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Upcoming Meetings & Events

- Friday, August 10
 7:30 pm
 General Meeting
 Speaker: Don Pa. on the
 Fundamentals of Grading US
 Coins
- Wednesday, August 15
 7:30 pm
 Board Meeting
 Rm. 7
- Saturday, August 18
 12 noon
 CCC/SJCC Joint Club Picnic
 Las Palmas Park, Sunnyvale
- Friday, September 14 7:00 pm General Meeting SeptemberFest!!

Cupertino Coin Club meets at St Joseph of Cupertino Catholic Church in the Community Center. The church is located at 10110 North DeAnza Blvd. in Cupertino. Meetings feature an auction, show & tell, speaker or presentation, and a drawing. Refreshments are served.

Guests & youth are welcome!!

The Picnic is Coming! Last Call for Reservations!

After a few years hiatus, the joint Cupertino Coin Club/San Jose Coin Club Picnic is back. The date is set for Saturday, August 18 from noon to whenever. The picnic will again be at Las Palmas Park, located at 850 Russett Drive in Sunnyvale. Come for the food and fellowship; stay for the prizes! Adults plus 2 guests are \$3 each. Additional guests are \$5 each. Kids are free. In order to have an accurate headcount to buy the food, all reservation forms are due by August 10 (the date of our general meeting). Mailed reservation forms must be postmarked by August 10. Please note that if you write a check for your reservation, you should make the check out to San Jose Coin Club. You can either mail the form to San Jose Coin Club's PO Box or bring it to a Cupertino or San

Jose Coin Club meeting. Hope to see you there!!!

Hot Dog Night!

Our July meeting featured one of our yummy hot dog and polish sausages night. Vice President Suzy T. led the meeting in absence of President Emile M. Special thanks go to those who helped make dinner or brought something to share: Greg J and Lisa L. cooked all the hot dogs and sausages for us. Fred and Martha D., Allison Paker, Linda G., Harold W., all brought something to go with our dinner. Thanks to everyone else who brought something that I missed.

Don Pa. to Speak at August Meeting

Our meeting on Friday will feature Don Pa. speaking on "Fundamentals of Grading US Coins". Don is a long time CCC member and attended the Fundamentals of Grading US Coins seminar at the Santa Clara Expo in April. He would now like to pass some of the knowledge from that seminar to us so this promises to be a very informative talk.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Here's what our calendar looks like for the year:

September 14- SeptemberFest with Togo's Sandwiches; please be aware that the Board Meeting for September has been moved to the fourth Wednesday instead of the usual third Wednesday. The Board Meeting will be held on September 26.

October- Youth Night with Youth President Griffin Goza presiding. The speaker will be Michael S. Turrini on "What's in the Box?"

November- Brian Daniels will be speaking on "Certified US Type Currency Notes 1880-1963

December- Christmas Celebration. Please note the schedule change for the December General meeting. It will be on the third Friday of December instead of the second. The date is December 21.

We Have a Date for the Show!

After a few trepidatious months about where and when our 2019 show would be, we finally have a date and place. Our show will be on Sunday, February 17, 2019 right here at St. Joseph's Church. We will be in the gym where we had one of our meetings a few years ago. It's a nice large space like Napradek Hall is and includes a kitchen for lunch. Many thanks to Al Lo for securing us this location.

We always need helpers for the show, before and during so if there's anything you can do to help out, please see Show Chair Al Lo.

Dues are Due!

Dues are now past due for members. Remember our dues help pay for fun things like our Holiday Party and Banquet so be sure to stay current. Dues are only \$5 for adults and \$1 for youth 17 and under. To pay your dues, see Membership Chair Al Lo. Don't end up on Al's list!!

Happy Birthday!

Happy birthday cheers go to our August birthday members. Happy Birthday, Betty H., Alvin K., Madison Lo-N., Rita M., Allison Paker, Keith S., Jessica S., Nathan S., Richard Sh., Mike W., Richard W., and Granville G. IV!!!

Prices from August 5, 2018

Gold: \$1212.80/troy ounce Silver: \$15.43/troy ounce Platinum: \$832.00/troy ounce Palladium: \$908.00/troy ounce Copper: \$2.7615/pound Australian dollar=US\$0.7393 Canadian dollar=US\$0.7690 British pound=US\$1.3008 Euro=US\$1.1560 Swiss franc=US\$1.0057 100 Japanese yen=US\$0.90 10 Mexican pesos=US\$0.537

Recent & Upcoming Mint Releases!

- August 14- American Eagle 2018 One-Ounce Silver Proof Coin
- August 16- George Washington Silver Presidential Medal
- **August 16** John Adams Silver Presidential Medal
- **August 27** Cumberland Island National Seashore (GA) 2018 Rolls & Bags
- August 30- Cumberland Island National Seashore (GA) 2018 Five-Ounce Silver Uncirculated Coin
- **September 6** American Eagle 2018 One Ounce Palladium Proof Coin
- September 13- Cumberland
 Island National Seashore (GA)
 2018 Quarter Three-Coin Set

Dates are subject to change

Recaps of the July 13, 2018 General Meeting and July 18, 2018 Board meeting were not received by press time.

UPCOMING COIN SHOWS!

AUGUST

• ANA World's Fair of Money

Tuesday, August 14 1-5:30
Wednesday, August 15 10-5:30
Thursday, August 16 10-5:30
Friday, August 17 10-5:30
Saturday, August 18 10-4
Pennsylvania Convention
Center
1101 Arch St., Philadelphia, PA
\$8 general; free to ANA members

Fairfield Coin Club's 29th Annual Coin & Collectibles Show

Sunday, August 12 9-4
Fairfield Community Center
Willow Hall
1000 Kentucky St., Fairfield
\$1 or free with any ad
Gold & silver drawing
Door Prize Drawing

SEPTEMBER

• Long Beach Coin, Stamp, and Currency Expo

Thurday, September 6 10-7 Friday, September 7 10-7 Saturday, September 8 10-5 Long Beach Convention Center 100 S Pine Ave., Long Beach \$8 general; \$4 club members

• Livermore Valley Coin Club's Annual Fall Show

Sunday, September 9 10-4 Elk's Lodge 940 Larkspur Dr., Livermore Free Hourly drawing!

Northern California Numismatic Association 5th Annual California Numismatic Seminar

James H. Laird Memorial Seminar

Saturday, September 15, 2018 Registration begins at 8:30 am Vallejo Naval and Historical Museum 734 Marin at Capital, Vallejo FREE! Includes free admission to the museum Theme: Why Collect These? Speakers: Scott E. Douglas- Hudson Bay Medals and Tokens Dr. David S. Goya- Panama-Pacific International Exposition 1915 Scott D. Griffin- What a Coin Dealer Collects

William E. Hyder- So-Called

Dollars of the Western State

Expositions

• Santa Clara CoinExpo

Friday, September 21 10-6 Saturday, September 22 10-5 Sunday, September 23 10-4 Santa Clara Convention Center 5001 Great America Pkwy., Santa Clara \$6; \$2 off with coupon; good all three days

OCTOBER

• Diablo Numismatic Society Contra Costa Coin & Collectibles Show

Friday, October 12 1:30-6
Saturday, October 13 10-6
Sunday, October 14 10-4
Elk's Lodge
1475 Creekside Dr., Walnut
Creek
\$3 admission for all days
\$1 off with flier
Children 12 and under free
Free drawings!
Prizes!