

THE NORTHWEST COIN CLUB

Newsletter – January 2022

P.O. Box 18053 Minneapolis, MN 55418-0053



The **January Meeting** of the Northwest Coin Club will be conducted in person and on Zoom at 7:00 P.M. CST on Thursday, January 13, 2022. The Zoom invitation is expected to go out on Tuesday, January 11, 2022. Watch for that invitation.

The club will return to the Saint Cloud State conference room for the January meeting. The conference center is at the St Cloud University Extension, 9750 Rockford Rd Suite 100, Plymouth, MN 55442. (Highway 169 Frontage Road) The entrance is at the northwest corner of the building. A map was provided in the December Newsletter.

As per the requirements of our agreement with the University, who are following the CDC guidelines, those people joining use in person must wear a mask. These are their rules for our contract and we need to follow them. So please bring a mask and wear it while in the building.

January Program

The **January program** will be presented by Wayne Homren. He is the publisher of The E-Sylum, an electronic newsletter sent out to more than 6000 subscribers each week. Wayne will be speaking about Civil War numismatics.

Lincoln Cent Set Sold

A few years ago, a donation was given to our club. This donation consisted of a complete Lincoln Cent collection starting from 1909 to 2007. All of the coins in the keys were included, 1909 S VDB, 1922 no D etc.

This collection was once again dusted off and brought to the fore while at the October MOON Coin Show 2021. The officers of the club decided that it was time to have closure to the donation. Three different dealers at the show were approached to provide competitive bids on what they felt this collection was worth. The high bid was \$1800 from J&J Coins from Iowa. This quote to buy gave the Club the opportunity to sell the collection in the event a member did not come forward to buy. Next the members of our club were given the opportunity to purchase this collection instead. The 1922 was already graded, and the 1909 S VDB was not. This coin was sent to a grading service for authentication. The coin was given to Great Lakes Coins for submission, and it did come back authentic but with environmental damage.

Official bids were sent by silent bid to an impartial judge. Greg B. held the bids until the meeting in December as decided by the officers of the club. During the December meeting, it was announced that Bob H. had the winning bid of \$2200. He is expected to pick up the set at our January meeting.



Coin Show Volunteer Opportunities

As the Money Show committee works toward the final planning of the Money Show for March 18th - 20th, 2022, I would like to make an appeal to our members to volunteer to help with the staffing of various areas around the show. It is the volunteers from our club that make this show rise above the other shows in the area. Our volunteers provide a professional touch that show that we are committed to the numismatic hobby.

Listed below are a number of areas that will need assistance. This shows the vast number of areas and hours that our volunteers put in toward making this Money Show possible. I ask that you consider putting some time aside to assisting us this coming March. Additional information will soon follow that will explain some of the functions of each position. We will be sending around sign-up sheets at our meeting on January 13th as well as the future meetings before the show.

Auction

Friday Afternoon & Saturday Morning

Dealer Donation Collection x 2

Saturday Afternoon

Lot organization x 3 or 4

Sunday

Auctioneer (Ron)

Registration Table x 2

Auditors/Accountants x 6

Floor Spotters x 4

Cashier

Front Registration Desk

Friday

11:30 - 1:30 x 3

1:30 - 3:30 x 2

3:30 - 6 x 2

Saturday

9:30 - 11:30 x 3

11:30 - 1:30 x 2

1:30 - 3:30 x 2

3:30 - 6 x 2

Sunday

9:30 - 11:30 x 3

11:30 - 1:30 x 2

1:30 - 3:00 x 2

Head Table

Friday

11:30 - 1:30 x 2

1:30 - 3:30 x 2

3:30 - 6 x 2

Saturday

9:30 - 11:30 x 2

11:30 - 1:30 x 2

1:30 - 3:30 x 2

3:30 - 6 x 2

Sunday

9:30 - 11:30 x 2

11:30 - 1:30 x 2

1:30 - 3:00 x 2

Exhibits

Friday

11:30 - 1:30 x 1

1:30 - 3:30 x 1

3:30 - 6 x 1

Saturday

9:30 - 11:30 x 1

11:30 - 1:30 x 2

1:30 - 3:30 x 1

3:30 - 6 x 1

Sunday

9:30 - 11:30 x 1

11:30 - 1:30 x 1

1:30 - 3:00 x 1

**DON'T MISS THE FEBRUARY 1, DEADLINE TO SUBMIT YOUR EXHIBIT
APPLICATION FOR THE 2022 NORTHWEST COIN CLUB SPRING MONEY SHOW**

If you are planning to display an Exhibit or a Numismatic Story Board at the 2022 Northwest Coin Club Spring Money Show, please be sure to submit your Application before the February 1, 2022 deadline.

Competitive Exhibits:

Exhibiting is all about telling numismatic stories with coins, medals, tokens, currency, and all manner of exonomia. The exhibiting Format is flexible. Maybe you want to exhibit your collection in a traditional table top exhibit in one or more dealer cases. Maybe you have in mind an upright/vertical framed State Fair style exhibit on an easel. Either format is acceptable, and both will be judged together, with first, second and third place medals being awarded. There will also be a "peoples choice" award for the most popular exhibit selected by Show attendees.

New this year: The Numismatic Story Board, A non-competitive alternative

Do you want to share your numismatic knowledge, but don't want your coins to compete with those of other collectors, or perhaps you don't *have* the coins needed to fill out a traditional exhibit. A tri-fold, vertical, "science fair" style triptych might be the answer. This year, the Northwest Coin Club (NWCC) has created a new category of information sharing, we call, "**The Numismatic Story Board.**"

With or without coins, you can share a coin related narrative to inform and entertain. The Numismatic Story Boards will not be judged, and are therefore not eligible for awards.

Applications

Whether you plan to display an Exhibit or a Numismatic Story Board, the Applications are available at the Northwest Coin Club website, or by clicking [Exhibit Application](#) for the Exhibit Application or [Numismatic Story Board Application](#) for the Numismatic Story Board Application. Fill one out and submit the Application by scanning it and attaching it to an e-mail addressed to:

nwccmoneyshow@gmail.com

OR

Print out an Exhibit Application and submit the hard copy to:

Northwest Coin Club
Attn: Exhibit Chair
P.O. Box 18053
Minneapolis, MN 55418-0053

We look forward to you sharing information at this year's Northwest Coin Club's Spring Money Show.

Report From Historian

At the December meeting, Dave M. provided the historian with a badge from the 1961 Central States show hosted by the Northwest Coin Club. I did not know that there were two forms of the badge. The one with the hanging medal is familiar. The one with the sawtooth bottom is a new discovery (for me).

Glenn S. was Glenn Smedley, a well-known member of the ANA. The ANA Glenn Smedley Memorial Award is named for him.

Mrs. E. Cedarleaf was Emma Viola Cedarleaf, widow of Evar T. Cedarleaf. He died in 1959 and she joined the ANA in 1960 as member #35270. She was not known to be a member of the Northwest Coin Club.

