



South Brevard Coin Club

Monthly Newsletter

February 2014

Did you join us for our last meeting? If you didn't there are lots of new happenings.

FOUR RAFFLE PRIZES: Last month we had three raffle prizes and this month we are adding a fourth. If you didn't come last month you missed your chance to win a 2011 Silver Eagle, a 1993 Madison Commemorative Silver Half, PCGS MS69 and a 1982 Proof Washington Commemorative Silver Half Dollar with box and COA.

This month's raffle prizes:

2013 1 oz. Silver Eagle
1993 S Madison Commemorative Silver ½ Dollar PCGS PR 69
1882 S Washington Commemorative Silver ½ Dollar w/box, and coa.
1999S Kennedy Half Graded PCGS PR 69

The more tickets we sell the better the prizes will be.

We'll be having a Coin Trivia question with a **PRIZE** again. The prizes are a 1927 Standing Liberty 25c. & silver dimes.

GRADING EXERCISE: Tim J. will be bringing some coins for a grading exercise on a 1942 Mercury dime and a 1956 Franklin Half, both in circulated condition. The coins will be available for viewing from 6:30 to 7:00 p.m. We'll compare our grades during the business portion of the meeting.

AND THE WINNING BID IS...We had a lively auction last month. A few bidding wars took place. See the attached sheets for items already up for auction this month.

APPS TO HELP YOU GRADE AND MAKE PURCHASES:

NGC app – scan or punch in the NGC slab number to be sure it's genuine – FREE

PCGS Price Guide – FREE

CoinBook PRO – \$3.99 – coin prices, pictures, mintage, and grading instructions-it's like the Red Book in an app. It's pricing is similar to N. N. price guide

Gold Chart & Silver Chart – \$2.99 each- gives current gold prices and as well charting 20 year history of prices.

PCGS Photograde – FREE –This gives pix of all U. S. coins in each grade.

Stew shared his apps with us last month and started us on the mission to find more. These are all for the iPhone, but are probably available for other phones too. If you know of any others, please bring them to Show & Tell to share.

PROGRAM: This month program is **Seated Liberties** by Stan L. Bring something from your collection and share your thoughts.

Bonnie & Tim Janecke will also give a short talk about what they learned at the FUN SHOW Luncheon.

SHOW AND TELL:

Howie brought a 1907 \$5.00 Liberty Head Gold Coin.

Bonnie brought in a 1976 Turks and Caicos Twenty Crown 4 stages of Queen Victoria's reign silver coin struck by the Royal Canadian Mint inside a booklet with History of her reign.

Martin brought in his BCS Championship Coin for his beloved Florida State Seminoles. It was minted at the highland mint which will be manufacturing coins from the upcoming super bowl. The mint is located in Melbourne. Be sure to check out Martin's picture on the website under members finds

Neal found a 1932 quarter in change, while Stan found a 1950 D Jefferson. Was someone spending their inheritance!

We love those Show and Tells. Keep them coming!

OLD BUSINESS

HAVE YOU RENEWED YOUR MEMBERSHIP? Your 2014 Membership is now Due. It's \$10 per person. A membership application is attached to this email and will be included in the mail version. Haven't been to a meeting in while. Give us another try.

Two By Law changes passed:

One adds 2 more members to the Board of Directors making the total 9. The other allows the membership to vote on offering free memberships as an incentive to joining. The revised ByLaws are attached to the E-mail version of the newsletter. We will have some printed copies for those members who want them at the next meeting. They are also available for download on our webpage.

Next meeting is Wednesday, February 5th, 2014

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