

# The RACCeteer

Monthly Newsletter of the Rappahannock Area Coin Club  
American Numismatic Association (ANA) Member # C-1160109

Next Meeting:  
16 June 2022  
6:30 PM

**IHOP**

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## April Meeting – Auction, Attendance Drawing, Raffle

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## Meeting Summary - June 2022

- SAD NEWS. Our friend and fellow member, Billy Hoovler passed away earlier this month. He'd been in declining health for the past six months or so. Billy was a huge asset to our club. He served as our President most recently and held other positions before that. He was always ready to volunteer when needed, and as our resident Morgan Silver Dollar expert, always ready to pass on his passion for numismatics to others. Our sincere condolences to Patty and the rest of the Hoovler family. RACC will never be the same without his presence.
- The meeting was called to order at 6:30PM Thursday May 19<sup>th</sup> with 17 members present. The minutes of the APR meeting and Treasurer's report were read and unanimously approved.
- The Treasurer will begin collecting dues for the 2022-23 membership year in June. Dues options are as follows:
  - Youth (under 18 years old): \$6.00; Family (primary/one family member): \$18.00 (add others @ \$6 each); All others: \$12.00
  - Life Member (regardless of age): \$120.00
    - There are currently six Life Members.
- N. Nichols won the monthly Attendance Drawing. Since he was not present \$10 carries over to the JUN meeting. The pot now stands at \$40.
  - Current members (dues up to date) are provided one chance to win the \$10 prize but only if present. If not, the award carries over.
  - The EB is working on the details of a year-end award and will be announced soon.
- G. Coburn won the American Silver Eagle raffle.

### **Old Business:**

- Please let Steve Hagan (Vice President) know if you can fill one the open presenter slots, SEP through NOV. Our goal is for a member to present or arrange for a non-member to provide a 15-to-25-minute presentation on a numismatic related topic based upon their collector interests.

### **New Business:**

- The Executive Board will next meet JUL 5<sup>th</sup>. Everyone is welcome.
- Unanimously voted for the club to pay for the program presenter's meal.
- Club ANA dues have been paid for 2022-23. Cost \$15.00 this year.
- It appears that our "Racketeer" website has been hacked. Our webmaster, C. Thomas is evaluating the problem and will report back at the JUN meeting.

## Meeting Summary - June 2022 (cont.)

### New Business (cont.):

- Unanimously voted to donate \$100.00 to the VNA to defray the cost of dealer refreshments at the VNA Show in SEP.
- The President and Secretary will create a "Member Want List" form to be used to communicate collection needs from one member to another. Once completed, individual lists will be distributed. This may facilitate buying/selling/trading collector needs amongst the membership.

**Monthly Auction:** Five lots sold with a combined value of approximately \$107. Feel free to bring something to auction in any upcoming meetings.

**Conclusion:** Meeting adjourned 7:35pm.

## Treasurer's Report as of May 18, 2022

- Union Bank Balance     \$3,357.97
- Petty Cash                 \$150.00

## Executive Board (EB) Meeting

- The EB met May 3<sup>rd</sup> 6:30pm at Primavera Pizzeria and Grill on Rt. 17 and discussed the following:
  - The Monthly Attendance drawing will now be conducted toward end of business meeting to allow a few more minutes of grace for people to arrive.
  - Meeting start time was discussed. You may recall that meeting start time was changed within the past year from 7pm. Is 6:30pm too early in the evening? The EB wants to ensure that the start time is optimal and will track this for the time being. Tabled for three to six months.
  - EB will codify raffle and attendance drawing rules to ensure fairness to all.
  - The waitress was included and eligible when the Attendance Drawing began. EB reconsidered and voted to remove the waitress from eligibility since it is felt that the club and its members have always shown generosity in other ways.
  - As an incentive, the EB proposes that the club pay for the monthly presenter's dinner.
  - EB meets next JUL 5<sup>th</sup>.

## Upcoming Club Events

- **JUN 16, 2022:**     Prog: "God Save the Queen"-Zach Currier
- **JUL 21, 2022:**     Prog: " Roman Provincial Coins"- Liane Houghtalin
- **AUG 18, 2022:**     Prog: "Operation Bernhard; Nazi scheme to counterfeit British currency in WWII" - Parry Bragg, VNA President
- **SEP 15, 2022:**     Prog: "TBD"
- **OCT 20, 2022:**     Prog: "TBD"
- **NOV 17, 2022:**     Prog: "TBD"
- **DEC 15, 2022:**     Prog: Christmas Party/Brown Bag Auction

## **VNA Coin Show/Promoter Show Info**

<u>Raleigh Money EXPO</u>	JUN 17-19
<u>Frederick, MD Coin &amp; Currency Show</u>	JUN 25-26
<u>Summer FUN Convention</u>	JUL 7-9
<u>Annandale Coin Show</u>	JUL 23-24
<u>Vienna Coin &amp; Stamp Show</u>	AUG 6-7
<u>Charlottesville Coin, Currency &amp; Stamp Show</u>	AUG 13
<u>Central VA Coin Club Show</u>	AUG 27
<u>Annapolis, MD Coin &amp; Currency Show</u>	SEP 11
<u>Harrisburg, PA Coin Show</u>	SEP 16-17
<u>Virginia Numismatic Assn. (VNA) 63rd Convention &amp; Coin Show</u>	SEP 23-25
<u>North Carolina Numismatic Assn. (NCNA) Convention &amp; Coin Show</u>	SEP 30-OCT 2

## **VNA Coin Show/Promoter Show Info (Cont.)**

<u>VA Beach Coin Show</u>	OCT 8-9
<u>Richmond Fall Coin &amp; Currency Show</u>	OCT 14-16
<u>PAN Show</u>	OCT 27-29

## **Keep in mind...**

- One of the main purposes of our club is to educate. We want to focus more on that aspect or our meetings. As such, the VP will be asking members to sign-up as presenters. Topics can include information about your collecting interests or other relevant topics. Additionally, members can consider arranging guest speakers to present topics of interest.