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Crescent City Coin Club

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February Monthly Membership Meeting Feb. 18th, 2015

Board of Officers President Linton Duet Jr.

Vice-President Candice

Watson

Corresponding Sec. Steve

Rogers

Recording Sec. Steve

Rogers

Treasurer Louis Jessup

Immediate Past President

Board of Governors

Ruth Young (absent) Ted Bellanger **Richard Frilot** Eddie Baker (absent)

Bob Eddy (absent)

Mike Buras

26 members were present at the meeting

The regular membership meeting of the Crescent to order at 7:03 pm by President Linton Duet Jr.

After welcoming everyone for attending tonight's meeting President Linton Duet Jr. made a motion to dispense with the reading of last's months meeting. Motion approved by Andrew Correnti and seconded by Candice Watson. President Linton Duet Jr. asked Steve Rogers if we had any new members this month. Steve replied that there were no new members to report. President Linton Duet Jr. advised everyone that membership dues for 2015 are due by our March membership meeting. Steve Rogers will send an email to all club members advising them

Coin Auction



Members are encouraged to bring coins for auction. Coins will be auctioned toward the end of each monthly meeting. Members are permitted to set starting bid price on each coin put on the auction block. Club members are able to auction up to 5 coins each.

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That dues need to be paid by March 18th.

The treasurer's report was our next topic. Treasurer Louis Jessup informed everyone that he has just received the bank statement and will provide a recap of income and expenses at our next meeting. Louis went on to say that after a recent visit to our bank we now have an business account that will not charge us a fee if our account falls below a certain level during the month. This usually occurs after a coin show and we pay expenses. We should save

about \$180 per year in bank fees! Thank you Louis and Rick for arranging this for the club.

Officer reports were next on the agenda. President Linton Duet Jr. gave an update on our one day coin show at the Lafitte Fire Station. Linton tells us it will be held on Saturday February 28th from 9am. to 6pm . The fire station is located at 2385 Jean Lafitte Blvd. Station #40 in Lafitte, La. The admission is FREE. Food and beverages as well as coffee and donuts will be provided for the dealers and support staff. 8ft. Tables for the show will be \$25 payable at the door. This year the show will be held in the bay area as opposed to the meeting room used last year. This should allow for more room for the dealers and customers to move around in. Linton has put out a large number of signs in the west bank area to promote the show as well as on NOLA.com and the Times Picavune. In addition a large number of fliers are being handed out to the public to promote the event. For more information contact Linton at 504-329-6283

Next on the agenda was a committee report by Rick Demers on our one day

Rick Demers

City Coin Club was called

NEXT MEETING March 18, 2015

Dinner 6:00pm

Meeting 7:00pm

Knights of Columbus 3310 Florida Avenue Kenner, LA





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show at the Knights of Columbus hall in Kenner. This is the same venue that our regular club meetings are held. The one day show will be held on Sunday April 26th from 9am. to 5pm. So far we have 7 or 8 8 tables paid for and another 4 or 5 tables committed. There are 25 tables available so if you interested contact Rick Demers at 504-464-1995. Prices for tables are \$80 per 8 ft. table and we still have some left. Food and beverages will be provided by the KC hall staff. A menu is posted in this newsletter. In addition they will be offering breakfast for the dealers and support staff. Like our coin shows in the past we will be selling raffle tickets for a chance to win 3 Morgan uncirculated silver dollars and a 1/10 ounce gold coin. We will also have hourly drawings for door prizes. Attendance to this show is FREE. We will be advertising on NOLA.com and the Times Picayune. Based on surveys taken at our last coin show the Times is by far the best place where consumers get their news about our coin shows from.

After a brief break Henry Smith gave a slide show presentation on Canadian Coins. After a brief history of Canadian coins from the different provinces of Canada Henry informed the crowd that the Canadian mint now uses the decimal system for their coins. Most coins depict Queen Elizabeth on the obverse and a variety of scenes on the reverse such as sports (hockey), history, flowers, insects, trains, birds, ect. Most of the coins Henry spoke about were commemorative coins. Through the years the mint have produced these coins using a variety of metals not seen in US coins. Their silver coins use .9999 pure silver as opposed to .999 fine used in most other countries. A large number of their coins come in different denominations such as \$2. \$3, \$15, \$20. Of course these are not their business strike coins used in day to day transactions. Another interesting fact is the mints use of holograms on their commemorative coins and the addition of colors. This produces some of the most beautiful coins I have seen. A big round of applause came as Henry ended his presentation. Thank you Henry.

At the end of tonight's meeting we drew for membership and door prizes. Membership prize which was a proof set was won by Mal Theriot. The 1 oz. silver round was won by Louis Jessup and the 50/50 raffle of \$36 was one by Richard Dempsey. Afterwards we held or monthly auction. Auctioneer Andrew Correnti and assistant Steve Barnes auctioned off a good many items tonight.

BY: Steve Rogers

2015 MEMBERSHIP DUES Membership dues for this year are due

by our next membership meeting which is March 18th, 2015

If you are unable to attend next months meeting you can mail your payment in. Please make your check or money order to Crescent City Coin

Club. Send it to:

3712 Williams Blvd. Suite I

Kenner, La. 70065 Adult=====\$15 Couple===\$20 Junior under 18===\$5 Lifetime Adult==\$200 Lifetime Couple==\$300

I will be purging our email list to reflect only currently paid members at the end of our March meeting. Paid members will be the only ones to receive our news letter via email. If your no longer a member you can still see our news letter via our website @ crescentcitycoinclub.org