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Upcoming Meetings & Events

- Friday, October 9
7:30 pm
Online General Meeting
Youth Night
Speaker: Emile M on Fascinating
Facts about US Coins

- Wednesday, October
7:30 pm
Online Board Meeting

- Sunday, October 18
5 pm
Annual Banquet!
Palermo's Restaurant

- Friday, November
7:30 pm
Online General Meeting
Speaker: Brian Daniels

Cupertino Coin Club currently meets online but normally 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!!**

Join the October Youth Night Meeting!

October's meeting will be our Annual Youth Night. Youth President Aidan L. will be leading the meeting. Our guest speaker will be Emile M. on Fascinating Facts about US Coins. We will once again be meeting on Zoom. Below you will find the meeting info.

Club Meeting:

Topic: CCC October meeting

Time: Oct 9, 2020 07:30 PM Pacific Time

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Dial-In Only

+REDACTED (San Jose)

Meeting ID: REDACTED

Password: REDACTED

Banquet Changed to October!

Because of the smoky conditions in September, our banquet was postponed to October 18, 2020 so there's still time to get your reservation form in and join in the fun! We will be meeting at Palermo, an Italian restaurant on Auzerais Avenue in San Jose. We will be outside at spaced out tables of six. Serving staff will be wearing masks and gloves, and we as guests must wear masks also except for young children or those for whom it is medically inadvisable. Social hour starts at five along with games. Our guessing games this year will be Money in the Mason Jar and Skittles in the Gumball Machine. Dinner will start at six. After dinner and dessert will be awards followed by everyone's favorite-BINGO!

If you don't want to attend the banquet, you can sign up for a to-go order. Then you can enjoy delicious Italian food and still get the exclusive banquet chip! Please fill out the reservation form but be sure to mark it noticeably with "TO-GO" and the time you wish to pick up your food from the restaurant.



(Left) The patio for our banquet.

Your meal choices are: Lasagne Meat Sauce, Chicken Parmigiana, Grilled Wild Salmon, or Veal Piccata. Dinner includes fresh green garden salad, bread & butter, coffee or tea, and a house-made dessert. The cost is

\$29 for lasagne, chicken, or salmon and \$35 for veal. This cost is for members and their first guest. Each additional guest will need to add \$10 to the meal. The first 48 people who sign up will receive an exclusive 2020 Banquet Chip or a free Club Medal after the initial 48. Reservations are due by October 14 which is the last day the PO box will be checked before the banquet. If you would like to pay by PayPal, please email cupertinocoinclub@gmail.com for instructions.

Hope to see you at the banquet!

Screen Share Your Show and Tell!

Show and Tell is a fun part of our meetings and continues to be so even though we meet online now. Sometimes sharers have a hard time sharing because it's hard to get your webcam to focus on the coin you're holding up! The solution is to take a picture of the item you want to share and then have it screen shared. You can email your item to cupertinocoinclub@gmail.com (the club president's email) and then when it is your turn to speak, Suzy will show everyone the item you are talking about. Please be sure to get your picture in before the meeting!

2020 Dues are Due!

Dues are now past due for 2020! Even though we are not physically meeting, you can still pay your dues. You can send in a check to our PO Box listed in the masthead. To pay by PayPal, please contact the Club President at cupertinocoinclub@gmail.com for instructions.

Happy Birthday!

Happy birthday cheers go to our October birthday members. Happy Birthday, Briita E., Carl O., Steven J., Ralph K., Lucy M. L., Charles C., Pearl Lo, John Sa., Matthew W., and Evan Cl.!!!

Prices from October 4, 2020

Gold: \$1891.40/troy ounce
Silver: \$23.75/troy ounce
Platinum: \$871.00/troy ounce
Palladium: \$2203.00/troy ounce
Copper: \$2.8821/pound
Australian dollar=US\$0.7181
Canadian dollar=US\$0.7532
British pound=US\$1.2944
Euro=US\$1.1735
Swiss franc=US\$1.0902
100 Japanese yen=US\$0.95
10 Mexican pesos=US\$0.463

Recent & Upcoming Mint Releases!

- **October 8-** American Innovation 2020 \$1 Coin Proof Set
- **October 8-** America the Beautiful Quarters 2020 Circulated Coin Set
- **October 13-** American Eagle 2020 One-Ounce Silver Proof Coin
- **October 20-** Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller National Historical Park 2020 Quarter 3-Coin Set
- **October 29-** American Innovation \$1 Coin 2020 Rolls & Bags- Massachusetts
- **November 5-** End of WWII 75th Anniversary American Eagle Gold Proof Coin and Silver Proof Coin

Dates are subject to change

Minutes from the Online General Meeting on September 11, 2020

by: Lyle Okamoto

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

- Club President Suzanne Tr. called our Zoom general meeting to order at 7:34 p.m. and welcomed everyone. There were 34 people in attendance, including guests Boy Scout Patrick H. from the Scouting Workshop and Matthew M.'s parents, Rose and Pete.

- Announcements followed. President Suzanne Tr. asked that everyone enter their Show and Tells in the chatbox. Suzanne also announced our 36th Annual Awards Banquet was moved one month out due to smoke to Sunday, October 18, 2020, at Palermo Restaurant, 791 Auzerai Avenue, San Jose. Suzanne noted that the Scott Griffin Vacaville Coin Show was this Saturday, September 12, 2020. Suzanne asked for a speaker for our October Youth Night. Junior President Aidan L. will run our October general meeting.

- We wished Happy Birthday to our September birthday members. Fred D. was the only September birthday member in attendance.

Birthday Prize: Fred D. (Virgo 0.999 fine 1-oz. copper round)

- Harold W. introduced Show and Tell. There were thirteen presenters, including:

- a) Brian D.- hand poured silver pencil and other shapes
- b) Finn D.- WWII coins, silver War nickels and steel cents
- c) Don Pa.- 1807 quarter eagle, XF-45 details, edge filing
- d) Ken B.- Nova Caesarea 2" bronze tercentennial medal 1664-1964; Fireman's Insurance Co., NJ, medal; New Hope-Lambertville Bridge medal; NJ so-called dollar; 1954 NJ coin club medal; Camden, NJ, uniface tag; NJ Masonic tokens from Haddonfield and Long Branch; CWT from Newark, NJ; Newark National Bank 1948-S encased cent; and Ocean City, NJ, token
- e) Matthew M.- Great Britain 1881 farthing, Unc. and Essequibo and Demerary 1813 half stiver, Unc.
- f) Allen L.- pre-1949 China, Taiwan 1925 chou, struck on fragment
- g) Martha D.- 2020-W Salt River Bay quarter
- h) Mike W.- 5-oz. silver quarter sample slab
- i) Keith S.- saw six presentations on NNP Symposium 2020
- j) Suzanne Tr.- CCC 1974 and 1975 silver medals for \$30 plus \$10 postage from a long-time member
- k) Paul J.- Edward VIII coin, Fiji

1936 penny

l) Griffin G.- Italy 1943 1, 2, 5 and 10 lire

m) Harold W.- Basketball Hall of Fame Proof half dollar, colorized

- Alex Tr. drew our winning Show and Tell Prize ticket.

Show and Tell Prize: Finn D. (prize to be awarded later)

- Emile M. drew our winning Attendance Prize ticket. Attendance Prize: Pete M. (prize to be awarded later)

- Matthew M. gave his fascinating presentation, "Buffalo Nickel."

- Harold W. moved to adjourn. There were many seconds. President Suzanne Tr. adjourned our Zoom general meeting at 8:55 p.m.

Recap of the Online September 16, 2020 Board Meeting

by: Lyle Okamoto

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

President: Suzanne Tr.

Junior President: Aidan L.

Treasurer: Emile M.

Rec. Secretary: Lyle Okamoto

Corresponding Secretary: Al Lo

Historian: Harold W.

Board Members (5): Brian D., Martha and Fred D., Gran G. IV and Rita M.

Coin Press Editor: Allison Paker

Guest (1): Ken B.

- Club President Suzanne Tr. called our Zoom meeting to order at 7:32 p.m. There were twelve board members and one guest in attendance.

- Recording Secretary Lyle Okamoto reported nothing new.

- Corresponding Secretary Al Lo thanked Emile M. for picking up our club mail. Emile received ANA The Numismatist and club banquet reservations.

- Treasurer Emile M. gave the Treasurer's Report. All was well.

- Historian Harold W. took a couple of screenshots of Matthew M.'s talk, "Buffalo Nickels." A discussion ensued about photos for our club album and photo printing. Emile noted that our historian had an annual budget of \$35.

- Curator Emilie M. reported nothing new.

- Program Chair Suzanne Tri. reported on our upcoming club events.

Friday, October 9, 2020 Youth Night. Junior President Aidan L. runs our meeting with Emile M.

speaking on "Fascinating Facts about U.S. Coins."

Friday, November 13, 2020 Brian

D. speaks on "Why U.S. Type Coins."

Friday, December 11 open

Friday, January 8, 2021 open

A discussion ensued about speakers. Scott Griffin indicated that he would speak in January or February 2021.

- Membership Chair Al Lo congratulated Rita and Joe M. for upgrading to paid-up life memberships. Al noted eighteen members so far paid their dues for 2020. A discussion ensued about PayPal.

President Suzanne Tr. mentioned that we will give out as many awards and prizes as possible at our club banquet.

- Coin Press Editor Allison Paker will publish that our club banquet reservations are due by October 14, 2020. Show and Tell pictures should be sent to our club email address CupertinoCoinClub@gmail.com and dues are due.

- Webmaster Suzanne Tr. uploaded our September 2020 club newsletter, NNP link and our rescheduled club banquet date to Sunday, October 18, 2020.

- Facebook Chair Suzanne Tr. reported that our Facebook page had 120 people reached (up 3%), 97 post engagements (up 28%), 193 likes and 218 follows.

- Youth Advisor Emile M. reported that we had two youths at our September Zoom general meeting.

Emile noted that we had five youngsters in the 18-20 age range.

- Banquet Chair Suzanne Tr. reported that we changed our club banquet date to Sunday, October 18, 2020. Suzanne noted that eleven people signed up so far and another eleven people expressed interest. Discussions ensued about indoor or outdoor dining, informing people about our club banquet, BINGO and trophy labels.

- Nominating Chair Emile M. reported that it was still too early.

- Medals Chair Emile M. reported that BEX Engraving approved our design for this year's medal. BEX Engraving is engraving a new CCC obverse die with Conquistador De Anza. Our old die was worn out.

- Old Business: Our CCC Show supplies will be picked up at noon, Friday, from Al Lo's daughter Jennifer's garage. The supplies will be stored in Emile M.'s storage until Gran G. IV can store them.

- New Business: none

- Show Business: President Suzanne Tr. said that we can plan our CCC Show about six months in advance; we will revisit our CCC Show planning about March 2021.

- Action Item: Suzanne Tr. and Harold W. will get price quotes for photo prints.

- Emile M. moved to adjourn. Everyone seconded. President Suzanne Tr. adjourned our Zoom board meeting at 8:38 p.m.



CUPERTINO COIN CLUB

Our 50th Year & 36th Annual Banquet

PALERMO

Sunday, October 18, 2020

Palermo Italian Restaurant
Private Back Patio
791 Auzerais Ave, San Jose

Free parking across the street & next door at Auzerais Collision auto body shop.

Social Hour / Games / Cocktails 5:00-6:00 pm
Dinner 6:00 pm
Awards following dinner
Bingo following awards

We have a lovely, shaded, private back patio overlooking Los Gatos Creek. General restaurant patrons will not be passing through our area. All pandemic safety precautions will be made by the restaurant as mandated by the County of Santa Clara. Tables of six will be safely spaced apart from one another per County Orders. Servers will be wearing face coverings and gloves. Guests, except the very young or those for whom it is medically inadvisable, must wear face coverings in the restaurant at all times except while eating or drinking.

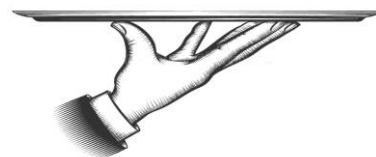
Lasagna Meat Sauce - Flat Pasta Sheets with Cheese, Béchamel Sauce & Ragu

Chicken Parmigiana – Breaded Chicken Breast, Tomato Sauce & Cheese

Grilled Wild Salmon - Garlic, Extra Virgin Olive Oil, Lemon Sauce

Veal Piccata - Thinly Sliced Veal Sautéed with Capers in a Lemon Butter Sauce

All dinners include fresh green garden salad, bread & butter, coffee or tea, and a house-made dessert.



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Reservations requested on or before Wednesday, October 14, 2020.

Name(s): _____
(Please list all attendees)

Phone: _____ Email address: _____

Select One Menu item for each Attendee:

Lasagna (\$29*) _____ Chicken (\$29*) _____ Salmon (\$29*) _____ Veal (\$35*) _____

_____ Banquet Chip Only (\$20) – Free chip if attending (1st 48) – After 48, Club Medal

Above prices are inclusive of taxes and gratuities for each member & 1st guest. Additional guests, add \$10 to menu item (\$29 or \$35).

Please make checks payable to Cupertino Coin Club. For electronic payment via PayPal, please email cupertinocoinclub@gmail.com with your order for instructions.

Mail to: Cupertino Coin Club, Attn: Banquet Chair, PO Box 448, Cupertino CA 95015-0448

**Please note: Cupertino Coin Club is subsidizing \$10 of each meal bring the prices down from \$39 and \$45.*