

Worcester County Numismatic Society

Celebrating 70 years! 1946-2016

Meets 2nd Friday of the month
except July and August

WCNS
Monthly
Newsletter
June 2016

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Next Meeting: Friday June 10

This is our 70th Anniversary Banquet.
There will be no regular meeting in June.

See notice of our Banquet elsewhere in
this newsletter.

YN program:

The YNs have a special summer project.
Check out the YN page on our website
for details.

WCNS Leadership

Officers

Co-Presidents: Mike Simpson &
John Frost
Vice President: Jim Turner
Secretary: George Bilodeau
Treasurer: Stanley Sobiech
Director at Large: Bob Hess

Programs

Speaker Bureau: Bob Moffatt
YN Coordinator: Mark Matys

Hi all,

After all the planning, it is finally here – the 70th Anniversary of the Worcester County Numismatic Society, and our **70th Anniversary Banquet and Awards**.

Reminder, attendance is by ticket only, and all members that can come will be given a complimentary ticket. Guests are \$20 (plus tip), which is a great price for such a good menu. *Note: If you plan to come, and have not reserved your seat (either obtaining a ticket or reserving at the May meeting), please call Mike Simpson immediately at 508-667-9968, as we are running out of tickets, and we won't have extra seats.*

We plan to have some dignitaries in attendance for this major milestone, plus invited Presidents from other clubs. Included will be a look back at the WCNS through pictures, plus an award presentation. The banquet should be a great time!

Please remember, we have no regular meeting in June, so please don't go to our regular meeting location! Our Banquet is in Millbury, and directions and maps can be found on the reverse side of the newsletter.

We end the club year with this big send-off, plus a new newsletter format, and a completely new website. After the Banquet, we will be recessing for the summer, enjoying the weather, and gearing up for the start of our 71st year in September.

- John and Mike

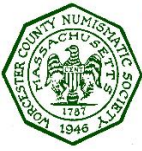
Did you know...

In the recent auction of the D. Brent Pogue collection, the two most anticipated coins to be offered in years **did not sell!** The Sultan of Muscat **1804 Dollar** and the **1822 Half Eagle** got bids of \$10.8 million and \$7.5 million respectively, and did not meet the reserve of either coin! Thus they went back to Mr. Pogue.



Local Calendar

- **WCNS 70th Anniversary Banquet**, Friday June 10th at A&D Banquet Hall in Millbury MA.
- **Greater Worcester Coin Show**, Elks Club, Auburn MA, Sunday June 12, 9:30 a.m.
- **Blackstone Valley 3rd Wednesday Show**, VFW Post #1385, Uxbridge MA, Wednesday June 15, 3:00 p.m.
- **Nashua 3rd Sunday Show**, Holiday Inn, Nashua NH, Sunday June 19, 8:00 a.m.
- **Westford Coin Show**, Westford Regency, Westford MA, Sunday June 26, 9:00 a.m.



Directions to our 70th Anniversary Banquet A&D Banquet Hall, 60 Elm Street, Millbury MA

From Worcester and north:

- Take State Route 146 south toward Providence
- Take Exit 8, "West Main Street Millbury"
- At the end of the exit ramp, take a left. West Main becomes Elm Street at the highway.
- Continue on Elm Street about half mile. Look for A & D Pizza on the left.
- Turn into parking area at A & D Pizza.
- Meeting will be inside the Banquet Hall, at the back of the property.

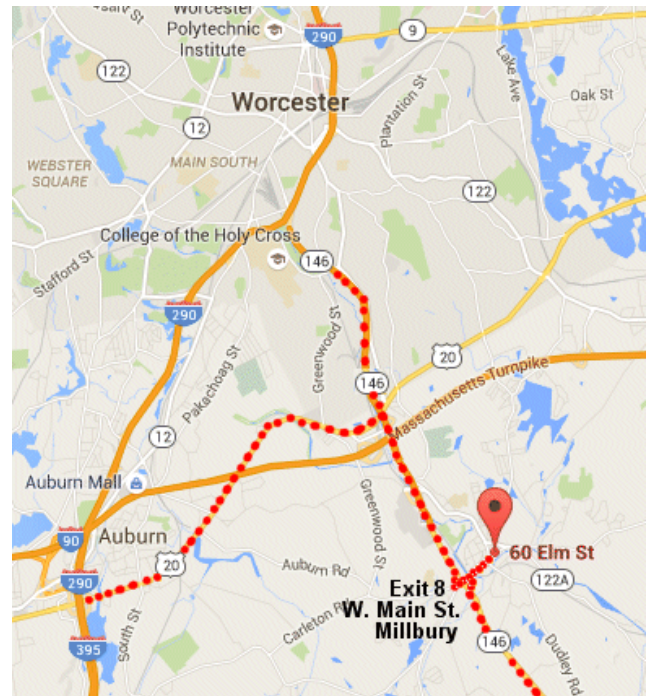
From Uxbridge, Woonsocket, and south:

- Take State Route 146 northbound toward Worcester
- In Massachusetts, take Exit 8, "West Main Street Millbury"
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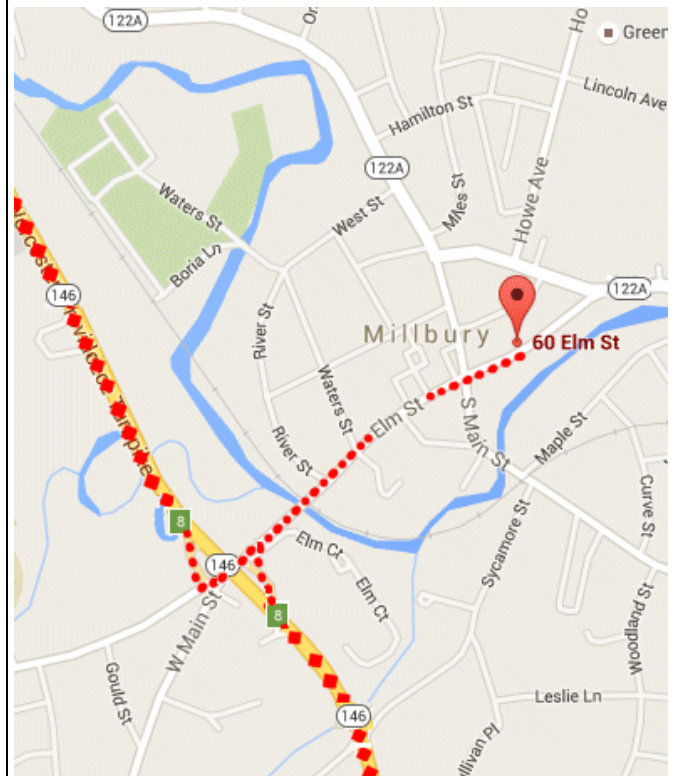
From Auburn and west/south (CT):

- Take U.S. Rt. 20 eastbound toward Shrewsbury
- After about 4 miles, exit to State Route 146 southbound toward Providence
- On 146, take Exit 8, "West Main Street Millbury"
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Regional map:



Location map:



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Deadline for next issue: August 27