

December 2014 YN eLetter

Hi YNs (Young Numismatists):

Welcome to your Worcester County Numismatic Society (WCNS) Youth Numismatics November E-Mail. We will be meeting at 6:15 p.m. on Friday December 12, 2014.

In November, we were visited by **The Great Coindini**. The Great Coindini presented the live info-commercial "Oooh, That Smell". We had help with YN Maria and Erica who flawlessly performed the skit "Has This Ever Happened to You?!" The info-commercial described how to rid your coin collection and other items from mildew and mold smells.

In our December meeting, we will have Show and Tell. 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, want to show the same thing over and over, or forget to bring something.

Our meeting topic will be "Name that Coin!" Young and old will be able to participate and challenge their five senses!

This weeks' link of numismatic interest is " U.S. Mint's Coin specifications":

http://www.usmint.gov/about_the_mint/?action=coin_specifications

There you will find information about United States Circulating coins.

(Always beware on the computer before signing up for any information, emails, or websites. Always be vigilant online when you navigate through web sites, as many have links that will direct you away from this site if clicked or worst, contain a virus!)

Always remember to bring your Short Snorter to our meetings. In November we all presented our Short Snorters and received a prize.

For Show and Tell, here are the highlights:

Adrik brought in his Eisenhower & Susan B. Anthony dollar coin set. He is still working on it! Then, our glorious leader had a lengthy conversation about bicentennial coins and was applauded because it was over.

A. "Bob" J. brought in a 1935A Silver Certificate his Grandfather found on a job site.

Caiden brought in Ten Yuan National Currency from the Central Bank of China 1936 printed in London;

Trevor brought in a Constantius II ancient coin AD 335 (Roman Emperor from 337 to 361 A.D.).

Here is a great presentation from our summer event by **Maria** on El Yunque, a National Park located in Puerto Rico:



Last month we had 8 YN and 6 adult participants. (Come on Adults, 3 more and we could have won!) As a courtesy to me, could you let me know if you are going to attend the meeting or not? Thanks!

Do you have any ideas for upcoming meetings? Let me know. Here is a list of potential upcoming meeting topics:

December: Name that Coin!

January: Field Trip or "Short Snorter"

February: Field Trip or "Short Snorter"

March: Non-numismatic collections, Hobbies, interests and displays.

April: TBA?

May: In Search of "The Nickel"

June: We are not alone.

We meet at St. Josephs Parish Center 68 Central Street Auburn. Take a look at the WCNS web site at <http://worcestercoinclub.org/> for directions, pictures and link to our previous e-letters.

Let me know if you have any questions or will not be able to attend.

See you on Friday,

Mark