Colorado Springs Numismatic Society

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Our January meeting will be held Sunday, January 13th, 2019 2:00 P.M. in the Colorado Springs Police Department, Gold Hill Division (South West)

Community Room

955 West Moreno Avenue Guests are welcome at all our regular meetings.

Happy New Year 2019!

AGENDA

- I. Introduction of guests and new members
- II. Secretary's Report
- III. Treasurer's Report
- IV. 2019 Officer Election
- V. Old Business
- VI. New Business
- VII. January Exhibit Talks
- VIII. Intermission Break
- IX. Presentation of Monthly Exhibit Award
- X. Society Regular Auction
- XI. Door Prizes, Membership, Volunteer & Raffle Drawings
- XI. Adjournment

November Meeting

Because of our November 11th snowfall our meeting was cancelled.

November Business

We had hoped to have the 2019 Society elections in November, because of the meeting cancellation, the elections will take place at our January 13 meeting. Any member interested serving as a Society officer please make it known at this meeting.

2018 Joint Christmas Holiday Dinner Party

Reservations had been made for the joint holiday party the second Tuesday of December (the 11th) at the Golden Corral Restaurant, 1970 Waynoka Rd., Colorado Springs. Door prizes were included for all members and spouses.

Total attendance of members and guests was 69 individuals.

George thanked both Clubs' (CC & NS) officers and committee groups for their participation and volunteering with the Clubs' service and activities.

The 2018 Overton Award was presented to Terry C. for his monthly presentations at the Society.

The Henderson Award, having a five year (winning clause), had no recipient for the award this year.

The Past President Award was presented to Dan U. for his service as president of the Numismatic Society for 2017 and 2018.

Dan U. presented George M. an award trophy for 30 years of service as secretary to the Numismatic Society engraved "TO GEORGE MOUNTFORD FOR OVER 30 YEARS OF SERVICE TO NUMISMATIC SCHOLARSHIP IN THE PIKES PEAK REGION AS SECRETARY OF THE COLORADO SPRINGS NUMISMATIC SOCIETY 1986 – 2018 WITH THANKS AND APPRECIATION" with a WW1 Centennial Proof Silver dollar and a uncirculated WWI Centennial Silver dollar as an expression of the Society's appreciation for his service.

George told of the ANA / Clubs Scholarship Award applications being accepted by Milt N. and George M. He (George) declined his application being the alternate member, hoping Milt would receive a scholarship for his docent work at the ANA.

George reported about the clubs' members passings for the 2018 year.

Ed Rochette January 18th Don Holecek February 6th Helen Newell September 27th

2019 Annual Dues

Our membership dues are required in January of each year, and I will be accepting them for both clubs at this NS January meeting. Because of rising costs with just about everything for the society, this year's and next year's dues will increase to \$10.00 per year.

January Exhibit Talks

All Society members are invited to participate in our monthly exhibit talks. What is needed for exhibiting; is displaying the item(s) with a short talk or explanation of the exhibit.

January Regular Auction

We will have a regular auction at this January meeting. Please bring your auction item(s) with your minimum bid (slip) attached, if you wish to have a starting bid.

ANA's Web Space Page

Our website can be viewed at (<u>csns.anaclubs.org</u>) or (cscc.anaclubs.org). We do need help with this, asking the membership for any ideas for adding information, articles, and art work to the site. Our monthly newsletters and club information may also be viewed on the website.

GLEANINGS January 2019

Due to the snowstorm on November 11 the elections that were scheduled for that date are carried over to our January 13, 2019 meeting. I encourage each of you to consider serving as an officer of the society. It is a good way to give back to an organization that enhances your enjoyment of a hobby that enriches your life.

We will elect a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer. On the job training is available.

Even if you are not an officer, there are ways to help the society to not just survive, but thrive. After over three decades as Secretary, and doing a lot of everything, including, making the coffee; bringing donuts, coffee supplies, nametags, signage and other supplies to every meeting; and providing leadership at the annual coin show, George has retired from that position. They are all things that someone has to do.

The society relies on lots of volunteers other than the officers. So even if officership is not for you, always be ready to step up, volunteer, and do what is necessary for this organization to remain one of the finest coin clubs in existence. And we see that every year, for instance, as dozens of volunteers give hundreds of hours at the coin show. We all want this to remain that club that you, and I, and any collector out there can be proud to be a member of, which it is.

A huge thank you to all the past Presidents, Secretaries, and Treasurers.

Until next time, Daniel Usiak, Former President

George Mountford, Society Secretary