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Upcoming Meetings & Events

- Wednesday, September 18
7:30 pm
Board Meeting
Rm. 7

- Friday, September 20
7:00 pm
SeptemberFest!

- Friday, October 11
7:30 pm
Youth Night
Speaker: Andrew A on TBD

- Wednesday, October 16
7:30 pm
Board Meeting
Rm. 7

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!!**

Remember the Date Change!

Our September meeting is not the usual second Friday but the third this month. The date of our September meeting is Friday the 20th where we will be having SeptemberFest. The meeting will start early at 7:00 pm to have yummy Togo's sandwiches. To complete the meal, please feel free to bring chips, salads, sides, fruit, and dessert.

Thanks Don Pa.!

A big thank you goes to Don Pa. for his talk at the August meeting on Filling your Holes with Replicas- Legally! Don talked about the difference between replicas and counterfeits before describing how someone can complete a type set even if they get priced out of those expensive coins. Don found a company that sells replica coins called Gallery Mint. These coins can be found on eBay. He went over the key dates he has collected from them. Don concluded his talk with a handout on where to find coins and companies that sell replicas plus a list of the most expensive type coins. Thanks again Don!

Fun Times at the Picnic!

Our Cupertino & San Jose Coin Clubs' Joint Picnic was in August at Las Palmas Park. 34 people came to enjoy BBQ with sides and desserts. Special thanks go to our picnic chairs Fred D. and Keith S. More thanks goes to Martha D., Bob Bo., and Betty H. Thanks also to those who brought something to share.

Buy Drawing Tickets at the Santa Clara Coin Expo!

The reason for our September meeting's date change is that many of our members will be helping out at the Santa Clara CoinExpo selling drawing tickets! This is a great fundraising opportunity for our club so if you are planning to attend the CoinExpo please stop at the Cupertino Coin Club's table and buy some drawing tickets. If you are able to help sell the tickets, that's even better!

See Matthew's Talk in Vallejo!

On Saturday, September 14, CSNA & NCNA will host the Northern California Numismatic Forum at the Vallejo Naval & Historical Museum's Heritage Theater. One of the speakers for this event will be Cupertino Coin Club member Matthew Malvini! The theme for the forum is Transportation Numismatics and Matthew will be speaking on San Francisco Transit Tokens in 1906.

The three other speakers at the forum will be: Geoffrey Bell on Banks on Wheels, Jeffrey L Shevlin on So-Called Dollars with Transportation Theme, and Kyle W Lubke on Transit of Ancient Coins. This event is free and it sounds like it will be fun and informative!

It's Banquet Time!

It's time again for the Annual CCC Banquet to be held Sunday, October 20 at Blue Pheasant Restaurant in Cupertino. Social Hour starts at five with dinner at six. Dinner choices are pasta primavera, Chicken Jerusalem, prime rib, and salmon. Dinner includes salad, potato or rice, vegetables, bread, dessert, coffee and tea. The cost is \$29 for members and their first guest. Get your reservation form in by October 11 so you don't miss out!

Boy Scout Merit Badge Workshop!

Cupertino Coin Club officers Emile M. and Suzy Tr. will again be running a BSA Coin Collecting Merit Badge Workshop at CoinExpo on Saturday September 14 from 1-5pm. Several other CCC members will assist us as merit badge counselors. Scouts will have fun learning the hobby of coin collecting and will be invited to attend a club meeting in the future. For additional information about the workshop, please see https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1YC_GLdIFCtPIJ2HvP5N9Ma0njKkqpmzq

2019 Dues are Due!

Dues are now past due for 2019 for members. 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 September birthday members. Happy Birthday, Tom K., Fred D., Robert H., Donald H., Carter M-L., Drake L., Alexa R., Bill Sh., Dan Sh., and Denis Cr.!!!

Prices from September 9, 2019

Gold: \$1492.80/troy ounce
Silver: \$17.90/troy ounce
Platinum: \$940.00/troy ounce
Palladium: \$1523.00/troy ounce
Copper: \$2.6133/pound
Australian dollar=US\$0.6865
Canadian dollar=US\$0.7594
British pound=US\$1.2349
Euro=US\$1.1050
Swiss franc=US\$1.0077
100 Japanese yen=US\$0.93
10 Mexican pesos=US\$0.511

Recent & Upcoming Mint Releases!

- **September 10-** San Antonio Missions National Historical Park 2019 Quarter, 3-Coin Set
- **September 12-** American Eagle 2019 One-Ounce Palladium Reverse Proof Coin
- **September 16-** American Legion 100th Anniversary 2019 Proof Clad Half Dollar and The American Legion Centennial Emblem Print
- **September 16-** American Legion 100th Anniversary 2019 Proof Silver Dollar and The American Legion Centennial Emblem Print
- **September 19-** American Innovation Dollar Coin 2019 Rolls & Bags- Delaware

Dates are subject to change

Recap of the August 9, 2019 General Meeting

by: Lyle Okamoto

- Club President Suzanne Tr. called our general meeting to order at 7:37 p.m. Suzy welcomed everyone to our August general meeting. There were 49 people in attendance, including four youths.
- Betty H. and Dan Br. brought chocolate cheesecakes, croissants, cookies, chips, bowl of joy, goodness and love. Suzy Tr. brought sodas and cran-pomegranate juice. Mr. Michael S. Turrini brought dill pickle spears and bread and butter pickle chips. Fred D. brought ice and our club supplies. Keith S. brought our two club display cases.
- Don Pa. conducted our club auction, and Justin Bl. and Granville G. were our auction runners.
- Rita M. drew our winning Buyer's Prize ticket. Buyer's Prize: Ken B. (Indian Princess 0.999 fine 1-oz. copper round)
- President Suzanne Tr. asked if we had any guests or returning long-time members. Guests Allen Lee, Jenny and Linda introduce themselves. The Great Dr. Lloyd G. Chan graced us with his presence.
- Announcements followed. Picnic General Chair Fred D. announced our CCC/SJCC Joint Picnic at Las Palmas Park in Sunnyvale was tomorrow. The cooking stops at 1 p.m.
- Mr. Michael S. Turrini announced the 30th Annual Fairfield Coin & Collectibles Show on Sunday, August 18, 2019; CSNA/NCNA Northern California Numismatic Forum on Saturday, September 14, 2019; and Congressional legislation for new commemorative coins in 2021.
- Lyle Okamoto announced the upcoming local coin shows, including: 30th Annual Fairfield Coin & Collectibles Show on Sunday, August 18, 2019, and Scott Griffin Santa Clara CoinExpo on Friday through Sunday, September 13-15, 2019.
- President Suzanne Tr. presented Harold W. with his Speaker's Award for his July 12, 2019, talk titled, "Who Dat?"
- Ron K. drew our winning Attendance Prize ticket. Attendance Prize: Bill Hu. (GOLDEN STATE MINT 0.999 fine 1-oz. copper bar)
- We wished Happy Birthday to our August birthday members. Betty H., Rita M., Allison Paker, Keith S. and Richard Sh. were in attendance.
- The Great Dr. Lloyd G. Chan picked the winning number 4 (of 5). Birthday Prize: Betty H. (Virgo 0.999 fine 1-oz. copper round)
- Harold W. introduced Show and Tell. There were fourteen presenters, including:
 - a) Keith S.- 1836 Gobrecht dollar
 - b) Bill Hu.- offset Mercury dime
 - c) Don Pa.- 2019-W Lincoln Shield cents, Proof and MS-69
 - d) Edward S.- 1863-S Liberty double eagle
 - e) Mr. Michael S. Turrini- Graf Zeppelin
 - f) The Great Dr. Lloyd G. Chan- Edward IV angel
 - g) Robert H.- Series 1928 \$1 Silver Certificate
 - h) Ken B.- Riggs NB Washington DC \$20
 - i) Griffin G.- India coin
 - j) Gary- Series 1902 \$10 Plain Back
 - k) Harold W.- book-Collecting Confederate Paper Money
 - l) Matthew M.- coin roll hunting finds
 - m) Howard W.- Fremont Coin Show finds
 - n) Martha D.- prizes for Santa Clara CoinExpo club drawing
- For his participation in Show and Tell, youth presenter Griffin G. received a 1965 Kennedy half dollar.
- Guest Linda drew our winning Show and Tell Prize ticket. Show and Tell Prize: Ed S. (1804 Liberty Cap 0.999 fine 1-oz. copper round)
- Ed awarded the prize to Griffin G. for his help to our club.
- Don Pa. gave his talk, "Filling the Holes."
- A break was called. During the break, Martha D. sold drawing tickets on behalf of our club. Four youths participated in our

Youth Drawing. We held our Beauty and the Beast Contests. Mr. Donald L. Hill won our Beauty Contest prize and Linda Gr. won our Beast Contest prize.

- Old Business: none
- New Business: Table & Chair Re-arrangement Chair Steve Tr. rested since we did not need to

re-arrangement the tables and chairs for the next church group to use.

- Drawing Time. Suzy Tr. drew our first two winning tickets. The first ticket drawn was buried beneath the Grand Prize.

1. Gary
2. Bill Hu.

3. John M.
4. John M.
5. Rita M.
6. Martha D.
7. Mr. Michael S. Turrini

Grand Prize: Mr. Donald L. Hill (Mexico 2005 Chihuahua 100 pesos, NGC MS-63)

- Our meeting adjourned at 9:36

Recap of the August 21, 2019 Board Meeting by: Lyle Okamoto

President: Suzanne Tr.
Vice President: Greg J.
Treasurer: Emile M.
Rec. Secretary: Lyle Okamoto
Corresponding Secretary: Al Lo
Historian: Harold W.
Board Members (3): Fred D., Betty H. and Alex Tr.
Treasurer Emeritus: Gary

- Greg J. opened our board meeting room and brought bottled water and bakery cookies to share.
- Club President Suzanne Tr. called our board meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. There were nine board members and Gary present.
- Recording Secretary Lyle Okamoto reported nothing new.
- Corresponding Secretary Al Lo received five bourse applications, NCNA Heads and Tails, LNS newsletter, ANA The Numismatist and Long Beach Expo postcard.
- Treasurer Emile M. handed out the Treasurer's Report. All was well.
- Historian Harold W. reported nothing new.

- Curator Gary reported nothing new.
- Program Chair Greg J. reported nothing new.

Friday, September 20, 2019
SeptemberFest, 7:00 p.m.

Friday, October 11, 2019 Youth Night, Andrew A. speaks on topic TBD

Friday, November 8, 2019
Brian C. D. speaks on "U.S. Gold Coins"

Friday, December 13, 2019
Christmas Party and King Lyle's Birthday Bash, 7:00 p.m.

- Membership Chair Al Lo received one new application for membership from Allen Lee. Al moved to accept Allen's application for membership. Greg J. seconded. The motion passed unanimously. Al turned over \$25 in collected dues to Treasurer Emile M.
- Suzy Tr. noted that Coin Press Editor Allison Paker wanted all material for our club newsletter by September 8.
- Webmaster Suzy Tr. reported nothing new. Suzy will post

information about CoinExpo, Boy Scouts Coin Collecting Merit Badge Program, our next board meeting and SeptemberFest on our club website.

- Facebook Chair Suzy Tr. reported that we had 141 likes, 154 followers and 29 posts reached.
- Youth Advisor Gary reported four juniors were at our August 2019 general meeting. There were three rounds of prizes; everybody got goodies.
- Banquet Chair Gary handed out our club banquet reservation form. Our club banquet was scheduled for Sunday, October 20, 2019, at Blue Pheasant Restaurant. Social hour is from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. and we eat at 6:00 p.m. Betty H. will do the coin and candy jar guessing games.
- Medal Design Chair Gary reported that BEX Engraving was working on the dies as far as he knew.
- Old Business: Fred D. reported that Martha D. purchased the gold prizes for our club drawing

at Santa Clara CoinExpo. The grand prize was a 1908-D \$5 gold, PCGS MS-61. There were also two Mexico gold two pesos.

- Al Lo updated our board directory. Al handed out a copy to everyone.
- Discussions ensued about box of donated books, other donations and a donations chair. Suzy Tr. showed our new club business cards.

- New Business: A discussion ensued about various club awards.

- Show Business: Lyle L. and Greg J. will set-up our club table at Santa Clara CoinExpo on Friday, September 13, 2019. Greg will need the show supplies.

- Fred D. got the April 2020 Santa Clara CoinExpo show date and approval from Scott Griffin

about the drawing ticket copy. The tickets were printed. Fred will drop-off the show supplies and prizes to Greg.

- Action Items: Greg J. will take pictures of our CoinExpo club drawing prizes.

- Greg J. moved to adjourn. Fred D. seconded. President Suzanne Tr. adjourned our meeting at 8:27 p.m.

Recap of the August 10, 2019 CCC/SJCC Picnic by: Lyle Okamoto

Our CCC/SJCC Joint Picnic was held on Saturday, August 10, 2019, at Las Palmas Park in Sunnyvale. It was Cupertino Coin Club's turn to host the picnic.

Fred D. was our picnic general chair. Keith S. was our picnic food chair. Martha D. was in charge of our picnic drawing. Bob Bo. provided our picnic prizes. Our

prize budget was \$150 and the actual cost was \$151.

Keith S. brought 33 pounds of meat and other goodies, including ice cream cones. Betty H. donated six 12-packs of sodas and half a case of bottled water. Other members also brought goodies to share.

There were 34 people out of

37 whom sign-up at our picnic. Everyone in attendance received a picnic prize. The three big prizes went to:

Third Big Prize: Lyle Okamoto (1923 Peace dollar)

Second Big Prize: David Th. (1921 Morgan dollar)

First Big Prize: Gordon St. (American Silver Eagle)

UPCOMING COIN SHOWS!

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

OCTOBER

• Diablo Numismatic Society's Contra Costa Coin & Collectables Show

Friday, October 11 12-6

Saturday, October 12 10-6

Sunday, October 13 10-4

Elks' Lodge

1475 Creekside Dr., Walnut Creek

\$4; good for all days

\$1 off with blue flier

Drawing prizes!

CUPERTINO COIN CLUB
35th Annual Banquet
BLUE PHEASANT

Sunday, October 20, 2019

Blue Pheasant Restaurant
Banquet Room
22100 Stevens Creek Blvd.
Cupertino, California

Social Hour - Games and/or
Cocktails .. 5-6 p.m.
Dinner ... 6:00 p.m.



Pasta Primavera:

Fresh seasonal vegetables sauteed with garlic, fresh herbs
& white wine served over piping hot linguini

Breast of Chicken Jerusalem:

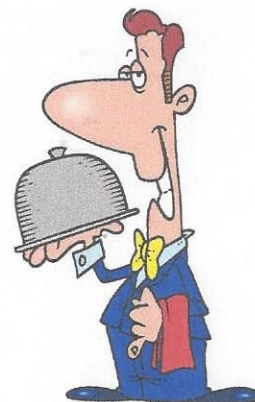
Breast of chicken lightly sauteed in white wine,
mushrooms and artichoke hearts

Broiled Salmon

Fresh king Salmon broiled to perfection and topped with
a fresh dill sauce

Prime Rib of Beef:

Au jus served with fresh horseradish



All dinners include mixed green garden fresh salad, potato or rice (depending upon the item), fresh vegetables, French bread, coffee or tea and house made dessert.

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Reservations (due on or before October 11, 2019)

NAME/S: _____

(Please list all attendees)

PHONE: _____

Pasta (\$29) _____ **Chicken (\$29)** _____ **Salmon (\$29)** _____ **Prime Rib (\$29)** _____

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

Above prices are for member & 1st guest each including tax and gratuity, additional guests + \$10.

Please make checks payable to Cupertino Coin Club.

Mail to: Cupertino Coin Club, P. O. Box 448, Cupertino CA. 95015-0448 - Attn: Banquet
or bring to the next Club meeting. Thanks. Gary Acquistapace, Banquet Chairman