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Spookiness abounds in October, but tacos will abound at our October meeting! We will start the meeting with **TACO NIGHT!** to be followed by the **Giant Auction** where members can auction off six items instead of the usual three. We'll have our show & tell and raffle as well.

Here are October's raffle prizes:

- 1) 2006 1/10 ounce US Gold Eagle
- 2) 2008-W US Silver Eagle, Brilliant Uncirculated
- 3) Mexico 1952 five pesos silver coin
- 4) 1853 Arrows Seated Liberty half dime
- 5) 1907-S Barber half-dollar
- 6) 1864 2-cent piece
- 7) 1862 Indian Head cent
- 8) 2000 ten-piece US Proof Set
- 9) 1967 US Special Mint Set
- 10) 1928-D \$2.00 United States Note (red seal)

San Jose Coin Club meets on the 2nd Wednesday of each month (**October 13th this month**) at American Legion Hall Post 318, 1504 Minnesota Ave., San Jose. Doors open at approximately 6:30 pm with Youth Activities at 7 pm and the General Meeting starting at 7:30 pm.

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

HAVE YOU MOVED?

Send changes to: Membership Chair, San Jose Coin Club, PO Box 5621, San Jose, CA 95150.

Last Call for Medals!

All medal order forms need to be turned in by October 25! The new medal orders will be done by subscription only. A medal will only be made for you if you have pre-ordered it. This applies to golden bronze, copper, and numbered and un-numbered silver medals. So if you want a medal, fill out an order form and turn it into **Gordon Stubbs** by October 25, 2010.

Our 2011 medal features Gordon Donnell In Loving Memory.



Also available are token sets from this year. The tokens feature the same design as the 2010 medal- the San Jose Fire Truck 1926 Mack AC Rotary Pumper. The sets include both a brass and nickel token. See Gordon S. if you are interested!

Thank You Chuck Call!

September's meeting featured Chuck Call speaking about silver bullion of North America. He told us all about the Canadian Maple Leaf, the US Silver Eagle, and the Mexican Libertad including the history, key dates, and how much it would cost to buy a complete collection. Chuck brought in examples of each coin and storage options for each. Thank you for an informative talk, Chuck!

TACOS!

Our October Food Night will be Taco Night! We will have corn and flour tortillas, seasoned beef, refried beans, cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, guacamole and chips and salsa. Dinner is planned for 7 PM so bring your appetite!



We need desserts!

To make our Taco Night a scrumptious success, we need desserts to enjoy with our dinner. Refreshments Chair Allison Paker is bringing everything listed above for dinner but is asking for members to bring in something to share for dessert. This can be fresh fruit, cookies, brownies, or any other delectable dessert you may have. If you have a salad or Mexican side dish to bring, that would be great also!

Remember Small Bills!

Please remember to bring small bills to the meeting to use during the auction. Buyers have been using large denomination bills lately which slow down the speed of the auction as change needs to be made.

September Meeting Minutes

Minutes from the General Meeting on September 8, 2010

- Call to Order 7:36 pm
- Welcome 41 members and guest Dean Soderstrom
- Auction with auctioneer Ken Barr, clerk Bill Hurja, and runner Coby Beltran
- Announcements- a) Lyle announced the Old San Francisco Mint Show September 17 & 18. He also announced the Peninsula Coin Club's show November 14 and that drawing tickets are available. b) Bill Hurja announced the Liberty Numismatic Society's Pot Luck October 20 at Hillar Aviation Museum. He also has info on the new PCGS Coin Facts Program. c) Bill Higgins announced the Santa Cruz Coin Club raffle on November 13. d) Gordon Stubbs announced medal order forms are due October 25.
- Show and Tell-17 people presented.
 - a) Keith Scott- Fremont quarters
 - b) Chuck Call- silver bar
 - c) Dorothy Galovich-Call- CC cancelled die copper strikes
 - d) David Thorpe- "Frosted" Gem 1921D Dollar "Original"
 - e) Ken Barr- ANA Souvenir Card
 - f) Martha Davis- 1873 closed 3 Indian Penny
 - g) Allison Paker- elongates from Europe
 - h) Lyle Okamoto- Yosemite quarter
 - i) Ed Sins- 1611 2 Escudo Spain & 1644 8 reales cobs
 - j) Bill Higgins- 1874 NGC PF64 half with arrows
 - k) Howard Wheeler- 1865 Art Competition medal
 - l) Kurt Herrmann- interesting pennies
 - m) Ron Ishizaki- 3rd place exhibit award
 - n) Charles Cobb- story on Carson City marriage certificate
 - o) Ryan Johnson- sheet of WonderWorld dollars
- Drawings- Show and Tell- An 1893 Columbian Exposition half was won by Martha Davis.
- Membership- A 1973S Eisenhower 40% silver dollar was won by Ryan Johnson.
- Speaker- Chuck Call gave a talk on the three North American silver bullion coins. He talked about the values, top mintages, and storage options for the Canadian Maple Leaf, the US Silver Eagle, and the Mexican Libertad.
- Minutes from the August 23, 2010 Board Meeting were read and approved.
- Raffle- Grand Prize was won by Herb Davidson.
- Adjournment at 9:45 pm.

From the Board Meeting on September 27, 2010

- Call to Order- 7:38 pm
- Welcome 16 seated members and three guests- Ron Ishizaki, Steve Kooij, and Robert Beltran
- Minutes from the September 8, 2010 General Meeting were read and approved.
- Corresponding Secretary- Lyle had newsletters and other mail from the box.
- Treasurer- Ray gave his report.
- Curator- Ken Barr is working on the curator's list and said the last time a list of items was made was about 1982. He's imaging items to show online.
- Program- October will be Giant Auction. November will be Larry Benson on Bust Halves. Bill asked Sally Johnson about contacting Don Cracraft to play Santa at the December meeting. Sally answered she sent the information to Bill via email so Bill can contact Don.
- Medals- Gordon reports orders are coming in and are due October 25. Al Lo delivered 50 silver rounds to Lee Kuntz at Masterpiece Medallions.
- Banquet- Ron Ishizaki reports the theme is Cat in the Hat with best hat contest. There will also be a member's roast. Ron is trying to get the same location for the banquet.
- Youth- Coby Beltran has been coming regularly and for participating has received proof sets and coins. Sally is talking to other local coin clubs about sending youth to the ANA educational class. The ANA does have scholarships available for youth to go.
- Newsletter- Allison is putting a reminder about members using smaller bills for the auction and asking for desserts for Taco Night.
- Membership- Ed moved to accept Harold Woron as a new member. It was seconded and approved. Welcome Harold!
- WebMaster- We have 18,752 hits. Everything is updated and the calendar of events is up.
- Old Business- Sally needed a drawing to send off to the token place to get a quote. The final proof for the medal design has been approved with Lee Kuntz, so Sally can now get a quote for the show tokens for 2011 from Charger
- New Business- a) Auction Chair Bill Hurja requested \$100 in cash for a check made out to SJCC from a buyer at the September Auction to reimburse the auctions petty cash fund. He requests

and receives more petty cash to have \$300 on hand to help make auctions run smoother. b) Ryan requested the auction winnings not be delivered during show and tell because it is disruptive. All auction winnings should be picked up at break. Martha mentioned other distractions happening during show and tell. c) Martha also mentioned people talking too long during show and tell. A discussion followed with suggestions of limiting the amount of people who talk and cutting show and tell off at a certain time. It was decided to try using a timer set at three minutes and put a reminder of show and tell etiquette in the newsletter. d) Keith Scott attended the Milpitas Library Book Sale and had books to share. He had a book on Rules of Order which mentions a Sergeant at Arms to keep order. Keith also donated a history book and a public speaking book to Coby Beltran. e) Ken Barr asked what prizes to purchase for the "All-Gold and Now Gold and Silver" November Raffle. He passed around a worksheet on incomes and expenses of previous raffles. It was decided he should spend \$500 on two gold prizes (including one 1/10 ounce American Gold Eagle Proof) and eight silver prizes. For the coin show in January, Ken will purchase a \$20 gold piece, 2 one-tenth oz. golds, and seven dos pesos. Sally suggested Ken be funded up front for easier shopping. Tickets for the raffle will be \$2 or 6 for \$10. Sally can order by tomorrow and get 20% off.

- Show Business- a) Bourse apps are coming in. 57 tables are sold so far. b) Richard Shusterman has volunteered to stay on as advertising chair. Martha asked about the budget, and Sally answered that last year we came in at under \$4000 for advertising. c) Ray suggested changing the name of our show to Coin and Collectibles because no stamp dealers were coming. It's too late for the 2011 show but maybe for 2012. d) Ron Ishizaki suggested doing something with the Scouts. Sally and Don Pannell are working on a program involving Scouts for our show, and Coby mentioned he might be able to bring his troop.
- Bill Meadows motioned and Ed Sins seconded to adjourn at 9:18 pm!

Have I mentioned

SJCC Officers & Board

President- **Martha Davis**
 Vice President- **Bill Meadows**
 Treasurer- **Ray Johnson**
 Youth President- **Coby Beltran**
 Recording Sec- **Allison Paker**
 Corresponding Sec- **Lyle Okamoto**
 Historian- **Sally Johnson**
 Librarian- **Ed Sins**
 Immed. Past Pres.- **Ryan Johnson**
 Curator- **Bill Hurja**
 Bourse- **Ray Johnson**
 WebMasters- **Sally & Ryan Johnson**
 Board Members- **Fred Davis**
Herb Davidson, Al Lo, Keith Scott,
Gordon Stubbs

Hall of Fame Members are Board Members Emeritus with full voting privileges.
 The Board of Directors Meeting is on the 4th Monday of each month at 7:30 pm.

Next Board Meeting:
October 25, 2010

at Denny's Restaurant
 2077 North First St, SJ
 (408) 436-8481

UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS

Oct 13 SJCC General Meeting
 Giant Auction & Taco Night

Oct 25 SJCC Board Meeting

Nov 10 SJCC General Meeting
 Topic: Larry Benson on
 Bust Halves

Nov 22 SJCC Board Meeting

Dec 8 SJCC General Meeting
 Santa Claus!

Visit www.sanjosecoinclub.org for more info. We list all Bay Area shows, SJCC club newsletters, events, and club forms on our web site. If you want something added let us know. We are always looking for speakers for our monthly meeting. See our Program Chair for more information.

Show and Tell

Show and Tell is a time for members to share about a numismatic item they have with the rest of the group. It can become problematic, though, when someone shares more than one item or talks at length about their item. In order to keep Show and Tell in a reasonable time frame, please follow these guidelines:

- Only show one item. You may have multiple coins you've purchased recently but just pick the best one to share.
- Keep your talk to less than three minutes. If you would like more time to talk about a particular subject, then maybe that's a good topic you could present to the club as a guest speaker.
- Speak concisely about your item. There are probably lots of details to share but picking the most relevant ones will make your talk more exciting.

To make sure that everyone stays within the three-minute time frame, Show and Tell Caller Allison will be using a timer. When the timer goes off, your three minutes will be up. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

The Auction!

Our October program is the Giant Auction so included with this newsletter is the auction rules. Both bidders and consigners should review the rules so they're clear. Remember for the Giant Auction this month, consigners can auction off six lots instead of the usual three.

On the rules page is an example of an auction form with a sample lot of a 1902-O Morgan Dollar. The numbers correspond to the instructions here as to what should go in each space.

- Country-** the country of origin for your item so for my coin it's USA
- Year-** the year of your item. If it has a mintmark, you can put that here also. I put down 1902-O.
- Description & Grade-** Here you want to describe your item clearly but concisely. My dollar has no scratches or wear marks, but it is a little dirty, so I would grade it as AU-UNC.
- Estimated Value-** The estimated value can be determined by looking at numismatic websites and magazines or previous auction sales. I estimate the value of my coin to be \$28.

UPCOMING SHOWS!

- **Diablo Numismatic Society**
14th Annual Contra Costa Coin Show
 October 9-10 Sat 10-5:30 Sun 10-4
 Holiday Inn 1050 Burnett Ave., Concord
 \$3 (good both days)
- **Delta Coin Club**
46th Annual Coin Show
 October 16-17 Sat 10-5 Sun 10-4
 Eagle's Hall
 1492 Bourbon St., Stockton
- **CSNA Northern California**
Numismatic Association Coin
Collectors' Retreat
 Oct 23 Saturday Registration begins
 at 9 am with programs starting at 10 am
 Vallejo Naval and Historical Museum
 734 Marin at Capital, Vallejo
- **Peninsula Coin Club 31st Annual**
Coins & Collectibles Show
 Nov 14 Sunday
 Napredak Hall
 770 Montague Expwy., San Jose
- **Santa Clara Coin, Stamp, and**
Collectibles Expo
 Nov 19-21 Fri & Sat 10-7 Sun 10-3
 Santa Clara Convention Center
 5001 Great America Pkwy., Santa Clara
 \$6 (discount available for coin club
 members with card)

All shows are free unless noted.

UPCOMING MINT RELEASES

- **Oct 7** 2010 American Eagle Gold Proof Coin
- **Nov 15** America the Beautiful Quarters Bags and Two-Roll Sets- Mount Hood
- **Nov 18** 2010 Abraham Lincoln Presidential \$1 Coin 25-Coin Rolls

Dates are subject to change.

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5) Hold- The minimum you want your item to sell for. I want at least \$20 for my coin so I write \$20.

6) Sold For & Total- These spaces are for the auction clerk to write how much your item sold for and the total of all your lots if you sold more than one item. If the clerk writes "NIR," that means your item had **No Interest** and will be **Returned** to you.

7) Consigner- Make sure your name is on your auction form!
 Lastly, take a quick glance to make sure your writing transfers to the second page of the auction form.

SAN JOSE COIN CLUB AUCTION RULES

Auction Consignors

Auction consignors must be members of the San Jose Coin Club and be present at the time of the auction. There is no fee for submitting lots into the SJCC Auction.

Auction items must be numismatic related items.

All Auction lots must be listed on a club authorized Auction Sheet. These sheets can be obtained from the Auction Chair, President, or other Board Member/Officer prior to the General Meeting. (See Sample Below)

A maximum of three Auction Lots are allowed at each monthly auction. Each item should be clearly identified. An Auction Lot can contain as many numismatic items as you want.

Auction Sheets must be filled out and submitted before the beginning of the meeting (7:30 PM). All fields on the Auction Sheet must be printed clearly and completely. Neither the San Jose Coin Club nor the Auctioneer will be held responsible for information on the Auction Sheet that is incorrect, poorly written or unintelligible.

The consignor is allowed to put a 'Hold' bid on each lot. If the 'Hold' bid is written on the sheet, it must be stated clearly. If the consignor doesn't wish to write the 'Hold' bid on the sheet, he/she is allowed to make one audible bid from the floor.

When stating the 'Estimated Value' of the lot, be sure that information doesn't get mixed with your 'Hold' bid.

Consignors should pick up their unsold items and proceeds from their sales only during the meeting break. Do not attempt to do this before the break as the Auction Chair needs time to record the sales, and it disrupts the meeting. To assure proper identification, consignor must print their name clearly in the lower left corner of the Auction Sheet and sign.

Six lots are allowed at the Annual Giant Auction Night. If more than three lots are submitted, two separate Auction Sheets must be filled out. Three lots will be auctioned in the first segment of the auction and the remaining lots will be auctioned in the second segment.

Auction Bidders

It is the responsibility of the bidder to examine the auction lots before bidding. Bidder should examine the lots before the auction begins. Stopping the auction to examine a lot is disruptive.

Neither the San Jose Coin Club nor its Auctioneer will be held responsible for items that are graded incorrectly, whizzed, counterfeit, or stolen.

Minimum opening bid on any lot is one dollar. Raising the bid must be in increments of at least twenty-five cents (.25, .50, \$1.00, \$2.00, etc.)

No bidder is allowed another bid after he/she has made a 'Cut Bid'. 'Cut Bid' example- Bidder 'A' bids \$22.00. Bidder 'B' bids \$24.00 and the Auctioneer asks for a \$26.00 bid. Bidder 'A' bids \$25.00- a 'Cut Bid'. Bidder 'B' bids \$27.00. Bidder 'A' has already indicated that he/she isn't willing to bid more than \$25.00, therefore making them ineligible to make any further bids on the lot.

NOTE:

While the Auction is in progress, please show courtesy to the auctioneer and participants by keeping the room quiet.

SAN JOSE COIN CLUB - AUCTION SHEET						
#	Country	Year	Description - Grade	Estimated Value	Hold	Sold For
1	①	②	③	④	⑤	⑥
2	USA	1902	MORGAN DOLLAR- 0 AU-UNC	\$28	\$20	
3						
⑦ ALLISON!						
Consignor				Total		