

# The RACCeteer

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

Next Meeting:  
21 November 2024  
6:30 PM  
**IHOP**  
10 Simpson Ln.  
Fredericksburg, VA

## October 2024 Meeting Summary

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### WEBSITE

See us at:

<https://racceteer.org>

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Jack Bell, President, called the meeting to order at 6:35 PM with 25 members and 1 guest present.

Treasurer's Report and Minutes of the previous meeting were presented and approved.

### Old Business:

- Members were reminded of our Christmas Dinner event schedule. Event will be held on Wednesday, December 18 at Ristorante Renato in Fredericksburg.
- John Cunningham reported on the VNA Convention and how held in Richmond in September.

### New Business:

- Christmas Dinner discussion – we will bring back the Brown Bag Auction for the Christmas Dinner. Members are asked to donate a numismatic item valued at \$20 for the auction. Brown bags will be auctioned without numbers.
- A motion was made and approved for the club to add 2 American Silver Eagles to two of the bags to add an extra incentive to participate. The motion was approved.
- The RACC Executive Board will meet 9 December in the upstairs food court area at Wegman's in Central Park. All members of RACC are invited to participate in EB meetings.

Presentation: Jack Bell gave a presentation on his collecting background and favorite items from his collection.

### Attendance Award and Raffle:

- President's Attendance Award: \$40 was won by Penny Anderson. Penny was not present so the November award will be \$50.
- Monthly Raffle: The raffle brought in \$106. 2 American Silver Eagles were awarded. The 2 were won by Jack Bell and Aquiles Juaregui Luna.

Conclusion: Meeting adjourned at 6:40 PM.

### *Election of RACC Officers*

The Rappahannock Area Coin Club Constitution establishes four officer position for the Club: President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer.

Our practice is to elect officers annually to serve beginning at the beginning of the year. In order to allow orderly transition, election of officers for 2025 will be conducted at our November meeting to be held on 21 November 2024.

Any member in good standing can be elected to any of these positions. Any member may nominate members to serve in these positions.

If you are interested in serving or making a nomination, please contact the RACC Secretary.

### *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.

#### *October Auction Results*

**7** Members sold items. A total of **23** items sold for a total of **\$304**. Additionally, 6 items donated to the club were auctioned for a total of \$81.

### **Membership Information**

The Rappahannock Area Coin Club now has 41 members.

Club dues are due in June of each year. If you did not pay your dues by 31 August, you have been moved to inactive status. If you have not done so, please get your 2024 dues to Gregg Coburn.

Dues are \$12 per year 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.

## 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 Zach Currier (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 2024 presentations.

- **January 2025:**
- **February 2025:**
- **March 2025:**
- **April 2025:**
- **May 2025:**
- **June 2025:**
- **July 2025:**
- **August 2025:**
- **September 2025:**
- **October 2025:**
- **November 2024:** Steve Hagan – Japanese Invasion Money of WWII
- **December 2024:** **Christmas Party – Wednesday, December 18<sup>th</sup> at Ristorante Renato**

**Make a presentation on your favorite numismatic subject!**

**Your presentations are a favorite part of our club's monthly meetings. We are always anxious to learn more about the many fascinating areas of numismatics you are involved in.**

**If you would like to make a presentation at one of our meetings in 2025, let Zack Currier know so he can get you on the schedule.**

## Treasurer's Report

Bank balance at beginning of the month:	\$ 3,545.84
Receipts	\$ 341.00
Expenses:	\$ 23.00
Bank Balance at end of the month:	\$ 3,863.84
Petty Cash	\$ 150.00

## 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.

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

<b>Weyers Cave – Shenandoah Valley Coin &amp; Stamp Show</b>	<b>DEC 6-7, 2024</b>
<b>Annandale Coin Show</b>	<b>DEC 14-15, 2024</b>
<b>Winchester Coin Club Show</b>	<b>DEC 20, 2024</b>
<b>Winter FUN Coin Convention – Orlando, Florida</b>	<b>JAN 9-12, 2025</b>
<b>Vienna Coin &amp; Stamp Show</b>	<b>JAN 25-26, 2025</b>
<b>Virginia Beach – Tidewater Coin Show</b>	<b>FEB 7-8, 2025</b>
<b>Salem / Roanoke Valley Coin Club Show</b>	<b>MAR 1-2, 2025</b>
<b>Central Virginia Coin Club Show</b>	<b>MAR 2025 (Dates TBD)</b>
<b>Whitman Coin &amp; Collectibles / Baltimore Spring Expo</b>	<b>MAR 27-29, 2025</b>
<b>Vienna Coin &amp; Stamp Show</b>	<b>APR 2025 (Dates TBD)</b>
<b>Charlottesville Coin, Currency &amp; Stamp Show.</b>	<b>APR 19, 2025</b>
<b>Richmond 2025 Spring Coin &amp; Currency Show</b>	<b>APR 24-26, 2025</b>
<b>Vienna Coin &amp; Stamp Show</b>	<b>AUG 2025 (Dates TBD)</b>
<b>Charlottesville Coin, Currency &amp; Stamp Show.</b>	<b>AUG 19, 2025</b>
<b>VNA 66th Annual Convention, Coin &amp; Currency Show</b>	<b>SEP 25-27, 2025</b>
<b>Vienna Coin &amp; Stamp Show</b>	<b>NOV 1-2, 2025</b>
<b>Richmond 2025 Fall Coin &amp; Currency Show</b>	<b>NOV 6-8, 2025</b>

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