

ALEXANDRIA COIN CLUB NEWS

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ACC Meets October 15th

Plan Ahead for the November 19th Meeting



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Tentative Meeting Agenda:

7:00pm Bourse opens – please help yourself to refreshments!

8:00pm Meeting begins: welcome, announcements, discussions, speakers.

8:10pm Auction begins. Door prize drawing and raffle held at intermission.

9:30pm Settlement of auction accounts, submission of coins for next auction, adjournment.

Alexandria Coin Club

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Alexandria Coin Club

The Alexandria Coin Club meets on the 3rd Wednesday each month, at the Lee Center, 1108 Jefferson St. in Alexandria, VA. It's just off US 1 inside the Beltway; there's plenty of free parking.

Meetings are held in the Gold Room. Check the lobby bulletin board just to be sure! The bourse opens at 7:00 pm and members may display, trade, and sell coins during this time.

Our auction starts about 8:10 pm. Members and visitors can bid during the bourse and auction. Members are encouraged to submit coins to be included in future auctions – contact Auction Chairman Robin Borum at 703-395-3269 or RBorum@verizon.net.

Next Meeting: October 15, 2014



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COIN SHOW COMMITTEE NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

Coin Show Chairman, **Boots Barnes**, is asking for your help with the Annual Coin Show. The ACC Coin Show is presently scheduled for **7 Feb 2015**. The more volunteers, the easier the task. Many positions have already been filled. If you would like to help support the Coin Club Show, contact Boots Barnes at boots.barnes1@verizon.net



Check out the new website for the **Coin Show** at www.alexandriacoinshow.com

Barber Quarter

Hard to find in Better Grades



Charles E. Barber's Liberty Head motif, referred to as the "Barber Quarter", was used on quarter dollars from 1892 through 1916. For type set purposes, the numismatist will have no trouble finding coins from Good to Fine. Very Fine coins are scarce, and Extremely Fine pieces are quite scarce. AU and Uncirculated pieces are scarcer yet and superb uncirculated coins are rare.

The date collector will have their work cut out for them, as the 1901-S quarter is a major 20th century rarity. The 1896-S and 1913-S are also keys to this series, and costly in any grade.

COIN TRIVIA

Why do we place dates and mint marks on our coins?

The original reasoning was to assure the quality and consistency of the metal composition and weight, which was spot-checked annually by the now defunct U.S. Assay Commission. If the coins didn't meet legal standards, the government knew whom to hold responsible.

Did You Know?



1922 Peace Dollar Variations

There were minor alterations made to the Peace dollar design throughout 1922, some becoming more valuable than others. All dies originated from hubs at the Philadelphia Mint. The diagnostics on the initial low relief design shows a detached talon from the toe at the rear of the eagle's left claw. This appears on about a third of all Denver Peace dollar strikes for 1922 and some were early low relief reverse coins were noted for weak strikes as well. The design was improved throughout the year, resulting in many varieties and sub-varieties.

Later modifications were made to the 1922 Peace dollar reverse. These later strikes had the olive branch meeting the eagle's foot, a third hill on which the eagle is perched, an extension of the "R" in DOLLAR, the talon being attached to the rear toe of the eagle's left claw, and rays intersecting DOLLAR in full relief.

Anyone interested in collecting Peace dollar varieties should have a copy of the "Comprehensive Catalog and Encyclopedia of Morgan and Peace Dollars" by Leroy Van Allen and A. George Mallis.



Show Schedule

(confirm before going)

October 17-19, 2014

Fall Coin & Currency Show

Clarion Hotel Richmond
3207 N. Blvd
Richmond, Virginia
804-350-1140

October 25-26, 2014

Northern Virginia Quarterly Coin & Stamp Show

Community Center, 120 Cherry St.
Vienna, Virginia
703-444-2812

October 30- Nov 2, 2014

Whitman Coin & Currency Show

One W. Pratt Street
Baltimore, Maryland
404-214-4373

November 16, 2014

Frederick Coin & Curr. Show

Elks lodge, 289 Willowdale Dr.
Frederick, Maryland
443-623-7025

November 30, 2014

Edgewater/Annapolis Coin Show

Knights of Columbus Hall
2590 Solomon's Island Rd.
Edgewater, Maryland
443-623-7025



? Have a Question? Need Some Help? Contact an ACC Dealer!

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703- 580-6969

703-383-1414

703-281-7053

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ALEXANDRIA COIN CLUB SHOW

Saturday, February 7, 2015

9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Springfield American Legion Post 176

6520 Amherst Avenue, Springfield, VA 22150

(Just South of the Beltway, Exit 169 (VA-644 W), Old Keene Mill Rd)

Free Admission / Free Parking!

Hope to see you there!

Website for the Coin Show is: www.alexandriacoinshow.com

Guidelines for submitting coins for the monthly auction

When submitting coins for the monthly auction always try to use the printed club submission form. The club form lists the current submission rules. To conserve printing costs, take one or two blank forms and make addition copies as needed. Submit individual coin in a flip or 2x2 holder. Flatten the staples of a 2x2 holder with pliers. This will protect your coins as well as the submissions of others from damage caused by the raised staples when coins are stacked for transporting. When completing the submission form always verify the date and mint mark on your coin. Coins submitted without a reserve minimum tend to sell for higher prices than submissions with a reserve that's close to the actual value.



October 2014 Auction Lots			Page 1	
#	Item	Description	Min Bid	Est. Value
1	1c	185pc, mixed 1909 to 1980 in 3-Whitman folders, G to BU		40
2	25c	40pc roll silver Washington Quarters, mixed dates, avg circ		165
3	50c	20pc roll Walking Liberty Halves, mixed dates, avg circ		175
4	Set	1986 Prestige Proof Set		32
5	Set	1987 Prestige Proof Set		28
6	\$1	1921 Morgan Dollar, AU		37
7	\$1	1921-D Morgan Dollar, AU		37
8	\$1	1922 UNC		40
9	\$1	1923 UNC		40
10	\$1	1974 Eisenhower Dollar Proof (Brown pac)		18
11	World	2pc Austria 1963 50 Schilling UNC; 1964 Olympic 50 Shilling; UNC		30
12	World	2pc Greece 30 Drachmai, 1963 5 Kings & 1964 Wedding; UNC		22
13	\$1	2004 Silver Eagle UNC in box		22
14	Set	1976 3pc Bicentennial Proof Set		32
15	50c	6pc, mixed dates 1941-D to 1947, avg VG to F		54
16	\$1	1880-S MS61		52
17	\$1	1986 Silver Eagle BU		80
18	Comm	2002 Military Academy Comm Silver Dollar, UNC		48
19	5c	109pc Buffalo Nickels, most w/dates	45	50
20	1c	1871 in ANACS VF 30 Details (corroded) holder, Shallow N rev	200	275
21	1c	7pc, 1930 to 1958-D, avg UNC	40	
22	5c	6pc, 1913 Ty2, 17-D, 18-S, 21, 24, 24-D; avg G to EF	40	80
23	10c	5pc, 1925, 26-S, 30, 35-D, 35-S; avg VG to VF	20	40
24	25c	3pc, 1961, 1962, 1963; all in NGC Proof 67 holders	35	90
25	Set	2007 Silver Proof Set	50	
26	1/2c	1829 VF	75	90
27	1/2c	1835 F	55	75
28	1c	1806 Corroded G	75	
29	25c	1897-O G	30	45
30	50c	1858-O F	55	68
31	50c	1938-D F	75	100
32	\$1	1922 MS61	30	42
33	Comm	1995-W Special Olympics UNC	30	45
34	1c	75pc, Lincoln 1909-1940 in Whitman folder, avg G to EF		30
35	5c	55pc, Buffalo 1913 to 1938-D in Whitman album, Fr - VF		125

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#	Item	Description	Min Bid	Est. Value
36	50c	3pc, 1919-S G, 1923-S G, 1938-D VG (rev damage)		75
37	\$1	1921 Peace Dollar F12	75	125
38	\$1	2pc, 1927-S F12, 1928-S F12	30	69
39	1c	1864 CN, EF	75	120
40	1c	1915-D EF	16	25
41	1c	1922-D VG	15	22
42	5c	1914 EF	16	30
43	10c	1850 AG	11	16
44	50c	1899 VF	80	125
45	50c	1900-O F	65	
46	50c	1916 AG	20	38
47	50c	1916-D AG	20	36
48	50c	1917-D obv, G	17	30
49	50c	1920 EF45	60	125

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