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## Upcoming Meetings & Events

- Friday, January 14  
In-person & online general meeting  
Speaker: Kevin A. on "San Francisco Coinage and Early California History"
- Wednesday, January 19  
Online board meeting
- Friday, February 11  
In-person & online general meeting  
Speaker: Joe M. on "Fitzgerald Hoard"
- Wednesday, February 16  
Online board meeting

Cupertino Coin Club will have their general meetings online over Zoom and in person at St. Joseph's Church of Cupertino, located at 10110 N De Anza Blvd in Cupertino. All meetings start at 7:30 pm. Meetings feature an auction, show & tell, and drawings plus a speaker or presentation.

**Guests & youth are  
welcome!!**

## Come to the January Meeting!

It's our first meeting of the year! Our January meeting will be held at the church as well as online so we hope you can join either way. Kevin A will be speaking on "San Francisco Coinage and Early California History".

For everyone's safety at the church meeting, masks must be worn at all times. Proof of vaccination must also be shown. A list will be generated so you will not have to show proof at every meeting or event.

We will have the meeting available over Zoom for those who are unable to attend in person. Below are the meeting log in details:

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Dial-In Only

+REDACTED (San Jose)

Meeting ID: REDACTED

Password: REDACTED

## Mahalo Michael!

from Al Lo

Life Member Michael S. Turrini generously donated \$100.00 to CCC In Memoriam / In Remembrance / In Memory / In Tribute for the late KATHERINE RAY. This is an unrestricted donation that will be enjoyed by all Club members. Thank You Michael!

## 2021 Silver Club Medal Now Available!

by: Suzy Tr.

This year's medal was designed by our club Vice President, Suzy Tr. The design is of the Calvin C. Flint Center for Performing Arts at DeAnza College in Cupertino, CA. The Flint Center was the campus venue for Broadway shows, ballet performances, celebrity & author talks, orchestral concerts.

This medal is 1 ounce of 0.999 fine silver. Don't miss your opportunity to own one of these beautiful medals for \$35, shipping extra. See Order Form attached to this newsletter.

## Dues Update for 2022-2023

from Emile M.

It's that time of year again. Dues for the 2022-2023 year are due on or before April 1, 2022 for your continued membership. Dues were last updated in January 2000 to \$5 for adults. Now almost 22 years later during the December CCC Board Meeting, the directors decided it is time to increase our annual dues. For adults, it is now \$12 per year (or \$1 per month average), and for youth, it is now \$6 per year (or 50 cents per month average). The new dues rate was effective as of the December board meeting.

To pay your dues, mail your check today to the club's PO Box address (Cupertino Coin Club, PO Box 448, Cupertino CA 95015-0448) or email the club Vice President at [cupertinocoinclub@gmail.com](mailto:cupertinocoinclub@gmail.com) for instructions on how to pay electronically through PayPal. (Do not attempt to PayPal to the club email address directly; it won't work.) Thank you!

## Discounted ANA Membership!

from Suzy Tr.

The American Numismatic Association is offering a \$5 one-year gold membership, or upgrade to platinum membership for \$20. Benefits include a subscription to The Numismatist magazine, free admission to all ANA shows, outstanding online resources (videos, blogs, virtual exhibits, & webinars), and exclusive hobby-related discounts. Don't delay; the deadline was extended until January 31, 2022. Find the form at the end of this newsletter! Please be sure to use this version that lists Cupertino Coin Club as the sponsoring organization.

## Happy Birthday!

Happy birthday cheers go to our January birthday members. Happy Birthday, Dan Br., Suzy Tr., Linda Gr., Bill Hu., Ray J., and Mike R.!!!

## VNS & FCC Joint Christmas Party

from Suzy Tr.

Nine members of Cupertino Coin Club, including three Officers (President Gran G IV, Vice President Suzy T, Treasurer Emile M, Steve T, Bill H, Scott G, Bill S, Michael T, & Don H), some of whom drove the 80 miles to Vallejo yesterday to be among the 100 or so attendees at the Joint Christmas Party hosted by Vallejo Numismatic Society (VNS) & Fairfield Coin Club (FCC). It was a

## Prices from

### January 10, 2022

Gold: \$1789.80/troy ounce  
Silver: \$22.55/troy ounce  
Platinum: \$950.00/troy ounce  
Palladium: \$1849.00/troy ounce  
Copper: \$4.3315/pound  
Australian dollar=US\$0.7186  
Canadian dollar=US\$0.7903  
British pound=US\$1.3593  
Euro=US\$1.1344  
Swiss franc=US\$1.0794  
100 Japanese yen=US\$0.87  
10 Mexican pesos=US\$0.491

## UPCOMING SHOWS!

### • East Bay Coin Show

Friday, January 14, 2022 10-6  
Saturday, January 15, 2022 10-5  
The Clarion Hotel  
1050 Burnett Ave., Concord

### • CoinExpo San Jose

Friday, February 4 10am-6pm  
Saturday, February 5 10am-5pm  
DoubleTree Hotel, San Jose  
\$6; good for both days  
\$2 off admission by printing  
show listing at [griffincoin.com](http://griffincoin.com)

### • Redwood Empire Coin Club 53rd Annual Coin Show

Friday, February 11 10-6  
Saturday, February 12 10-4  
E.L. Finley Bldg Sonoma County  
Fairgrounds  
1350 Bennett Valley Rd., Santa  
Rosa  
\$5; print flyer at  
[redwoodempirecoinclub.com](http://redwoodempirecoinclub.com) for  
a chance to win the door prize!

wonderful event with delicious food and a really enjoyable evening. The Mistress of Ceremonies was American Numismatic Association (ANA) Executive Director Kim Kiick, from Colorado Springs, CO. She is warm and approachable with a good sense of humor. Kim discussed with Suzy growing the hobby at the local level, particularly with youth, our club's successful BSA Coin Collecting Merit Badge Workshops, and a hybrid of the workshop that another club is offering with a combination of online and in-person during these challenging times of COVID-19. Kim invited our Officers to visit the ANA headquarters to attend their famous Summer Seminar at the end of June and encouraged us to consider running for the ANA's Board of Governors next November. We exchanged contact information and plan to keep in touch.

Thank you Michael Turrini for putting together this annual holiday event and inviting us! Wishing all a memorable holiday season with friends and family, and best wishes for the new year!



*Photo of CCC Vice President Suzy Tr with ANA Executive Director Kim Kiick, taken by Gran G IV.*

## Minutes from the General Meeting on December 10, 2021

### by: Lyle Okamoto

- Club President Gran G. IV called our December in-person general meeting to order at 7:41 p.m. and welcomed everyone. Gran was our moderator on the Zoom platform. Griffin G. checked-in everyone for vaccinations, handed out Attendance Prize tickets and was our Zoom cameraperson. There were 26 people in physical attendance.
- Announcements followed. Lyle Okamoto announced the upcoming coin shows, including: Scott Griffin's SF International Numismatic Bourse on Saturday, December 11, 2021; Bill Green's East Bay/Concord Coin Show on Friday and Saturday, January 14-15, 2022; Scott Griffin's CoinExpo on Friday and Saturday, February 4-5, 2022; Redwood Empire Coin Club 53rd Annual Coin Show on Friday and Saturday, February 11-12, 2022; and Long Beach Expo on Thursday through Saturday, February 17-19, 2022.
- Emile M. announced that we had our 2021 CCC club medals and our silver club medals were for sale. Emile also mentioned that the ANA has a special \$5 membership deal through December 31, 2021.
- Keith S. announced that the California Historical Radio Society has its Radio Day on the Bay on December 18, 2021, on the flight deck of the U.S.S. Hornet.
- Matthew M. conducted our club auction, Emile M. was our auction chair and Gran G. IV and Tarun A. were our runners.
- Tarun A. drew our winning Buyer's Prize ticket.  
Buyer's Prize: Don Pa. (1/10-oz. silver Mercury dime medal)
- We wished Happy Birthday to our December birthday members. Martha D., Aidan L., Matthew M. and Lyle Okamoto were in attendance.
- Ed Gunther picked our Birthday Prize winner.  
Birthday Prize: Aidan L. (Sagittarius 0.999 fine 1-oz. copper round)
- Harold W. introduced Show and Tell. There were fifteen presenters, including:
  - a) Bob B.- dos reales trade token
  - b) Ken B.- New Jersey Civil War token
  - c) Don Pa.- Howard F. Bowker medal
  - d) Matthew M.- pressed penny
  - e) Stephen M.- Disney dollars
  - f) Emile M.- Scotland, Robert II groat
  - g) David G.- PPIE original box
- h) Martha D.- 1907 gold \$10 Liberty
- i) Ed S.- 1854 gold \$20 Liberty
- j) Aidan L.- National Park coins
- k) Keith S.- pattern 1870 silver dollar
- l) Howard Wh.- QEII coronation book and medal
- m) Bill Hu.- 1944-S Lincoln Wheet cent, MS-67RD none finer
- n) Josh S.- slabbed coin
- o) Tarun A.- State Quarters album
- For their participation in Show and Tell, youth presenters Aidan L. received a 2014 CCC copper medal and Tarun A. received a 1943 steel cent.
- Aidan L.'s mom Pauline St. drew our winning Show and Tell Prize ticket.  
Show and Tell Prize: Don Pa. (1986 CCC golden bronze medal)
- Matthew W. drew our winning Attendance Prize ticket.  
Attendance Prize: Keith S. (Saint-Gaudens 0.999 fine 1-oz. copper round)
- Josh S. gave his interesting presentation on "Lincoln Cents."
- The three youths in attendance received Christmas gifts of a bag of world coins and a \$1 Silver Certificate.
- President Gran G. IV adjourned our general meeting at 9:02 p.m.

# Minutes from the Online Board Meeting on December 15, 2021

## by: Lyle Okamoto

• We had a Zoom video conference tonight. Gran G. IV was our moderator.

President: Gran G. IV

Vice President: Suzanne Tr.

Treasurer: Emile M.

Recording Secretary: Lyle Okamoto

Corresponding Secretary: Al Lo

Historian: Harold W.

Board Members (3): Granville G. V, Joe M. and Don Pa.

Bourse Chair: Brian D.

• Club President Gran G. IV called our December Zoom board meeting to order at 7:34 p.m. and welcomed everyone. There were ten board members and chairs in attendance.

• Recording Secretary Lyle Okamoto apologized for the late minutes and reported nothing new.

• Corresponding Secretary Al Lo received a club medals order and a SJCC check for our CCC-SJCC Joint Picnic.

• Treasurer Emile M. gave the Treasurer's Report. All was well. A discussion ensued about membership applications and payments.

• Historian Harold W. took one screen shot of Josh S.'s presentation, "Lincoln Cents."

• Curator Emile M. reported nothing new.

• Program Chair Suzanne Tr. reviewed our upcoming club

events.

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Friday, March 11, 2022 club elections

• Membership Chair Al Lo noted that we already covered it.

• Webmaster Suzanne Tr. posted one thing, updated the link to our club medals order form, uploaded our redacted December newsletter and posted our January 2022 meeting.

• Facebook Chair Suzanne Tr. reported 238 likes (5 new likes) and 279 follows. Suzanne posted our meetings from January to April 2022, the ANA \$5 membership offer, a picture with ANA Executive Director Kimberly S. Kiick and a link to our December newsletter. Harold W. contributed a couple of posts.

• Youth Advisor Emile M. reported three youths were at our December general meeting. Each youth received a December gift of a bag of world coins and a \$1 Silver Certificate.

• Nominating Chair Emile M. meets with the nominating committee in the next couple of weeks.

• Old Business: A discussion ensued about Togo's Night at Gran G. IV's church. January 14 was full, but February 11 was available.

• New Business: Emile M. moved that starting with the 2022 dues, no matter when they are paid, the dues shall be \$12/year for adults and \$6/year for youths, effective after the vote. Suzanne Tr. seconded. A discussion ensued. The motion passed.

Harold W. moved that if a person wants to become a life member, they can at the old rate until March 31, 2022, after which the new rate will take effect. Al Lo seconded. There were three in favor and seven opposed. The motion failed to carry. Harold commented that he did not think dues should be raised so quickly by board vote.

Suzanne Tr. said that we should get a tax ID (EIN) for our club. A discussion ensued. A committee will gather more information.

• Show Business: Brian D. noted that Gran's church was ideal, but in order to get the cheap rate of \$50/hour, we needed to be a non-profit.

Joe M. will try next week to talk with St. Joseph's Church. Joe mentioned that the church was still not holding BINGO.

• Action Item: Emile M. will write an article for Coin Press Editor Allison P. about raising our dues.

• President Gran G. IV asked for a motion. Al Lo seconded. President Gran G. IV adjourned our Zoom board meeting at 8:58 p.m.

Order early to guarantee getting your medals. Medals sales are a major fundraiser for the club.

# CUPERTINO COIN CLUB

## 2021



### MEDAL ORDER FORM

You must be a member of the Cupertino Coin Club to order medals.

QUANTITY	MEDAL	MINTAGE	PRICE	\$	Rec'd
	Silver 1 oz. .999 Fine	75	\$35.00	\$	
	Shipping*		\$5.00	\$	
			TOTAL	\$	

\*Postage (if medal(s) to be mailed) \$5 each

**THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

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Attn: Medals Chair

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