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JANUARY MAGIC



GORDON STUBBS WILL SPEAK AT JANUARY MEETING ON "COINS AND MAGIC"

As the New Year is ushered in we will be dazzled, at the January 9, 2008 meeting, by SJCC Member, **Gordon Stubbs's** presentation on 'Coins and Magic'. Ever wonder about all the magic stuff and how it works? Hopefully, we can ask some questions and find out some trade secrets - or not? Start the New Year out right and bring the family or a friend to San Jose Coin Club's January meeting and enjoy the auction, show & tell, **Gordon's** talk, refreshments and the raffle. You can't win if you don't buy raffle tickets and it's a great way to add to your collection!

JANUARY RAFFLE PRIZES:

1. 1988 1/10 ounce American Gold Eagle, Proof
2. Mexico 1945 2 1/2 pesos gold
3. 1896 Morgan silver dollar
4. 1987 American Silver Eagle
5. 1967 U. S. Special Mint Set
6. 1995-S Olympics "Baseball" half dollar, Proof
7. Mexico 1948 "Cuauhtemoc" five pesos silver
8. 1912-S Barber half dollar
9. 1975 U. S. Proof Set
10. THE BOOK: "America's Money, America's Story" by Richard Doty, \$34.95 retail

LICKIN' AND STICKIN' STAMPS!

We had a great turn out for our Christmas meeting. Thanks to all of the members who applied the mailing labels and stamps to the 5,000 mail out post cards. There was even time to spend talking with your neighbor while helping the club with the annual mail outs.



The Hart Family: Jasmine, Lauren and Evan and other members putting on labels and stamps.

This is one of our most important means of advertising for our show. Thanks to **Kim Alt** for maintaining the name/address database and printing and sending the labels from Oregon, **Martha Davis** for purchasing the 50 rolls of stamps and to **Ray Johnson** for getting the 5,000 advertising cards printed. Can you believe that we addressed 5,000 cards and still had a good time! That's called giving back to your club!

Unfortunately, **Santa** was not feeling well this year and so we had Christmas without him. We hope he has a speedy recovery before Christmas. We then went on to have a wonderful evening with gifts for all in attendance and stockings for the children. Thanks to **Ken Barr** for buying the gifts and raffle prizes every year. Thanks to **Sally Johnson** for bringing in stockings for the kids with lots of fruit, coins and goodies for each and wrapping all the gifts. Thanks again, to **Martha Davis** for the cakes and munchies; and **Sally Johnson** for serving them and cleaning up. We can't forget **Don Barsi** serving up the drinks. The winner of the 1/10th oz Gold Coin goes to **Bill Hurja**. We don't know who won the 2½ peso. Hope all had a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!



HAPPY NEW YEAR



ANNUAL FOOD DRIVE

Thanks to all who donated!

Vice President, Ryan Johnson delivered the donated food to Second Harvest Food Bank. Thanks to all of those members who donated and have helped in the past. We hope our contribution made a happier holiday for someone.

It's Show Time . . . we need our annual helpers! Enclosed is a map to the Breakfast set-up to Southern Kitchen at: 3378 Monterey Hwy. See y'all there!



HAVE YOU MOVED?

Send changes to: Membership Chair,
San Jose Coin Club, PO Box 5621,
San Jose, CA 95150.

San Jose Coin Club meets on the 2nd Wed. of each month (**January 9th this month**) at American Legion Hall; Post 318, 1504 Minnesota Ave., San Jose. Doors open at approx. 6:30 PM, Youth Activities at 7:00 PM and the General Meeting at 7:30 PM.

SEE YOU THERE

DECEMBER ACTIVITIES

AT THE DEC. 12TH GENERAL MEETING

The December 12, 2007 General Meeting was called to order at 7:33 PM by: **President, Fred Davis**. There were 54 members and 5 guests (**Frank Bonfiglio, Kathe Lockley, Richard Schulz, Dianne Medefesser and Peggy Gregory**) in attendance. The auction was called by **Auctioneer, Ken Barr** with **Auction Chair, Richard Boston** doing the accounting and **Vice President, Ryan Johnson** acting as runner. **Fred** asked for volunteers for the up coming show. **Front Desk Chair, Al Lo** passed around a sign-up sheet for the front desk. **Exhibits Chair, Ron Ishizaki** has applications for exhibitors. Exhibit winners will receive ribbons and medals. The only trophy will be awarded to 'Best in Show'. All exhibitors will receive \$5 vouchers for the CSNA Banquet or the SJCC Banquet. **Member, Bill Higgins** reported that **New Hall of Fame Member, Vic Lazzaro** says "Hi". **Medals Chair, Lyle Okamoto** announced that raffle tickets are available to pick up. Show & Tell was omitted from the evening's agenda.

DRAWINGS:

Membership #1 - Fred Davis - 1986S Proof Statue of Liberty, Silver, \$1 Commemorative. **Membership #2 - Ken Barr** - 1989 US Proof Set. **Youth - Jasmine Stapleton-Hart** - 1944S Philippines silver 50 centavos. **President, Fred Davis** acted as **Santa** and passed out gifts from the club, wrapped by **Historian, Sally Johnson**. Board Member, **Bill Hurja** received a 2007 1/10 oz. gold piece. The other Christmas Gold was won by an unknown member.

Minutes from the November 26th Board Meeting were approved.

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: None

Raffle Grand Prize: was won by **Tony Yu** - 1911 \$2.50 Indian U.S. Gold Coin, graded NGC AU58. Meeting adjourned at 10:04 PM.

AT THE DEC. 17TH BOARD MEETING

President, Fred Davis called the board meeting to order at 7:39 pm. He welcomed 11 seated members

and guest, **Member, Ron Ishizaki**. **Recording Secretary, Allison Paker** read the minutes from the December 12, 2007 General Meeting, which were approved as read. **Corresponding Secretary, Al Lo** gave **Treasurer, Ray Johnson** a letter from the Franchise Tax Board. **Fred** read a Raffle Prize Report from **Prize Chair, Ken Barr**. The report showed that the club actually had a \$57 profit after 12 months of purchasing raffle prizes and selling tickets at the general meetings. **Historian, Sally Johnson** reported that she has pictures from the Christmas party. **Program Chair, Ryan Johnson** announced that January's program has changed and Gordon Stubbs will talk on 'Magic and Coins'. **Youth Adviser, Sally Johnson** announced that she is accepting donations for the Treasure Hunt. **Newsletter Editor, Ray Johnson** will include directions in the January Newsletter on how to get to the show set-up breakfast and details on parking for the show committee. **Membership Chair, Ed Sins** announced that **Life Member, Norman Prunier** will reach 50 years of membership in May. **Webmaster, Sally Johnson** stated that the site was current and that the CSNA Banquet form had been added. **Fred** thanked **Sally** for wrapping the Christmas gifts

OLD BUSINESS: **Board Member, Martha Davis** announced that after collecting all of the stamped and addressed post cards at the December meeting, there was a roll of stamps missing. The missing show case keys was brought up again. **Sally** said that she would contact **Jessie** to see if she had found them yet.

NEW BUSINESS: **Ed Sins** inquired about the club's surplus medals. **Medals Chair, Lyle Okamoto** said that we still had a large quantity, including 2006 and 2005 Brass ANA medals.

SHOW BUSINESS: **Kim Alt** has indicated that 2008 may be her last show. **Kim** maintains our Post Card Mail Out data base, makes the dealer signs and makes the badges at the show. Someone will need to take over the duties she is giving up. A new badge system will need to be considered for 2009. The film for our

present camera system has been discontinued. **Larry Benson** will pick up, and return, the trailer, from Lockheed, containing the show cases. We need a volunteer to check cases out to dealers. **Rich Medefesser** is a licensed electrician and volunteered to help with the power hookups. **Dan and Bill Shattuc** will haul the show equipment from the locker. We still need someone to haul the electrical equipment from and back to the locker. Show details were discussed; insurance, snack bar, and hotel reservations. Problems contacting the security contractor and security issues were discussed. **Fred** reviewed Show Committee responsibilities. Show ads have been placed on several online sites and will be placed in several numismatic publications. Changes in the exhibit rules will be in CSNA's next 'The California Numismatist' and on the SJCC website. The information will include: changes in the awards - ribbons and medals instead of trophies, \$5 vouchers to all exhibitors, good toward CSNA or SJCC Banquet and an invitation to exhibit stamps and collectibles. **CSNA Coordinator, Ron Ishizaki** announced that **Jim Hunt** will speak at the educational Forum on 'Denver Gold'. Parking was discussed. **Sally** made a motion to not pay for workers parking, since we have parking passes. The motion was seconded and passed. **Richard Shusterman** moved that the parking passes be given out at the January General Meeting and only show volunteers get them. The motion was seconded and passed. **Bourse Chair, Ray Johnson** reported that, at least, 85 dealers will set up and our financial goal will be met. He is working closely with a local stamp dealer to get more stamp dealers to set up. **Ray** passed out the floor layout. He also looked into ANA's traveling, 3-case, exhibits, which include Hobo Nickels, Ben Franklin, Civil War and Money of the Olympiad. **Ray** read his dealer confirmation letter, which outlined the rules for getting a parking pass for Table Sharing Dealers and replacement passes for those that are lost.

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SJCC OFFICERS & BOARD

12 Seated Members

President - **Fred Davis**
 Vice President - **Ryan Johnson**
 Treasurer - **Ray Johnson**
 Youth President - *Open*
 Recording Sec. - **Allison Paker**
 Corresponding. Sec. - **Al Lo**
 Historian - **Sally Johnson**
 Librarian - **Ed Sins**
 Immed. Past Pres. - **Ray Johnson**
 Curator - *Open*
 Bourse Chair - **Ray Johnson**
 Webmaster - **Sally & Ryan Johnson**

BOARD MEMBERS

Martha Davis *Open*
Bob Furtado **Bill Hurja**
Lyle Okamoto **Richard Shusterman**

Hall of Fame Members are Board Members Emeritus with full voting privileges.

The Board of Directors Meeting convenes on the 4th Monday of each month at 7:30 PM.

4th Monday this Month

This Month, January 28, 2008

MEETING PLACE

Denny's Restaurant
2077 North First Street
(408) 436-8481

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Jan 9 SJCC General Meeting
 Speaker - Gordon Stubbs - Coins and magic
- Jan 28 SJCC Board Meeting
- Jan 31 Show Set-up Day
 Breakfast at 7:30AM at the Southern Kitchen 3378 Monterey Hwy
- Feb 1-3 San Jose Coin, Stamp & Collectibles Show
 Santa Clara County Fair Grounds Pavilion Hall
- Feb 13 SJCC General Meeting
 Giant Show & Tell
- Feb 14-16 Long Beach Coin, Stamp & Collectibles Expo
- Feb 24 Cupertino Coin Club Show
 Napredak Hall, San Jose
- Feb 25 SJCC Board Meeting
- Mar 9 Livermore Valley Coin Club's 45th Annual Coin Show
- Mar 12 SJCC General Meeting
 Speaker- Don Barsi -
- Mar 24 SJCC Board Meeting

See Back Page of Newsletter for Show Details
 Or visit: www.sanjosecoinclub.org
 Click on Club Shows or Club Events

San Jose Coin Club Hall of Fame Award

Yes, it's that time of the year again! We have a lot of people who give of themselves each and every year and don't say much about it. We know in our hearts who these people are and they should be recognized for their dedication to our *club*.

This award isn't about how many times a person wins the medal design contest or who wins for putting in the best displays at the annual shows. They already won an award or recognition for participation. No, this award is about people who actually give back each and every month to *our club* and secondly what ever they have done outside in the community to help promote and encourage our hobby of numismatics.

There are people who give hours of endless work to help keep this club up and running on an annual basis and these are the people that we are talking about. It isn't just about getting an award and those with the most awards wins. No, this award is about the continued efforts of hard work and dedication to *our club* first.

It is very hard to decide who should be in the San Jose Coin Club Hall of Fame. There are a lot of dedicated people who do things without being recognized and sometimes go un-noticed. This is where we all come in and have to do our part. We need to document all of those deeds and hope that we do the right thing for the person who is giving countless hours of themselves to help our club continue to grow for future generations; to continue to honor and award those who have made San Jose Coin Club their number one club.

So, we ask our members, when submitting a person for the San Jose Coin Club Hall of Fame, think long and hard as to who has been doing the work behind the scenes and not just the people that are promoting themselves just to be in the San Jose Coin Club Hall of Fame.

On the back of the Hall of Fame rules is a list of all of those inducted into the "Hall of Fame," some you may recognize and some you may not. I feel all those inducted deserve to be there. Of the inductee's that you know, take a look and see if you feel that they were good choices. I think that you will see that some of these people are still active in your club and still working hard to promote the San Jose Coin Club in a positive way.

This is your club, get involved and help promote numismatics in and around your community.

Article by: Sally Johnson

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Ray passed around a sample of the \$100 certificate which is good towards 2009 bourse fees. Three lucky dealers, who are still set up at 2:00 PM on Sunday will win one. Bob Furtado reported that he has found a donut shop that will work with the club for donuts for the show. The meeting adjourned at 9:32 PM.

FREE ANNUAL SHOW LISTINGS

at

www.sanjosecoinclub.org

The SJCC web masters are asking for all club members and other Northern California clubs to either write or e-mail the San Jose Coin Club, c/o Ryan & Sally Johnson with your club's annual show information. It is very difficult to get current and correct show information from other clubs. So, we need everyone's help to get the shows listed with enough time for people to plan on attending an upcoming event. We will, at your request, add discount coupons, meeting times or educational lectures. This can be a valuable advertising tool for our clubs. We advertise for "FREE" on our club website. It also helps those of you who have a computer, use one at work or use the one at the library. You can always log on and find out where and when the latest show is happening in the Bay Area with maps showing locations of shows or local clubs.

This would be a great asset to the web masters if everyone helped in maintaining show information. Below is a list of items needed for show listings.

2008 Show Dates:

Hours:

Location:

Youth Program:

Admission:

Parking:

Number of Dealer/Tables:

Dealer Information:

Bourse Chair:

Address:

Phone:

E-mail:

Website:

Special Features:

**LOCAL
COIN SHOW
LISTINGS**



April 10 - 13, 2008
November 13 - 16, 2008

Kids' Treasure Hunt Sat. 11 - 2 PM
General Admission: \$6.00
Children 7 & Under: **FREE**
Children 8-16: \$3.00
Seniors 65 & Up: \$3.00
Club Members (w/Membership Card): \$3.00

SHOW HOURS:

Thursday: 11:00AM - 7:00PM
Friday & Saturday: 10:00AM - 7:00PM
Sunday: 10:00AM - 3:00PM

LOCATION:

Santa Clara Convention Center
5001 Great America Parkway
Santa Clara, CA 95054
www.santaclaraexpo.com



February 14 - 16, 2008
May 29 - 31, 2008
September 18 - 20, 2008

Kids' Treasure Hunt Sat. 11 - 2 PM

ADMISSION:

General Admission: \$6.00
Children 7 & Under: **FREE**
Seniors 65 & Up: \$3.00
Club Members (w/ Membership Card): \$4.00

SHOW HOURS:

Thursday & Friday: 10:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Saturday: 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

CLOSED SUNDAY

LOCATION:

Long Beach Convention Center
100 South Pine Ave.
Long Beach, CA 90802
www.longbeachexpo.com

**SAN JOSE
COIN, STAMP & COLLECTIBLES
SHOW**



**CALIFORNIA STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION
122nd CONVENTION**

FEBRUARY 1, 2, 3, 2008

**PAVILION HALL
SANTA CLARA COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS**

344 Tully Road, San Jose, CA

Free Admission with any Ad Parking \$8

Bring your Family or a Friend

**Do you have a coin or token you can't identify?
Bring it to our Information Desk.**

**Enjoy the CSNA sponsored Educational Forum
On Saturday**

**Bring the kids Saturday for our greatest Treasure
Hunt ever**

••• • SEE YOU THERE ••••

**CUPERTINO COIN CLUB'S
36TH ANNUAL COIN SHOW**

February 24, 2007

Napredak Hall, 770 Montague Expressway, San Jose, CA
ADMISSION \$2 • KIDS FREE • FREE PARKING • GOLD AND SILVER DRAWING

Bourse - Bruce Braga (408) 839-1883 or (916) 354-1592 brucebraga1@aim.com

WHO WILL BE OUR 24TH MEMBER OF SAN JOSE COIN CLUB'S HALL OF FAME

We will all find out at the Banquet in April, but in the mean time, the wheels need to start cranking on getting some nominations. Any member of good standing can participate by *submitting* a name to a board member. The board member has to submit the nominee to the board. The board hears the list of nominees at the February Board Meeting and votes at the March meeting.

Following is a list of our Hall of Fame Members:

1982 *Rudy Gjurovich*
1983 *Al Mandell*
1984 Don Pritchett
1985 *Charles Kappen*
1986 *Denis Hooker*
1987 Jean Pritchett
1988 *Roy Hill*
1991 Steve Sanford
1992 *Frank Corral*
1993 *Ron Miller*
1994 *Rod Perrelli*
1995 *Constance Perham*
1996 George Andrey
1997 *George Hodges*
1998 Ken Barr
2000 *Marshall Myers*
2001 Dean Alfred
2002 Wally Wallaker
2003 Larry Benson
2004 Ray Johnson
2005 Sally Johnson
2006 John Schmidt
2007 Vic Lazzaro

Note: *Deceased*

SAN JOSE COIN CLUB HALL OF FAME GUIDELINES

Purpose: The purpose of the Hall of Fame is to provide a lasting tribute to members who have provided outstanding service to the San Jose Coin Club over a long period of time.

Eligibility: Any member in continuous good standing for five years shall be eligible for nomination for the Hall of Fame. Said member shall be in good standing at the time of nomination, if living, or a member in good standing at the time of his/her death, if deceased.

Criteria for Selection: The primary criteria for selection shall be service to the San Jose Coin Club. Service rendered to the hobby in general, or to other organizations may be noted as a part of the nomination and presentation, but shall not be used as a substitute for service rendered to the club.

Number of Persons to be Elected: No more than one person per year may be elected to the Hall of Fame. It is anticipated that in some years, no person shall be so elected. The Board of Directors shall not attempt to elect more than one candidate in a given year on the basis that no candidate was elected in a prior year.

Nominating Procedure: Nominations shall be made, by the February Board Meeting, to the Board of Directors, in writing, stating the name of the candidate, his/her membership status, the service or services performed for the club that are cause for nomination, plus any additional services to the hobby that the nominator chooses to include. Nominations may be made by a committee appointed by the president for this purpose, or by any other member of the Board of Directors with or without the approval or consent of said committee, at any meeting of the Board of Directors during the year. The secretary shall retain all said statements of nomination on file until the election.

Election Procedure: The president shall set aside time during the March Board Meeting, for the election of a candidate for the Hall of Fame. All written statements shall be read to the Board of Directors in their entirety, without abbreviation or deletion for any cause. If there is more than one nominee, the statements shall be read in alphabetical order. A period for questions shall be opened. Following that question period, an election shall be held by written ballot for a candidate for the Hall of Fame. Each member of the Board of Directors shall have one vote and shall vote for one candidate from the list of nominees. If no nominee shall receive a majority of the votes on the first ballot, a second written ballot shall be taken limited to the two nominees (or more in case of a tie) with the highest vote total. This procedure shall continue until one nominee achieves a majority vote of the Board of Directors. The nominee shall be the candidate for addition to the Hall of Fame. The presiding officer shall pose the question to the Board of Directors, "Shall John Doe be elected to the Hall of Fame?" A written ballot shall be taken. A two-thirds vote of all directors present, eligible to vote, and voting shall be required for the candidate to be elected. If the candidate achieves the two-thirds affirmative vote, he/she is elected. If the candidate fails, no person shall be elected that year.

Installation: The president or presiding officer at the annual banquet shall conduct an appropriate ceremony to induct the successful candidate into the Hall of Fame. The exact nature of the ceremony will depend upon whether the candidate is present, in absentia, or whether the addition is posthumous.

Maintenance of Records: The recording secretary shall retain a copy of all nominating statements for five years for the use of future nominations. After that time, the records shall be turned over to the club historian for permanent retention.

First Position: Rudy Gjurovich, pioneer member (holds membership #1), fourth president, and vice-president emeritus of the San Jose Coin Club, shall be given first place in the Hall of Fame, bypassing the normal requirements for nomination and election.



SAN JOSE COIN CLUB

EXHIBIT JUDGING SHEET

Exhibit No. _____

Number of Cases _____

Judge No. _____

NUMISMATIC INFORMATION - Total Maximum Points: 40

Title and Introduction - 5 Points

Title should be prominent enough to be seen immediately. Introductory information should make clear the scope and objective of the exhibit.

Basic Numismatic Information - 20 Points

Description of specimens should be clear and concise. Details supplied should be adequate for the viewer to gain full understanding and appreciation of the individual specimens as collector objects. Degree of satisfaction to the numismatist.

Special and non-numismatic Facts - 15 Points

Interesting biographical, historical, geographical and heraldic background details. This phase should balance, not dominate the exhibit. Degree of satisfaction to a non-numismatist.

PRESENTATION - Total Maximum Points: 30

Creativity and Originality - 10 Points

Personal judgment pure and simple.

Tastefulness and Attractiveness - 10 Points

Color harmony, arrangement of parts should create a generally pleasing display. Points awarded on degree of achievement of this effect.

Balance - 10 Points

Relation of specimens, information, decoration, non-numismatic objects, gimmicks to each other, and to the achievement of a pleasing total effect.

COMPLETENESS - Total maximum Points: 15

The exhibitor earns points according to availability of specimens and display space limitations. The judge is guided by the exhibitor's chosen title and introduction.

CONDITION - Total Maximum Points: 10

Depends on market availability

RARITY - Total Maximum Points: 5

If rare pieces are required for completeness among more common specimens, points should be awarded for the achievement, equal to points assigned to an exhibit composed entirely of rarities. If no rarities are displayed or required, by the subject and scope, no less than 2 points shall be awarded.

100 Possible Points GRAND TOTAL _____

Please see reverse side for judge's comments

SAN JOSE COIN SHOW Exhibit Rules

1. The exhibit may be competitive or non-competitive. All exhibits must be the bona fide property of the exhibitor.
2. No advertising or other commercialism shall be in the exhibit.
3. Installation of exhibits may begin on Friday at 9:00 AM. Any exhibits intended for competition must be in place by 11:00 AM Saturday unless prior arrangements are made with the Exhibits Chairperson. No exhibits shall be dismantled before 2:00 PM on Sunday.
4. Security will be in effect from 8:00 AM Friday thru 4:00 PM Sunday. Any exhibit installed prior to or removed later than these times will be at the exhibitor's risk. Due precautions will be observed at all times, but no responsibility shall be attached to the San Jose Coin Club, its officers, or its members for any loss or damage. **INSURANCE IS NOT PROVIDED**, and if desired, must be purchased by the exhibitor.
5. An exhibitor may use up to three cases (personal or club). A reasonable number of (approximately 24" X 36") cases will be furnished by the San Jose Coin Club. Exhibitors may be required to provide their own locks. Exhibitors should indicate their case/space needs on the application.
6. Requests for exhibit space should be sent at least seven days prior to the show. Requests received after that date will be subject to the accommodations available.
7. There will be no exhibit subject categories. Adults will compete among themselves and juniors (under 18) among themselves. A "Charles V. Kappen Best of Show Award" will be awarded to the exhibitor receiving the most total points. Exhibits previously winning "Best of Show" are not eligible for this award.
8. In the event an individual enters more than one exhibit in the competition, only one award, based on the highest score, will be awarded. Individuals shall not enter exhibits in other people's names to get around this rule.



SAN JOSE COIN, STAMP & COLLECTIBLES SHOW

Exhibit Application

Mail to: San Jose Coin Club, PO Box 5621, San Jose, CA 95150

Attn: Exhibits Chair

Please reserve _____ cases or _____ feet of space for my exhibit. By so applying, I agree to abide by the rules of the competition and the decision of the judges.

Exhibitor's Name _____ Date _____
Please Print Clearly

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone () - e-mail _____

Exhibit Title _____

Exhibit Class: () Adult () Junior () Non-competitive

Signature _____
If Exhibitor is under 18, parent or guardian must co-sign

Printed Name (Parent or Guardian) _____