FAIRFIELD COIN CLUB

MONEYGRAM

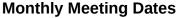
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4th Wednesdays

Meeting Location

Grace Episcopal Church

1st & Kentucky Streets, Fairfield

Social Hour: 5:30-6:30pm **Youth Meeting:** 6:00-6:30pm **Regular Meeting:** 6:30pm

Next Meeting: July 27, 2016

Meeting Number: 475



Dog Days of Summer Are Here!

WHAT'S COMING IN AUGUST

August 7 Fairfield Coin Show August 27-28 ... Santa Clara Expo

NEXT MEETING

We are now implementing the Club's "Action Plan". So far, we've adopted the Board of Directors Duties & Responsibilities and job descriptions for all 4 Club officers. July's new business will be devoted to nominations & election of 2016 Officers. Come ready to vote.



Dues: \$10 Adults \$5 for Youth



JULY IS "HOT DOG & PATRIOTISM NITE"!

Display your patriotism Wear your favorite red / white & blue

BOARD REPORT: A joint Board Meeting was held on June 30 between the Fairfield Coin Club and the Vallejo Numismatic Society. Main topics were the upcoming joint Summer Picnic on September 10 and the joint Christmas Party December 10. The next Coin Club Board meeting is tentatively scheduled for Wednesday, August 17 at Denny's Cordelia.

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

New Members in June: 0 **Current Membership: 55**



Last price as of 02-Sat-2016: \$1,343



Gold = \$1,343 / oz as of: 7/025/2016



Silver = \$19.83/oz as of: 7/02/2016

CLUB NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nominations & Election of Officers

Nominations and elections for Club Officers will be accepted at the July meeting. It is now time to select this year's officers. The following officer positions are to be filled by nomination and vote of the membership present:

Club President Club Vice President Club Secretary Club Treasurer

The Club Needs Your Help. Volunteers are need for the following Club ongoing programs and projects:

Youth Coordinator **Newsletter Editor** Facebook Administrator Auctioneer Web Master Membership Coordinator New Member Mentor / Visitor Greeter Speaker's Bureau Membership Community Event Coordinator 50 / 50 Chair Historian Fundraising & Club Promotions Coordinator Coin Show Chairman (Bourse) Snacks Coordinator Door Prize / Coin Drawing Chair Medals Coordinator

DRAWINGS AND PRIZES

DOOR PRIZES

Six (6) door prizes. Some of the winners were: Lilly D., Richard B., Wilson R., Bob B., and Colin F.

DRAWING PRIZES

12 prizes valued at \$ 250. Winners were: Wilson R., Oscar R. (2), Mike T. (2), Mike B., Bob B. (2) Bill, Richard B., and Ed H. (2). Congratulations to all!

50 / 50 DRAWING

\$ 25 prize was won by Bob B. (No 2nd Prize)





MINT REPORT:

The US Mint has scheduled a number of coins and coin sets to be produced over this next year. Here is a list of a *portion* of those productions. For more information, please go to the US Mint website.

August 25, 2016 - Theodore Roosevelt National Park Quarter Launches
November 17, 2016 - Fort Moultrie / Fort Sumter National Monument Quarter Launches

SHOW & TELL - Something Gold Night

Gene B. presented a small vial of gold dust he had extracted from the north fork of the Yuba River through the gold panning technique he had talked about at the May meeting.

Lloyd C. presented two (2) ancient gold Roman Empire coins that were minted during the 5th century AD, and discussed the history of that era as represented by the coins.

Don B. presented two (2) large medals created by the US Mint to commemorate the Doolittle Raiders of WW2 and air races, along with pictures and written descriptions of each.

Michael T. presented a full color book on the history of US gold coins entitled "United States Gold Coins – An Illustrated History" and described how the author came to create the book, which is now a recognized definitive book on US gold coins.

NEWS FROM:

ANA

American Numismatic Association www.money.org

9-13 August, Anaheim, CA National Worlds Fair of Money 6-8 August, Anaheim, CA PNG / AMA Numismatic Trade Show

CSNA California State Numismatic Assoc. www.calcoin.org

Next Symposium: To Be Announced

Bring A Friend!
To Coin Club! Weekly Coin Information and Current Events: www.coinsweekly.com

AUCTION RESULTS: 10 items offered, 3 purchased

NEXT FAIRFIELD COIN CLUB COIN SHOW: August 7, 2016

SNACKS / FOOD TABLE REMINDER: This month is Hot Dog nite. Bring side dishes to accompany the dogs...like potato / macaroni salad, baked beans, chips, and the constant favorites like cookies and brownies.

Remember...the club is recruiting a volunteer to coordinate snacks each month. The coordinator will work out what is needed and let the newsletter editor know so that it can be announced.

MONTHLY THEMES

August – What I Got At the Coin Show October - Pizza Grab Sack Night

September – Bingo Hawaii Night (prizes) November - Paper Notes Night

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Joint Club Summer Picnic

When: Saturday, Sept 10

10Am - 3pm

Where: Summerset Highland Park

Regents Park Dr at

Columbus Parkway, Vallejo



Food, Games, Raffle, Bingo

Bring your own beverages (no alcohol) and a side or two to share.

Registration forms available at July and August meetings



JOINT CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY

Plan to join us for a memorable Christmas Party at the historic Vallejo Naval Museum on December 10. Catered turkey & ham buffet dinner, mega raffle drawing, door prizes, and "Jubilee Box". \$15 per person. Reservations required.

Raffle Ticket

TIME TO SELL FUNDRAISER RAFFLE TICKETS

Our major yearly fundraiser is now underway. Raffle tickets need to be sold before the August 7 coin show. \$5 for 6 tickets. This is critical to the finances of the Club. Tickets available for purchase and for public sale at the Club meeting. Your help is needed to make this a success! Please Help!