

The RACCeteer

Monthly Newsletter of the Rappahannock Area Coin Club
American Numismatic Association (ANA) Member # C-1160109

Next Meeting:
21 January 2016
7:00 PM
Shoney's

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Meeting Summary - December 2015

- Christmas spirit filled the air as the RACC Christmas party got underway on 17 December 2015 at 6:00. Many pitched in to help get the auction set up and many more offered help. Thank you to all who helped make the evening a lot of fun!
- We had 25 members present for the Christmas party.
- Prior to the auction getting under way, Sam provided a Treasurer's report noting that the beginning balance and ending balance was \$782.97. Both the Treasurer's report and the November Minutes were unanimously approved.
- Billy presented Dr. Suresh an honorary membership in the RACC and a certificate of appreciation for his October presentation titled "Beauty in Money".
- \$36 was raised for the evening's raffle (a Canadian 1964 proof like silver dollar). Dr. Suresh won the raffle – Congratulations Dr. Suresh!
- Jack Hepler passed out the Christmas encased 1942 Nickels to all club members present.
- The auction was a big success. 24 items were auctioned off with 21 bidders generating \$565.50 for the RACC. Rich had the high bid on the night of \$155.00. Thank you to all who contributed to the evening's success!

Executive Board (EB) Meeting

- The EB met on January 7th. The following topics were discussed:
- The club plans to make 50 Christmas nickels for 2016.
- The EB discussed an RACC 25th Anniversary medal.
- The need for a new location for club meetings was discussed. Key requirements include a larger space, good food and reasonable prices. Jack is going to check out Ryan's and Billy is going to check out Renato's.
- Treasury duties have transferred to Gregg. Billy, Gregg and Lauri reviewed the account prior to it being transferred to Gregg.
- The EB discussed raising the club's take on auctions from 5% to 10%. The issue will be put to the club for a vote.
- The EB also discussed adding another auction to the calendar.

Coin Club/Promoter Show Info

Whitman Spring Expo. 31 Mar – 3 Apr 2016. <http://expo.whitman.com/>

Upcoming Club Events

- January 21, 2016 Meeting – Russ Pepper “E Pluribus Unum”
- February 18, 2016 Meeting – Jack Hepler, Topic TBD
- March 17, 2016 Meeting – Gregg Coburn, Topic TBD
- April 21, 2016 Meeting – Membership Auction
- May 19, 2016 Meeting – Randolph Grimes, Topic TBD
- June 16, 2016 Meeting – Alex Blough, Topic TBD
- July 21, 2016 Meeting – TBD
- August 18, 2016 Meeting – TBD
- September 15, 2016 Meeting – Membership Auction
- October 20
- November 17,
- December 15, 2016 Meeting – Christmas Party and Brown Bag Auction

Membership Reminder

- The Treasurer will continue to collect dues for the 2015 – 2016 year. The following dues options are available:
- Youth (under 18 years old) – Free
- All others \$12.00 yr.
- Family (includes one primary member and one other member. Others can be added for \$6.00 each) - \$18.00 yr.
- Life Member (regardless of age) - \$120.00