

Happy Holidays YNs,

Welcome to your Worcester County Numismatic Society (WCNS) Youth Club December E-Mail.

We will be meeting at **6:00** p.m. on Friday December 9, 2011. Why so early? It is the Holidays and the Worcester County Numismatic Society is celebrating by having an Italian Buffet. So we need to start earlier.

I celebrate Christmas...what do you celebrate? What kind of presents do you like?

At this month's meeting, we will have Show and Tell and our topic will be "Name That Coin".

Three new YNs were in attendance during the November Meeting: Allison, Jason and Corrin. I hope they return for future meetings.

For Show and Tell in November we saw a lot of cool things: **Adrik** brought in a 1982 Proof Set with stand; **Maria** brought her Cool Coin Trading Cards from the year 2000. Remember, for show and tell, bring in one coin, set or currency you would like to share with the club. It is O.K. if you do not have anything or forget to bring something.

At our November meeting, we traveled to Hawaii. We donned our leis and found out that Captain James Cook is credited with discovering Hawaii in 1778. The coins used in Hawaii before becoming a state pictured King Kamehameha I and II. Hawaii became a State in 1959. We saw many cool items and coins from the 1800s used in Hawaii: Cent, Dime and Quarter. Also, we heard some Hawaiian music sung by Elvis. We enjoyed a tropical fruit mix washed down with Hawaiian Punch. After, the Brady Bunch told their story and adventures in Hawaii.

At our October meeting, we learned about a "Short Snorter". We also made our own Short Snorter. Remember to bring your Short Snorter to the next couple of meetings.

Also, check out the Short Snorter Project web site <http://www.shortsnorter.org/>

This web site contains a data base of Short Snorters and a lot of information about the snorter.

This Months' link for YNs containing a numismatic interest is the "U.S. Mint" at the web site <http://www.usmint.gov/kids/>



Think of things you are interested in for our club and we will vote on it.

Here is the list of up coming meeting topics:

December: Name That Coin

January: George Presents: "How coins and medals are made".

New Location: St. Josephs Parish Center 68 Central Street Auburn.

Directions at <http://worcestercoinclub.org/>

Let me know if you have any questions.

See you on Friday,
Mark.