



Florida United Numismatists



FUN Club Newsletter

December 1st, 2024

What building is the FUN Show in? It's in the new convention center across international drive from the Rosen Center. North/South building, Hall NB. Park in the back left of the parking lot, then up the stairs or elevator to the show.

Free FUN Topics Magazine- Your club can receive free FUN Topics magazines. Contact Jay Chamberlain jcflcoins@comcast.net You just pay postage. A box of 50 costs your club \$20 Postage.

Ancient City Coin Club- had 19 members at their last meeting. They had a silver round door prize, 3 raffle prizes, and 50/50 drawing. They had a program on "Club Plans for 2025", by John Petrow. The 18-lot auction followed. The Christmas Banquet is on December 2nd. www.ancientcitycoinclub.com

Brandon Coin Club- meets the 3rd Tuesday of every month at St. Andrews United Methodist Church They had 35 members at their last meeting. There were door prizes, raffle prizes, and an auction. <http://bcc.anaclubs.org>

Casselberry Coin Club- moved to the Casselberry Recreation center, 200 N Triplet Dr., Casselberry, FL 32707. They had a program on "Somali Guitar Coins" by Dick Wells. The Holiday party will be December 3rd with an auction, raffle and show and tell. casselberrycoin@gmail.com

Central Florida Coin Club- We had a show-n-tell session where members talk about that special item they added to their collection. After a short business meeting, we played our customary games of "Let's Make a Deal", Educational Certificate Drawing, Membership Drawing and then we had a 50/50 drawing. Six members exhibited at the Summer FUN. The Holiday party is December 11th. They collect Toys for Toys every year. www.centralfloridacoinclub.org

Citrus County Coin Club- had 36 members at their meeting. They had a silver eagle attendance prize, 67-lot auction, and Morgan Dollar raffle. had a program on "The Henning Counterfeit 1944-P Jefferson Nickel". bbandino@tampabay.rr.com

Clearwater Coin Club- They are moving to their new meeting hall, Temple B'nai Israel, 1635 S Becker Rd., 2nd & 4th Wednesdays. December 11th is the Christmas Party and 81-lot auction. clearwatercoinclub@yahoo.com

Florida Token Society- met Saturday November 16th at 730 Beville Rd., Daytona Beach, FL. They had lunch, a trading session, and an auction. Membership in FTS is only \$8. John & Nancy Wilson represented the Florida Token Society at FUN. johnnancyw@aol.com

Ft Lauderdale Coin Club- Their club meetings are the 2nd & 4th Thursdays of every month. The monthly coin show is the 3rd Sunday of every month. The Holiday Banquet will be on December 12th. The monthly coin show is December 8th.

[www.http://ftlauderdalecoinclub.com](http://ftlauderdalecoinclub.com)

Fort Walton Beach Coin Club- 42 members attended the meeting. They had a 1oz silver round attendance prize and auction. The Holiday party is December 12th at Fire Thai Fusion. www.fortwaltonbeachcoinclub.com

Gold Coast Coin Club- They meet on the 1st & 3rd Thursdays at a new location, 1301 S Ocean Dr., Hollywood, FL 33019. Their 1st Sunday of the month coin show is at the Hollywood Rotary Club at 24th Ave and Taylor Street. www.goldcoastcoinclub.com

Greater Daytona Coin Club- had a program on “Coins & Currency of England, Old and New”.

Greater Jacksonville Coin Club - There were over 50 attendees, several guests and new members present. Long-term member Robert Levan gave a presentation titled “The Little Sicily Hoard.” Robert had acquired a collection of about 150 coins amassed by a family over several decades. The collection, which he affectionally named “The Little Sicily Hoard”, spanned a period from the early 17th century through 1911. Robert, scholar of Middle Ages history, displayed an extensive exhibit of the coins to augment his talk. 46 members participated in the club's bus excursion to Summer FUN. Many commented that it was the best Summer FUN Show they had attended. www.gicc.net

Ocala Coin Club- Their new meeting location is VFW, 4805 NE 36th Ave. Ocala, FL. They had 50 members and 2 guests at their last meeting. Red books, club shirts, and a new CD on world coins are available. They had door prizes, an educational award, treasure chest, 50/50 drawing, and the auction. www.ocalacoinclub@gmail.com

Palm Beach Coin Club- They had 65 members and 2 guests at the November meeting. They had 10 slab door prizes, 3 slab silver dollar raffle prizes, and a cash jackpot. Gregg Wagner had a program on “U.S. Trade Dollars, An Overview”. December 11th is the Christmas Potluck dinner and White Elephant sale. www.pbcc.anaclubs.org

The Coin Club of Pasco County- holds its monthly meetings on the second Thursday of each month. Doors open at 6:00 pm and the meeting starts at 6:30 pm. An auction and a raffle are usually held. The club strives to educate its members with a monthly talk by a member, on different topics of coin history or recent numismatic events. Visitors are welcome. The location is The Elks Lodge, 9135 Denton Ave., Hudson, FL 34667 (use side entrance). For information call Chuck 727 534-7597 or www.PascoCoinClub.com Please call first to make sure the day hasn't changed.

Sarasota Coin Club- meet at 7PM at the Sahib Shriners Temple on 600 N Beneva Rd. in Sarasota. Ben's State of the Market report. We will meet again at the same location & time on the 3rd Monday of each month. Visitors always welcome! Call 941-366-2191 visit sarasotanutismatics.com or email Ryan@sarasotanutismatics.com for more information!

South Brevard Coin Club- had 43 members and 1 new member at the meeting. They had a raffle, door prizes, and the program was “The Auction Process” by Sheena Wallace of Stagecoach Auctions. The monthly show had 30 dealers manning 114 tables and 244 people in attendance. The club pays ANA membership for 3 club members. <http://southbrevardcoinclub.com>

Tampa Bay Coin Club- They meet on the 2nd Tuesday of every month at St. Clements Episcopal Church, 706 113th Ave., Tampa, FL 33612. Michael Katich spoke on “Walking Liberty Halves”. 39 attended. The Holiday party will have a charity auction for Ronald

McDonald House. The club received a 70th anniversary club membership plaque from the ANA www.tampabaycoinclub.org

Treasure Coast Coin Club- had a program on “Coinage, Art and Architecture of Rome: Roman Republic and Early Empire” by Dimitrios Scarlatos followed by a 10 lot YN auction and a 109-lot regular auction. The Christmas party will be at the Lakewood Park Community Center with a White Elephant Gift Exchange.

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Venice Coin Club- November meeting of the Venice Con & Currency meeting was attended by 50 members and 2 guests. We had an election for 2025 officers. They are (as usual)- President: Vic Skidmore, V.P.: Tony Borg, Treasurer: Tanya Skidmore and Secretary: Nina Burnett. Discussed any upcoming shows. Vic Skidmore made us guess 'what is the mystery country?'. Jay Chamberlain did a presentation on 'Where the Hobby of Coins Meets the Hobby of Stamps'. We also had an auction & raffle. The Christmas party will be at the Hotel Venezia with a “Dirty Santa Gift Exchange”. <http://realmmap.wix.com/vccc>