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Upcoming Meetings & Events

- Friday, November 8
7:30 pm
General Meeting
Speaker: Harold W.
Topic: Currency Treasury Seals
Through the Years
- Wednesday, November 13
7:30 pm
CCC Board Meeting
McDonald's at 5122 Stevens
Creek Blvd. at Lawrence
- Wednesday, December 18
7:30 pm
CCC Board Meeting
- Friday, December 27
6:45 pm
General Meeting (note date)
Holiday Celebration- Togo's!

Cupertino Coin Club meets at West Valley Presbyterian Church in McHattie Hall. The church is located at 6191 Bollinger Avenue at Miller Avenue in Cupertino. Meetings feature an auction, show & tell, speaker or presentation, and a raffle. Refreshments are served at breaktime.

Youth are welcome!!

In Loving Memory- Karl F. Jagenburg

With heavy heart I write of the passing of Karl Jagenburg who died in mid-October. Karl was a member of CCC and SJCC. He always brought a positive attitude and friendly conversation to our meetings. I had the privilege of working with Karl in a fifth-grade classroom a few years ago. He greatly loved teaching children. Karl will be missed and our thoughts and prayers go out to his family at this time.

Great Job Brennan!

Our October Youth Night meeting was expertly led by Youth President Brennan L. We had several youth in attendance for the special night. Our November meeting will feature Historian Harold W. who will be speaking on Currency Treasury Seals Through the Years.

Congratulations to the Newlyweds!

Congratulations go out to Ron Ishizaki and Connie Michel on their recent wedding. Ron & Connie were married in South Lake Tahoe. They had family, friends, and fellow club members in attendance to celebrate the happy day with them. Congratulations and here's looking to many years together for the happy couple.

CCC's 29th Annual Banquet

Our 29th Annual Banquet was held on October 29. Over 40 people came to enjoy a delicious dinner and play fun games. Martha D. brought a candy-guessing game and Allison Paker brought a coin-guessing game. Don P. won the candy with his guess while President Emile M. won the coin jar. Mr. Michael S. Turrini bestowed upon King Lyle I the CSNA Presidents Medal. He also had an award for Mary R. for her contribution to the recent CSNA Symposium. Michael also presented Gordon Donnell Awards to Katherine R. and Gary. President Emile gave Michael a speaker's award. Emile then gave Presidential thank you awards to several members. The evening was concluded with many lively rounds of bingo where Chuck C. won the coveted blackout bingo.

award. A big thank you goes to Banquet Chair Gary for organizing and planning the banquet.

December Meeting Date Change

Our December meeting date has been changed due to an event at the church on our regular meeting day. The new date will be December 27. We will have our Holiday Party with Togo's. Please make a note on your calendar of the date change.

Are you on "The List"?

Dues are now past due for some members. Membership chair Al Lo has made a list of members who are behind in their dues. Remember our dues help pay for fun events like SeptemberFest and the Annual Banquet so it's important to stay current. Dues are only \$5 for adults and \$1 for youth. To pay your dues or double check you have paid, please see Al Lo. If anyone does not stay current with their dues, their name will be removed from the newsletter mailing list.

Happy Birthday!

Happy birthday cheers go to our November birthday members. Happy Birthday, Bryan L., Stephan L., Luran S., Li-Miin M., Mary Ann G., Mario M., Don E., Bruce B., and Wayne C.!!!!

Buy a T-Shirt

There are only a limited number of our Cupertino Coin Club T-shirts left. They are available in XL and cost the low price of 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.

CCC 2014 Medals are Now Available

Our 2014 medals are now ready for purchase. The medal features Greg J's winning Juan Bautista de Anza design. A silver medal is \$30. A golden bronze or antique bronze medal is \$7 and includes two drawing tickets to the drawing at our show in February. A copper medal is awarded free for each 10 tickets/5 bronze medals purchased for \$35. A medals form is included with this newsletter. Completed forms and payment may be turned into Medals Chair Gary or mailed to the address on the form. These medals are great collectibles and provide funds for many of our club activities so order early to make sure you get the medals you want.

Closing Prices from November 4, 2013

Gold: \$1310.70/troy ounce
Silver: \$21.69/troy ounce
Platinum: \$1449.00/troy ounce
Palladium: \$747.00/troy ounce
Copper: \$3.2336/pound
Australian dollar=US\$0.9506
Canadian dollar=US\$0.9596
British pound=US\$1.5957
Euro=US\$1.3508
Swiss franc=US\$1.0991
100 Japanese yen=US\$1.01
10 Mexican pesos=US\$0.769

Upcoming Mint Releases!

- **November 7-** ATB Five-Ounce Silver Uncirculated Coin- Mt. Rushmore National Memorial (SD)
- **November 12-** 2013 Woodrow Wilson \$1 Coin Cover
- **November 14-** 2013 United States Mint Annual Uncirculated Dollar Coin Set
- **November 14-** 2013 First Spouse Series One-Half Ounce Gold Proof Coin & Gold Uncirculated Coin- Ida McKinley
- **November 19-** ATB Quarters Three-Coin Set™ - Mt. Rushmore National Memorial (SD)
- **November 19-** 2013 US Mint Presidential \$1 Coin & First Spouse Medal Set™ - Woodrow Wilson

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Dates are subject to change

Recap of October 11, 2013 General Meeting

• Club Junior President Brennan L. called our meeting to order at 7:35 p.m. Brennan welcomed everyone to Youth Night. There were 44 people in attendance, including six youths.

• Ken B. expertly called our club auction, and Alex T. was our youth runner.

Harold W. drew our winning Buyer's Prize ticket.

Buyer's Prize: Martha D. (1800 Bust dollar 0.999 fine 1-oz. copper medal)

• Junior President Brennan L. asked if we had any guests at our meeting. Brennan's grandparents were in attendance.

• Announcements followed. Lyle Okamoto announced the Diablo Numismatic Society coin show and the Peninsula Coin Club coin show. Lyle also had drawing tickets for sale for the PCC show. Ed S. announced that Phil Solomon, one of our founding members, had passed away. We had a moment of silence. Ken B. announced that Connie Michel and Ron Ishizaki got married at Lake Tahoe on September 28, 2013. We had a moment of silence.

Brennan L. drew our winning Attendance Prize ticket.

Attendance Prize: Brennan L. (New Zealand, 1976, copper-nickel dollar, proof)

• We wished Happy Birthday to our only October birthday

member in attendance.

Birthday Prize: Pearl Lo (Pandas 0.999 fine 1-oz. copper medal)

• Harold W. asked Alex T. to help introduced Show and Tell. There were fifteen presenters, including:

a) Greg J.- 2000 gold coin from 27th Olympic Games in Sydney, Australia

b) Ed S.- 1670 piece of eight salvaged from Consolation

c) Lyle Okamoto- copper token and squishy toys acquired on Thursday

• Robert H.- Coin Star finds

• Ken B.- CCC 1975 banquet booklet

• Keith S.- books and found elongated cent

• Don Bu.- Cache Creek stuff

• Martha D.- new \$100 bill

• Ron K.- Chicago World's Fair elongated

• Harold W.- Russian rubles

• Gary- 2003 Thunder Valley hologram token

• Alex T.- Kai Yuan Bao copper coin

• Al Lo- "Numero Uno" medal

• George T.- 1799 Bust dollar, holed

• Howard W.- CA State Fair and Exposition large medals

For his Show and Tell participation, youth member Alex T. received a 1967 Kennedy half.

Brennan L. drew our winning

Show and Tell Prize ticket.

Show and Tell Prize: Harold W. (Black Eagle silver certificate 0.999 fine 1-oz. copper medal)

• A break was called. Martha D. sold drawing tickets on behalf of our club. During the break, six youths participated in our Youth Drawing. Fred D. brought ice. Greg J. brought sodas and juices. Betty H. and Dan B. brought pies, red velvet cakes, pound cakes, cookies, cupcakes, bread, candies, goodness, and love.

• Old Business: none

• New Business: none

• Drawing Time. Ed S. drew our first two winning tickets.

1. Jonathan San M.

2. John M.

3. Emile M.

4. Jonathan San M.

5. Gary

6. Don B.

7. Betty H.

Grand Prize: Don B.(2012(S) Early Release silver Eagle, NGC MS-69)

• Our meeting adjourned at 9:27 p.m.

Recap of October 16, 2013 Board Meeting

President: Emile M.

Vice President: Greg J.

Treasurer: Gary

Recording Secretary: Lyle Okamoto

Corresponding Secretary: Al Lo

Historian: Harold W.

Immediate Past President: Fred D.

Board Members (4): Martha D., Steve Kooij, Allison Paker, and Howard W.

Recording Secretary Lyle Okamoto arrived late at about 8:15 p.m. Here's some notes Allison took before then.

- Call to Order 7:31

- Corresponding Secretary Al Lo had coin club newsletters, banquet reservations, bourse apps, and a letter about an award.

- Treasurer Gary passed out expense and income sheets which were gone over.

- Historian Harold W. had touched up pictures that he has for the photo album.

- Program Chair Greg J. said the calendar is the same as last month. November's is Harold W. on currency treasury seals through the years.

- Membership Chair Al Lo had an application from Lucy Miller Lo who is only two weeks old.

- Coin Press Editor Allison Paker will start uploading the newsletter to the website.

- Webmaster Steve Kooij announced the website had been updated with current info of place, dates, and programs. A link to the newsletter will be on there. There is about enough space for a year's worth of newsletters. A poll was taken to have links to the current one and the previous months. The domain name has been renewed. It was a little over budget, but it was decided that was acceptable. There is still one more available page that we can use. It was suggested to put this year's medal on there. We have 800+ hits. Greg said Steve has done a good job of updating.

- Youth Chair Gary reports we had four youths at October's meeting. Gary is collecting lots of goodies for December's meeting.

- The picnic will be ours next year. Drawing tickets will only be given to people who are present.

- Lyle arrives!!! The following is from Lyle: A discussion about our CCC 29th Annual Awards Banquet was ongoing.

- Banquet Chair Gary reported that our CCC 29th Annual Awards Banquet was scheduled for Sunday, October 20, 2013. The venue is the Blue Pheasant

Restaurant, 22100 Stevens Creek Boulevard, Cupertino. Gary had sign-up forms available.

- Nominating Chair Al Lo reported that it was too early for nominations. Al will look into it in January-February of next year.

- Medals Chair Gary brought our CCC medals. Gary noted that we need to sell lots of medals and buy lots of medals.

- Old Business: Fred D. ordered additional Speaker's Awards. Fred had been asked if we gave prizes to the kids who help with our Santa Clara Expo prize drawing. President Emile M. declared that it was the recommendation of our club that we do not give anything, but if anyone had anything to give (e.g. coins, candies, etc.), that would be all right.

- New Business: Fred D. reported that Eton School had contacted us about participating in their Enrichment Day on Thursday, November 14, 2013. Fred will contact Sal Fa. for foreign coin donations. Martha D. will provide some coins and shiny pennies. Fred had requested fourth-grade and older classes from Eton School. Last year, there were three fifth-grade classes and one fourth-grade class.

- Show Business: Show Chair Al Lo wanted to retire in 1-2 years. Al has five grandkids to run after. Al reviewed our coin show jobs. Rich Me. will not be available for electricals. Gary will need two display cases for exhibits and two display cases for the front desk. Al asked if anyone has a truck to transport show supplies from

the storage locker to Napredak Hall and back. The worst-case scenario is that we will have to rent a truck (Plan B).

- Recording Secretary Lyle Okamoto reported nothing new.

- Action Items: Al Lo will look into the Scott Griffin Award at the Old San Francisco Mint Coin

Show in February 2014.

- Al Lo moved to adjourn. Martha D. seconded. Our board meeting adjourned at 8:51 p.m.

Recap of October 20 Banquet!

- President Emile M. commenced our festivities at 6:00 p.m. Emile welcomed everyone to our banquet. There were forty people in attendance.

- President Emile M. began our presentation ceremonies at 7:30 p.m. Emile introduced our Past Presidents, Life Members, and Founding Members.

- Mr. Michael S. Turrini and James L. presented Mary R. with a patron's award.

- California State Numismatic Association President, Mr. Michael S. Turrini, presented a CSNA President's Medal to Lyle Okamoto.

- President Emile M. presented

Northern California Numismatic Association Donnell Awards to Gary and Katherine R. Emile then presented Mr. Michael S. Turrini with a Speaker's Award for his July 2013 talk.

- President Emile M. presented CCC President's Awards to: Fred D., Greg J., Lyle Okamoto, Al Lo, Gary, Harold W., Martha D., Allison Paker, Steve Kooij, Stephen L., Howard W., Keith S., Bill Sh., Dan Sh., Don Bu., Joe M., Rita M., Don Eh., Mr. Michael S. Turrini, Don Ba., Alice and Tom K., Pearl L., and Steven J.

- Candy Jar: Don Pa. (64 guess, 66 actual)

- Coin Jar: Emile M. (\$11.50 guess, \$11.53 actual)

BINGO!

- Game 1 (standard BINGO): Harold W. (1901 Barber half)

- Game 2 (standard BINGO): Briita E.

- Game 3 (standard BINGO): Alice K. and Al Lo

- Game 4 (standard BINGO): Lyle Okamoto (Canada, 1981, proof silver dollar)

- Game 5 (standard BINGO): Martha D. (\$2 star FRN, MS-63)

- Game 6 (BLACKOUT): Chuck C.

- President Emile M. thanked everyone for attending. Our banquet concluded at 8:39 p.m.

Upcoming Mint, Continued

- **November 21-** 2013 America the Beautiful Quarters Circulating Coin Set™

- **November 21-** First Spouse Series One-Half Ounce Gold Proof & One-Half Ounce Gold Uncirculated Coin- Edith

Roosevelt

- **November 26-** 2013 US Mint Presidential \$1 Coin & First Spouse Medal Set™- Theodore Roosevelt

- **December 2-** 2013 First Spouse Series One-Half Ounce Gold

Proof & One-Half Ounce Gold Uncirculated Coin- Helen Taft

- **December 3-** 2013 US Mint Presidential \$1 Coin & First Spouse Medal Set™- William Howard Taft

UPCOMING COIN SHOWS!

NOVEMBER

- **Sacramento Coin Show**
Friday November 8 10-6
Saturday November 9 10-5
Sacramento Clarion Inn
1401 Arden Way, Sacramento
\$3; \$2 with printout from
mcintoshcoins.com

- **South Bay-Sunnyvale Coin Show**

Friday, November 15 10-6
Saturday, November 16 10-5
The Domain Hotel
1085 East El Camino Real
Sunnyvale
\$3- good for both days
\$1 off admission with pink-colored flier

- **Marin Coin, Stamp & Collectibles Show**

Saturday, November 23 10-6
Sunday, November 24 10-5
Four Points Sheraton
1010 Northgate Dr., San Rafael
\$5- good for both days
\$2 off with yellow coupon

- **NCNA November Show**
Sunday November 24 9-4
Vallejo Veterans Memorial Bldg
420 Admiral Callaghan Ln.
Free admission!
Drawings!

DECEMBER

- **Sacramento Coin Show**
Sunday, December 8 10-6
Sacramento Clarion Inn
1401 Arden Way, Sacramento
\$3

- **San Francisco Historical Bourse**
Friday December 13 10-6
Saturday, December 14 10-6
Holiday Inn Golden Gateway
1500 Van Ness Ave., SF
\$10, good for both days
\$5 coupon at SFBourse.com
American Numismatic Society
Lecture Friday at 6:30 pm

JANUARY

- **East Bay-Concord Coin Show**
Friday, January 3 10-6
Saturday, January 4 10-5
The Clarion Hotel
1050 Burnett Ave., Concord
\$3; good for both days
\$1 off with green-colored flier
Free parking!

- **San Jose Coin Club's 46th Annual Coin & Collectibles Show**

Friday, January 24 10-6
Saturday, January 25 10-6
Sunday, January 26 10-4
DoubleTree Hotel
2050 Gateway Pl., San Jose
\$4; \$2 with any ad
Parking- \$4
Kids' Activities- Saturday 11-3
Educational Forum on Saturday
Gold Raffle Drawing

- **Long Beach Coin, Stamp, & Collectible Expo**
Thursday, January 30 10-7
Friday, January 31 10-7
Saturday, February 1 10-5

Long Beach Convention Center
100 S. Pine St., Long Beach
\$8 general; \$4 club members; \$4 seniors; \$4 kids 8-16
Parking- \$10
Young Numismatist's Treasure Hunt- Saturday 11-2

FEBRUARY

- **Redwood Empire Coin Club's 46th Annual Coin Show**

Friday, February 14 10-6
Saturday, February 15 10-6
Sonoma County Fairgrounds
E.L.Finley Hall
1350 Bennett Valley Rd., Santa Rosa
Door prizes!
Silver drawing every hour!
All-gold coin drawing on Saturday at 5pm!

- **Cupertino Coin Club's 43rd Annual Coin Show**

Sunday, February 16, 2014
10am-5pm
Napradek Hall
770 Montague Expwy., SJ
\$2 for adults; 17 and under are free
Over 35 dealers!
Free coin prizes for children
Drawings!