



Champlain Coin Club Bulletin

Serving collectors in Orillia and surrounding area since 1962

MONTHLY MEETINGS 2nd Wednesday 7:00 P.M. (except July and August)

St. Mark's Presbyterian Church Basement

429 Jamieson Drive, Orillia, Ontario

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Greeter.....

THE BULLETIN FOR JUNE 2022



VICE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Murray Smith

Hello to our members and friends,

This month we celebrate our 60th anniversary as a coin club. We should feel proud of all those years of friendship, sharing, numismatic research, education and community involvement.

We will make June's meeting special with some refreshments, a walk down memory land, an auction and if we are lucky, our anniversary medals will arrive.

Please remember to bring your own beverage, lots of memories and some great ideas on how we can make next season educational and interesting for our members.

We look forward to many exciting years ahead!

Regards,
Murray S.



It's our 60th Anniversary !!

Our Next In Person Meeting

Wednesday, June 8th, 2022

St. Mark's Presbyterian Church
429 Jamieson Dr
Orillia, ON L3V 4Y6

Doors will open at 6:45 pm and meeting will begin promptly at 7:00 pm.

Reminders:

- It's our 60th Anniversary Celebration!
- Bring items for the auction

Stay in touch with us!

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News of the May 2022 Meeting



By Doug McGarvey

Attendance: 21 Guests: 1
50/50 Draw: \$21.00 Draw tickets: \$62.00
Auction: \$32.20 Membership dues: \$30.00
Donations: \$27.00 Library Fund Balance: \$71.00

Acting President Murray Smith opened our May in person/on-line meeting. Secretary/Treasurer Doug McGarvey read the minutes of the March meeting which were adopted as read by Carol Casselman and Jeff Wilson. May birthdays included Bill Beattie, Phil Abbott, Derrick Del Castilho and Rick Fox.

Bill Robertson won \$10.50 in the 50/50 draw.

There was a bountiful prize table for the draw tickets buyers.

The next order of business was the executive selection for the next 2 years. There were no positions contested so the executive committee consist of President Murray Smith, Vice President Dan Horne, Secretary/Treasurer Doug McGarvey, Newsletter Editor Rob Durrant, Membership Secretary and Librarian Chris Liantzakis, Directors Linda Huggins and Carol Casselman.

A vote was taken to determine whether the cake for our June meeting would be chocolate, vanilla or marble. Thirteen votes for chocolate carried. Later at Carol's request we compromised on chocolate cake with white icing.

Murray reminded members to bring your own mugs, cutlery. Coffee, water and pop will be provided.

Murray asked members to think about ideas to bring to the September meeting for next year's meetings, guest speakers and presentations. It is hoped that members will step up with new ideas.

Rob Durrant mentioned that we have a venue in Gravenhurst to do a coin show in September or October.

The May meeting is the first hobby since February 2020 and it was worth the wait. Ken Booth had a collection of milk tickets from various Orillia dairies. Rob Durrant brought in more of his Avro Arrow collection. Linda Huggins showed us her quilted wall hangings, Murray Smith passed around his photographs of coins. Tim LeRoux brought in part of the 8 bins of his Grinch collection. Joan Penley showed us pictures of her garden and warned us about frost and buying plants that are advertised as growing vigorously.

Murray gave his presentation on Condor tokens issued privately by business during the Industrial Revolution in the United Kingdom, to address a shortage of coins.

The meeting was ended after another very successful auction.

Upcoming Club Meeting & Activities



June 8th – Happy 60th Birthday Champlain Coin Club

* No meetings during July & Aug

Sept 14th – Welcome Back!

60th Anniversary Medal Update

Our 60th medal will likely be available at our June 9th meeting. If all goes well, they will be picked up and brought to the June meeting while just hot of the press!

A quick look at the first strikes



Looking Back at the Champlain Coin Club!

This month we celebrate our 60th Anniversary! Join our June 9th meeting to see some of our milestones over the years.

In 1962 the Champlain Coin Club was formed, with the help of the Woodville Club, on June 9th at the old Y.M.C.A. in Orillia by Founder and President - Howard Johnson.

Meetings were held the third Saturday of each month. Adult membership began at one dollar per year. In 1964 it was decided in beginning with July, the club will meet the first Thursday of each month which we still do today. Bob Swan wrote first news bulletin on January 18th that year. Meetings were changed to St. David's Church on James Street Orillia on September 2nd, 1976.

Over the years the Champlain Coin Club took part in many activities from the Orillia Santa Clause parade (1968), supporting the purchase of an artificial kidney machine (1971), many early coins shows, and started our first annual Scouts night in 1993. We have had many guest speakers join us over the years, including Mr J.E. Charleton. At June 1996 meeting, we saw a film on the life of Emanuel Hahn and Elizabeth Wyn Wood . Elizabeth Wyn Wood was member #64 of the coin club.

Looking forward to continuing the legacy and sharing our hobby. Happy 60th Birthday Champlain Coin Club!





Club Library

The following publications can be check out of our club library on a first come first served basis. If you wish to donate to our library, please email us or speak to Chris Liantzakis

Books

Standard Catalogue of World Coins 1977-1980-
1985-1991-1993-1998-2016 and 1801-1900

Charlton Coin Guide 1996

Charlton Standard catalogue Of Canadian Coins

Numismatic Volume 1 - 2014 and 2018.

Charlton Catalogue Volume 2 – 2011

Coins of Canada 1995

Official Blackbook Price Guide to U.S. Stamps 2013

Official Blackbook Price Guide to U.S. Coins 2013

Unitrade Specialized Catalogue of Canadian Stamps

DVDs

Legendary Coins of the Smithsonian

Hunt for the Double Eagle - 2 Copies

NYCC Coin Show

By Rob Durrant

On May 14th, 2022 the North York Coin Club held its annual coin show. This is their first show since the pandemic began in 2020. The bourse turn out was good and all the tables available were filled by members selling and promoting their hobby. My son joined me for the day, and he did well by making a few sales of his own. All in all, a good day for those who participated. I did see a couple of familiar faces from our Orillia club in the crowd.



General Numismatic Trivia.

(Answers at bottom. Don't cheat!)

Taken from → <https://www.funtrivia.com/playquiz/quiz342288272f488.html>

1. What is numismatics?
 - a) the study and collection of stamps
 - b) the creation and evolution of a language, words, and syntax
 - c) the creation of explosions with fire
 - d) the study and collection of money
2. The world's first coins are generally thought to have been made at a place called what?
 - a) Kohlrabi
 - b) Syntax
 - c) Lydia
 - d) Bison
3. Joachimsthal was a town in Bohemia (now the Czech Republic) whose name gave rise to what numismatic word?
 - a) reserve
 - b) planchet
 - c) exchange rate
 - d) dollar
4. A coin collector is most likely to add which of the following to his collection?
 - a) a well-cleaned, shiny looking coin
 - b) a colorized, jewelry-soldered coin
 - c) a bent, corroded coin
 - d) a natural-state coin without nicks or corrosion
5. A coin struck specifically for collectors, featuring extra-sharp details and a glossy mirror-like background, is called a what?
 - a) cherry
 - b) proof
 - c) plaster
 - d) bright
6. What is seigniorage?
 - a) the set of processes taken to implement a coin design
 - b) a common word in national spelling bees
 - c) the succession order of workers in a mint
 - d) the profit made from making money
7. As famously seen in Hungary and Zimbabwe, the excessive printing of paper money can trigger what?
 - a) fiat lockdown
 - b) bonfire syndrome
 - c) waterlogging
 - d) hyperinflation
8. What is the numeric range of values that a coin professionally graded by an American grading service can have?
 - a) 1 to 25
 - b) 1 to 70
 - c) 0 to 15
 - d) 0 to 255
9. What was the only country that ever issued platinum coins as a regular circulating currency? Today, it is the world's second largest producer of platinum.
 - a) Japan
 - b) Zimbabwe
 - c) India
 - d) Russia
10. Money generally has three different types of values. Which of these is NOT one of those three types?
 - a) face value
 - b) intrinsic value
 - c) expected value
 - d) numismatic value

answers: 1)d 2)c 3)d 4)d 5)b 6)d 7)d 8)b 9)d 10)c

COMING EVENTS FOR Spring/Summer 2022

Listings are courtesy of Canadian Coin News

For the most up-to-date information visit CCN's online 'Events' listings at canadiancoinnews.com/events or contact the event organizers.

JUNE 12, BRANTFORD, ON

Brantford Coin Show, Branlyn Community Centre, 238 Brantwood Park Road. The Brantford Numismatic Society presents its 59th Annual Coin Show on Sunday June 12, 2022 from 9:00 am-3:00 pm. Free admission and ample parking. 40 vendors /80 tables. Featuring Canadian and World Coins and Paper money, Royal Canadian Mint Products, Gold and Silver Bullion, Catalogues, Books and Coin Supplies, Young Collectors Table, Exhibits and Free Draws. Lunch available on site. For more information contact Jim Kopinak email jimkopinak@gmail.com, telephone 519-753-1948.

JUNE 12, TIMMINS, ON

2022 Timmins Coin and Stamp Show, Timmins Museum, 325 Second Avenue. The Timmins Coin Club and the Timmins Stamp Club are proud to jointly host their annual show on Sunday June 12. Hours from 10 am to 4 pm, in the Grey Gallery at the Timmins Museum. Free Admission & Parking. It features several dealers, exhibits, club tables and a door prize. Masks are recommended and the Show is subject to existing government Covid-19 regulations. For more information contact Kevin Montgomery, email nifinder@hotmail.com

JUNE 12, NIAGARA FALLS, NY

Coins, Currency & Collectibles Show 2022, Lewiston Fire Co. #2, 1705 Saunders Settlement Rd. Hosted by the Niagara Frontier Coin Club from 10am to 4pm. Free admission. For more information contact David Tortorice, email horsserbmc@verizon.net, telephone 716-796-8552

JUNE 25 – 26, TORONTO, ON

TOREX, Crowne Plaza Toronto Airport Hotel, 33 Carlson Court. TOREX - Canada's National Coin Show & Auctions - 60th Anniversary. Hours: Sat. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Admission \$5. Under 16 free! Official Auctioneer: The Canadian Numismatic Company. For more information contact Brian Smith, telephone 416-705-5348. Website: www.torex.net

AUG. 14, PARIS, ON

Paris Coin Show, Paris Fairgrounds, 139 Silver St. Canada's best one-day coin and collectables show features more than 50 tables of coins, paper money, tokens, militaria and more with dealers buying, selling and appraising. The show will be open from 9 a.m.-4 p.m., and admission is \$4, which includes a draw ticket for a gold coin. For more information contact Jared Stapleton, email pariscoinshow@gmail.com, telephone 647- 403-7334. Website: www.pariscoinshow.ca

AUG. 28, WOODSTOCK, ON

Woodstock Coin Club, 65th. Anniversary Coin Show, Goff Hall, 381 Finkle Street Admission: \$1.00, Under 16 free. Free Parking. No lunch counter For more information contact Rick Johnson, email martjohn@execulink.com, telephone 519.537.3858

AUG. 28, TROY, MI

11th Michigan Summer Regional Coin Show, American Polish Cultural Center, 2975 East Maple Road Polish American Numismatic Society and Huron Valley Numismatic Society. Over 100 US and World Coin Dealer Tables. Hours are 10am - 4pm. Free admission and free parking. Authentic Polish food. Tables \$95, case rent \$10, lamp rent \$5. NO SALES TAX in Michigan on Coins & Bullion. www.pans-club.org For more information contact Brett Irick, email xr7gt@prodigy.net, telephone 313-207- 3562. Website: www.pans-club.org

SEPT. 9 – 11, MISSISSAUGA, ON

Fall 2022 National Postage Stamp & Coin Show, Hilton Mississauga/ Meadowvale, 6750 Mississauga Rd. The National Postage Stamp & Coin Show is Canada's largest show featuring top philatelic and numismatic dealers from across Canada. The show starts Friday with Colonial Acres' Premier Auction, with daytime viewing and the auction going live at 5 p.m. For auction details, visit Colonial's website, colonialacres.com. The two-day coin and stamp bourse opens at 10 a.m. and runs until 5 p.m. on Saturday and to 4 p.m. on Sunday. Admission on Saturday is \$5 and only \$2 on Sunday. Children under 16 are free. The popular Young Collectors Table will be open both days, and the Young Collectors Auction will be held on Sunday starting at 1 p.m. For full details on dealers, seminars and more, check the show website at stampandcoinshow.com. For more information contact Mike Walsh, email mwalsh@trajan.ca, telephone 905-646-4820. Website: www.stampandcoinshow.com