

# Colorado Springs Numismatic Society

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Our April meeting will be held Sunday, April 9th, 2017 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*

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

### *March Meeting*

Twenty-nine members and one guest, Moria R. were in attendance at our Sunday afternoon meeting.

The secretary report as published in the March newsletter was accepted.

The treasurer's report for March was given and accepted.

### *March Business*

Moria applied and will be accepted into society membership.

Dan U. again mentioned that our club's coin show will be June 22nd, 23rd and 24th. He told the membership that Ken Byrd would be paying for the Volunteer prizes for 2017-2018. He reminded the membership of the invitation to the Society from our sister club, the Coin Club, which will be hosting a visit to the Western Museum of Mining & Industry for their September meeting, September 26, 2017. The admission fee is \$8.00, free if being a member of the Western Mining Museum or Gold Prospector's club.

At the March CSNS meeting we voted to opt into the 2018 Summer Seminar scholarship: CSNS contributes \$250, as does CSCC

Applicant pays the amount not covered by clubs

Applicant must be a member of both clubs and ANA, and attend a minimum 6 meeting or either CSNS or CSCC during 2017

Applicant fills out application, including why they want scholarship

Previous scholarship recipients not eligible  
Scholarship to be drawn at Christmas party so winner can sign up for class before end of year

### *March Door Prize Winners*

Members winning door prizes were George Mi., David J., Karen D., Chuck M., Moria R. and Gerome W.

### *March Membership Prize*

Being present for the membership prize was member, Dan U.

### *March Volunteer Prize Winners*

There weren't any 2016 volunteers at the meeting available for the volunteer prizes.

### *March Auction*

Nineteen lots were put up for auction with seventeen selling. The auction amount of \$31.00 was donated to the Society treasury.

### *April, 2017 - Dues Due*

If your dues have not been paid and you wish to retain active membership, please bring your 2017 dues to the Society meeting on April 9th.

### *April 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.

### *Donations to Society and/or Coin Show Receipts*

I will have copies of these receipts for members at the March meeting. The club's coin show will be in need of giveaway pieces (generally foreign, less expensive US coins, tokens, medals and numismatic material) for Young Numismatists attending the club's coin show. This may be a great chance to clean out your "closets and drawers" of unwanted material.

### *ANA's Web Space Page*

Our website can be viewed at ([csns.anaclubs.org](http://csns.anaclubs.org)) or ([csccl.anaclubs.org](http://csccl.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.

### *National Coin Week*

"Conflict and Courage: Money and the Military" is the theme for the 94th annual National Coin Week, April 16-22.

### *March Exhibit Talks were given by eight members*

- 1.) George M. (Funny Back Note) the 1928 one dollar note that came between the horse blanket and the note we see and use today
- 2.) Dan U. (Will Rogers Medal) Showing the brass medal and telling history of "The Cherokee Kid" along with his rival, the philanthropist Spencer Penrose

- 3.) J. C. S. (Albums of Mint Errors & Varieties) "Examples of items that he had talked about in his presentation at the last Colorado Springs Coin Club meeting
- 4.) David J. (Medals from the First International Exposition held in the U. S.) showing two rare medals from "The Exhibition of the Industry of All Nations" held in New York City in 1853
- 5.) Rick A. (Swiss Shooting Medal) showing his medal and telling history of the Switzerland Confederation Award Medals
- 6.) Terry C. (ANA Membership & B. Max Mehl) a 25 year ANA membership silver medal and Mail Order Catalog of the famous Texas Coin Dealer
- 7.) Gerome W. (The ANA Library & Scripophily) telling about the information from the ANA Library and his certificate of the Nebraska and Western Railway Company

*March Winning Exhibitor was Terry C.*

**GLEANINGS April 2017**

### **2017 COLORADO SPRINGS COIN, CURRENCY AND COLLECTIBLES SHOW**

For many years, the Colorado Springs' Numismatic Society and Coin Club jointly conducted our local coin show and watched it become a nationally respected event. We can be proud of that accomplishment. The volunteers from our two local clubs are essential to its success and profitability. It is held in conjunction with the ANA Summer Seminar and this year's dates are WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21 – SATURDAY, JUNE 24.

Last year both clubs transferred ownership of the coin show to Ken Byrd, who was heavily involved with past shows. The clubs retained an important stake and commitment to continue providing volunteer assistance in exchange for a portion of the show's proceeds. The proceeds from the show fund the refreshments at our meetings and the many prizes that are awarded during the year, also allowing us to keep the club dues low.

Name tags are issued to Volunteers that allow you on the bourse floor during early bird times and look snazzy with any wardrobe. Volunteers are also entered in the monthly Volunteer Prize drawings. Volunteer sign-up sheets will be available at both club meetings for the following duties:

Deliver cases from ANA warehouse to the Expo Center on North Nevada on Tuesday, June 20, and return the cases to ANA on Saturday, June 24

Set up tables, chairs, cases, lamps and extension cords on Wednesday; Tear down on Saturday

Staff the Dealer Registration Table on Wednesday, 21 June

Staff the Registration/Welcome Table at the show entrance. We need two volunteers on duty at all times

Manage Raffle ticket sales and prizes at the club's information tables

Provide numismatic exhibits and run the exhibit area

If the clubs take charge of delivering, setting up, and returning the cases (along with the other volunteering we have always done) we will receive the profit from the case rentals. A raffle will replace the door prizes of past years and provide a source of income for the clubs. We just need to take care of the raffle sales, prizes, and keep up with the proceeds.

It is important to remember that this is a transitional year and many dealers will base their future participation in this show on how well the clubs maintain or exceed our past performance.

**SHOW** your support for the Society and Club - mark your calendars now for **JUNE 21 – JUNE 25**. Enjoy the camaraderie of volunteering with fellow members. Spend some time on the bourse floor.

Thanks to Ken Byrd's promotion of the show, we expect over 200 tables so there will be an abundance of Coins, Currency and Collectibles for your perusal.

Dan U, President

## Colorado Springs Coin, Currency & Collectibles Show

In association with the Colorado Springs Numismatic Society  
and the Colorado Springs Coin Club

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[2017 Bourse Table Information and Application](#)  
[Printable Show Flyer](#)

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### Exhibits

Thursday, June 22nd: 9AM - 6PM

Friday, June 23rd: 9AM - 6PM

Saturday, June 24th: 9AM - 4PM

*2017 WORLD'S FAIR OF MONEY  
COLORADO CONVENTION CENTER  
DENVER, COLO.  
AUGUST 1-5, 2017*

Tuesday 1 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.;  
Wednesday-Friday 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.;  
Saturday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
Last admission is 30 minutes prior to closing.

Steve D'I., being the Host Chairman for the Coin Club

at the World's Fair of Money in August  
told of The World's Fair of Money being the biggest,  
most educational coin show in the country  
and that we will be in need of members from both clubs  
to help with convention committees and organizing the event.

Approximately 30 people will be needed for half a day each  
...but that's a preliminary figure;  
it will largely depend on how the Ambassador Committee wants to work it;  
it might be 60 people for a quarter day or some other combination.

Most of the committee chairs are in place.

George Mountford, Secretary