The Double Eagle

Newsletter of the Fremont Coin Club
http://www.fremontcoinclub.org/

Club meetings start at 7pm on the 2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month at the Fremont Elks Lodge, 38991 Farwell Drive, Fremont, California

***** 2015 Club Meetings *****

Feb 24th - regular meeting
Mar 2nd - Board Meeting
Don Ehlers - HTLC
Mar 10th - regular meeting
St. Pats Theme
Mar 24th - regular meeting
Apr 6th - Board Meeting
Mary Roja - HTLC
Apr 12-14th Nat'l Coin Wk
Apr 14th - regular meeting
Apr 28th - regular meeting
Super Auction
May 4th - Board Meeting
Wanda Johnson - HTLC
May 12th - regular meeting
Spring Potluck BBQ
May 26th - regular meeting
June 1st - Board Meeting
Chuck Call HTLC
June 9th - regular meeting
June 23rd - regular meeting
Jul 6th - Board Meeting
Jonathan Chang place TBD
(Don N Britta gone)
Jul 14th - regular meeting
(Don N Britta gone)
Jul 25-26th - FCC Coin Show
Pizza Party for show workers
Aug 3rd - Board Meeting
Bob Lusk - HTLC
Aug 11th - regular meeting
Aug 25th - regular meeting
Aug 31st - Board Mtg Dennis Pagano Hayward Union Hall
Sept 8th - regular meeting
Sept 22nd - regular meeting
Oct 5th - Board Meeting
TBD - HTLC
Oct 13th - regular meeting
Oct 27th - regular meeting
Club Anniversary
Nov 2nd - Board Meeting
Dorothy G-Call HTLC
Nov 10th - Reg Mtg
Veteran Day
Nov 24th - Reg Mtg Elections

Jan-Feb - 2015
Last Newsletter - 2015

The Fremont Coin Club Board held the first meeting of the 2015 FCC board meeting on 2-5-15. *This will be my last newsletter for the Fremont Coin Club, so I wil be listing the 2015 Club activities discussed at the Feb-2015 board meeting and will be posting to the website*.

- Club Elections: the club has one vacancy: #1 Corresponding Secretary (Double Eagle Newsletter editor).

Election results by acclamation: *Dennis Pagano,* President; Jonathan Chang 1st VP; (*Geoff Wren volunteered for this position @Feb Board meeting)* 2nd VP; Matthew Wren, Jr Vice President; Matt Hutchinson, Treasurer; Dorothy Galovich-Call, Recording Secretary; VACANT, Corresponding Secretary; Directors: Don & Briita Ehlers, Wanda Johnson Mary Roja, and Bob Lusk. Past President: Chuck Call..

<<<--->>>FCC 2015 Yearly Schedule (Continued fm left column)

Nov 30th - Board meeting
Matt Hutchinson - HTLC
Dec 8th 2015 - FCC Holiday Party + All Gold Drawing
Jan TBD 2016 - FCC Installation Dinner @Spin-A-Yarn Fremont
(Likely to be held Sun Jan 10th or 17th @5pm -- **To Be Negotiated**)
Jan 26th, 2016 - Last regular meeting for 2015 FCC Board.

Recent Inquiry RE: FCC Coin Show Drawing Tickets

#1 - All Drawing tickets are issued in books of 10 in consecutive order prior to the day of the coin show. (Usually at the March meeting up thru July).
#2 - The Day of the Coin Show there are NO books of 10 tickets; Tickets are sold as single units.
#3 - Money and unsold tickets should be turned in BEFORE the Coin Show date, but may be turned in at the Coin show.
#4 - People selling multiple **books** of drawing tickets will become eligible for a free dinner at our installation dinner. Need to sell a book to be eligible.
#5 - People selling a book of drawing tickets will receive a special FCC copper medal for each book sold.
#6 - The FCC Board reserves the right to change the rules, but will only do so BEFORE the tickets are printed and issued for the yr.

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FCC Webmaster

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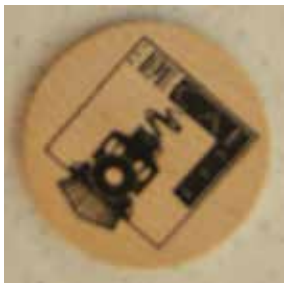
Meetings: Second and Fourth Tuesday of each month. Annual dues: Regular $5, Junior (under 18) $2, Honorary (over 70) Free. CLUB Officers: *Dennis Pagano,* President; Jonathan Chang 1st VP; Geoff Wren 2nd VP; Matthew Wren, Jr Vice President; Matt Hutchinson, Treasurer; Dorothy Galovich-Call, Recording Secretary; VACANT, Corresponding Secretary; Directors: Don & Briita Ehlers, Wanda Johnson Mary Roja, and Bob Lusk. Past President: Chuck Call

December Meeting NoteS

Dec 9 th 2014 THEME: Holiday Party -- Attendance: 41. President Dennis Pagano called the meeting to order at 7:24; **Door Prize:** Geoff Wren. **Bubble Draw:** Announcements: #971 Dennis Pagano wins 1 Silver Quarter. .Last date to RSVP for Jan 2015 Installation Dinner -- See Mary Roja. Jan 27th 2015 next regular meeting. Announcments: Coin Shows: Concord; San Jose. FCC members were treated to a special visitor from the North Pole who handed out Candy Canes and took pictures with the attendees. Children's xmas stockings were handed out and there was a special cake + refreshments, courtesy of FCC.

Show & Tell: (Holiday theme)
Matt Hutchinson: Radar Serial Numbers on $1 note
Geoff Wren: 1795 Afghan Rupee.
Keith Scott: The 3-roles of xmas - A tale of Copper, Silver, and Gold.
Don Barsi: Wooden Nickel from the "Eagle Cafe" in Centerville district Fremont.
Lyle Okamoto: exonumia fro trade show; a pin-back "girl-start".
Dorothy Galovich Call: A B-Day present from Chuck - 50 Peso Gold Piece...Nice gift!
Ed Sinns: a recent pickup @Stacks Bowers auction; waiting 50 yrs to complete his Half Real set with a 1732 Half Real from Mx City.

No auction is held for the December meeting.



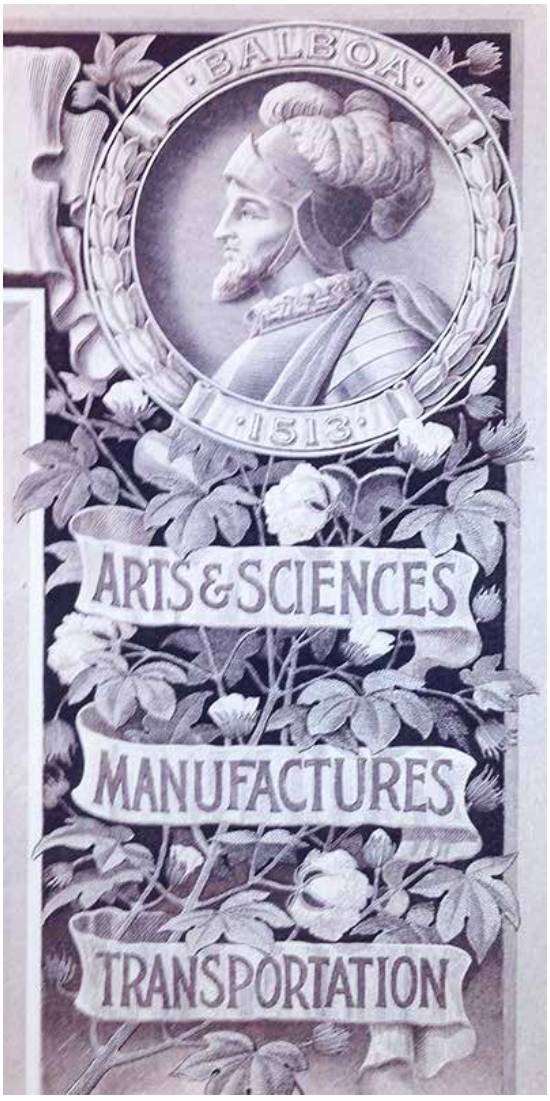
January Meeting Notes

Jan 27th 2015 Meeting called to order at 7:16pm by Pres. Pagano. -- **Attendance**: 27 **Door Prize**: Keith Scott; **Bubble Draw**: delayed till Feb Mtg.**Announcements:** President Pagano announced local area coins shows. Pres. Pagano presented Ray Kowalksi with a special medal for 100% attendance of 2014 FCC regular meetings. Program Speaker was Ed Sin who told of a story about an English Privateer and Anson's raid on the Spanish settlements on the Pacific Ocean in 1740.

Show & Tell: (theme: Turkey Coins)
Lyle Okamoto: items fromt eh Design Con tradeshow and an elongated euro cent from the Normandy Beach France..
Jim Barton: 1888-1998 100 yrs of Sears Roebuck silver coin
Keith Scott: San Jose Coin show find from FCC past president Alistair - a 1889 MS63 Seated Quarter.
Brian Perry: shared some of his xmas gifts: History of US Nickels 1910 to date; 1976 coin set and several more.
Ken Barr: FUN Show BEP souvenier card and a sheet serial #2 celebrating the Pan Pacific expo whose ink took 5 days to dry.
Tony Yu: Belt buckle w/silver dollar.
Ray Kowalski: $2 dollar
Ed Sins: 1661 French Coin.
Matt Hutchinson: radar serial $1 note.
Jonathan Chang: Xmas gift Baseball commemorative coin.

Winner: Brian Perry

After a short break, regular meeting SILVER drawing: Mary Roja, Don Ehler, Matt Hutchinson, Bob Lusk, Aaron Houston, Ray Kowalski.. Dennis Pagano auctioned off 12lots. Runners: Tripti and Matthew.



FREMONT COIN CLUB BYLAWS - UPDATE 2014

Below are just the changes to the Club's Bylaws. The Full FCC bylaws are available for download on the club's website: http://www.fremontcoinclub.org (look in the left column under the link for the most recent newsletter). Last bylaw update was over 15 yrs ago by Iris Atkinson. Many of the changes were voted on at a October 2013 regular meeting.

ARTICLE II. OBJECTIVE & ORGANIZATION STATUS

Section 1. **The objective of this Club** is to promote the interests and study of numismatics and related activities in accordance with local and federal laws.

Section 2. **Non-Profit Status:** "FCC" Is a nonprofit public benefit organization and is not organized for the private gain of any person.

Section 3. **Dedication of Property:** The property of "FCC" is irrevocably dedicated to social welfare purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this organization shall be inured to the benefit of any director, officer, or private person.

Section 4. **Dissolution of the Organization:** Upon the dissolution or winding up of "FCC", its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this organization shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation, which is organized and opersated exclusively for social welfare purposes and which has established its tax-exempt status under IRC Section 501 (c)(4).

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. **Membership Types**:.... Life Member is classified is someone who has paid for 15 annual memberships OR is a senior citizen who is older than 70 years old and has paid ONE regular membership

ARTICLE V. DUES

Section 1. **Dues Payment:** The annual dues shall be ~~five dollars ($5.00) for regular members and two dollars ($2.00) for junior members~~ determined by the FCC Board and voted on by the membership in accordance with Section X in the bylaws. The results will be published to the membership. Dues is payable in advance and is due in March.

Section 5. **Pro-Rata:** Dues is a flat fee and will be NOT be pro-rated during the year ~~on a quarterly basis.~~

ARTICLE VI. MEETINGS

Section 1. **Regular Meetings:** Regular meetings shall be held on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at the Fremont Elk's Lodge, 38991 Farwell Drive. Meeting times are at the discretion of the Board If the date of the regular meeting falls on a holidays it may be changed to another date or cancelled by vote of the Board of Directors. If the Fremont's Elk's Lodge is unable to be utilized as a venue for FCC meeting, Club Officers will designate an alternate meeting venue and notify the club membership.

Section 3. **Attendance/Quorum to transact club business:** At any regular meeting, one-fourth of the members in good standing shall constitute a quorum for transacting any business of the Club

ARTICLE VIII. DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Section 7. **The Corresponding Secretary**....Additionally, when time and budget and timing is feasible, the Corresponding Secretary will produce a monthly newsletter in a written and an electronic form, which shall be distributed to "active" FCC members. A definition of an "active" FCC member pertains to those members who attend ONE (1) regular FCC meeting or function per year. Active members are encouraged to sign-in at the membership desk to denote their attendance at regular FCC meeting. The Corresponding Secretary also maintains FCC's presence on the world-wide-web via the fremontcoinclub.org website and other related media.

ARTICLE XIII. PRIVILEGES OF MEMBERSHIP

Section 2. **Rules of the Auction:**

E. No Auction lots will be accepted after the presiding officer has gaveled the meeting to order.

F. Except at the discretion of the Treasurer, sellers must use the approved FCC auction form. Only one (1) auction form per seller per meeting. (2) auction forms at the "Super Auction" meeting.

G. Buyers cannot pay for their items in loose coins or in rolls of coins, since this would incur an additional cost for the club at financial institutions.

H. Sellers can only run tabs for auction items at the discretion of the Treasurer.

I. As a courtesy to fellow club members, no visiting or conversation while the auctioneer is conducting the auction.

J. The auctioneer has the discretion to remove items from the auction which may be deemed "misrepresented" ~~from the auction.~~

Section 3. **Club Library:** All members who are "active" and in....

Section 4. **Show and Tell:** All members and guests in good standing

~~Section 5. All members in good standing shall be entitled to participate in Special Exhibit nights, held approximately three times each year for both junior and senior members.~~

~~Unlike "Show and Tell," the Special Exhibits are voted upon by the membership, and prizes are awarded based on the balloting~~

Section 5. **Regular Meeting Prize Drawing:** The Club shall endeavor to conduct a prize drawing ~~raffle~~ at each regular meeting. All persons in attendance at Club meetings shall be entitled to participate in the drawing ~~raffle~~. Prize drawing ~~raffle~~ ticket prices and costs and quality of the

drawing ~~raffle~~ prizes shall be determined by the Board of Directors at the annual budget meeting.

Section 8: **Club Notices/Newsletters:** The Club shall endeavor to publish a regular monthly newsletter when budget/resources are available. FCC members who are "active" and whose membership is in good standing will be eligible to receive club publications. "Active" Membership is defined as those members who physically attend ONE FCC meeting or function per year. Non-active members eligibility to receive electronic/ written publications is negotiable with the FCC board, but may require some additional compensation for the additional club expense (i.e. postage/ printing costs).

Section 9: **Regular Meeting Membership drawings:** Upon discretion of the FCC Board and budgetary allowances, a membership drawing will be held for each regular meeting. FCC members who are active and whose membership is in good standing will be eligible for a special prize drawing based on their membership number. The Second Vice President will be charged with the administration of the membership numbers (bubble draw), record keeping, and administration

ARTICLE XII. PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE

Section 1. **"Robert's Rules of Order**" shall be the official guide of the Club in all matters of Parliamentary Procedure

ARTICLE XIV. EFFECTIVE DATE -- Addition of a signature page with the signatures of the Current FCC President, Treasurer, & a current Officer.

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