

Minutes of Our Meeting of January 12, 2021

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm. The meeting was an on-line Zoom meeting.

Officers in attendance were: President, Patrick Carpenter and Treasurer, Marty Hartzell. In attendance were 24 club members.

Minutes of the December 8, 2021 meeting were accepted.

Gold was \$1,827.01 Silver was \$23.21

The January 2022 edition of the club's newsletter was mentioned. It was distributed on January 2nd. It featured an article by Rick Yadon about a mysterious Standing Liberty Quarter. There will be more information as to if that object is or is not a genuine 1923 S coin in the future. Other articles included how to detect counterfeit 1928 Peace dollars, and a "miracle" coin from Latvia. Many thanks to Rick for his interesting article and to Nelson Sagastume for assembling the newsletter.

Upcoming coin shows were mentioned.

Our club's coin shows in 2022 will be May 6 & 7 and September 23 & 24.

The Grand Coin Giveaway associated with our May Coin Show was announced and tickets are now available by mailing payment to our club Treasurer.

Members were reminded that it is time to pay their annual dues for 2022. There were no dues collected for 2021, except for folks that joined the club that year. For 2022, dues are \$10 for adults, and \$5 for youth members. Folks who had not paid their 2020 dues when we shut down for COVID will owe \$20. Lifetime memberships are recommended and cost \$100.

The swearing in of club leadership positions occurred and the President and the Treasurer were signed in.

Patrick Carpenter gave a presentation on the French coin "La Semeuse" which is also known as "The Sower."

New coins on sale at the US Mint were mentioned.

The Great 2022 S.V.C.C. Coin & Currency Quiz was held. There were 33 questions plus a tiebreaker question. The quiz was prepared by Patrick Carpenter. First prize of 100 Grand (the candy bar) went to Mike Grieneisen. Second prize of a big Payday (the candy bar) went to Rick Yadon. The winner of the Zero candy bar for lowest score was John Degen. Steve Weaver took the prize of a box of Milk Duds for the second lowest score.

The door prize, a 1929 D Walking Liberty Half Dollar, was won by Jim Varga.

The meeting adjourned at about 9:05. The next meeting is planned to be a virtual meeting (over ZOOM) on Wednesday, February 9 at 7:00 p.m.