

Colorado Springs Numismatic Society

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Our February meeting will be held Sunday, **February 14th**, 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

AGENDA

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| I. | Introduction of guests and new members | VII. | Intermission Break |
| II. | Secretary's Report | VIII. | Presentation of Monthly Exhibit Award |
| III. | Treasurer's Report | IX. | Society Regular Auction |
| IV. | Old Business | X. | Door Prizes Drawing |
| V. | New Business | XI. | Adjournment |
| VI. | February Exhibit Talks | | |

January Meeting

Twenty-one members and five guests were present at our Sunday afternoon meeting. Our guests included; Kevin and Nerissa L., Sasha and Chino W., and Andrew A. The secretary's report as published in the November newsletter was given and accepted. The treasurer's November financial report was given and accepted.

January Business

All five January guests have applied for membership and will be brought up for membership at this February meeting.

An October, November and December, 2015 secretary's bill was introduced by the secretary and motioned to be paid.

The medal design ideas for our 2016 Society's 50th anniversary pieces were also reviewed.

Our treasurer, Dan U. and I will be **accepting orders and payment** for the anniversary satin medals at this February meeting.

January Door Prize Winners

Winning last month's monthly door prizes were members; Gary B., Kevin L., Nerissa L., Robbie M., Mark E. and Ken H.

January Membership Prize Winner

Winning our Membership prize was Dan U.

January Volunteer Prizes

Volunteer prizes for show helpers were Ed H. and Frank T.

January Auction

A twelve item auction was held with five lots selling.

January Meeting

2016 dues were collected and will be accepted at this February meeting.

February Auction

All auction participants, whether lot buyers and/or sellers are reminded to please keep track of your item(s) and selling prices. This makes it much easier for all concerned when it comes time to pay for your purchases or collect amounts due at the end of the auction.

February Exhibit Talks

We request that members join in with these talks by telling and showing the membership their special numismatic interests. A monthly exhibit winning ribbon is awarded along with the winning name on the Overton yearly award plaque. The point system of judging is as follows; first place, 5 points - second place, 3 points - third place, 2 points and for showing 1 point.

ANA's Membership Offer

The ANA has provided each member club with 12 Gold one-year memberships (valued at up to \$28 each with digital issues of The Numismatist). The free memberships cannot be used by current members or anyone that has been a member within the last two years. They must be redeemed by October 31, 2016. I do have a couple of the coupons remaining.

ANA's Web Space Page

Our website can be viewed at (csns.anaclubs.org) or (cscs.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.

January Exhibit Talks were given by four members

- 1.) *George M. (FYI) telling of a 1940's, 50's numismatist, whose collection was Mint State-65 or Proof-65 or better, 1856 Flying Eagle cent, a 1893-S Morgan dollar and a 1918-D over date Buffalo nickel, also said to briefly own a 1794 silver dollar, Hoagy Carmichael.*
- 2.) *Dan U. (Vidor, Texas) displaying a wooden nickel good for a cup of coffee at a cafe in Vidor, while reading a 1920s excerpt from a booklet "Pioneer Preacher of the Plains", telling of accounts of race relations and prejudices in 1950's Texas.*
- 3.) *Ken H. (Police and Sheriff Badges) from his private collection, an encased selection of badges and patches from the old and new law enforcement agencies of our country.*
- 4.) *Robert L. (Republic of Texas) replicas of Texas paper money, seven silver 1906 Pike medals, various maps of U. S. western territories showing the way it was before statehoods.*
- 5.) *Terry C. (Leadville Mining) a mining related medal of the Society of Leadville Pioneers. Numismatic and The Numismatist writer, David Schenkman had given information on the mining medal. The mining scene of Leadville, Colorado is also found on an 1892 World's Columbian Exposition medal and an 1892 Knights Templar medal.*
- 6.) *Gerome W. (The rest of the Story) searching for information and history of an 1862 10 cent merchant's script, fractional note from De Soto, Wisconsin.*

January Winning Exhibit Talk was won by Gerome W.

George Mountford, Secretary

ANA members are invited to the exhibit opening

On February 11 from 5:00 to 7:00 P. M. the grand opening of the exhibit, "The Olympic Games – History and Numismatics" will be held at the ANA Money Museum.

ANA members are invited to view the exhibit and attend the festivities free of charge, and should have received their invitation.

Our Numismatic Society has 9 ANA invitations for non-ANA members of the Society to attend the exhibit opening. Non-ANA members in our Society are advised contact George M. prior to February 8th to reserve an invitation.

Also, members that plan to attend can "Reply if you please" by February 9th. RSVP to:

rsvp@money.org