Colorado Springs Coin Club

Regular Meeting of the Colorado Springs Coin Club August 28, 2012 at 7:00 P.M.

August 28, Meeting – Agenda

1. Introduction of Guests and new members
2. Secretary’s report
3. Treasurer’s report
4. Collector’s Corner
5. Old Business
6. New Business
7. Intermission break – enjoy the coffee and doughnuts
8. Monthly Program; Coin Prize and a Regular Auction
9. Door and Membership prizes
10. Adjournment – please help replace the tables and chairs

July Meeting

Thirty-two members and one guest, Mike S., were in attendance at the Tuesday evening meeting. The secretary’s report as published in the July newsletter was accepted. The treasurer’s report was presented and accepted.

July Business

A check presented from the clubs Anniversary Medals Committee was given to Frank T. in the absence of our treasurer, Barbara T. Three of the club owned brass uniface medals were engraved and presented to the three members of the medals committee, Terry Car., David J. and George M. Two engraved brass uniface medals were presented to Frank T. and Barbara T. for the yearly managing of our annual coin show. Mike S. applied and was accepted to membership.

July Collector’s Corner

Members showing numismatic collectables were: George M., Bruce B., John H., Terry Cau., James N., Frank K., Steve D., and Frank T.

Tucson Club

Member, Terry Cau., a prior member of the Tucson, Arizona club gave a short talk about that club and some of their activities over the years showing a couple of their membership newsletters and the Tucson’s clubs Constitution and Bylaws.

July Door Prizes

Winners of door prizes were; Swede K., Buddha I., Frank K., Jared K., Terry Car., Ron B., and Steve D.

July Membership Prize

The winner, being in attendance, of the membership prize was Dan U.

July Volunteer Prizes

2012-2013 volunteer prizes will begin in August.

July Auction

A sixteen lot auction was held with ten lots sold, $28.50 going to our club treasury. Thank you to Mike W. for being auctioneer at this event.

July Program

Die Doubling vs. Strike Doubling

Thank you to Bruce B. for a very informative program talk on this interesting numismatic subject. The subject talk included:

Die doubling: a doubled image on the die itself, before the coin is produced.

Strike doubling: is caused during the striking process.

Other forms of doubling include die fatigue, die polish and possibly intentional.

Types of coins and dates for the different types of doubling.

Bruce passed out handouts showing doubling effects with a Die Doubling I.Q. Test.

August Collector’s Corner

Please bring an item(s) for our show and tell session.

August Coin Prize

Members wanting to participate could bring in the oldest foreign coin you have between 1500 and 1800 and if it is the oldest, you will win a prize. If a yearly tie, judging will be based on condition of the coin.

2012 Holiday Party

Now is a good time for us to start thinking and planning our joint holiday party. Because of the increased number of Coin Club, Society and family members over the last couple years, this is of growing concern. We will need some member input and participation on the party meeting place, the door prize system and any other concerns about the joint party.

Coin Club’s Web Space Page

Our website can be viewed at (cscc.anaclubs.org) We do need help with this and ask the membership for any ideas for adding information, articles, art work and newsletters to the site. Please visit the site for all the information about our anniversary medals.

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Club Secretary