

The RACCeteer

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

Next Meeting:
19 February 2015
7:00 PM
SHONEY'S

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February Meeting – Door Prize and 50/50

Meeting Summary - January 2015

The President called the meeting to order 7PM Thursday, JAN 15th with 21 members present including our two newest members; Todd & Megan Long. The Treasurer's report was presented, noting an ending balance of \$1965.73. She added that income from the Brown Bag Auction totaled \$522.00 and the cost of the Christmas Dinner was \$294.39. The Treasurer's report and December 2014 meeting minutes were unanimously approved.

Old Business:

- J. Hepler provided RACC 2015 club encased coins status. All seem to be on track. Completion date for the membership medal is unknown.

New Business:

- There was no new business discussed.

Program:

- Jack Bell gave a presentation titled "Consequentials". He talked about and showed examples of non-numismatic collectable items that were obtained as a "consequence" of his years of collecting coins. All agreed that this was the best presentation of 2015 so far!!! 😊

Conclusion:

- The meeting adjourned at 8:05pm.

Executive Board (EB) Meeting

The EB met 29 January at Shoney's and the following was discussed:

- RACC Membership medal status-Penny Press has begun production and we'll have an example of the finished product soon. See page 3 for a rendering of the final design.
- Other 2015 encased coins projects.
- VNA RACC youth exhibit competition.
- Club support of the 2015 Heritage Festival
- Be sure to check our updated website...Chris Thomas has done a fantastic job; thanks Chris!!!

The Numismatist Index- February 2015

- **EXONUMIA:** "Hurray for Hollywood"
- **NUMISMATIC CRIME:** "The Redfield Hoard"
- **US COINAGE:** "Rarest of the Rare"

Upcoming Club Events

- **February 19, 2015 Meeting:** Program - "One Century, Three Russia's" presented by Jack Hepler. Jack will have a special gift for all attendees and some door prizes that he brought back from the Berlin World Money Fair.

February RACC Birthdays!

- Teresa Williamson-15th
- Buddy Morgan-15th
- Todd Long-25th

😊 Let the secretary know if you'd like to see your name listed when your birthday comes around. We'd love to wish you a happy one! **Happy Birthday to All!!!**

Keep in mind...

- One of the main purposes of our club is to educate. As such, the Vice-president will be asking members to sign-up as presenters during 2015 meetings. Topics can include information about your collecting interests or some other relevant topic. Additionally, members are asked to consider arranging guest speakers to present topics of interest during meetings. Please let B. Hoover know if you can fill an opening.

VNA Coin Club Show Info

Salem Coin Club Show FEB 28-MAR, 2015. Sat: 9:30am-5:30pm, Sun: 9:30am-3:30pm. American Legion Hall, 710 Apperson Dr., Salem, VA. Contact Will Camp, P.O. Box 283, Fishersville, VA 22939.

Winchester Coin Show MAR 14, 2015, 9:30am-4:30pm, Frederick County Fairgrounds, 136 Fairground Rd., Clearbrook, VA 22624, Contact Doug & Ginny Bowers, PH: 540-465-3952 or e-mail: bottles@shentel.net.

Warrenton Stamp & Coin Club Annual Show APR 25, 2015, 9:00am-3:00pm, Highland School, 597 Broadview Ave., Warrenton, VA, Contact Tony Tripi, PH: 540-347-2567.

NON-CENTS! Another dumb crook story...

A crook mistakenly made a counterfeit \$8 bill instead of a \$10 bill. He decided to try it out anyway, so he went to the bank and asked for change.

The teller looked at the \$8 bill and gave the crook two \$4 bills as change.

RACC MEMBERSHIP MEDAL



Obverse



Reverse