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#### Meetings 7:15 PM Aug 14th & 28th Marks Street Senior Center, 99 E. Marks St. Orlando (YNs at 6:45-14th)

#### CfCC Fall Show Sept 27th-29th Central Florida Fair Grounds 4603 W Colonial Orlando, FL

Summer FUN show

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Summer FUN was held on July 11th through July 13th, at the Orange County Convention Center. I am sure most of you made it to the show, which has grown exponentially over the last few years, due to the diligent work of the FUN Convention coordinator, Cindy Wibker. This year, over 200 Dealers were in attendance, along with the "Gold Panners", & the "Hobo nickel" carvers. Of course, what would the FUN Show be like without the appearance of Abraham Lincoln and General Robert E Lee?

Summer F.U.N., 2013 Coin and Currency show was once again a huge success with an overall attendance of 3250 people. Public Registration conducted the attendees into the show with little to no waiting time thanks to excellent efforts of the Central Florida Coin Club volunteers who manned that station.

## **Featured Coin of the Meeting**

August 14, 2013

1842-O Seated Dime - VG+

A choice example of this underrated semi-key date. The surfaces are a pleasing original gray and most letters of LIBERTY are still visible. A seldom-encountered offering.

#### PCGS Price Guide: \$45

Minimum bid: \$35

#### August 28, 2013

### 1926 Lincoln Cent - MS64 Red-As is typical for the date, this specimen is very well made with bright orangey luster and a sharp strike.

The grade is only limited by some light carbon spots, but very few marks or other flaws are noted. A choice piece for the avid Lincoln cent specialist.

#### PCGS Price Guide: \$70

Minimum bid: \$48



Each month, we will post photos of a coin that has some type of "problem". The answer will be given in the following months Numis-Notes!

#### This Months Mystery-



Is it possible to have a two headed or two tailed coin or token?



Would you have paid \$1,500.00 for it? You would have lost your money; it is a counterfeit coin. Special attention must be made in today's market place for forgeries. Be wise use caution.



Don't forget! Dues were due before May 1st for the current year! **If you have not paid yet**, <u>your</u> <u>name has been purged from the drawing bin</u> and you are <u>not eligible</u> for "Let's Make A Deal", Educational Award, or the membership award! See Donna to keep your membership active!



--- Another new feature we will be adding to the newsletter! ---Let's all give a big CFCC Welcome to our newest members-

Steven Vellines



I had great time at the Summer F.U.N. show. I saw several of you there. Hope you had as much fun as I did! I have some show and tell, and I hope you do too!

I look forward to seeing everybody on August 14 at 6:45.

Happy Collecting! Dan Aidif



#### 7/10-

**LMAD-** *Bob Wollnick* was first name drawn-Picked Envelope #4, raffled it off for \$23.00 to David Mynchenburg, who discovered a 2 peso gold coin!

Educational Award-Jeannie Neff was called (But was already at the FUN show), so *Joey O'Neil* collected the Educational certificate.

**Membership-** *Chuck Allen* was drawn first, and was there to collect the Silver dollar 7/24

**LMAD-** Our very own auctioneer, Don Mix was first out of the hopper-Picked envelope #2, raffled it off for \$27.00 and said "show me the money!"-Bill Hancock took home a Silver Dollar.

**Educational Award-** Won by *Steve Lauer* (who now has to learn how to read). **Membership-**The ever present *Bob Wollnick* was there to claim the membership prize!

[If you notice we had to expand this section due to the number of "NO SHOWS" at the meetings! Do your part to help out the newsletter publisher-come to the meetings and claim your prizes!]



The raffle tickets have been printed and are on hand for any club member who wants to sell some for the club. Every member is encouraged to take a pack of tickets and SELL-SELL-SELL ! This is one of the major fund raisers for YOUR club! Only \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. They will be available at the club meetings.

Raffle ticket sales at the summer F.U.N. show totaled 1741(\$1505.00) for the three day show. Not all too bad for just starting out and hopefully the winter F.U.N. show will be much better.



The Central Florida Coin Club collects NEW and UNWRAPPED toys for the annual Toys for Tots drive sponsored by the U.S. Marine Corps. and the Casselberry Coin Club collects can goods for WESH Share your Christmas. This year we will try assisting each other in these charitable endeavors. Any time between now and the cut-off date (to be determined) bring a NEW, UNWRAPPED toy or can/cans of food to either club's meeting and it will be stored until the donation time arrives.

Each toy donated will entitle the giver to five free red raffle tickets from the *Central Florida Coin Club*, after the initial purchase of raffle tickets has been made.

Each canned good donated will entitle the giver to one free raffle ticket for all Silver prizes from the *Casselberry Coin Club*, after the initial purchase of raffle tickets has been made. Let's see if we can get our combined coin club efforts published in Coin World and/or Numismatic News in their January/February issues.



### **Public Registration**

Thanks to excellent efforts of the Central Florida Coin Club volunteers who manned that station.

I would personally like to give my heartfelt thanks to the following CFCC people;

Dan Aidif, Margaret Anderson, Bob Cole, Bob Dombo, David Elliot, Yolanda Elliot, Ron Fursa, Frank Guzman, Bob Hall, Jan Harris, Easter Hancock, Jim Hancock, Dan Knapp, Helen Knapp, Jim Kuhl, Steve Lauer, Zach Lauer, Don Mix, David Mynchenberg, Joey O'Neal, Skip Pfeiffer, Dick Ralston, Jackie Ralston, Harriet Storms, Augie Valente, Steve Valis and Bob Wollnick-

for a wonderful job well done.

I would also like to give *Jeanie Neff* special thanks for being my right-hand person at Public Registration.

BJ Neff Public Registration Coordinator



Dick & Jackie Ralston

Donna and the Hobo's

Jim Hancock





Would you trust them? Steve & Zach Lauer, Skip Pfieffer



Donna Moon

Easter Hancock, Zach Lauer, BJ Neff, Jeanie Neff, Steve Lauer, Augie Valente



Dick Wells



Summer FUN this year had 15 exhibitors putting out 53 educational exhibits cases. It was quite an improvement from the first Summer FUN when only 3 cases were put out.



By Bob Russell



Photo courtesy of Erin Leigh

CFCC members made up the majority of cases and they were from Jim Hancock, Steve Lauer, Zach Lauer, Skip Pfieffer, Cindy Wibker, BJ Neff and yours truly. There were three from Jacksonville and two YN's, one of which was local and the other from Jacksonville. As a gesture of appreciation FUN gave each exhibitor a slabbed 2013 Silver Eagle.

Overheard from a FUN show veteran "there are more exhibits here then used to be at the winter FUN in January".

We have come a LONG way with room to grow even more. If you have ever had the desire to exhibit just let me know. FUN would love to have you as an exhibitor.





Do you plan to travel while doing charity work this summer? Some travel expenses may help lower your taxes if you itemize deductions when you file next year. Here are five tax tips the IRS wants you to know about travel while serving a charity.

1. You must volunteer to work for a qualified organization. Ask the charity about its tax-exempt status. You can also visit IRS.gov and use the Select Check tool to see if the group is qualified.

2. You may be able to deduct unreimbursed travel expenses you pay while serving as a volunteer. You can't deduct the value of your time or services.

3. The deduction qualifies only if there is no significant element of personal pleasure, recreation or vacation in the travel. However, the deduction will qualify even if you enjoy the trip.

4. You can deduct your travel expenses if your work is real and substantial throughout the trip. You can't deduct expenses if you only have nominal duties or do not have any duties for significant parts of the trip.

5. Deductible travel expenses may include: Air, rail and bus transportation Car expenses Lodging costs The cost of meals Taxi fares or other transportation costs between the airport or station and your hotel
To learn more see Publication 526, Charitable Contributions. The booklet is available at IRS.gov or by calling 800-TAX-FORM (800-829-3676).
Additional IRS Resources:

Select Check tool

Publication 526, Charitable Contributions

#### **IRS YouTube Videos:**

Exempt Organizations Select Check – English | Spanish

#### **IRS Podcasts:**

Exempt Organizations Select Check – English | Spanish



There will be an educational presentation at the meeting, but the topic is unknown at this time!

NOTE: We are looking for speakers/presentations! See BJ Neff to reserve your spot !

It is our goal to have one meeting per month, where a guest speaker (read-a member of the club) gives a short 20 minute presentation on a topic of their choosing-Numismatic related, of course. We are always looking for volunteers to share their knowledge with the members-The presentation doesn't need to be "show quality", just get up and tell us what you know!



#### August 4th-

Maitland Coin and Currency Show 641 S. Maitland Ave-Maitland, FL 407-730-3116

#### Sept 27-29, 2013

CFCC Fall Coin Show Central Florida Fair Grounds 4603 W Colonial Dr, Orlando, FL 32808 Hall C

#### Sept 1st-

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If your show isn't listed, get a copy of the flyer to me; I'll list it. ... Steve

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