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# NORTHSIDE COIN CLUB



## COIN CHATTER

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

May 2022

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Founded in 2001, Member: ANA, CWNA

### Upcoming Meeting Announcement

**We will be holding an in-person meeting at the Cross of Christ Lutheran Church on May 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm.**

The monthly Northside Coin Club meeting will be held on Tuesday May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022 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.

**We will also be holding a virtual Zoom meeting at the same time for those members who cannot attend in person.** Zoom participants will be able to see the presentation and hear and see what is going on at the in-person meeting. You will also be able to speak and be heard by the in-person participants. Zoom participants will not be able to participate in the Raffle or Coin of the Month drawings.

If you would like to attend the scheduled NSCC meeting via Zoom on Tuesday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, just click on the link below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88083374980?pwd=Mm9MTVcwUUFnNFM4a1lZOGJGYXNnQT09>

Meeting ID: 880 8337 4980

Passcode: 345396

### Other Announcements

**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 May meeting or mail your check to NSCC PO Box 1837 Broomfield, CO 80038-1837.

**RAFFLE PRIZE** – This months’ Raffle Prizes (A) TBD (B) TBD (Prize offered depends on level of attendance, 12 or more in attendance will mean the A prize).

**PROGRAM** – “Napoleonic Coinage” by NSCC Member, Bob B.

**COIN of the MONTH** – Canadian Coin. Bring a nice, no problems coin, which you, as a collector, would like to have.

[The “Coin of the Month” works as follows. Bring a 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** – Have some interesting item from your collection that you would like to show/talk about with the members. Have it ready (take some pictures ahead of time and have them ready to share) for the Zoom meeting and give a quick (1 minute) talk on.

**ANA NEWS** – The first-ever Chester L. Krause Memorial Distinguished Service Award will be presented at the American Numismatic Association's 2022 World's Fair of Money® in Chicago (August 16-20). The ANA Board of Governors made the decision to rename the accolade at its April 12 meeting to honor the memory and contributions of the renowned numismatic publisher.

**UPCOMING PROGRAMS** – Classic Commemorative Coins – Stopping the Runaway Train in 1939. Cherry Pickers Guide, old TV shows with “Coin” themes.

**PRESENTER RAFFLE PRIZE** –The Presenter Prize for 2022 will be a 1937 “Mercury” Dime in a PCGS MS66 FSB slab. The following members have given presentations in 2022. Bob C. presented in March, Michael S. presented in April.

### **Minutes, Notes, and Happenings of previous months’ meeting**

Our previous meeting was held in person on Tuesday April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022. We had 11 members and 2 guests, including one who joined the club during the meeting, attending in person, and 2 members attending via Zoom.

The meeting was called to order by President Michael S. around 7:04.

Introductions of the guest/new members. Ron M. joined the club.

There were some magazines available for members.

Past shows were discussed. Michael went to Albuquerque show as a dealer. Said it was a slow show on both sides of the tables.

Michael talked about the upcoming coin shows.

Michael then reviewed his “President’s Notes” news items.

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 \$2460.69 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**

The Club’s PO Box renewal was paid.

Colorado Secretary of State annual fee for the Club being registered in Colorado was paid.

### **New Business**

Michael is looking for programs for 2022.

### Last Months' Show and Tell Recap

Bob C. – Had a 1909-S Lincoln cent in an old NGC MS62BN slab that was an upgrade to his current coin that was graded VF30. Also found a 1972-D Kennedy half without the FG designers initials on the reverse in a roll search.

Bob B. – Had a turtle coin that he was sure that Bob C. would need for his collection. It was a coin with a Turtle chocolate candy rubber banded to the coin.

### Prize Winners

Coin of the Month: A Kennedy Half Dollar. A pot of 2 coins was won by Dave We.

Door Prize: A Raw 1943-D Mercury dime was won by Dalton J.

Raffle Prize: A 1963-D Washington Quarter Graded MS64 by PCGS, was won by Mike K.

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

### Program

The program in March was “Toning and Toned Coins” by NSCC President, Michael S. Michael talked about how natural toning on coins had become very collectable. In past times, the demand for “White” coins caused many dealers to “dip” toned coins to turn the coin back into the just minted white, collectors desired. Now collectors desire coins that are original and have not been messed with. Michael described how toning forms on coins when they are in an environment that is rich in sulfur and is also somewhat humid. He described how toning forms thru thin layers of oxidation that form on the coin. The color of the toning changes as the oxidation layer gets thicker and thicker. He showed a color progression chart that can be used to help you determine if the toning is natural or artificially added. He also showed examples of coins that had natural toning and coins that had been artificially toned and showed how they are different. He also described the various types of toned coins such as Textile/Bag toning where you can see what looks like the cloth material pattern on a coin. There is Crescent toning that occurs when one coin was on top of another coin as it toned. There is Target toning, that typically occurs when a coin was stored in a coin book for a long time. Certain coin books were more likely to cause this due to the materials the books were made from. Today toned coins has become a huge market with prices for toned coins worth many multiples of their non-toned counterparts.

### 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 May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022

## News Items

1. **Harry W. Bass, Jr. Gold Coin Exhibit Departs ANA Money Museum**, *Coin Week*, April 14, 2022. The American Numismatic Association (ANA) and the Harry W. Bass, Jr. Foundation announced on April 13 that the Harry W. Bass, Jr. collection of U.S. gold coins and patterns on display at the Edward C. Rochette Money Museum in Colorado Springs, Colorado, will be returned to the Foundation and sold at auction. The Money Museum has been this collection's temporary home since October 2000.

**Complete Story:** <https://coinweek.com/coin-clubs/harry-w-bass-jr-gold-coin-exhibit-departs-ana-money-museum/>

2. **Civil War era Proof gold coins from the Simpson Collection offered**, *Coin World*, April 14, 2022. Heritage is continuing with its offerings of coins from the collection of Texas businessman Bob Simpson at its May 4 to 8 Central States U.S. Coins Signature Auction, to be held at its Dallas headquarters after the convention. Proof gold coins of the Civil War era are always rare, since the war caused economic uncertainties that made the purchase of these expensive coins a luxury few could afford. Further, as Heritage explains, "Mint policy was to sell gold proofs only in complete six-piece sets with a face value of \$41.50, plus the proofing charge. This was a significant amount of money for the average collector, and many were discouraged by the difficult ordering procedure, as well."

**Complete Story:** <https://www.coinworld.com/news/us-coins/civil-war-era-proof-gold-coins-from-the-simpson-collection-offered>

3. **1922: A Unique Year in U.S. Coin History**, *Coin Week*, April 18, 2022. One hundred years ago the situation was completely different, with no nickels, dimes, quarters or half dollars struck that year at any of the mint facilities in Philadelphia, Denver, and San Francisco, and the number of Lincoln cents made that year was a paltry 7.16 million – all of which were produced by the Denver Mint. But there were some other coins made that year, too. The problem is that they were not widely collected at the time – namely, silver dollars and \$20 gold Double Eagles. As for the cent situation, normally tens of millions of cents were struck each year during this era, but for the first time since 1793 – with the sole exception of 1815 – no cents were made in Philadelphia in 1922.

**Complete Story:** <https://coinweek.com/us-coins/1922-a-unique-year-in-u-s-coin-history/>

4. **The Royal Mint's Plant Turns Electronic Waste Into Gold**, *Coins Weekly*, April 21, 2022. Recovering gold from UK electronic waste.

**Complete Story:** <https://coinsweekly.com/the-royal-mints-plant-turns-electronic-waste-into-gold/>

5. **Mint confirms color's costs for Purple Heart silver dollar**, *Coin World*, April 22, 2022. Approximately \$9 of the \$95 list price in the U.S. Mint catalog for the colorized 2022-W National Purple Heart Hall of Honor silver dollar is associated with the cost of applying color to the obverse of each coin. The product went on sale March 24 and sold out in less than 25 hours. The only portion of the obverse design being colorized is the purple field surrounding George Washington's portrait on the image of the medal in the

design. The colorization was limited to 25,000 Proof versions from the maximum 400,000 silver dollars combined to be struck at the West Point Mint in Proof and Uncirculated finishes.

**Complete Story:** <https://www.coinworld.com/news/us-coins/mint-confirms-color-s-costs-for-purple-heart-silver-dollar>

6. **Technicolor Coins – How Do We Monetize Eye Appeal?**, *PCGS*, April 26, 2022. In a practical sense, during three-plus decades on the bourse floor buying rare U.S. coins, regardless of the premium I paid for a fabulous toned and colorful coin, I nearly always profited! After seeing thousands of specimens, I had learned (with great success) to just “stock it” when a pretty toned coin was priced to me at anywhere near current price levels.

**Complete Story:** <https://www.pcgs.com/news/technicolor-coins-how-do-we-monetize-eye-appeal>

7. **Secret Service reviewing counterfeit notes in counterfeit holders**, *Coin World*, April 25, 2022. The contemporary plague of counterfeit coins being made and then placed into counterfeit third-party holders is now affecting rare paper money. Counterfeit notes are being placed in bogus early generation PCGS Currency holders. The Anti-Counterfeiting Task Force, in conjunction with the Professional Numismatists Guild, is calling attention to a scheme involving the counterfeit notes in counterfeit early generation PCGS-Currency holders. A recent example is a case currently being pursued by the U.S. Secret Service involving a Series 1882 \$500 gold certificate. The note, identified as Friedberg 1216a, is a blatantly obvious fake, even without close personal examination. Nonetheless, the Secret Service laboratory did its own technical investigation, and based on additional information provided by trade specialists, confirmed this conclusion.

**Complete Story:** <https://www.coinworld.com/news/paper-money/secret-service-reviewing-counterfeit-notes-in-counterfeit-holders>

8. **Identifying Ancient Roman Coins: An OCRE Tool**, *Coin Week*, April 27, 2022. Although fundamental to our discipline, one of the most difficult skills to teach aspiring Roman numismatists is how to identify coins. At archaeological field schools and in the classroom, numismatists provide some guidance and host practicums. But, at the end of the day, there is no substitute for looking at different coins, becoming intimately familiar with the reference works and online resources, and building up hundreds or even thousands of hours of experience to become adept at coin identification.

**Complete Story:** <https://coinweek.com/education/identifying-ancient-roman-coins-an-ocre-tool/>

Michael Sandoval,  
President, Northside Coin Club

## **Building Usage Information**

**WiFi Network:** CCLC Guest

**Password:** CCLCWiFi20

This is our new WiFi network and password, free for all guests.

## UPCOMING COIN SHOW

**JUNE 22<sup>ND</sup> – 25<sup>TH</sup>**

COINX WEST  
COLORADO SPRINGS EVENT CENTER  
HALL A  
3960 PALMER PARK BLVD.  
COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80909  
12 NOON TO 6PM WEDNESDAY, DEALER SETUP, DEALERS  
& EARLY BIRD BADGES ONLY  
10AM TO 6PM THURSDAY & FRIDAY  
10AM TO 3PM SATURDAY  
CONTACT: MARY WOODSIDE (314) 692-2646  
WEBSITE [WWW.COINXRT.COM](http://WWW.COINXRT.COM)

**JULY 16<sup>TH</sup>**

GREELEY COIN SHOW  
GREELEY, CO 80909  
CONTACT: DAVID FEELY (303) 772-7690

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END OF 2022

### Interesting Coin Facts

No Coin Fact this month, check back next  
month.

## **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).