

The RACCeteer

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

Next Meeting:
18 August 2023

6:30 PM
IHOP

10 Simpson Ln.
Fredericksburg, VA

July Meeting and Membership Drawing

Meeting Summary – July 2023

Mark Entner, President, called the meeting to order at 6:37 pm Thursday July 20th with 24 members and 1 visitor present.

Treasurer's report and minutes of the previous meeting were presented and unanimously approved.

Old Business:

- Moore Goldman continued to seek volunteers to support the VNA Annual Convention and Show at the Fredericksburg Convention Center 22-24 September.

New Business:

- RACC Christmas Party will again be held at Ristorante Renato on William Street in Fredericksburg. The party will be Wednesday, December 20th.
- We will have our regular monthly meeting on Thursday, September 21st which is the day the dealers will be arriving and final preparations will be made for the VNA Annual Convention and show that will begin the following day. We will not have a presentation at that meeting but will have a "Show and Tell" time. Bring your favorite coin to talk about.
- President's Attendance Drawing. The May winner was Sterling Hagan. Sterling was not present so the award will carry over. The August award will be \$40. [Eligibility: Current members (dues paid) provided one chance to win the monthly \$10 cash prize but only if present. If not present, the award carries over to the next meeting through DEC of the current year.]
- Monthly Raffle: The raffle took in over \$70 so 2 American Silver Eagles were raffled. The two were won by Dave Pitts and Jack Bell.

Conclusion: Meeting adjourned 7:00 PM.

Program: Parry Bragg, President of the VNA, provided a program on the American Colonization Society 1 Cent Token of 1933.

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Don't Forget to Pay Your Dues!

Dues are now being collected for the current club year. Dues are \$12 for an individual and \$18 for a family. Life memberships may be purchased for \$150. New Life Members will receive a special RACC Life Member shirt.

Make your dues payment to Gregg Coburn, RACC Treasurer.

Monthly Auction

Got some great stuff you want to sell?

Every meeting will include an auction for club members to sell numismatic items. All proceeds from sales go directly to the member – no club fees.

All you need to do is fill out the Club auction form and bring your great stuff. Everything to be auctioned will be available for all to review before the auction takes place. A copy of the auction form is attached to his newsletter.

Our auctions always included some really fun stuff. Bring your great stuff and a pocket full of cash to participate in the auction.

Announcements/News

- RACC logo shirts are available from ‘Rocky Top Embroidery & More’ in King George, VA. Go to <https://rockytoponline.com/> and select the “Coin Club” link under the “Shop” menu. The shirts are very good quality that will be embroidered with our logo and are reasonably priced. If needed, Jack Bell can deliver orders at a future meeting.
- Our Webmaster, Chis Thomas continues to improve the RACCeteer website. Be sure to check it out. Take advantage new functionality like the ability to review previous digital presentations, “Member Want Lists” and a “For Sale” area for member-to-member transactions, and member “Bios” if you’d like us to know you better.
- Planning for the Virginia Numismatic Association (VNA) 64th Annual Convention, Coin & Currency Show continues. The show will be held at the Fredericksburg Convention Center 22 to 24 September.
- VNA Convention Venue Alternative Study: The VNA is looking at alternative venues in which to hold the next year (2024) VNA convention. Potential convention venues located anywhere from central Virginia to northern Virginia may be studied. A venue near a local VNA host club that volunteers to assist in host duties is especially desired. Please contact any VNA Board member with your suggestions.

Monthly Presentations

Numismatic education is of primary focus at RACC meetings. We strive to have a member or a guest make a presentation at each meeting. Presentations can cover any area of numismatics. If you would like to tell the Club about your collecting interests or suggest a guest speaker, please contact Jack Bell (VP). RACC will even buy your dinner! Presentations should be about 20 minutes long. A TV is available if you would like to connect a laptop to show graphics as part of your presentation. Below is a list of currently scheduled presentations. Let Jack know if you can fill one of the vacancies!

- **AUG Meeting:** Fredericksburg Scrip – Keith Littlefield
- **SEP Meeting:** Show and Tell
- **OCT Meeting:** TBD
- **NOV Meeting:** “Antoninianus” – Liane Houghalin
- **DEC Meeting:** Christmas Party – December 20th at Ristorante Renato

Treasurer's Report

Bank balance at beginning of the month:	\$2352.78
Receipts	\$ 215.00
Expenses:	\$ 12.00
Bank Balance at end of the month:	\$2510.78
Petty Cash	\$ 150.00

VNA Coin Show/Promoter Show Info

<u>Charlottesville Coin & Currency & Stamp Show</u>	AUG 19
<u>Central Virginia Coin Club Show</u>	AUG 26
<u>VNA 64th Convention & Coin Show</u>	SEP 21-24
<u>NCNA Convention & Coin Show</u>	SEP 28-OCT 1
<u>Virginia Beach – Tidewater Coin Show</u>	OCT 7-8
<u>Richmond 2023 Spring Coin & Currency Show</u>	NOV 3-5
<u>Vienna Coin and Stamp Show</u>	NOV 4-5
<u>Whitman Baltimore Winter Expo</u>	NOV 9-11
<u>Weyers Cave – Shenandoah Valley Coin & Stamp Show</u>	DEC 1-2
<u>Annandale Coin Show</u>	DEC 9-10

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