

The RACCeteer

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

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

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Meeting Summary – June 2016

- The June meeting got underway at 7:00pm with 21 members present.
- Billy began the meeting by describing the impact that Jack Hepler had on himself and the RACC. Others underscored the impact that Jack has had on their lives and interest in the hobby. A moment of silence was observed in recognition of Jack.
- Gregg provided a Treasurer's report noting a beginning balance of \$1,347.95 with a deposit of \$34.50. The account balance is \$1,381.45. With the \$100 in petty cash, the club's total funds are \$1,481.45.
- The May Minutes and Treasurer's report were unanimously accepted.
- The Heritage Festival was briefly discussed. Volunteers were registered as follows:
 - 0700 – 0900 Russ, Lauri and Mark
 - 0900 – 1200 Danny and Rich
 - 1200 – 3PM Jayden and Ralph
 - 3PM – 4PM Jack
 - Show your club spirit by coming by the booth during the day!
- The meeting was adjourned at 7:40 PM.

Executive Board (EB) Meeting

- The EB for June was postponed.

Upcoming Club Events

- July 21, 2016 Meeting – Membership Auction
- August 18, 2016 Meeting – TBD
- September 15, 2016 Meeting – Membership Auction
- October 20, 2016 Meeting - TBD
- November 17, 2016 Meeting - TBD
- December 15, 2016 Meeting – Christmas Party and Brown Bag Auction

Membership Reminder

- The Treasurer will collect dues for the 2016 – 2017 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

Club Auction!

- July's meeting will be a club auction. Please watch your inbox for an auction form and additional details.

Did You Know?

- The BREXIT has had an impact on gold and silver: "Precious metals futures gained in the mid-week trading session on Wednesday [June 29th]. Gold returned to an almost two-year high while silver logged its strongest close in more than 21 months. Platinum and palladium, meanwhile, each advanced by more than 3%." Silver closed at \$18.32 per ounce!

Source: Coinnews.net

Coin Club/Promoter Show Info

- **Whitman Expo – Baltimore Summer Expo** – July 14 – 17, 2016 at the Baltimore Convention Center. <http://expo.whitman.com/>
- **Salem/Roanoke Valley Coin Show – Aug 20 – 21, 2016** - American Legion, 710 Apperson Drive, Salem, Virginia 24153
- **Virginia Numismatic Association 57th Convention & Coin Show. Sept. 23-25, 2016**
Free Admission and Free Parking. Fredericksburg Expo & Conference Center, 2371 Carl D. Silver Parkway, Fredericksburg, VA 22401. Early Bird Sept 24, 3:00 PM. Cost: \$35.00. Bourse Chairman: John Cunningham, Ph. # 703-303-0783 Email: cunningham314@verizon.net. Floor Bourse: Gregg Coburn greggcoburn@gmail.com. Phone: 540-272-1524. For more information see www.vnaonline.org and www.fredericksburgexpocenter.com.
- **Norfolk Coin Show – Nov 19th, 2016** - VFW Post 4809, 5728 Barteet Street, Norfolk, Virginia 23502
- **For more Virginia show information, please go to:** <http://www.coinshow.us/#!va/coet>

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