a position you would like to run for.

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

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 any other future meetings.

<u>COIN of the MONTH</u> – A Silver Wartime Jefferson Nickel. Bring a nice, no problems coin, which you, as a collector, would like to have.

[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.

<u>ANA NEWS</u> – A free silver medallion is being offered to collectors joining the American Numismatic Association (ANA) as a new member.

<u>UPCOMING PROGRAMS</u> – Dave F. on Counterfeits. 2018 Coins of the Year by Bob C. How coins are distributed from the mint to you. Seated Liberty Coins.

<u>PRESENTER RAFFLE PRIZE</u> – 1940 Winged Liberty (Mercury) Dime graded MS-66 FB by NGC. The prize winner will be drawn in January 2018. Bob C. presented in January, John D'A. presented in February, Dave F. presented in March. Dave Wi. presented in April, Bob C. presented in August. Dave G. presented in September.

Minutes, Notes, and Happenings of last months' meeting

Last month's meeting was held on Tuesday October 10th. We had 15 members in attendance, and one guest; Steve D'Ippolito, who was in attendance to thank everyone who had helped out at the ANA World's Fair of Money in August at the Denver Convention Center. He had special gifts for all volunteers.

The meeting was called to order by President Bob C. at 7:05.

There were various papers and magazines available to keep or borrow.

Bob talked about the past shows. The Front Range show in Longmont was pretty big this fall with 54 tables, and some members thought the show was busier than past years. The Cheyenne show was very small with only 8 dealers but people who attended thought it was an OK show.

Bob then reported on upcoming Coin Shows.

Bob reviewed items from his President's Notes section of the Newsletter.

Bob also talked about the upcoming Pot Luck that we traditionally have at our December meeting.

Bob reviewed the Coin of Month, Raffle, and Door Prizes.

A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes that were in the Newsletter.

A motion was made and seconded to approve the Treasurers reports. We currently have \$2587.98 in the club account. (Remember that any adult member may see the complete Treasurer's report by simply requesting to view it at the meeting.)

Old Business

Club renewed their PO Box.

Bob will be scheduling a Board of Directors meeting.

New Business

No new business.

Last Months' Show and Tell Recap

Michael S. – Had obtained a copy of a September issue of an Italian community newspaper. It had an article about Italian coins. He also commented on the recent program at the Denver Coin Club. The program was on the GSA sale of Silver Dollars back in the late 1970's and early 1980's. He said that the selection process of who got coins was not random, but that the method they had used didn't seem to have any collusion.

Terry K. – Had some currency and coins he had obtained during a recent trip to China.

Bob C. – Had acquired a Republic of Congo 4 coin Reptile set that of course contained a coin with a Turtle on it. Also commented on an individual at the Front Range show who was trying to get people to order 2 sets of the 2017 Enhanced Mint Set for him to try and get around the ordering limit. The funny part was the limit had just been removed.

Prize Winners

Coin of the Month: A Coin dated between 1800-1899. We had no participants this month. Door Prize: A 1941-D Lincoln Cent graded MS64 RD by PCGS, was won by Pamela G. Raffle Prize: A 1946-S Roosevelt dime graded MS66FB by PCGS, was won by Terry S.

Youth Door Prize: No prize was given out this month.

Thanks again to Ron Z. for donating prizes that are specifically to be given to Junior members.

Program

The program was on "Indian Cent Varieties" by Dave Allen of Tebo Coins. Dave is an avid collector of Indian Cent Varieties and brought in about 50 coins from his collection. He discussed each variety and then passed them around for club member viewing. Included were some nice rare samples.

Requests

If you would like to write an article on a coin subject that interests you, and you think other members would be interested in that subject also, send it to your Secretary and it can be published in the Coin Chatter.

The NSCC needs programs! If you have a program idea or know of someone who can do a program at an upcoming NSCC meeting, contact the NSCC President or Secretary.

The President or Secretary can be contacted at info@northsidecoinclub.org

President's Notes

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News Items

1. Walking Liberty half dollar, MS-67+, tops \$17,000, exceeding estimates, November 9, 2017 by Coin World. Story Summary: The 1945-S Walking Liberty half dollar has a sizable mintage of more than 10 million coins, and even nice MS-66 representatives can be found for less than \$200. The population thins substantially in MS-67, creating a condition rarity among late-date Walking Liberty half dollars. NOTE: There are no MS-68 1945-S Walkers listed in the PCGS Population Report or the NGC Census Report. There is only 1 MS-69 Walker (1940) listed in the NGC NGC Census.

Complete Story: https://www.coinworld.com/news/us-coins/2017/11/young-walking-liberty-half-dollar-ms-67-plus-tops-seventeen-thousand.html

2. The CCAC advises the Treasury on historic new coins, part 3: War in the Pacific National Historical Park quarter, October 2, 2017 by MintNewsBlog. Story Summary: Designs for the 2019 America the Beautiful quarters were among those the CCAC convened to study in our September 19 meeting. The first two portfolios of quarter dollar designs were for Lowell National Historical Park (in Massachusetts) and American Memorial Park (in the Northern Mariana Islands). The third was for War in the Pacific National Historical Park in the U.S. territory of Guam.

Guam's only official national park was created to remember the bravery and sacrifice of everyone who participated in the campaigns of the Pacific Theater of World War II—including, interestingly, the Japanese. The 1944 liberation of the island is very important, he said, and the Park Service's preferred design, GU-02, commemorates it in a very active way. Another military-action design, GU-03, was developed with a lot of input from park staff based on photographs from World War II. There was a general—though not unanimous—sense among the committee that showcasing the wildlife and flora of War in the Pacific National Historical Park would diminish the park's war-memorial purpose (and, by extension, the purpose of its quarter dollar). We did, however, appreciate the artistry of the designs that incorporated green sea turtles, Moorish idol fish, coral, and underwater plant life.

Complete Story: http://mintnewsblog.com/the-ccac-advises-the-treasury-on-historic-new-coins-part-3-war-in-the-pacific-national-historical-park-quarter/

3. **Australian Coins for November Include More Year of the Dog Coins,** November 7, 2017 by CoinNews.net. **Story Summary:** Perth Mint of Australia releases for November are dominated once again by Lunar Year of the Dog coins. However, there are several other unique issues that also might just be of interest to collectors. 2018 Year of the Dog 1oz and 10oz Silver Proof High Relief Coin. Seen on the coin's reverse (tails side) is a German shepherd dog and pup lying in grass with Chinese peony flowers in the background.

Complete Story: http://www.coinnews.net/2017/11/07/australian-coins-for-november-include-more-year-of-the-dog-coins/

Bob Carr President, Northside Coin

UPCOMING COIN SHOWS

DECEMBER 2TH

FORT COLLINS FALL COIN SHOW LINCOLN CENTER, COLUMBINE ROOM 417 W. MAGNOLIA STREET FORT COLLINS, CO 9AM TO 4PM

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Interesting Coin Facts

In 1943 due to the need for Copper during WWII, Lincoln Cents were minted in steel coated with zinc. But a few 1943 cents were accidentally made in copper. In 1944 cents were again made in copper but a few coins were accidentally produced in zinc coated steel. These wrong metal coins are highly sought after. The most popular theory on how these came about was that some previous years planchets were left in the hoppers or stuck in the press planchet dispensing system and later became dislodged. This same thing happened during the conversion to nickel silver coinage in 1965.

Secretary's Editorial Page

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

If you would like to submit an article for the newsletter or an editorial to be used in the "Secretary's Editorial Page", just email it to me at $\underline{info@northsidecoinclub.org}$.