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# NORTHSIDE COIN CLUB



## COIN CHATTER

P.O. Box 1837 Broomfield, CO 80038-1837

November 2018

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Founded in 2001, Member: ANA, CWNA

### Upcoming Meeting Announcement

The monthly Northside Coin Club meeting will be held on Tuesday November 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 7 PM (doors open at 6:30) at the **Cross of Christ Lutheran Church** in Broomfield, see our web site [www.northsidecoinclub.org](http://www.northsidecoinclub.org) for directions. The church is located on the corner of Lowell Blvd and 121<sup>st</sup> Place.

### Other Announcements

**RAFFLE PRIZE** – This months' Raffle Prizes (A) 1934 Walking Liberty Half Dollar graded AU55 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** – “Bank Note of the Year”, by David Feely

**ELECTIONS** – Nominations are open at the November meeting for the following positions. Vice-President, Treasurer, Director #1, and Director #3. 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.

**COIN of the MONTH** – Jefferson Nickel (non Wartime). 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.

**ANA NEWS** – An organization dedicated to educating and encouraging the study of numismatics, the American Numismatic Association (ANA) offers individuals the opportunity to discover and explore the world of money by enrolling in the School of Numismatics Diploma Program.

**UPCOMING PROGRAMS** – Dave F. on Counterfeits.

**PRESENTER RAFFLE PRIZE** – 1885-O Morgan Dollar graded MS63 by PCGS. The prize winner will be drawn at the January 2019 meeting. Bob C. presented at the January 2018 meeting, Terry K in February, Michael S and Mark H in March. Dave G. in June, John D'A. in August, John B in September, Bob C. in October.

### **Minutes, Notes, and Happenings of last months' meeting**

Last month's meeting was held on Tuesday , October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018. We had 21 members in attendance.

The meeting was called to order by President Bob C. at 7:02.

There were a couple of magazines and 1 book available to borrow.

Bob reviewed past Coin Shows. The Longmont show was about the same as usual, Michael S and Bob C attended.

Bob then reviewed his News Items.

Bob then reviewed the Raffle, Door Prize, and Coin of the Month.

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 \$2848.20 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**

No old business.

### **New Business**

-Bob reminded everyone of the upcoming elections and what positions will be open. Wanted everyone to think about who they might like to see fill these positions and maybe even run for one themselves.

-Bob also brought up the idea of paying to have speakers come and present at our club meetings. One possible speaker from Colorado Springs indicated he would want us to pay for a room so he wouldn't have to drive back to the Springs late at night after the meeting. The club was not in favor of this option.

### **Last Months' Show and Tell Recap**

**Dave F.** – Had an example of the medal issued commemorating the first use of the steam coin press. John B. had talked about this medal at the September meeting during his program. Dave also had a picture of his grandfather in the Philippines at a Silver Dollar Bar.

**Dave Wi.** – Had some items from the 1893 Columbia Exposition that his great-great grandfather had received for participating in the exposition with wines he had produced. There were certificates and Medals acknowledging his wines. The Medals were displayed in an intricate case that came with them.

**Bob C.** – Had a Solomon Island polymer note celebrating the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of their Independence. The note had a crest that had 2 sea turtles on it. Also had a 1966 SMS Kennedy Half dollar in MS 66 with missing FG initials of the design artist.

**Michael M.** – Had a complete set of the Presidential Dollars.

### Prize Winners

Coin of the Month: Indian Head Cent. The pot of 4 coins was won by Dave We.

Door Prize: A 2010 Lincoln cent graded by NGC as MS65RD, was won by Michael M.

Raffle Prize: A 1951-S Franklin Half Dollar, MS-62 (better date, nice strike... close to FBL) , 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 “US Coin Distribution”, by club President Bob C. Bob showed how coins move through the system after leaving the US Mint. They first go the Federal Reserve and are held at various “Coin Terminals”. They are then shipped to large Banks as demand indicates. From the Banks they move to various retailers as needed. When Banks get large amounts of coins from retailers they can then send them back to the Coin Terminals to be sent where they are needed. Bob also talked about how the US Mint determines how many coins will be needed each year.

### 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](mailto:info@northsidecoinclub.org)

# President's Notes

## Northside Coin Club Meeting November 13th, 2018

### News Items

1. **U.S. Mint announces plans for circulating rarity**, October 26, 2018 by Coin World. **Story Summary:** Mint Director David J. Ryder alluded to the issue in comments made during the Mint's third annual Numismatic Forum held Oct. 17 at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing in Washington, D.C. Roughly 200 individuals associated with the numismatic hobby were invited to the day-long program, with more than half that number attending. Ryder did not elaborate further about the circulating coin, concerning the denomination, composition, mintage or how the "rarity" would be introduced into general circulation.

**Complete Story:** <https://www.coinworld.com/news/us-coins/2018/10/us-mint-considers-circulating-rarity-for-2019.html>

2. **1949 Lincoln cent may be common, but not in this grade**, November 1, 2018 by Coin World. **Story Summary:** Market Analysis: Strong demand for registry set coins drives bidding. The finest-certified and only 1949 Lincoln cent graded MS-67+ by PCGS sold for a huge \$10,968.75 at an Oct. 7 online GreatCollections auction where three bidders chased it past the \$10,000 level.

**Complete Story:** <https://www.coinworld.com/news/us-coins/2018/11/strong-demand-for-registry-set-coins.all.html>

3. **How could a common 1958 Franklin half dollar sell for \$129,500?** October 23, 2018 by Coin World. **Story Summary:** Market Analysis: High grade and colorful toning combine to make a six-figure coin. This 1958 Franklin half dollar graded MS-67+ full bell lines by PCGS sold for \$129,500 at Legend Rare Coin Auctions' Regency 28 sale in Las Vegas. The date is common, but the quality and color are extraordinary. Indeed, within the entire Franklin half dollar series PCGS has graded no finer representatives.

**Complete Story:** <https://www.coinworld.com/news/us-coins/2018/10/common-date-1958-franklin-half-dollar-at-six-figures.html>

4. **Harlan J. Berk launches sticker program for ancient coins**, October 22, 2018 by Coin World. **Story Summary:** Free service currently eligible for coins purchased from the Chicago-based firm. The firm plans two different sticker options. The verified sticker is available for free to anyone who has the company view their coins and vet them for authenticity. The guarantee sticker will be available only for coins sold by Berk, for now, but the firm will be working on expanding the program to guarantee any coin for authenticity.

**Complete Story:** <https://www.coinworld.com/news/world-coins/2018/10/harlan-j-berk-launches-sticker-program-for-ancient-coins.html>

5. **1942 Walking Liberty half dollar struck on quarter dollar planchet**, October 18, 2018 by Coin World. **Story Summary:** John Whitney Walter's collection of error coins included a 1942 Walking Liberty half dollar struck on a planchet intended for a Washington quarter dollar. What set this PCGS Mint State 62 example apart is that its strike was well-centered, with a full date. Most of the roughly 14 known Walking Liberty half dollars struck on quarter dollar planchets were struck off-center, leaving them either undated or showing only partial digits. The alignment of the reverse is such that the mintmark area is off the planchet,

leaving open the possibility that this error could be a product of the Philadelphia, Denver or San Francisco mints, all three of which produced half dollars in 1942. It sold for \$16,200.

**Complete Story:** <https://www.coinworld.com/news/us-coins/2018/10/walking-liberty-half-dollar-on-quarter-dollar-planchet.html>

Bob Carr  
President, Northside Coin

## UPCOMING COIN SHOW

**DECEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>**

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

## OFFICERS & DIRECTORS FOR 2018

PRESIDENT

**BOB C.**

VICE PRESIDENT \*

**TERRY K.**

SECRETARY

**MARK H.**

TREASURER \*

**DAVE WE.**

DIRECTOR # 1 \*

**KENT J.**

DIRECTOR # 2

**MICHAEL S.**

DIRECTOR # 3 \*

**JOHN D'A.**

\* INDICATES THAT THIS PERSONS' TERM EXPIRES AT THE  
END OF 2018

### Interesting Coin Facts

The Guide Book of United States Coins, also known as the Redbook, was first published in 1947. The Redbook has become a collectable itself and many of the older issues from the forties and early fifties can be worth hundreds to thousands of dollars when in New or Near Mint condition.

## **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 [info@northsidecoinclub.org](mailto:info@northsidecoinclub.org).