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“Beware of the Hype!” September 11, 2019

We will also be having our auction, show & tell, drawings and raffle.

September’s raffle prizes

1. Mexico 1945 two pesos gold coin
2. 1925 Peace dollar, NGC About Uncirculated
3. 1960 Franklin half dollar, Proof
4. Canada 1958 "Totem Pole" silver dollar
5. 1942 Walking Liberty half dollar
6. 1974 U. S. Proof Set
7. 1883 "No Cents" Liberty nickel
8. 1953-A \$5 Silver Certificate (blue seal)
9. 1982-D George Washington commemorative silver half dollar, BU
10. 1965 Lincoln cent, off-center error

Upcoming

**Oct 9 SJCC General Meeting
“Giant Auction”**

San Jose Coin Club meets on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at American Legion Hall Post 318, 1504 Minnesota Ave., San Jose. Doors open at approximately 6:30 pm with the General Meeting starting at 7:30 pm.

Bring a friend!

September Meeting

Welcome to our September general meeting. Tonight will be “Beware of the Hype!” by **Larry Benson**. Larry’s talk promises to have something to interest (or Offend) everyone! His talk will cover 3 very important numismatic areas which won’t be divulged. You must attend to find out what these are!

Larry is a San Jose Coin Club **Life Member**, joining in March 1977. He is past - President, Treasurer, Show Chairman, and chair of many other club activities. In 2003 he was inducted as our **Hall of Fame as number 19**. He is both a collector and a dealer!.

We hope to have a large turnout for this exciting talk!

Our 2020 Medals

Our 2020 medal featuring the 1914 Ford Model T Touring car (**Sally Johnson’s** design) is at the minter. Ordering information will be available next month.

Our 52 years medal program began with the 1969 design of our First State Capitol Building on the obverse and show information on the reverse. Thirty-four numbered (#1-34) silver medals and 1,000 oxidized golden bronze were struck and quickly sold to members & collectors.

Other Hobbies Night

Michael S. Turrini: My collecting addiction gone wild

Don Pannell: 150 Ann. Trans-continental Stamps & Collectibles

Mario Miramontes: Old eye glasses

Larry Benson: My many other hobbies through the Ages!

Keith Scott : rocks – geodes, petrified wood, crystals

Kathy Benson: Fun needlework

Richard Shusterman: What it means to be a Raiders season tickets holder!

Brian Daniels: My Secrets of collecting valuable art paintings

Al Lo: Oldies But Goodies – CDs from the 50’s, 60’s, & 70’s

In 1970, 49 numbered and 22 un-numbered silver medals & 1,000 oxidized golden bronze were minted. By 1981 200 numbered & 50 un-numbered silver & 3,000 brz were minted.

Now, due to changing interests, movement out of the area, and attrition, the demand for silver and bronze has decreased. Some of our early numbered medals (#1-49) have not been claimed and are available for current members to buy and own that number. If you have a favorite number, see **Al Lo** for available numbers.

August's Meetings

The General Meeting August 14, 2019

Club President **Al Lo** called our general meeting to order at 7:28 p.m.

Aloha! **Al** welcomed everyone to our August general meeting and **Other Hobbies Night**. There were 29 members, four guests and one dog in attendance. Our guests were **Steve Chan**, a husband and wife with their dog, and **David Trimmingham**, president of Fairfield Coin Club

Keith Scott brought chocolate muffins, cookies, cut oranges, cheese crackers, grapes and sodas. **Al Lo** brought sodas leftover from our CCC/SJCC Joint Picnic that were provided by **Betty Holmes**. **Michael S. Turrini** brought pimento olives and sweet peppers.

Don Pannell conducted our club auction. **Briita Ehlers** was our auction chair. **Keith Scott** was our runner. **Lyle Okamoto** handed out Membership Prize slips.

After our club auction, **President Al Lo** thanked **Don**, **Briita** and **Keith**. There were rounds of applause.

Announcements:

Michael S. Turrini had coin show listings, announced the CSNA/NCNA Northern California Numismatic Forum on Saturday, September 14, 2019, and 30th Annual Fairfield Coin & Collectibles Show on Sunday, August 18, 2019, noted that there was Congressional legislation for new commemorative coins, and published his Coin Celebrants article on **Xan Chamberlain** in the August 6 issue of Numismatic News.

Guest **David Trimmingham**, president of Fairfield Coin Club, introduced himself and announced the 30th Annual Fairfield Coin & Collectibles Show on Sunday, August 18, 2019. The show flyer gave you \$1 off admission, but if you saw **David** at the show, he would get you in for free.

Fred Davis announced the **Scott Griffin** CoinExpo on Friday through Sunday, September 13-15, 2019. **Fred** noted that the grand prize in the CoinExpo club drawing was a 1908-D \$5 gold, PCGS MS-61.

Lyle Okamoto had flyers for the upcoming local coin shows.

Keith Scott announced the Heritage and Stack's/Bowers auctions.

Bill Higgins donated two W-mint quarters to our club raffle.

Show and Tell

Michael S. Turrini Iceland, 1930, 5 kronur
Don Pannell 2019 Coin & Currency Set
Edward Sins 1863-S Liberty double eagle
Ribert Hedgecock Series 1928 \$1 Silver Certificate
Ron Ikebe **Ray Dalio** story on MarketWatch
Martha Davis Canada 1/4 oz. Polar Bear
Harold Woron 2019 Coin & Currency Set-Part 2
Brian Daniels 1892 Barber quarter, PCGS MS-62, green CAC
Keith Scott 1836 Gobrecht dollar
Lyle Okamoto CCC/SJCC Joint Picnic prize
Bill Higgins W-mint quarters
Larry Benson U.S. Mint order adventure

Suzy Trigonis drew our winning Membership Prize: **Lyle Okamoto** (2002 U.S. Proof Set)

Mario Miramontes drew our winning Show and Tell Prize: **Bill Higgins** (1972 Blue Ike)

Other Hobbies Night

Michael S. Turrini collecting addiction gone wild
Don Pannell philately
Mario Miramontes eye glasses
Larry Benson other hobbies
Keith Scott rocks
Kathy Benson eedlework
Richard Shusterman Raiders season tickets
Brian Daniels collecting art
Al Lo 50's - 70's CDs

A break was called. During the break, **Martha Davis** sold drawing tickets on behalf of our club.

Drawing Time. **Suzy Trigonis** drew our first two winning tickets. The first ticket drawn was buried beneath the Grand Prize.

1. **Bill Higgins**
2. **David Trimmingham**
3. **John Miguelgorry**
4. **Martha Davis**
5. **Al Lo**

6. **Michael S. Turrini**
 7. **Bill Higgins**
 8. **Martha Davis**
 9. **Al Lo**
 10. **Bill Higgins** (donated back), **John Miguelgorry** (W-mint quarter)
 11. **Rich Medefesser** (W-mint quarter)
- Grand Prize: Al Lo** (1937 Buffalo nickel, NGC MS-66)

Everyone helped put away the tables and chairs. Our general meeting adjourned at 9:20 p.m. **Keith Scott** closed up the American Legion Hall.

Lyle Okamoto
SJCC Secretary

The Board Meeting August 14, 2019

Lyle Okamoto and guest **David Trimmingham** set up the tables and chairs at the **American Legion Hall**.

President: **Al Lo**
 Vice President: **Keith Scott**
 Secretary: **Lyle Okamoto**
 Librarian: **Ed Sins**

Board Members (2): **Messrs. Michael S. Turrini** and **Derek Zediker**

Hall of Fame Members (2): **Larry Benson** and **Ray Johnson**

Club President Al Lo called our August board meeting to order at 6:18 p.m. There were six board members and two Hall of Fame members present.

Vice President Keith Scott gave last month's notes to **President Al Lo**.

Acting Recording Secretary Lyle Okamoto reported nothing new.

Corresponding Secretary Lyle Okamoto received the usual coin club newsletters, ANA August 2019 The Numismatist, CSNA letter, Second Harvest Food Bank letter, Citibank statement, Deluxe advertising letter, medal order letter and refund checks from the Secretary of the State of California.

President Al Lo noted that as of July 31, 2019, we had \$24,498.99 in our club Citibank checking account.

Program Chair Keith Scott reported that there were two openings for presenters in September and November 2019. Two people volunteered to speak.

Wednesday, September 11, 2019
Larry Benson speaks, topic TBD

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SJCC Officers & Board

President- **Al Lo**
 Vice President-**Keith Scott**
 Youth President- **Open**
 Recording Sec- **Open**
 Corresponding Sec- **Lyle Okamoto**
 Treasurer- **Tom Kearns**
 Historian- **Steve Seelig**
 Librarian- **Ed Sins**
 Immed. Past Pres.- **Dean Birge**
 Curator- **Scott Safe**
 Bourse- **Open**
 WebMaster- **Sally Johnson**

Board Members

Don Hill
Richard Schulz
Michael S. Turrini
Derek Zediker

The Board Meeting is at **6:15PM** before the General meeting.

Next Board Meeting:
September 11, 2019

American Legion Hall
1504 Minnesota Ave.
San Jose, CA

UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS

- Oct 9** SJCC General Meeting
Giant Auction
- Nov 13** SJCC General Meeting
Speaker: Michael S. Turrini – “What’s in the Box? Part 2”
- Dec 11** SJCC General Meeting
Christmas Party

Board Meetings Start at 6:15PM
 Before the General Meeting

Changing Addresses?
 Please update your contact information with Membership Chair Ed Sins

Board Minutes continued...

Wednesday, October 9, 2019

Giant Auction

Wednesday, November 13, 2019

Michael S. Turrini tentatively speaks, topic TBD

Wednesday, December 11, 2019

Christmas Party

Membership Chair Ed Sins

received three membership renewal checks and one piece of returned mail (moved, no forwarding address).

Michael S. Turrini commended **Al Lo** on the nice job that **Al** did on our August newsletter. **Sally Johnson** was still our acting webmaster.

Picnic Food Chair Keith Scott

noted that 34 people of the 37 who signed-up attended our CCC/SJCC Joint Picnic on Saturday, August 10, 2019. **Keith** brought 33 pounds of meat and other goodies to our picnic.

Ray Johnson reported selling about 40 SJCC silver medals so far. Discussions ensued about numbered silver medals and the use of older silver medals in our club inventory for melt for next year's medals.

Larry Benson moved to authorize **Ray Johnson** to mail the package of 109 ounces of silver that **Ray** prepared to the minter. **Ed Sins** seconded. The motion passed.

Old Business: Keith Scott evaluated a bunch of club donations. **Keith Scott** and **Ken Barr** will determine how to best use the donated coins (e.g. auction, raffle, door prizes, etc.).

A discussion ensued about the final turn-over of club materials from **Sally Johnson** to **Al Lo**. The end of the month was tentatively set as the time.

Ed Sins moved to adjourn our board meeting. **Keith Scott** seconded. Our board meeting adjourned at 7:12 p.m.

Lyle Okamoto
 SJCC Secretary

UPCOMING SHOWS!

SANTA CLARA COIN, STAMP & SPORT COLLECTIBLES SHOW

September 13, 14, 15, 2019
SANTA CLARA CONVENTION CTR
 5001 Great America Pkwy., Santa Clara, CA
 Admission \$6 w/ any ad or flier \$2 off
 Parking: **Free**
 Fri. 10-7pm, Sat. 10-6pm,

CSNA and NCNA FORUM

Saturday, September 14, 2019

Northern California Numismatic Forum: “Transportation Numismatics”

VALLEJO NAVAL and HISTORICAL MUSEUM

734 Marin Street, Vallejo, CA
 Admission **FREE** - Parking: **FREE**
 Saturday 8:30-4pm

SACRAMENTO VALLEY COIN CLUB

Saturday September 28, 2019
FOUR POINTS SHERATON HOTEL
 4900 Duckhorn Dr, Sacramento CA
 Admission: \$3.00 Parking: **FREE!**
 Dealers 36 / Tables: 50

DIABLO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY'S 21ST ANN. CONTRA COSTA'S COIN & COLLECTIBLES SHOW

October 12, 13, 14, 2019

ELK'S LODGE

1475 Creekside Drive
 Walnut Creek, CA
Youth: 12 years and under **FREE!**
Admission: \$3.00/\$1 off w/ coupon
Parking: FREE!
Dealers: Over 30 West Coast Dlrs

DELTA COIN CLUB'S Annual Coin Show

October 19, 20, 2019

EAGLE'S HALL

1492 Bourbon Street, Stockton, CA
Youth: Quarter Hunt for the Kids'
Admission: FREE! Parking: FREE
Dealers / Tables: 40+