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Next Meetings

Friday, August 10, 2012 at 7:30 PM. West Valley Presbyterian Church, McHattie Hall, 6191 Bollinger Avenue at Miller Avenue, Cupertino. Beauty and the Beast Contest plus Harold W. speaking

Friday, September 14, 2012 at 7:30 pm. West Valley Presbyterian Church, McHattie Hall, 6191 Bollinger Avenue at Miller Avenue, Cupertino. SeptemberFest!

Friday, October 12, 2012 at 7:30 pm. Youth Night!

Editorial

→ I hope everyone had a super fun time at the Annual CCC/SJCC Picnic on July 21st. 36 adults attended with two youths and two adorable dogs. See **Lyle Okamoto's** write-up below for an outline of the fun. A big thank you goes to **Keith S.** for purchasing all the food and planning the picnic. Thank you to **Keith** and **Fred** for cooking, **Lyle** for getting all the prizes, and **Fred** and **Martha** for getting all the drinks. Thank you also to **Dan B.** and **Betty H.** for bringing a large box filled with more boxes of cookies! Historian **Harold W.** took lots of pictures at the picnic to preserve all the great memories. Let's look forward to next year's picnic!

→ Everyone also had a great time at the July meeting where we feasted on hot dogs before the meeting. There were also plenty of sides and desserts to enjoy also. Big thank yous go to **Al L.**, **Fred** and **Martha D.** for bringing dinner, **Dan B.** and **Betty H.** for bringing dessert, and **Greg J.** for bringing drinks. Thank you also to **Al**, **Katherine R.**, and **Dorothy G-C.** for cooking, to **Tom** and **Alice K.** for bringing the eggs rolls, and to **Wayne C.** for his help. Thank you also to anyone I missed.

→ Our August meeting will be on August 10. **Harold W.** will be giving a talk entitled "Time Travel." We will also be having our **Beauty and the Beast** Contest so bring your loveliest coin and your ugliest coin and be prepared for some fierce competition.

→ Don't forget! Our **Cupertino Coin Club T-shirts** just happen to be available in sizes L-XL with our **CCC** logo on either the front or the back. They are a bargain at only \$8 each or two for \$15! See **Lyle Okamoto** at our club meeting if you are interested in the **finest coin club T-shirts** anywhere!!!

→ **Save the date!** The **CCC 28th Annual Awards Banquet** is set for **Sunday, October 21, 2012** at the Blue Pheasant Restaurant in Cupertino. Social hour is at 5, and dinner will be at 6. The banquet reservation will be available soon.

→ **Dues are due!** Don't forget to pay your annual club dues. Dues are still only \$5 for adults and \$1 for youths. A bargain to be sure!

→ **Happy Birthday** cheers go to our July birthday members. **Happy Birthday, Mike W., Richard S., Richard W., Alvin K., Allison P., & Keith S.!!!!!!!**

Recap of our Friday, July 13, 2012, CCC General Meeting.

Club President **Fred D.** called our meeting to order at 7:26 PM with 45 people in attendance including 5 youths. Fred announced that food was served. **Dorothy G.-C.**, **Al L.**, and **Katherine R.** helped with set-up and boiled the hot dogs and Polish sausages. **Al L.** brought the hot dogs, Polish sausages, and buns. **Alice and Tom K.** brought egg

rolls. **Betty H. and Dan B.** brought many desserts. **Fred D.** brought sodas, ice, chips, buns, and condiments. **Wayne C.** washed pots and pans for us.

President **Fred D.** called our meeting back to order at 8:01 PM. Fred welcomed everyone.

Our club auction followed with **Ken B.** as our auctioneer, and **Drake L.** and **Brennan L.** as our youth runners.

Drake L. drew our winning Buyer's Prize ticket.

Buyer's Prize: **Shawn C.** (Indian Head nickel 2011 1-oz. copper medal)

Announcements followed. **Lyle Okamoto** announced the upcoming Fremont Coin Club 40th Annual Coin Show on Saturday and Sunday, July 28-29, 2012. Lyle has All-Gold Drawing tickets available for that show. Lyle also reminded everyone of our CCC/SJCC Annual Joint Picnic on Saturday, July 21, 2012, at Las Palmas Park, Sunnyvale. **Don P.** announced that the cash discount over credit payments at gas stations may start to show up at restaurants and other retailers. **Keith S.** announced that the Liberty Seated Collector's Club is issuing a medal. Keith also mentioned that HR5977 to strengthen the Hobby Protection Act has bipartisan support. **Fred D.** announced the upcoming local coin shows.

Our guest introduced himself. **Glen** attended his first CCC meeting tonight. He is interested in selling some of his coins.

Steve K. drew our winning Attendance Prize ticket.

Attendance Prize: **Don B.** (2008-D Satin Finish James Monroe, Pos. B, PCGS MS-68)

President **Fred D.** wished Happy Birthday to our July birthday members. **Tom K.** picked number 2 (of 2) for our Birthday Prize winner.

Birthday Prize: **Steve W.** (15th Presidency bronze Mint medal)

Harold Woron introduced Show and Tell with 17 presenters.

Ed S.	\$20 notes
John M.	coins
Keith S.	1982 coin market article
Harold W.	1832 half cent EF-45, 2012 Choco culture quarter
Gary	Edward the Confessor penny, 1042-1066
Lyle Okamoto	1966 Kennedy half, doubled-die obverse
Martha D.	1963 Franklin half, PCGS MS-65
Richard S.	War Savings Bonds information and certificates
Dan S.	Mauna Loa Volcano elevation marker
Fred D.	2012 Olympic medals
Shawn C.	new coins that he received
Karl J.	elongated Lincoln cents
Bill Hu.	1937 Proof-66 Mercury dime for a 1937 Proof Set, \$500 bill obtained at a San Carlos Bank of America
Ken B.	Lear Fan Jet First Flight Medal December 1980
Al L.	birthday gift - 2011 5-oz. Glacier National Park NGC MS-69
Don P.	visited Leavesden Aerodrome (London) where Harry Potter movie sets are on display, Gringott's coins, Warner Bros. medal, British 1797 2-pence
Howard W.	Queen Victoria Golden Jubilee 1897 silver medal

Aaron H. picked our winning Show and Tell Prize ticket.

Show and Tell Prize: **Harold W.** (Buffalo nickel 2011 1-oz. copper medal)

A break was called. **Martha D.** sold drawing tickets on behalf of our club. During the break, three youths participated in our Youth Drawing.

Last month, **Karl J.** donated a Seated Liberty dime ANACS MS-60 details, scratched to our club.

Drawing Time. **Don P.** drew our first two winning tickets.

1. **Gary**
2. **John M.**
3. **John M.**
4. **Dan S.**
5. **Martha D.**

6. Al L.
7. Martha D.

Grand Prize: **Joe M.** (1886 Seated Liberty dime, ANACS MS-60 details, scratched)

Our meeting adjourned at 9:51 PM.

Recap of the CCC/SJCC Picnic on July 21, 2012

Our CCC/SJCC 2012 Annual Joint Picnic took place at noon on Saturday, July 21, 2012, at Las Palmas Park, 850 Russett Drive, Sunnyvale. There were 36 people in attendance (34 adults and two kids). There was a total of 39 people signed-up for our picnic. Lunch started at 12:15 PM.

Fred D. and Keith S. were our cooks. We had hamburgers, foot-long sausages, chicken breasts, buns, beans, potato salad, coleslaw, chips, grapes, ice cream sandwiches, frozen fruit bars, sodas, water, and more. **Peggy G. and Gordon S.** brought pasta salad. **Betty H. and Dan B.** brought a case of Safeway chocolate cookies. **Martha D.** donated six Indian Head cents in 2X2's for our picnic prizes.

Fred D. handed out picnic prize tickets. **Lyle Okamoto** drew our first ticket and announced our winners. The winners were:

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| Betty H. | 1969-S 40% silver Kennedy half, proof |
| Linda G. | 1968 U.S. Proof Set |
| Michael J. | 1969 U.S. Proof Set |
| Don B. | 1944 Mercury dime, Ch. BU |
| Chuck C. | 1930-S Standing Liberty quarter |
| Don P. | 1929 Standing Liberty quarter |
| Suzy T. | 1929-S Standing Liberty quarter |
| Don E. | 1912 Barber quarter |
| Gordon S. | 1916 Barber quarter |
| Ron Ik. | 1958-D Washington quarter, BU |
| Steve K. | 1977 U.S. Mint Set |
| Howard W. | 1915-D Barber quarter |
| Mrs. T. | 1986 commemorative half in box |
| Martha D. | 1976 U.S. Mint Set |
| Peggy G. | 1976-S 40% silver Kennedy half, BU |
| Briita E. | 1936-S Washington quarter |
| Dorothy G.-C. | 1930 Standing Liberty quarter |
| Joe M. | 1927 Standing Liberty quarter |
| Dan B. | 1978 U.S. Mint Set |
| Julia B. | 1987 U.S. Proof Set |
| Lois J. | 1936-D Washington quarter |
| Steve T. | 1978 U.S. Mint Set |
| David T. | Indian Head cent |
| Allison P. | Indian Head cent |
| Mike R. | 2009 Lincoln cent and Type 2 cent planchet |
| Fred D. | 1984 U.S. Mint Set |
| Harold W. | Indian Head cent |
| Alex T. | Indian Head cent |
| Richard T. | 1987 U.S. Proof Set |
| Lyle Okamoto | Indian Head cent |
| Keith S. | Indian Head cent |
| Alexia R. | 1978 U.S. Mint Set |
| Mario M. | 2009 Lincoln cent and Type 2 cent planchet |
| Bill S. | 2009 Lincoln cent and Type 2 cent planchet |
| Dan S. | 2009 Lincoln cent and Type 2 cent planchet |

Recap of our Wednesday, July 18, 2012, CCC Board Meeting.

- President: Fred D.
 Vice President: Emile M.
 Treasurer: Gary

Recording Secretary: Lyle Okamoto
Historian: Harold W.
Board Members (4): Martha D., Steve K., Allison P., and Howard W.

Club President **Fred D.** called our meeting to order at 7:32 PM. Fred welcomed everyone. There were nine board members and no guests present.

Recording Secretary **Lyle Okamoto** reported nothing new.

Corresponding Secretary **Al L.** was on vacation.

Treasurer **Gary** gave the Treasurer's Report. All is well.

Historian **Harold W.** reported nothing new.

Curator **Gary** reported nothing new.

Program Chair **Emile M.** announced that August will feature our Beauty and the Beast Contest and speaker **Harold W.** presenting his talk, "Time Travelling". September will be our SeptemberFest Party.

Membership Chair **Al L.** was still on vacation.

Coin Press Editor **Allison P.** reported that all was good.

Co-Web Master **Steve K.** spoke with Harold W. about our club web site.

Youth Advisor **Gary** reported that three youths participated in our Youth Drawing at our July 2012 meeting. The kids were happy.

Picnic Chair **Lyle Okamoto** reported that 36 people have signed-up so far (35 adults and one kid). There will be enough prizes so that everyone who attends our CCC/SJCC Annual Joint Picnic on Saturday, July 21, 2012, will receive something. Lyle noted that SJCC Picnic Chair **Keith S.** was aware that 36 people have signed-up.

Banquet Chair **Gary** announced that our CCC 28th Annual Awards Banquet will be held on Sunday, October 21, 2012, at the Blue Pheasant Restaurant, 22100 Stevens Creek Boulevard, Cupertino. Social hour begins at 5 PM, and we eat at 6 PM. Order blanks should be available by our next meeting.

Medals Chair **Gary** has the photo proof of our club die from Masterpiece Medallions. Gary has approved the die. Our medal order for 2013 will be:

65 silver, 0.999 fine

225 brilliant bronze

225 oxidized bronze

70 bright copper

The prices will be \$35 for each silver medal and \$7 for each bronze medal with two show drawing tickets.

Old Business: **Fred D.** spoke with **Keith S.** this morning. **Fred D. and Keith S.** will be our picnic cooks. Fred will get to Las Palmas Park at about 9 AM. Fred will bring soft drinks. Keith estimated we should have about four drinks per person. Lyle Okamoto was appointed as our official taste tester.

Scott G.'s new Santa Clara Expo was discussed. Scott was apparently agreeable to everything that we have done in the past at Santa Clara Expo. Scott will provide our show drawing tickets and provide \$250 toward exhibit awards. Scott was unclear about providing our club with an honorarium.

For the Santa Clara Expo drawing, the prizes will be one \$2.50 gold, one one-tenth ounce gold Eagle, and ten silver Eagles. Gary will get the prizes. Our drawing will take place at 2 PM on Sunday, August 19, 2012.

Fred D. will get people to sign-up for the front desk. **Gary** indicated that he will be unable to be at the front desk. Someone will have to bring the large ticket drum for our drawing. Gary asked if Scott G. will provide our club members at the front desk with badges. Fred will ask Scott about this.

Action Item: **Fred D.** will call **Al L.** to set-up the front desk.

New Business: **Harold W.** noted that both Cupertino Coin Club and San Jose Coin Club had Hot Dog Nights in the same month. Harold suggested that one club should move Hot Dog Night to a different month or switch to Taco Night. That way, we will not get too many hot dogs.

Show Business: **Gary** thought that we should increase our bourse fees. There was no increase last year. Gary moved to increase our bourse fees by \$10/table (with the

same discount for corner tables and those with two or more tables). Martha D. seconded. The motion passed.

Gary will have to buy flips this year. Our show prizes, printing costs, etc. will be higher next year. Higher bourse fees will give us a cushion against higher hall rental at Napredak Hall.

Gary motioned to adjourn. Martha D. seconded. Our meeting adjourned at 8:14 PM.

Please note this month's board meeting (Wednesday, August 15, 2012, at 7:30 PM) will be at the same McDonald's at 5122 Stevens Creek Boulevard at Lawrence.

Here are some closing prices on Monday, August 6, 2012.

Gold: \$1613.10/troy ounce	Copper: \$3.3929/pound	Euro = US\$1.2408
Silver: \$27.96/troy ounce	Australian dollar = US\$1.0587	Swiss franc = US\$1.0334
Platinum: \$1400.00/troy ounce	Canadian dollar = US\$0.9956	100 Japanese yen = US\$1.28
Palladium: \$576.00/troy ounce	British pound = US\$1.5629	10 Mexican pesos = US\$0.765

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Upcoming Northern California Coin Shows

Sunday, August 12, 2012. **Fairfield Coin Club 23rd Annual Coin and Collectibles Show.** Fairfield Community Center, Willow Room, 1000 East Kentucky Street off Pennsylvania Avenue, Fairfield. 9 AM - 4 PM. Admission \$1. Children under 12 are FREE! FREE parking!

Friday through Sunday, August 17-19, 2012. **Santa Clara Coin & Collectibles Show.** Santa Clara Convention Center, 5001 Great America Parkway, Santa Clara. Friday and Saturday, 10 AM - 6 PM. Sunday 10 AM - 4 PM. Admission \$6. \$2 off admission with coupon. FREE parking! Go to www.GriffinCoin.com for more information.

Sunday, September 16, 2012. **Livermore Valley Coin Club 2nd Fall Coin Show.** Elk's Lodge, 940 Larkspur Drive, Livermore. 10 AM - 5 PM. FREE admission! FREE parking!

Saturday and Sunday, October 13-14, 2012. **Diablo Numismatic Society 16th Annual Contra Costa Coin & Collectibles Show.** Crowne Plaza Hotel, 45 John Glenn Drive, Concord. Saturday 10 AM - 5:30 PM. Sunday 10 AM - 4 PM. Admission \$3 (good for both days). Children under 12 are FREE! FREE parking! FREE drawings! Go to www.DiabloCoinClub.org for more information.

Saturday and Sunday, October 20-21, 2012. **Delta Coin Club 48th Annual Coin Show.** Eagles Hall, 1492 Bourbon Street, Stockton. Saturday 10 AM - 5 PM. Sunday 10 AM - 4 PM. FREE admission! FREE parking!

Saturday and Sunday, October 27-28, 2012. **Fresno Numismatic Society 46th Annual Coin Show.** Las Palmas Masonic Center, 2992 E. Clinton Avenue, Fresno. Saturday 10 AM - 5 PM. Sunday 10 AM - 4 PM. FREE door prize drawings every hour! Admission \$2.

Sunday, November 4, 2012. **Peninsula Coin Club 33rd Annual Coins and Collectibles Show.** Napredak Hall, 770 Montague Expressway, San Jose. 10 AM - 5 PM. FREE admission! FREE parking!

Sunday, February 17, 2013. Cupertino Coin Club 41st Annual Coin Show.
Napredak Hall, 770 Montague Expressway, San Jose. 10 AM - 5 PM.
Admission \$2. Kids under 18 are FREE! FREE parking!