

# Colorado Springs Numismatic Society

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Our January meeting will be held Sunday, January 14th, 2018 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 Happy New Year !*

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

### *November Meeting*

Twenty-seven members and two guests, Greg and Joshua Y. were in attendance at our Sunday afternoon meeting.

The secretary's report as published in the November newsletter was accepted.

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

### *November Business*

George M. reminded the membership that reservations have been made for the Christmas holiday party the second Tuesday of December (the 12th) at the Golden Corral Restaurant, 1970 Waynoka Rd., Colorado Springs from 6:00 to 9:00 P.M. Door prizes would be included for all members and spouses. Also reported was that our Societies officers and structure will remain the same for the year 2018 until the elections next November, 2018.

Our treasurer, David J. told of the 2018 dues becoming due in January and that in order to be eligible for a membership prize, you must be paid up with your dues.

### *November Door Prize Winners*

Members winning door prizes were; Frank T., Karen D., Mark E., Wayne W., Elise P., and George M.

### *November Membership Prize*

Being present for the membership prize was member, Georgia W.

### *November Volunteer Prize*

This month's winners of our 2017 - 2018 volunteer drawing were Rick A. and Brad M.

### *November Auction*

Twenty items were placed for auction with fifteen selling.

### *January 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.

### *January Regular Auction*

We will have a regular auction at this January meeting. Please bring your auction item(s) with a minimum bid attached, if you wish to have a starting bid.

### *ANA's Web Space Page*

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

### **2018 Dues Due**

Our membership dues are required in January of each year, and I will be accepting them for both clubs at this NS January meeting. If you are a new member and have paid dues within the months of October & November, you are paid up for 2018.

### *Christmas Holiday Dinner Party*

Reservations had been made for the joint holiday party the second Tuesday of December (the 12th) at the Golden Corral Restaurant, 1970 Waynoka Rd., Colorado Springs. Door prizes were included for all members and spouses.

### *Christmas Holiday Dinner Party Update*

This was our largest Joint Christmas Party ever with 79 attendees from both NS & CC clubs.

Coin Club president, Jerry F. started the festivities by passing the gavel to incoming president, Bob C. followed by passing out numismatic material to the attending YNs and young guests.

George M. continued with a presentation of the Numismatic Society's Al C. Overton Award plaque and award piece to this years winner, Terry C., also the Coin Club's Past President and ANA's presidential service medal for service as Coin Club President for the last two years to Jerry F. I also showed obituary pamphlets showing recognition to the two deceased long time Club and Society members; Ed H. and Frank K.

Jerry F. and the Coin Club acknowledged George's last year as club secretary (after serving since the 1980's!) with an impressive plaque displaying an 1884-CC silver dollar.

Bob C., our new president introduced the 2018-2019 Coin Club Officers; VP - Georgia W., 2nd VP - Steve D., Treasurer - Barbara T., and Secretary - Phoebe S.

Of the three members that signed up for the 2018 ANA Summer Seminar Scholarship Program, (Milt N., Terry C. and Dan U.) Milt N. was chosen as winner with Terry as alternate if for any reason Milt were unable to attend.

*November Exhibit Talks were given by three members*

- 1.) David J. ("Pedestrianism") David explained pedestrianism being a 19th-century form of competitive walking, often professional and funded by wagering, from which the modern sport of racewalking developed. He showed tokens of the 1903 - 1908 and 1915 - 1917 era.
- 2.) Terry C. (Veterans Day WWI - Armistice Day) A struck bronze medal, "1919 Saviors of Liberty Medal" and Daniel Carr's 2018-D WWI Centennial Concept Dollar Pattern, "1917 1918 Centennial of Participation in the Great War".
- 3.) Gerome W. (National Bank Note) large-size 1902 \$10 National Bank Note that celebrates William McKinley. The odd and interesting radar note is one of the most common large size national bank notes

*November Winning Exhibitor was David J.*

GLEANINGS January 2018

Did you make it to the combined CSNS/CSCC Christmas Dinner Party? Nearly 80 members, family and friends did. It was an enjoyable event to end the year for both clubs. George M did a fantastic job, as always, making our reservation, acquiring the door prize bags assembled by Hallenbeck Coin Gallery, and all those other details we don't even notice because the event goes smoothly.

The Coin Club acknowledged George's last year as club secretary (after serving since the 1980's!) with an impressive plaque displaying an 1884-CC silver dollar. Jerry F was also honored for his service as Coin Club President for the last two years. He received an ANA Past President medal.

And finally, the drawing for the CSNS/CSCC 2018 ANA Summer Seminar Scholarship was held. Congratulations to Milt whose application was selected from the 3 submitted. Terry C. is the alternate in case Milt cannot attend.

With the New Year come opportunities to start fresh and set new goals. Do you have any numismatic goals this year? Doing so can help you improve your collection and enhance your enjoyment of the hobby.

It could be as simple as adding a certain piece or pieces to your collection, culling certain pieces from your collection (the monthly auction or a donation to the White Elephant Auction this year can help you with that), submitting an exhibit at a Society meeting, or even submitting an exhibit to the 2018 Coin, Currency and Collectibles show in June.

Happy Numismatic New Year. May it be your best year yet!

DU, President

George Mountford, Society Secretary