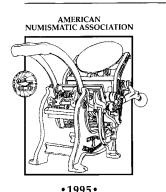
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34th Annual Coin Show

Sunday, October 29 brings us our 34th annual show at the Elgin Inn just south of Ill 31 and I-90. See you all there. If you are so inclined, we could also use your help. Come and join the fun and maybe win something.

Thanks to Rich Eckebrecht and Harry Westlake for donating dor prizes for the show and to all others who have put in so much of their time and effort.

November Meeting

The November program will include a Young Numismatists' Auction *and* a White Elephant Auction.

YN fluction — This is a month to give the YN's a chance to acquire some of the goodies of us older ones. Each YN at the meeting will get an equal amount of play money to use to acquire some coveted numismatic item. All you non-YNs, please bring something for the YN auction.

White Claphant Auction — This is also a month to pass some of your unique items on to others and give the rest of us a chance to acquire some unique piece of history—or whatever. The proceedes of the White Elephant go to the Club treasury. Please, feel free to bring just about anything you'd like to bring to be sold at this White Eephant Sale.

New Officer Nominations — In december we elect our Treasurer and Vice President for the next two year. Consider running or convincing your collegue to run. We will have nominations in November and elections in December.

Ngcd Hgad Count — In December we will have a holiday meal at the meeting. The club will cover the cost for members and their immediate families. But we need a count no later than the November meeting. Please be ready to let us know if you and yours will be attending. We need the numbers.

We can even have be an after-meeting Auction if some or more of you bring something additional to sell and the rest of us bring enough money to cover your desires.

November Meeting

Meeting: 7:30pm Wed., November 1

Trading: 7:00-7:30pm Location: VFW Post 1307

1601 Weld Road Elgin, IL 888-9809

Prizes

Regular Member: 1951-d 50¢ MS64

Junior Member: 1963 Unc mint set in holder

Raffle Prizes: Come and see. Poor Prizes: Come and see.

Bring a new member or guest!

Not a member? Come anyway for a fun evening!

October Minutes

ECC Meeting 454 — October 4, 1995

 Opened:
 7:40pm
 Closed:
 8:30pm

 Members:
 16
 YNs:
 4

Guests: 4

Club account: \$562.70

Ahead on raffle: \$140.00

For deposit: \$471.00

President Doug Nelson called the 454nd meeting of the Elgin Coin Club to order at 7:40pm at VFW Post 1308.

Secretary's Report

The minutes were accepted as published in the newsletter with the following change: Harold Hunt called the 453rd meeting to order and presided over is while Doug Nelson was absent because of a death in his family.

I also introduced four visitors. Nice to have you with us. I hope you enjoyed your visit and will be back soon and often.

Treasurer's Report

Don reported the numbers listed in the box above.

Show Report

Harold reported that our show is on and that we had 18 confirmed tables sold. At this writing (10/23) 20 are sold and a couple more are possible. He and Doc passed around sign-up sheets. We still could use some more help for set up before the show, for cleanup, and for setting at the club table during the show. If you want to spend some extra time during the meeting helping, we can find something for you to do. Thanks in advance.

Harold also put out the call for heavy sale of raffle tickets for the Gold and CC Dollar given away in conjunction with the show. Have fun collaring your work pals and relatives.

New Business

Harold reported that there is a good chance that we can get Sonny Henry to put on an auction at our next show.

Someone asked about finding another meeting location.

Program

I read the narration for an ANA slide show on type coins from two cent pieces through dimes. There were some really nice slides in that group and a some lively discussion.

After the program we had the raffle drawing, the membership, and door prize drawings. The winners are in the accompanying box.

Submitted by Mike Metras, Secretary.

Elgin Coin Club

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 President – Doug Nelson
 Treasurer – Don Cerny

 Vice President – Harold Hunt
 Secretary – Mike Metras

Regular Meeting: First Wednesday 7:30pm

VFW Post 1307 708-888-9809

I.N.A. 1299

1601 Weld Road Elgin, IL

Visitors are always welcome.

Submit all items for publication to the editor or any officer at any club meeting or send them to the above address.

Board Meeting: The board meeting takes place about two weeks after the regular meeting. We get together at one of the officer's or board member's houses or at a location otherwise determined by the officers. This is an *open* meeting. Members are welcome to all board meetings. If you want to attend, contact an officer for the time of and directions to the meeting place.

Club Dues: Membership dues in the Elgin Coin Club, payable by the end of February each year, are:

- \$10 full member
- \$5 junior member (YNs) under 18
- \$15 family membership (adults and children)

Newsletter editor: Mike Metras (815-786-6779)

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You can get back copies of the Elgin Coin Club newsletter either from the secretary at the meeting or with a letter to the club post office box.

October Prizes

Regular membership prize: Joe Cerny Junior membership prize: Mike Cerny

Door prize winners: Frank Schlapinski, Jerry Ransom,

Gene Cunningham

Raffle winners: Harry Westlake, Pete McCoy, Joe Prosser

Board Meeting

Doug Nelson, Harold Hunt, Don Cerny, Mike Metras, and Joe Cerny met at Don's in Elgin on October 20.

- We decided on the prizes for this month.
- We discussed and oked the November YN and White Elephant auctions.
- We talked over several details concerning the club show and made up the more or less final table layout. If we have to change it because ten more tables are sold, we will gladly accept the inconvenience.

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Shows

- Sep 29-Oct 1-Illinois Numis. Assoc. Coin Show and Convention, Best Western, 17400 S. Halstead (I-80 and Il-1), Homewood, IL
- Oct 1—Elmhurst Coin Show, KofC Hall, 537 South York Rd, Elmhurst, IL
- Oct 8—Corn Belt Coin Club Fall Show, McLean Co. Farm Bureau, 402
 N. Hershey, Bloomington, IL.
- Oct 15-Indian Hill Coin Club Show, Gurnee Am. Legion, 749 N. Milwaukee, Gurnee.
- Oct 15-NOISE coin and Card Show, Inland Expo ctr, 400 E. Ogden, Westmont, IL
- Oct 22—Polish-American Numis. Assoc. Coin and Collectibles Show, 5835 W. Diversey, Chicago
- Oct 29—Elgin Coin Club, Elgin Inn, I-90 and Rt31, Elgin, IL

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