

FAIRFIELD COIN CLUB

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Monthly Meeting Dates Social Hour: 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

4th Wednesdays Youth Meeting: 6:00 – 6:30 p.m.

Regular Meeting: 6:30 p.m.

Meeting Location Next Meeting: February 27, 2019

Grace Episcopal Church Meeting Number: "500"

1st & Kentucky Streets, Fairfield CA.

UPCOMING MONTHLY THEMES: (Tentative)

JANUARY: "What's in the Box by Michael Turrini

FEBRUARY: Valentine's Day - Romantic coins

MARCH: St Patrick's - Show off your gold night

APRIL: Easter Animals on coins

MAY: Cinco de Mayo Food & Mexican coins

JUNE: Sports Coins & Medals ----- Joint Picnic

JULY: 4th of July Hawaiian Night BINGO

AUGUST: Fairfield Coin Show August 18th

SEPTEMBER: What did you get at the coin show?

OCTOBER: Pizza Night Scott G presentation

NOVEMBER: Anything goes night?

<u>DECEMBER: DARK – JOINT CHRISTMAS PARTY</u>



Goodbye 2018. Hello 2019!

Our first Fairfield Coin Club of the year was held this past January 23rd and it was a lot of fun. If you missed it please try and make our February 27th meeting which is also our #500th meeting of our club. We will have a bigger celebration on Sunday, April 7th at 11:00 AM along with our sister coin club (Vallejo) celebrating their 65th anniversary too at the Florence Douglas (Senior) center. It will be a lot of fun. The governing boards of both clubs met on Monday January 28th at the Dennys in Cordelia to discuss upcoming club business. The Christmas party, the summer picnic, our club's August coin show and the April 7th joint club celebration were discussed in detail. We need all your participation and

volunteering throughout the year. Let's make it one of the best ever. We held nominations and elections at our January meeting and all club positions except Secretary were filled by the same current volunteers. President = David Trimingham; Vice President = Bill Bartz; and Treasurer = Scott Griffin. I (the president) am still doubling as the secretary and I could use some help. Please let me know what you like about the Newsletter and what you might want changed.

We had one new member join from afar (Shasta Lake) so he might pop into one of our meetings once in a while. Be sure to say hello. Please keep trying to recruit and promote our Fairfield Coin Club. Don't let this neat hobby shrink. Our club along with Vallejo's and one other local club are supporting the "Coins for A's and B's program. We will be checking students report cards (Middle School and up). If they have an A they can get an "Ike" silver dollar from our joint clubs treasury collection. Should the student have multiple A's they get that many Ikes'. Also, if the student has B's they receive that many Kennedy Half Dollars too. It pays to be smart and hopefully more young students will join the hobby. This is a test program that we are promoting, so please help us get the word out in support of it.

2019 dues are now due and payable to the club secretary. Membership prices have again remained the same at \$10 dollars. Our club has approximately 48 members and many are life members so if you are not a life member please pay your \$10 dollars for the full year of 11 months, which helps pay for the newsletter and drinks at the monthly meetings.

Would you like to practice your public speaking? How about teaching a coin, precious metal, or paper money lesson this new year at one of our clubs Wednesdays meetings. Please contact one of the clubs officers to make arrangements. A projector screen can be made available. Unfortunately, where we meet there is no WIFI for a laptop. Please get involved and volunteer a lot this year.

Food, Kids Club, door prizes and auction donation items are always welcome and appreciated.



SHOW & TELLS (3)

Mike Turrini = Wedding medal

Don Hill= Italian Monetary Note from sunken ship

Gene Berry= 1 Gram Silver from Concord coin show

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Door Prizes (13) ---- Congratulations! Special thanks to those who gave donations: Gene B, David T, Bill B, Michael T,

50/50 RAFFLE

50 / 50 Drawing: (\$30)

1st Prize \$15 dollars: Don H -- 2nd prize Don H. was a 1 lb Chocolate JFK coin.





CLUB DRAWING PRIZES/WINNERS (14) \$240)

Bob F, Bill B, Steve P, David T, Bill B (X3), Gary B, David T, Vince C, Gary B, Bob F, Leon G, David T.



AUCTION: (16) Items (14) sold

----ADDITIONAL NOTES----



Please bring a healthy potluck item to share.



Next Fairfield Coin Club meeting is: March, 27th, 2019

Next Joint Fairfield/Vallejo Joint Board meeting is February 25th in the newly remodeled Suisun/Cordelia Denny's restaurant at 5 pm. All are welcome if you wish to attend.

Upcoming Coin Shows:

Mar 3rd Livermore Valley Coin Club 56th spring coin show

April 7th Vallejo's 65th Anniversary and Fairfield's 500th meeting celebrations at Vallejo's Douglas Senior Center 11 to 3 pm. Food, Bingo, Raffles and more.

April 12 – 13 Santa Clara Coin, Stamp, and Sports

April 26 – 27 Sacramento Coin Club's Spring Coin show

"APRIL 28, 2019

Vallejo Coin Club's Forty-Seventh (47th) Annual Vallejo Coin and Collectibles Show, Florence Douglas (Senior) Center, 333 Amador, between Georgia and Florida Streets, Vallejo, California. Hours: 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Bourse: Vince Lacariere, coinvince@aol.com or 510-366-1365. Email: vallejocoinclub@gmail.com or EMPERORI@juno.com. Updates Posted at www.solanocoinclub.com. FREE Admission and Parking. Information Table, Youth Table, and Drawings."

July 27 – 28 Fremont 46th Annual Coin Show

August 18th Fairfield Coin Club Annual Coin Show September 14th Vallejo 6th Annual Numismatic Seminar December 7th Fairfield / Vallejo Joint Christmas Party

2019 Coin club membership dues are now due. Please pay your \$10 dollars unless you are a life member.

GOLD----\$1322.70 SILVER----\$15.81 as of February 18th, 2019

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