



COLORADO SPRINGS COIN CLUB COLLECTOR



Meetings: 6:30pm on the fourth Tuesday every month except December
at the Fraternal Order of Eagles
1050 S. 21st Street
Colorado Springs, CO 80905
Guests are always welcome at our regular meetings

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**MEETINGS AT FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES
1050 S. 21st Street Colorado Springs, CO 80905**

**Please park on the west (back) side of the building
and use the right-hand door.**

**If you have items to sell, there will be an area adjacent
to the regular seating to accommodate you.
Please do not use the regular seating area.**

**Have dinner at the Fraternal Order of
Eagles before our meeting!**

**Dinner is lasagna, a side, and dessert
Drink is extra**

**If our door is closed use the front door 5-6 PM
If asked, tell them you're a Coin Club member**

ATTENTION NATIONAL MONEY SHOW VOLUNTEERS

Colorado Springs Coin Club members that have signed up to volunteer for the ANA National Money Show (March 14-16, 2024) will need to have turned in paperwork to Holly by the February meeting. You will need to provide information on days and times you are available and what tasks you are able to help with.

AND WE'RE STILL LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS!!!

If you have not signed up to help and are still interested, please contact Holly by email at coloradospringscoinclub@gmail.com, or by phone at 419-351-9940. Paperwork for those who have not yet signed up to help will be available at the February meeting.

FEBRUARY 2024 MEETING

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27 AT 6:30PM. DOORS OPEN AT 6PM.

This meeting is the last before the ANA Money show, so we will be making final plans for it.

At every meeting we have:

- Collector's Corner. Bring in something new and give a 3 minute or less talk about it.
- An auction. Bring your items to sell. Proceeds can go to you or be donated to the Club.
- Membership and door prizes. This month, the membership prize is a 1921 Morgan Dollar. Door prizes will be a silver half dollar, two silver quarters, and four silver dimes. Also, every YN in attendance will receive a YN prize.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **If you have any Buffalo Nickels or 1943 steel cents you're willing to donate as giveaways to YNs, please bring them to the meeting!**
- Please be ready to guess the price of silver as of January **2025** for our upcoming Guess the Price of Silver contest. You must be a member in good standing to participate and win.
- April will be our White Elephant Auction. Please think about items you're willing to give to benefit the Club. We will auction them off and keep the proceeds. This is one of our biggest fundraisers!

JANUARY 2024 MEETING MINUTES

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23 AT 6:30PM

This meeting was held at the Fraternal Order of Eagles.

1. Pledge of Allegiance
2. Introduction of guests and new members:
 - 3 guests (John P. (not sign in), Matt G., Sharon G.)
 - Clayton D. - new member voted in. Approved.
3. Secretary's Report
 - Current membership is at 113 members.
 - We are currently collecting 2024 dues. They must be paid by March 15th, 2024, to remain an active member.
4. Treasurer's Report
 - Ending balance as of November 28, 2023 - \$10581.17.
 - Current balance as of January 1, 2024 (no transactions through January 23, 2024) – \$10680.17 – Approved.
5. Program – Bob Bair “How to Grade like a Third Party Grading Company”
 - Slide show presentation – review of “Market” versus “Technical” grading standards and differences in grading techniques, basic grading guidelines, methods to improve grading technique, third party grading process, and counterfeit awareness.
 - Grading activity – members divided into 10 groups of 4 people to examine and submit grades of coins certified by various third party grading companies. Activity followed up by review of certified grades.
6. Collector's Corner
 - Larry F. – 1998D Lincoln cent with unusual toning and planchet/metal defect/error
 - Doug L. – Canadian “Exploring Canada” 2014-15 coin set
 - Dale G. – report of 108 wheat cents found from \$25 roll box
 - Tom W. – 2019 “Pride of Two Nations” U.S. mint and Royal Canadian Mint set.
 - Steve D. – 1889 \$1 U.S. gold coin and 1878 \$3 U.S. gold coin from type set
 - Dave S. – bullet bank, 1877 Indian head cent bank with box, 50 Krona Estonian coin with Limestone insert
 - Neal P. – Moonlight mint medal for fundraiser for Aaron Synagogue in Trinidad (oldest continuously running synagogue in Colorado)
 - Holly S. – Roll search find – 2006 Nebraska quarter with counterstamp
7. New Business
 - Thank you presentation to Holly S. for work as CSCC secretary/membership
8. Break
9. Auction
10. Winner of “Guess the Price of Gold” contest announced –
 - Based on guess from February 2023 for price of gold January 23, 2024 – Cary R. winner with guess of \$2023.13
 - “Guess the price of silver” contest for January 2025 – guesses must be submitted by February 2024 meeting (February 27, 2024)
11. Old Business
 - National Money Show (ANA) – volunteer sign up needs to be completed with Holly S. at January meeting to allow preparation of schedule. Help needed with preparation of and distribution of bags, front entrance, exhibits, wristbands, Kid's Zone. Also, CSCC club booth (must be an ANA member) and Page booth. Paperwork available through Holly S.
12. Prizes

- Membership Prize (1962 US Proof set) – Richard (sign in #26)
 - Door Prizes (Morgan dollar, two silver quarters, two silver dimes): Steve D., Dan R., Kathy B., Sharon G., Matthew G.
13. Adjourned at 9:00 pm

2024 GUESS THE PRICE OF GOLD CONTEST COMPLETED GET READY FOR THE 2025 GUESS THE PRICE OF SILVER CONTEST

Congratulations to Cary R. who guessed closest and won the 2024 Guess The Price of Gold Contest!

We will be holding a price of silver contest for this coming year, so be prepared to guess at the February meeting! You must be a member in good standing at the end of the contest, to win.

For this last contest, the following fifty members submitted entries (sorted by dollar amount):

128.00 Michael D.	1909.48 Wayne W.	2015.00 Keith M.	2114.00 Cliff S.
135.00 Aileen W.	1925.00 Dan R.	2023.13 Cary R.	2114.14 Kathy B.
1632.67 Jan K.	1933.35 Frank T.	2046.00 Kirsten G.	2125.00 Eve B.
1650.00 Peter S.	1947.02 Robert D.	2046.00 Debbie G.	2132.50 Bruce B.
1650.00 David T.	1948.00 Bob C.	2050.00 Tom W.	2140.00 George M.
1667.00 Terry G.	1951.00 Larry F.	2050.51 Doug L.	2175.50 Dennis H.
1725.00 Sheryle M.	1952.50 Cheryl R.	2053.00 Patricia W.	2222.00 Larry W.
1879.00 Russell J.	1953.00 Chris L.	2055.00 Dave S.	2250.00 Kelly R.
1879.04 Elise P.	1958.14 Douglas I.	2103.00 Dan U.	2300.00 Steve D.
1885.00 Brad O.	2003.00 Kathy W.	2107.50 Gary R.	2450.00 Holly S.
1892.90 Barbara T.	2005.00 John G.	2110.00 Robert H.	2756.32 Akio L.
1907.00 Scott S.	2007.00 Craig B.	2112.00 Dave R.	3000.00 Lynn M.
	2012.00 Robert T.		3847.95 Marlyn P.

ADVERTISE IN THIS NEWSLETTER!

Want our membership to know about your business? Advertise in this newsletter! Here are the rates:

Size	Dimensions (width x height)	Rate	
		6 months	Full Year
Business Card	3½ x 2	Not Available	\$12
Quarter Page	3⅝ x 5 or 7⅜ x 2½	\$30	\$55
Half Page	3⅝ x 10 or 7⅜ x 5	\$60	\$110
Full Page	7⅜ x 10 (text area) or 8½ 11 (no margins)	\$150	\$275

Ads will cover that fraction of the text area, for example a quarter page ad will be half of one column on a two column page, or the bottom quarter of the text area, excluding header, footer and margins. The exception is a full page ad, which (if provided as a PDF) can “bleed” to cover the entire page.

Ads must be print-ready. They can change from issue to issue by providing an updated print-ready ad at least ten days before the next club meeting.

ANA LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS

The American Numismatic Association (ANA) is currently looking for volunteers to help support with various tasks at their headquarters here in Colorado Springs. This is a great way to meet other collectors and to learn more about numismatics while giving your time to an organization that promotes the hobby.

LIBRARY ASSISTANCE

Shelving, cataloguing & organizing holdings, cataloging, scanning & archiving, assistance with library books sales during Summer Seminar.

Contact: Akio Lis *Library Manager* 719-482-9859

MEMBERSHIP ASSISTANCE

Stuffing & labeling envelopes for mailings.

Contact: Donna Frater *Director of Development & Membership* 719-482-9856



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FUTURE EVENTS

COLORADO SPRINGS COIN CLUB MEETINGS

- February 27 Planning meeting for the National Money Show
- March 26 Extended Collector's Corner
(bring in something you got at the show).
- April 23 White Elephant Auction

COLORADO SPRINGS NUMISMATIC SOCIETY MEETINGS

These are normally on the second Sunday of every month, except December, at 2 PM. They meet at the CSPD Community Room, 955 W. Moreno Avenue.

If you've never been to a Numismatic Society meeting, they're a bit different. Every month, instead of a program they have exhibit talks—extended presentations by the membership on whatever they want to show.

UPCOMING LOCAL COIN SHOWS

- May 8-11 2024 – Denver Coin Expo
- June 21-22 2024 – Springs Coin show, Elks Lodge

AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION (ANA) EVENTS

The ANA Headquarters, including the Money Museum, is now open from 10:30-5:00 Tue – Sat.

**2024 National Money Show March 14-16
Broadmoor Resort, Colorado Springs CO.**

National Coin Week April 21-27

2024 Summer Seminar Session 1: June 16-19 and
Session 2: June 23-26

**2024 World's Fair of Money August 6-10 Donald E.
Stephens Convention Center, Rosemont IL.**

