

TWO CENTS WORTH

Our next meeting (#437) is October 1, 2018

Program: White Elephant auction, benefits the club

Meetings are usually held on the first Monday each month (subject to change for holidays, elections, weather, etc.) at the Hillside Community Center, 1 Lind Street, Hillside, IL 60162, one block West of Wolf Rd, one traffic light North of Roosevelt Rd, (just west of Proviso High School).

The Hillside Coin Club Membership list is kept confidential



as 'eye' see it

By Jim Maurer, Secretary

I regret that I couldn't be with you last night to hear Bob H's presentation on Kennedy half dollars. I would have like to have been there, since Denise and I collect Kennedy halves together. One of our favorite items is the 50th anniversary set container 4 different silver coins in an impressive display box. Here is a list of the contents:

The silver set will include four half dollars: a reverse proof struck at the West Point Mint that exhibits mirrored devices and frosted fields (the opposite of a regular proof coin); a proof coin struck at the Philadelphia Mint with frosted devices and mirrored fields; an enhanced uncirculated coin from the San Francisco Mint that uses differing degrees of laser frosting to achieve an appearance that so far has only appeared on the 2013-S American Silver Eagle that was part of the 2013 San Francisco Mint two-coin American Silver Eagle set; and an uncirculated coin from the Denver Mint.

The original cost from the mint was \$ 99.99

PRESENTATIONS SCHEDULED FOR THE REST OF 2018 ARE AS FOLLOWS:

OCTOBER: WHITE ELEPHANT AUCTION (Benefits the Club)

NOVEMBER: COLLECTING KEY AND SEMI-KEY COINS by Elliott K.

DECEMBER: Annual Holiday banquet at the Alpine Haus on Monday 6 pm December 3rd. Details and pricing will be announced at the November 5th meeting so plan to bring your wallet or checkbook.

Following are Bob F's notes many thanks for Bob's help and those noted below:

Meeting was called to order at 7:01 p.m. sharp by President Bob Hansen. Pledge of allegiance by membership. 25 members, no guests or visitors. No applications for new membership were received.

- -Treasurers report check book balance \$1,157.89
- -Melissa G. "stepped up to the plate" to help with ticket sales and secretarial duties for the evening. THANK YOU, MELISSA Bob F. made an impassioned request for someone to step forward to help with the secretarial and vice-presidential duties THANK YOU, BOB. Jen D. also known as "Palmer's mom" stepped forward and said she will help with the newsletter THANK YOU, JEN. Melissa will work with Jen, and Jim M. will assist electronically for a smooth transition of the "Two Cents Worth" Comments in red are from Jim.
- -Announcement made for the up-coming Sept ILNA show at Pheasant Run in St. Charles on North Ave. just west of RT-59.
- -Ten minute break for baked goods and refreshments 7:30-7:40 p.m.
- -There were eight show and tell exhibitors.
- 1-Mike B.-A small stack of laminated coins donated to the club's ring toss with hopes that young Palmer is a future winner.
 - 2-David G. Two silver dollar 1804 Replicas with an explanation of what to watch for.
- 3-John K.-Ancient coin education display pages and his goal to assemble a set to be used for education purposes.
 - 4-John F.-Interesting token from the Chicago Herald American newspaper from the 1940s.
 - 5-John B.-Hawaiian so called dollars/medals, \$1.00 encased coin paper weight.
 - 6-Elliott K.-An unusual 25 troy ounce silver bar #770 out of 800 made.
 - 7-Kevin M. various interesting coin finds from coin star machines.

8-Bob F. 5 different Maria Theresa Talers with stories. #1 mounted in a card with a brief story of the coin produced for over 200 years. #2 an Unc example in capital holder. #3 an example with beautiful rainbow toning. #4 two MT thalers cut out mounted as an elaborate pin for a coat or tunic. #5 A proof example in custom Capital plastic holder.

- -Young Numismatist Palmer participated in the ring toss game.
- -The member number drawing was won by?

Raffle Prize winners:

- 1-Matt won a 3" bronze Harry Truman presidential medal.
- 2-John B. won an Illinois silver medal.
- 3-Kevin M. a set of Jefferson nickel varieties.
- 4-Ed K. a 3 pc Susan B. Anthony dollar set
- 5-Palmer D. an Ancient Roman coin 350-353 AD of Magnantius Augustus.
- 6-Henry K. A 2001 Proof set
- 7-Kevin M. 1971 silver Eisenhower silver dollar.
- 8-Palmer. Won the mystery envelope containing currency.
- 9-John K. A \$2 state of North Carolina bill dated Oct 4, 1861
- 10-Elliott K. 4 silver quarters. 2 Washington & 2 standing liberty
- 11-Bob H. won a 2003 Uncirculated 1 ounce silver eagle.
- 12-Nick W. won a 1986 prestige proof set.
- 13-Matt. Won a 1966 Uncirculed Canadian silver dollar.

Reminder to the members of our Annual Christmas Holiday banquet 6 p.m. sharp on Monday December 3rd.

We sold \$150 in raffle tickets and deposited a total of \$180.00 into the club checking account. The new balance is \$ 1,157.89

The meeting was adjourned around 8:30 p.m.

Regards, Bob

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