

Colorado Springs Numismatic Society

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Our May meeting will be held Sunday, June 11th, 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. June Exhibit Talks
- VII. Intermission Break
- VIII. Presentation of Monthly Exhibit Award
- IX. Society Regular Auction
- X. Membership & Door Prizes Drawings
- XI. Adjournment

May Meeting

Twenty-four members and two guests, Ivy M., daughter of Andrena and Todd M. were in attendance at our Sunday afternoon meeting.

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

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

May Business

Four forms/schedules made aware of to the membership;

ANA Summer Seminar Scholarship application

2017 Coin Show Exhibit entry form

Sign-up sheet for Tuesday/Wednesday Coin Show set-up

2017 Coin Show registration greeters schedule

Society President, Dan U. discussed the current preparations and status of Ken's B. efforts for the 2017 Colorado Springs Coin, Currency and Collectibles Show.

Steve D. told of the preparations and status of the committee efforts for the ANA's Worlds Fair of Money show in August in Denver.

Thank you to David J. and all those that helped fill in for me at the Society meeting while my wife and I enjoyed our vacation.

May Door Prize Winners

Members winning door prizes were; Ivy M. (Guest) daughter of Andrena., Karen D., Phil E., Todd M. (Guest) and Brad M.

May Membership Prize

Being present for the membership prize was member, Eric P.

May Auction

Seven lots were put up for auction with six selling.

June 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.

Invitation to Society Members

Our sister club, the Coin Club, 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.

Donations to Society and/or Coin Show Receipts

I will have copies of these receipts for members at the May 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) 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.

Member Passing

Numismatic Society and Coin Club member Ed Holman had passed away on May 24th from a stroke which occurred in late March. Ed worked as a letter carrier for the USPS, retired to a life of junk collecting and a somewhat coin collector. He is survived by his wife of nearly 48 years, Susan. Services were held at 2:00pm, Saturday, May 27 at First Congregational United Church of Christ, represented by a couple of club members.

May Exhibit Talks were given by four members

- 1.) Terry C. (GAR) History and badges of the Grand Army of the Republic of meetings held in Colorado
- 2.) Dan U. (MACO Medal) Medal created for the 1939 New York's World's Fair, to raise support for Czechoslovakia and awareness on the German invasion that took place on March 15, 1939
- 3.) Gerome W. (Recent Acquisition) a National Bank note from Chase Bank, New York city acquired at the Denver Expo Coin Show
- 4.) Steve D. (Type Set Additions) also acquired at the Denver Expo Coin Show, two pieces added to his U. S. type set; a Seated Liberty Dollar and a 1921 Peace Dollar, High Relief

May Winning Exhibitor was Terry C.

GLEANINGS June 2017

It looks like I get to make a couple of out of town trips this summer. I already started researching coin and collectible shops near my destinations. Nothing against our local shops, but sometimes I find a regional flavor at a distant location containing coins and medals I haven't found here.

A really cool thing about our upcoming Colorado Springs Coin, Currency and Collectible Show, June 20-24 (including set up days), is that dealers from multiple destinations bring their treasures and experience to us. Many of our local dealers are also present. You only need to travel to the Expo Center on North Nevada Avenue to sift through dozens of dealers' tables. No airline ticket needed or airport security to endure.

I hope you take advantage of this numismatic opportunity and also volunteer before, during and after the show. Without the volunteer hours from our Coin Club and Numismatic Society we cannot continue to attract the number of quality dealers who make the show such a great opportunity.

And don't forget the ANA World's Fair of Money in Denver in August. We are really special this summer.

Merriam-Webster's online dictionary defines GLEANINGS (noun) as "things acquired by gleaning." More helpful is the definition of GLEAN (transitive verb), 1 **a**: to pick up after a reaper, **b**: to strip of the leavings of reapers (example: *glean a field*); 2 **a**: to gather (something, such as information) bit by bit **b**: to pick over in search of relevant material (example: *gleaning old files for information*).

The namesake of the Book of Ruth in the Bible (Ruth 2: 2) followed the reapers to collect grain to feed herself and her mother in law, but the second definition better fits my monthly ramblings. Not so much striving to be profound as to provide a bit of information and perhaps entertainment. More like, "Hmm, this is interesting to me, I wonder if anyone else thinks so?" I hope so.

I remember a professor I once had who started at least one class session with, "Class, what did you *glean* from the reading for today's lesson?" with emphasis on the word *glean* and scanning the room for a spark of inspiration ignited by the assignment we had hopefully completed. So now you know the reason behind the title of this column.

Dan U, President

The last Coin Club meeting before the show was May 23rd.

The last NS meeting before the show will be this June 11th meeting.

If you would be available to help with show set-up on
Tuesday and/or Wednesday here is the schedule.

Tuesday, 20 Jun:

0800-1700: Setting Up

1200: (Chair and Table Delivery, if needed)

1430: Case Delivery from ANA (Club members working this)

Wednesday, 21 Jun: (currently there will be no ANA Shuttle)

0700: Setting Up

0800: Coin Club Members Show to help with Set Up

1000: Show Exhibitors can Set-up

1145: Island BBQ Staff Arrival (preparing bringing food from other location)

1200: Island BBQ Spread for "Helping" Club Members

1245: Lunch Spread Ends / Final Prep for Dealers

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](#)

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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.

Being a part of this event entitles you to early bird access at the show.

George Mountford, Secretary

**2017 Coin Show Registration Greeters Schedule
Mortgage Solutions Financial Expo Center**

3650 North Nevada Avenue Colorado Springs 80907

To qualify for monthly volunteer prizes at each club qualifying members must sign up for two hours of registration table greeting and two hours help with show set-up and take down.

We must have two members at the registration table at all times.

Show dates are: June 22, 23 & 24th

Thursday, June 22nd

8:45 A.M. to 10:00 A.M. __ Jerry F. _____ / __ George Mo. _____
10:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. __ Jerry F. _____ / __ Chris L. _____
11:00 A.M. to 12:00 A.M. __ Jerry F. _____ / __ Andrena M. _____
12:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. __ Jerry F. _____ / __ _____
1:00 P.M. to 2:00 P.M. __ Mike S. _____ / __ Georgia W. _____
2:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M. __ Mike S. _____ / __ Georgia W. _____
3:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. __ _____ / __ _____
4:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. __ George Mi. _____ / __ Matt G. _____
5:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. __ WB Mc. _____ / __ _____

Friday, June 23rd

9:00 A.M. to 10:00 A.M. __ Bob C. _____ / __ Jim G. _____
10:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. __ Bob C. _____ / __ Jim G. _____
11:00 A.M. to 12:00 A.M. __ Cary R. _____ / __ Andrena M. _____
12:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. __ Rick A. _____ / __ Chris L. _____
1:00 P.M. to 2:00 P.M. __ Rick A. _____ / __ _____
2:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M. __ George Mi. _____ / __ David C. _____
3:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. __ Rick A. _____ / __ David C. _____
4:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. __ J. C. S. _____ / __ _____
5:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. __ J. C. S. _____ / __ _____

Saturday, June 24th

9:00 A.M. to 10:00 A.M. __ Terry C. _____ / __ Robert C. _____
10:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. __ Terry C. _____ / __ Robert C. _____
11:00 A.M. to 12:00 A.M. __ Cary R. _____ / __ WB Mc. _____
12:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. __ Karen D. _____ / __ Armanda D. _____
1:00 P.M. to 2:00 P.M. __ Karen D. _____ / __ Armanda D. _____
2:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M. __ Rick A. _____ / __ George Mo. _____
3:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. __ Wayne W. _____ / __ Elise P. _____