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Membership:

Adults: \$12.00 per year
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www.stancocoinclub.org

Club Address

P.O. Box 1672
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Club Meetings

2nd & 4th Wednesdays @ 7:00p.m.
Denny's Diner
1525 McHenry Ave, Modesto, CA

PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

We're going home! Our first meeting this month will still be at Perko's, but Denny's should be ready for our return by the second meeting. It was nice to have a little change of pace, but I think we'll all appreciate having our old room back. Can't wait to see what they've done with the place!

We've got a new Show-and-Tell theme this month: Military Money! Military conflicts always leave their mark on a nation's money, and military heroes are frequent subjects of both circulating and commemorative coins. Look through your collection, and find that coin, or note, that has some war stories to tell. I said hustle, private!

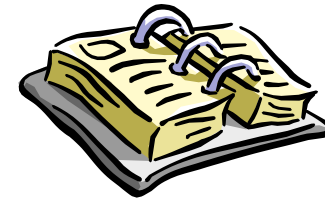
Speaking of hustling, the time to earn incentive tickets for our coin show raffle is running out! If you haven't sold a book (or ten) of tickets yet, you only have until our first meeting in June for them to count towards earning your free tickets. Be sure to see **Nick Lopez** at the meetings to check out tickets, and if you've already sold some, get the stubs back into him, with \$9 for each book of ten stubs, to lock in your incentive tickets. Happy selling, everyone, and good luck in the raffle (dibs on the \$5 gold, though).

-Aaron Brown

FROM THE JUNIOR COORDINATOR

Big, big thanks to everyone who contributed to our very successful Junior Auction last month! Your generosity contributed to big smiles and expanded collections for our younger numismatists!

Mark Your Calendars!



May

Show & Tell Theme: Money and the Military

May 3, 2017 – Board Meeting @ 7:00p.m.

Perko's 4642 Kiernan Ave, Salida

May 10, 2017 – General Meeting @ 7:00p.m.

Perko's 4642 Kiernan Ave, Salida

- (1) Program – Hometown Coins by Eric Goosen
- (2) Mini-Bourse Night

May 24, 2017 – General Meeting @ 7:00p.m.

Back at Denny's

- (1) Auction



June

Show & Tell Theme: Hidden Treasures
(interesting coins found in surprising places)

June 7, 2017 – Board Meeting @ 7:00p.m.

June 14, 2017 – General Meeting @ 7:00p.m.

- (1) Program - TBD (2) Mini-Bourse Night

****** June 17-18, 2017 – Coin Show ******

June 28, 2017 – General Meeting @ 7:00p.m.

- (1) Auction



May Birthdays

Mark Garcia	05/01
Max Davies	05/02
Derek Odom	05/05
Mitch Rudoff	05/05
Jeff Thatcher	05/07
Michael Stitzell	05/14
Brian DeWolf	05/22
Rick Sauls	05/24
Bryn Davies	05/29
Cecilia Lopez	05/29

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Enjoy & Celebrate !!

Welcome New Members

Bryan Neal

Our Show is Coming, Volunteer

The SCCC Coin Show will be the third weekend in June. We will need volunteers for June 16-18. Set up will start at 9AM Friday June 16 (snacks and drinks provided). Then we will need people at the greeting table both Saturday and Sunday. Then tear down will be Sunday at 4pm. Sign-up sheets will be available starting the first meeting this month. See **Harold Harrison** to sign up!

Coin Show Raffle Tickets

Our coin show is June 17 & 18 and raffle tickets are available from **Nick Lopez**. The prizes are: (go to stancocoinclub.org/show.html for pictures)

1st Prize	1908 LIBERTY \$5 GOLD PCGS MS63
2nd Prize	1909 INDIAN HEAD \$2.50 GOLD
3rd Prize	1/10 oz. Gold American Eagle
4th Prize	Gold 2½ Peso
5th Prize	1884 SILVER DOLLAR CC GSA HOARD MS65
6th-15th Prize	2017 1 oz. Silver American Eagle

Please get the tickets and sell, sell, sell! We have 4000 tickets to sell.

Junior Challenge Question

(Question provided by **Aaron Brown**)

Question: What the heck does “E Pluribus Unum” mean?

April Junior Challenge Question: What was the first coin to bear the motto “In God We Trust”? (Hint: It’s not a coin we use today, and was first minted in 1864)

Answer: The Two-Cent Piece.



Membership Challenge Question

(Question provided by **Aaron Brown**)

Question: What State’s coinage was the first to use the motto “E Pluribus Unum”?

April General Membership Question: What two circulating US coins lack the inscriptions Liberty, E Pluribus Unum, and In God We Trust?

Answer: The silver Three-Cent Piece, and the Flying Eagle Cent.



MEETING DATE 4/12/17

Meeting was called to order at 7:01pm by **President Aaron Brown**

Attendance:

Total: **31** Board Members: 9 Jr. Members: 9 plus guests: 0

Guests (guest name):

New members:

First Draw winner: Debra Chadwick

Junior Challenge: First coin to bear the motto "In God We Trust"?

General Challenge: Two circulated coins without these three inscriptions: E Pluribus Unum,

Announcements:

Show & Tell:

1. Mark Garcia – 1918 MS62 Walking Liberty & 1886 N. Borneo One Cent NGC MS62
2. Dylan Vitale – Three Confederate Bills
3. Newell Stitzell – Marine Coin – Toys for Tots Christmastime
4. John Boswell – Chinese year of the Rooster & 1885 Wong Hong Trade Dollar 90% Silver
5. Dolly Sauls – 2017 "P" Lincoln Cent
6. Carol Kailes – 2017 Donald J. Trump Decorated Medal
7. Sofia Lopez – Deadpool Navy Challenge Coin
8. John Silveria – 1,000 Lire Italian Centennial
9. Harold Harrison – Fast Track Car Wash Token from Coinstar

Show & Tell Winner (10 raffle tickets): John Boswell

Free Meal Winner: Carol Kailes

Door Prize Winner: Jon Stout

Raffle:

Winner List

Jim Holden

Dolly Sauls

Ron Meyer

Michael Stitzell

Dylan Vitale

Michael Stitzell

John Silveria

Last Draw Winner: Not Present

Meeting closed at 8:04pm

MEETING DATE 4/26/17

Meeting was called to order at 7:00pm by **President Aaron Brown**

Attendance:

Total: **39** Board Members: 8 Jr. Members: 8 plus guests: 1

Guests (guest name)

New members: 2

First Draw winner: Martha Lopez

Junior Challenge: First coin to bear the motto "In God We Trust"?

General Challenge: Two circulated coins without these three inscriptions: E Pluribus Unum,

Announcements: Denny's is behind schedule on their remodel, first meeting in May will be at Perko's, New babies/members (Barlow's), flyers available, Nick has tickets for the show raffle Sharyn has info on repeater notes for the Junior members

Show & Tell:

1. Sofia Lopez – Trade tokens from the tooth fairy: 100th Anniversary World Championship Timber Carnival Albany, OR 1959 .50¢ & Morro Bay Centennial 1970-71 \$1
2. Eric Goossens – Love token EOC & standing liberty half dollar in watch – eagle is gold plated
3. John Boswell – Uncut sheet of four one dollar bills w/ information
4. Dylan Vitale – Two seated Liberty dimes 1868 & unknown
5. Nicholas Lopez – Coinstar finds: Canadian Penny, dime, and dollar; 5 Piso from the Philippines
6. Lorraine Stout – Silver Round from San Antonio, TX, brothel token, & various elongated pennies from a cross-country trip
7. Bob Droual – Sylvester & Tweetie Bird Commemorative from Canadian Mint

Show & Tell Winner (10 raffle tickets): John Boswell

Free Meal Winner: Michael Ramczyk

Door Prize Winner: Jim Holden

Raffle:

Winner List

Merle Harrison

John Boswell

Eric Goossens

Bob Droual

Dylan Vitale

Pat Kelleher

Alan Adams

Dan Brown

Last Draw Winner: Sofia Lopez

Meeting closed at 8:13pm

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UPCOMING COIN SHOWS

May 21, 2017

**Vallejo Numismatic Society's 45th Annual Coin Show
Florence Douglas Senior Center
333 Amador Street, Vallejo, CA**

June 4, 2017

**Sacramento Coin Show
Lions Gate Hotel
3410 Westover Street
McClellan (Sacramento), CA**

June 8-10, 2017

**Long Beach Coin, Stamp, Currency & Sports Collectibles Expo
Long Beach Convention Center, Hall A
100 S. Pine Avenue, Long Beach, CA**

June 17-18, 2017

**Modesto Coin, Stamp & Collectibles Expo
Clarion Inn Conference Center
1612 Sisk Road
Modesto, CA**

June 23-24, 2017

**NorCal - East Bay / Concord Coin Show
The Clarion Hotel
1050 Burnett Ave.
Concord, CA**

Gold & Silver Spot Prices

	Apr 7	Apr 14	Apr 21	Apr 28
Gold	\$1,269.30	\$1,288.60	\$1,287.70	\$1,269.60
Silver	\$18.46	\$18.59	\$17.98	\$17.30

If you have any questions or comments regarding the newsletter please see **Daniel Brown** at the meetings. Thank you ☺

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