

The RACCeteer

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

December Meeting and Christmas Party

Next Meeting:
18 January, 2024
6:30 PM
IHOP
10 Simpson Ln.
Fredericksburg, VA

Christmas Party Meeting Summary – December 2023

All formal club business was suspended to focus on having a good time at the Christmas Party. 28 members and guests enjoyed the evening at Renato's. The food was great, as usual. Everyone enjoyed the food, fun, and fellowship.

Christmas Party Highlights:

- Kerry Riley won the President's Attendance Award of \$80.
- Jack Bell won the 50/50 raffle prize of \$102.
- Brian Rasmussen won a lighted coin loupe.
- Paul Marsden won a \$25 IHOP gift Card.
- Doug Harms won an American Silver Eagle.
- The auction of items donated to the club realized \$156.

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President's Note

I want to thank everyone for another successful year in 2023. Participation is up. More folks are participating in the auctions. We have been awarding 2 American Eagles for the raffle each month, and again the presentations this year have been outstanding. It has been a delight and I always look forward to seeing each of you at the meetings. Again, we had a wonderful Christmas party with great food, great company, and lots of drawings for prizes, and another fantastic auction of items donated to the club throughout the year. In addition, this club continues to volunteer for the state convention and the president of the VNA asked me to pass along his thanks. I look forward to another wonderful coin club year in 2024. - Mark Entner, President.

WEBSITE

See us at:

<https://racceteer.org>

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View 24/7 Gold and Silver SPOT Prices from the RACC website.

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Election of Officers for 2024

At our Monthly Meeting on January 18th, we will be electing officers for the club for 2024. The positions to be filled are:

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer

Our club is totally dependent on volunteers. We need folks to step up and take a greater part in the operation of our club! Please consider what role you are willing to fill and come on Thursday prepared to volunteer your services in one of these vital positions.

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

All you need to do is fill out the attached RACC auction form and bring items. Everything to be auctioned will be available for review before 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.

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!

- **January 2024:** Will Cather
- **February 2024:**
- **March 2024:**
- **April 2024:**
- **May 2024:**
- **June 2024:**
- **July 2024:**
- **August 2024:**
- **September 2024:**
- **October 2024:**
- **November 2024:**
- **December 2024:** Christmas Party

Now is your chance to claim your spot to make a presentation on your collecting interests or favorite numismatic subject next year.

Let Jack Bell know when and what you would like to speak about.

Treasurer's Report

Bank balance at beginning of the month:	\$3035.43
Receipts	\$ 160.00
Expenses:	\$ 37.00
Bank Balance at end of the month:	\$3158.43
Petty Cash	\$ 150.00

VNA Coin Show/Promoter Show Info

Vienna Coin & Stamp Show	JAN 27-28
Tidewater Coin Club Show, Virginia Beach	FEB 17-18
Salem/Roanoke Valley Coin Club Show	MAR 2-3
Whitman Coin and Collectibles Expo, Baltimore	MAR 21-23
Central Virginia Coin Club Show	MAR 23
Richmond 2024 Spring Coin & Currency Show	APR 4-6
Shenandoah Valley Coin Club Show, Weyers Cave	APR 5-6
Charlottesville Coin & Currency & Stamp Show	APR 13
Pennsylvania Numismatic Association (PAN) Show	MAY 16-18
Whitman Coin and Collectibles Expo, Baltimore	JUN 13-15
Florida United Numismatists Summer FUN Show	JUL 11-13
VNA 65th Annual Convention, Coin & Currency Show (New Location - Richmond Raceway Complex)	SEP 26-28

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