

March 2020 YN eLetter

Do You Feel Lucky YNs? Well do ya? 🍀:

Welcome to your Worcester County Numismatic Society (WCNS) Young Numismatists March 2020 E-Letter. We will have our next meeting at 6:15 p.m. on Friday **March 13, 2020**. We had 5 YNs and 4 guests at our last meeting. As always, PLEASE let me know if you are going or not (gluemark@gmail.com), so we can start on time or wait if you are running a few minutes late! =

Last Meeting – February " Ooooh, That Smell, Part 2! 🦋 "

Last month we all participated in an "Infomercial" for the product "Smell-🦋-Gone". After shooting the infomercial, all YNs were given a SMELLY 🦋 dollar bill to put into "Smell-🦋-Gone" original. To identify everyone's dollar bill, we wrote down the series date and serial number. We will reveal the results in March! (I put in extras in case you were not there!) I forgot to pass out the handout - Please remind me on Friday! Then, we all enjoyed **The Magic of Coins, by Steve the Magician!** brought to you by WCNS! 📺

March's Meeting:

This month's topic is **Lowering the Barr** 🙄 . After Show & Tell, we will debut the new Infomercial for "Smell-🦋-Gone!". Then, we will excitingly find out the results our own test of "Smell-🦋-Gone" original from the "Ooooh, That Smell" 🦋 topic. Then, we will find out about a very interesting smelly(?) dollar bill you will take home for your collection! Even if you did not attend last month, we have enough for all!

Website relating to coins etc.:

This month's links relating to numismatics is from Paper Money Auctions: <https://www.papermoneyauction.com/rare-or-not-rare-the-1963-b-1-dollar-barr-note> Also, I found a you-tube video about our topic: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ulqCoaleeeQ>

Let me know which link you liked better!

Three upcoming events of interest:

Thomas P. Rockwell Memorial Lecture: April 14, 2020 Tuesday 7-9:00 pm

Waltham, MA: Sponsored by the three Boston/NE Coin/Currency/Collectors Clubs Presents "Women, Power, and Magic in 13 Ancient Artifacts" lecture by David Wray. (This event is geared towards adults, but all have been welcome. As a bonus, maybe Maria will attend). More can be found at: https://www.coinbooks.org/v23/esylum_v23n09a18.html (posted 5 days ago!)

Brockton National Coin Week: APRIL 18, 2020 Saturday 1:00 PM (YN Recommended!)

Mr. Hand puts on a wonderful event to celebrate National Coin Week, especially for YNs! My family and I have been going for the past 5 years and it is definitely worth the trip to the Brockton Public Library (Brockton, MA). You can find out more at <https://www.coinworld.com/news/us-coins/brockton-public-library-to-host-national-coin.html> and the Brockton Public Library's website event calendar (Scroll down to 4/18/20) <http://www.eventkeeper.com/mars/xpages/B/BPL/ekp.cfm?curOrg=BPL>. To register, call the Library children's room at 508-894-1430.

New Hampshire Coin & Currency Expo April 11, 2020 Saturday YN program:

The John Kittredge Young Numismatist Program – sponsored by NENA - will take place in Manchester, NH on Saturday April 11, 2020 from 10-Noon. I believe Mr. Hand will be presenting the YN Program at the New Hampshire Coin & Currency Expo. More information can be found at: http://nhcoinexpo.com/?page_id=22 (John Kittredge was a longtime member & President of WCNS)

Order your Smell-~~S~~-Gone now:



1-800-BEE-GONE

There is no smell in the telephone number because the smell is gone!

Operators are not standing by...

YNs: Presidential Dollars from WCNS:

At the December 13 meeting, two YNs received the Presidential Dollars (-1) from WCNS to fill the folders they received in 2011! **THANK YOU WCNS! A.J. & Aidan Please let me know if you are going so you can receive your Presidential Dollars!**

SHOW & TELL:

Shannon without a "B" 🙄 : 2014 P Half Dollar with sticker to commemorate 100 year anniversary of WW I;

Matt 🙄 : 2016 copper round - Year of the Monkey;

Patrick without a "M" 😊 : 2018 P Half Dollar - uncirculated.

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 just plain old forget.

MEMBERSHIP:

WCNS membership normally runs from Jan-Dec. WCNS supports the YN program and is the main reason we receive all the cool numismatic goodies (Coins, tokens, notes, prizes). Remember, if you are a member in good standings, you will receive the goodies!

Wrap-Up

Always remember to bring your "Short_Snorter" to our meetings. You'll never know when you will be asked to present your Short Snorters to receive a prize.

Do you have any ideas for upcoming meetings? Let me know.

Here is a list of potential (subject to change) topics for upcoming meetings:

March 13: Lowering the Barr (can this program go any lower?) 🙄

April 17 (3rd week of April): Paper or Plastic, Part Deux!~

May 8: In Search of....🔍

June 12: Summer Adventure ?

We meet at St. Joseph's 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.=

As always, you can contact me by email: gluemark@gmail.com to discuss coins, notes or other ideas!

- Mark.