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

July Meeting – 50/50 Drawing & Door Prize

Next Meeting: 17 July 2014 7:00 PM SHONEY'S

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Meeting Summary - June 2014

 Called to order at 7PM Thursday, June 19, 2014 with 19 members present and one guest, Alexander Blough. Alex became our newest member. The Treasurer's report was presented, noting an ending balance of \$2,130.37. The Treasurer's report and May 2014 meeting minutes were unanimously approved.

Old Business:

- RACC Member Medal: no update.
- Wilson dollars are still available for sale; contact Jack Heplar.
- Continued discussion regarding club support of the 2014 Heritage Festival, July 4th. There will be four time periods (indicated below) that require coverage by at least two adult club members. Local Boy Scouts will be on hand to help out and show support (thanks to Will Cather). All periods covered are covered.
- Virginia Numismatic Association (VNA) news update:
 - VNA is still looking for a Bourse Chairman to replace Gregg Coburn following this year's Convention. Gregg has held this position for several years and done fantastic but ready to turn this important responsibility over to someone new.
 - Planning will continue during upcoming meetings.

New Business:

There was no new business discussed at this meeting.

Program:

Randolph Grimes presented an outstanding program Colonial Currency "Continental Notes". All present were very interested as evidenced by the number of questions and discussion. Thanks Randolph for a very enlightening presentation!

Conclusion:

Meeting adjourned at 8:45PM.

Executive Board (EB) Meeting

The EB will meet at 6:00pm, Thursday July 17th just prior to the regular meeting therefore the EB report will be presented at that time.

Upcoming Club Events

- <u>July 17, 2014 Meeting:</u> Program: "Numismatics in the War of Northern Aggression" by Perry Brag
- August 21, 2014 Meeting: Program: "Subject TBD" by Bob Jones
- September 18, 2014 Meeting: Program: Member Auction
- September 26-28, 2014: VNA 2014 Annual Convention & Coin Show
- October 16, 2014 Meeting: Program: OPEN
- November 20, 2014 Meeting: Program: "Subject TBD" by Jack Bell
- December 18, 2014 Meeting: Christmas Party/Brown Bag Auction

Please consider filling the open slot; if interested, contact the Vice President. For those responsible for a program, please let the Secretary know as soon as the topic of your presentation is determined.

Keep in mind...

One of the main purposes of our club is to educate. As such, there is an opening in the
October meeting for a member presentation. Please consider filling this slot to let us know
about your collecting interests or presentation of some other relevant topic. Additionally,
members are asked to consider arranging guest speakers that might be able to present
topics of interest during club meetings. Please let our Vice President know if you can fill an
opening or you have an outside presenter that may be of interest to the club.

Coin Show Info

<u>Raleigh Coin Club</u> JUL 18-20; FRI/SAT: 10:00am–6:30pm, 20th: 10:00am-5:00pm. North Carolina State Fairgrounds, 1025 Blue Ridge Road, Raleigh N.C. Free Admission/Free Parking/Free Appraisals, Door Prizes. Contact Paul Landsberg, PH: (919) 247-1982 or www.raleighcoinclub.org for more information.

<u>Salem Coin Club Show</u> JUL 26-27, SAT 9:30am-5:30pm, SUN 9:30am-3:30pm, American Legion Hall, 710 Apperson Dr., Salem, VA. Contract Will Camp, PO Box 283, Fishersville, VA 22939

<u>Charlottesville Coin Show</u> AUG 23-24, SAT 9:30am-4:00pm, SUN 9:30am-3:30pm, American Legion Hall, 710 Apperson Dr., Salem, VA. Contract Will Camp, PO Box 283, Fishersville, VA 22939

Norfolk Coin Show SEP 13, 9:30am-5:00pm, VFW Post 4809, 5728 Bartee Street, Norfolk, VA, 23502. Free Admission. Contact Rusty Williams P O Box 12403, Norfolk, VA., 23541 PH: 757-363-0179

<u>Annapolis MD Coin and Currency Show</u> SEP 14, 9:00am-4:30pm. Knights of Columbus Hall, 2590 Solomon's Island Road (Route 2), Annapolis, MD, 20763. Contact Carl Ostiguy CEO Coins, PH: (410) 379-5646 or E-mail: ceocoins@comcast.net

<u>Virginia Numismatic Association (VNA) 54th Convention & Coin Show</u> SEP 26-28, Fredericksburg Expo & Conference Center, 2371 Carl D. Silver PKWY, Fredericksburg, VA 22401. Contract Greg Coburn: PO Box 824, Bealeton, VA 22715. PH: (540) 272-1524 or Email: coburngregg@hotmail.com. You can also visit the VNA website; www.vnaonline.org.

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- **EARLY AMERICAN COINS:** "18th-Century Writings on the Continental Currency Dollar Coin"
- U.S. COINAGE "The 1841-O Half Eagle"
- EXONUMIA: "Die-Pressed Wooden Medals & Plaques of the 1876 Centennial Exposition "

June RACC Birthdays!

- Steve Holt 15th
- © Let the secretary know if you'd like to see your name listed when your birthday comes around. We'd love to wish you a happy one! Happy Birthday to All!!!

NON-CENTS! Lawyers and Ethics...

After drafting a will for an elderly client, the lawyer announces a fee of \$100. The client hands him a \$100 bill. After the client leaves, the lawyer notices that the client had in fact handed him \$200; two of the client's \$100 bills had stuck together. Looking at the \$100 overpayment, an ethical question arose in the lawyer's mind..."Do I tell my partner?"