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Upcoming Meetings & Events

- Friday, August 9
7:30 pm
Beauty & the Beast Contest
Speaker: Don Pa. on Filling the Holes
- Saturday, August 10
12 noon
CCC/SJCC Picnic
Las Palmas Park, Sunnyvale
- Wednesday, August 21
7:30 pm
Rm. 11
Board meeting
- Friday, September 20
7:00 pm
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!!**

July was Hot Dog Night!

Our July meeting featured another one of our delicious Hot Dog and Polish Sausage dinners. We got to dine on hot dogs, polishes, chips, salads, and yummy desserts. Thanks to Greg J. for cooking our hot dogs and polishes. Thanks also to everyone else who helped out or brought something for everyone to share.

Thanks Harold!

A big thank you goes to Historian Harold W. for his talk at the July meeting on Who's That? Harold presented the stories of six of the people who have appeared on US currency throughout the years. His talk included John Sherman who is known for the Sherman Anti-Trust Act, Charles Sumner who founded the Free Soil Party, and General Skinner who came up with the idea for fractional currency and appears on the fractional fifty cent bill. Thanks again Harold!

It's Picnic Time Again!

I hope everyone got their reservation form in for the Cupertino & San Jose Coin Clubs' Joint Picnic. Saturday, August 10 we will meet at Las Palmas Park in Sunnyvale to enjoy cheeseburgers, hot dogs, chips, sodas, and dessert.

Here are some notes to be aware of for the picnic. It was decided that while the picnic starts at noon and goes to whenever, our cooks will stop cooking at 1pm. To get the hottest and freshest food, be sure to get there by 1pm. Also, we will be having a drawing for prizes. You will receive a drawing ticket when you arrive at the picnic. You must be present to receive a ticket and to receive a prize if your ticket is drawn.

Beauty & the Beast at August Meeting!

Along with Don Pa. speaking on "Filling the Holes", our August meeting will be the annual Beauty and the Beast contest. Bring in your prettiest and ugliest numismatic examples and enter them into the contest. You never know- you may have the best of the best and the best of the worst!

2019 Dues are Due!

Dues are now past due for 2019 for members. Your dues were due on April 1, 2019. 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., Mariaelena J., Jessica Sh., Nathan Sh., Richard Sh., Mike W., Richard W., Granville G. IV, Edwin McG.!!!

Minutes from the July 12 General Meeting and July 17 Board Meeting were not received by press time.

Upcoming Shows!

AUGUST

- **30th Annual Fairfield Coin & Collectibles Show**

Sunday, August 18, 2019 9-4

Fairfield Community Center, Willow Room, 1000 Kentucky St.

\$2; \$1 off with coupon

Gold & silver drawing! Door Prizes!

SEPTEMBER

- **Santa Clara CoinExpo 2019**

Friday, September 13 10-6

Saturday, September 14 10-5

Sunday, September 15 10-4

Santa Clara Convention Center, 5001 Great America Pkwy

\$6; good all three days; \$2 off with coupon

- **CSNA/NCNA Northern California Numismatics Forum**

Saturday, September 14 Registration starts at 8:30 am

Vallejo Naval and Historical Museum Heritage Theatre

Free admission to forum and museum

Door Prizes!

Theme: Transportation Numismatics

With Speakers: Geoffrey Bell on Banks on Wheels

Jeffrey L Shevlin on So-Called Dollars with Transportation Theme

Kyle W Lubke on Transit of Ancient Coins

Matthew L Malvini on San Francisco Transit Tokens in 1906

Prices from August 5, 2019

Gold: \$1450.60/troy ounce

Silver: \$16.46/troy ounce

Platinum: \$856.00/troy ounce

Palladium: \$1403.00/troy ounce

Copper: \$2.5574/pound

Australian dollar=US\$0.6764

Canadian dollar=US\$0.7570

British pound=US\$1.2162

Euro=US\$1.1220

Swiss franc=US\$1.0291

100 Japanese yen=US\$0.95

10 Mexican pesos=US\$0.507

Recent & Upcoming Mint Releases!

- **August 6-** American Eagle 2019 One Ounce Silver Proof Coin

- **August 7-** Apollo 11 50th Anniversary 2019 Proof Silver Dollar & Kennedy-Apollo 11 Intaglio Print

- **August 7-** Apollo 11 50th Anniversary 2019 Proof \$5 Gold Coin & Kennedy-Apollo 11 Intaglio Print

- **August 8-** Monroe Silver Presidential Medal

- **August 15-** American Liberty 2019 High Relief Gold Coin or Silver Medal

- **August 26-** San Antonio Mission National Historical Park 2019 Bags & Rolls

Dates are subject to change