



Florida United Numismatists



FUN Club Newsletter November 1st, 2021

FUN Club Get Together- will be Saturday January 8th, 2022 at Noon. All FUN member clubs can send 2 representatives to the luncheon. We will have 10 silver eagle door prizes and a short program. Room 331A You must RSVP by December 1st, 2021 to swicer@comcast.net **YOU MUST RSVP THIS MONTH.**

Bus Trip to the FUN Show- January 2022- It's time to fill out the FUN Bus Trip Assistance Form for your club to receive \$25 per person for up to 40 people or \$1000 from FUN for your bus trip. Deadline is December 1st, 2021 for the form to be turned in to Cindy Wibker, P.O. Box 471147, Lake Monroe, FL 32747-1147. Bus Trip form is on the www.funtopics.com. Click "FUN Convention" and scroll down to FUN Bus Trip Form. **YOU MUST GET THE FUN APPLICATION THIS MONTH.**

"FUN Education" Tab -now has all of FUN's Educational Programs on the Newman Portal. Go to www.funtopics.com and click "FUN Education".

Is Your Club Information current on the FUN Website? Please check "Club Events" tab on www.funtopics.com Check your club meeting location and club contacts. Also, check "FUN Member Clubs" tab that everything is correct. Send corrections to swicer@comcast.net or contactfunwebmaster@gmail.com

Attention ANA Clubs – Is your club information on the ANA website up-to-date? If not go to www.money.org and click "Community", then click "Club Support". Click "Club Directory" to look at your club information. If the info is not correct, go to "Update Club Listing".

Join the ANA- New ANA members can join for only \$5. Call 800-514-2646 Use code CLUB2021. This offer expires 12/31/21.

Club Coin Shows- in order to get your show in FUN Topics, we need your show information 2 ½ to 3 months out. The sooner the better. I am doing the show schedule for January 9th to April 2022. If you have not sent me your show schedule, please send it now for free listing in FUN Topics and on the FUN website. swicer@comcast.net

Ancient City Coin Club- had 32 members and 2 new members at their meeting. They had door prizes, a raffle, 50/50 drawing, and the auction. The program was a discussion of the club coin show and how to improve it. They had nomination of club Officers and Board.

Casselberry Coin Club- had a meeting in person October 5th, with show-n-tells and the auction. The program was “A Collection of coins & money from Historic Shipwrecks” by Duke Thompson.

Central Florida Coin Club- They had “Let’s make a deal”, educational certificate, 50/50 drawing, and the membership drawing. Bob Russell gave a program on “CFCC History”. Steven Patrick gave a program on “Money You Can’t Spend”.

Citrus County Coin Club- had 22 members and 1 guest at their meeting. They had a discussion on their recent show and planning for their second club anniversary in November. They had door prizes, auction, and raffle.

Clearwater Coin Club- had their meetings October 14th & 28th. The auctions had 60 and 53 lots in each auction. The club board decided to waive dues for 2020.

Florida Token Society- met Saturday October 23rd at the United Presbyterian Church, 730 Beville Rd, Daytona Beach. They have a program, trade session, and the auction. Membership in FTS is only \$7.50.

Ft Lauderdale Coin Club- will meet Wednesday November 17th. This will be the club election and pizza party. No meeting in December. Club Banquet December 16th. The monthly coin show is the 3rd Sunday of every month.

Fort Walton Beach Coin Club- had 35 members at their last meeting. They had a raffle and auction. The program was “Collecting Wartime Silver Alloy Jefferson Nickels” by Jim Marasia. The 2022 Red Books are in, and they had a silver eagle attendance prize.

Gold Coast Coin Club- had their coin show Sunday October 3rd at the Hollywood Rotary Club, 24th Street and Taylor Ave. The hall is still closed for meetings.

Greater Daytona Coin Club- They had a raffle, show-n-tell, and the auction.

Greater Jacksonville Coin Club- had door prizes, 50/50 raffle, show-n-tell and the auction.

Largo Coin Club- met October 13th at 7PM, the Largo Elks Lodge #2159, 810 16th Ave. SE, Largo, FL 33771

Ocala Coin Club- had 42 members and 2 guests at their last meeting. They had a treasure chest winner, educational winner, 50/50 drawing, and a 100+-lot auction. They had a power point presentation on “Kennedy Half Dollars” by Danny Maloney. Club shirts and 2022 Red Books are available. Their new meeting location is VFW, 4805 NE 36th Ave. Ocala, FL. 34479

Palm Beach Coin Club- had Estate Auction #41-6, British Colonies, German States, and 8 gold coins. The auction realized \$8888. and the club made \$444. They had 10 door prizes, 3 slabbed raffle prizes, and the jackpot drawing. There were 60 members, and 5 new members in October. The monthly coin show had 44 dealers and about 400 attendees. The fully catered club picnic had 48 attendees.

Pensacola Numismatic Society- They had door prizes, raffle, attendance prize, and the auction. 27 members and 1 guest were present. They have a “buy-it-now” table. Ed Creel gave a program on “US Mint Silver coinage minting needs for the territories acquired by the US as a result of the Spanish-American War”.

Sarasota Coin Club- meets on the 3rd Monday of every month at Sarasota Rare Coin Gallery Store, Suite 100, 640 S Washington Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34236

South Brevard Coin Club- had 34 members and 6 new members at their last meeting. They had a “Bourse Night”, raffle, and a 50/50 drawing. Their “Grading Class” had 19 participants. The monthly show had 24 dealers and 190 attendees.

Tampa Bay Coin Club- met October 12th. They meet on the 2nd Tuesday of every month at St. Clement’s Episcopal Church, 706 113th Ave., Tampa, FL 33612

Treasure Coast Coin Club- had a large auction with the estate of a member. The meeting had door prizes and the 140-lot auction.

Venice Coin Club- met at their new location, Venice Police Dept, 1575 E Venice Ave., Phil Kolbe had “guess the mystery country”, followed by refreshments, raffle, and the auction. There were 21 members, 2 guests and 1 new member. They had a program by Gary Lewis on “Exonumia”.

IN THE NEWS

October, 2021, Spinks-London Auction sold Tudor, Stuart, and Commonwealth gold coins, off the market since 1960. 21 of the 52 gold coins set new world record prices totaling \$2.81 million.

Approved designs for the reverses of the four American Innovation dollar coins for calendar year 2022 were released Oct. 4 by the U.S. Mint.

The designs celebrate innovation in the states of Rhode Island, Vermont, Kentucky and Tennessee.

The designs were approved by Treasury Secretary Janet Yellen.

The 57-coin series, which started in 2018, honors innovation and innovators by issuing dollars for each of the 50 states, the District of Columbia, and the five U.S. territories — the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, U.S. Virgin Islands, and Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands.

The United States Mint has unveiled the Treasury-approved designs for the first five coins in the American Women Quarters Program, to be released in 2022.

The coins are the first of 20 to be issued in the four-year program through 2025 that features coins with reverse (tails) designs emblematic of the accomplishments and contributions of American women.

The 2022 coins recognize the achievements of Maya Angelou, Dr. Sally Ride, Wilma Mankiller, Nina Otero-Warren, and Anna May Wong.



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Talk about “if it sounds too good to be true.....”. These **fakes** if they were real are \$100,000 per coin!! This website is ANCIENTGOLDEN.

The new 2021 Morgan and Peace Dollars began shipping October 18th. Virtually all of the dollars are sold out.

Great Britain- In a story that would be hard to make up, the [Daily Mail](#) reported earlier this week about a man who was attempted to pay for 60£ of gasoline with a silver coin minted in 2016. The Trafalgar Square 100£ issue [[link to Royal Mint web site](#)] is a limited edition item not struck to be spent, however, it is still legal tender. Much like someone trying to spend a \$1000 bill here in the United States. Few people have ever seen one but they are still legitimate for spending.

The story gets even crazier because the local police were called in and arrested the father-of-four for trying to steal gas. He got the last laugh, though, because he sued, and

won, 5,000£ from the Exeter police who caused him great distress over the entire incident. I wonder if he was able to keep the coin as well!???

The Canadian Numismatic Sale November 6th features the Holy Grail of Canadian coins, the famous 1936 Dot 1 cent in Gem Specimen-65, the elusive 1936 Dot 10 cents in Specimen-63+.



The First Penny Black

Sotheby's London is set to offer the earliest securely dated example of the very first postage stamp, estimated value is \$6 million. If you wish to bid, the auction is December 7th in London.



Highlights of the recent auction presented by MDC Monaco.

An extremely rare Edward VIII Pattern Gold 5 Sovereign certified by Numismatic Guaranty Company™ (NGC®) has realized €2.11 million (about \$2.45 million), again setting a record for any British coin sold at auction. It was the top lot in an impressive sale presented by MDC Monaco that saw 22 other NGC-certified numismatic rarities realize prices over \$100,000.

Sunday did kids come to your door demanding “Protection Candy”, or else!!