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President’s Message

Hello SCNA Members.

Let me start off by thanking you for electing me to the office of President of the SCNA for 2018. We have several new board members in Steve Kuhl from Aiken area and David Durham from Sumter. Both bring years of numismatic experience to the table. As you know Mr. Tony Chibbaro has decided to resign as the Bourse Chairman and has assumed the duties of Second Vice President Tony has worked thirteen years to build our Convention to it’s current status. Mr. Bill Latour from Charleston has taken over as Bourse Chairman. Bill brings many years of experience to the game and promises to build on the program Tony has left and take our Convention to even greater heights. Mr. Will Gragg is again our web Master and also will head up our YN program for the 2018 convention.

We are working on our 46th annual convention, October 26, 27, & 28, 2018 which will be back at the TD Center in Greenville and promises to be bigger and better than ever. Please keep an eye on the Scanner and website www.SC-NA.ORG for events we are adding to this year’s convention.

I have several programs I am working on for 2018 but the most important is our Young Numismatic program. We all need to support the YN’s in South Carolina. Many of us got our start from parents and grandparents who helped us fill Whitman Folders with pennies thus launching us into this wonderful hobby. We all need to mentor the present YN’s to help them along the way. Please urge your club to sponsor an YN exhibit with awards at your local shows and our annual convention. Anyone who can commit 2 hours to the YN program on Saturday for the 2018 Convention please contact me at your earliest opportunity.

Spring is near and so is the beginning of the Coin Show Season in South Carolina. I urge all of you to attend as many shows as possible, I hope to see all of you at a show somewhere and if you attend please introduce yourself as I would like to meet as many of you as possible. All comments and thoughts are appreciated and my contact information is below.

Randy Clark
President SCNA

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From The Editor:

This issue is packed full of useful information as well as guest articles, please take the time to read it and of course look for publishing errors.

It's hard to believe 2018 is upon us! We look forward to a productive and exciting year ahead for the organization and look forward to working with the new President, Randy Clark and new board members David Durham and Steve Kuhl to continue to serve our membership to the highest standards they have come to expect. We also have a new bourse chairman in Bill Latour who has served the SCNA for years as a board member and look forward to his leadership in running South Carolina’s biggest show, the SCNA Convention. Another new addition to the SCNA is Will Gragg who will be taking over as the YN and Boy Scout Coordinator and in addition will continue his duties as the webmaster.

As you can see a lot of changes on tap this year and I for one look forward to the exciting times ahead.

Last but not least, help us grow the hobby by mentoring a new numismatist. Membership in the SCNA, as well as member clubs are affordable so please sponsor or encourage others to be a part of this hobby and organization.

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MEMBERSHIP NEWS

It is a pleasure to welcome the latest additions to our SCNA family and we thank you for your support. We trust that your association with the SCNA will be a rewarding and educational experience for years to come!

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1934 – Patrick Segraves
1935 – Phil Levin
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Nominations are now being accepted for the 2018 Award.
The rules are as follows:
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2. Membership: in both local club and SCNA.
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4. Achievements must be described in written form and should be accompanied by pictures, if available.
5. Picture of nominee should accompany nomination.
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Contact The Camden Coin Club at
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2018 South Carolina Numismatic Convention
October 26, 27 & 28, 2018
TD Convention Center, Greenville, SC
45th Annual SCNA Convention Exhibit Award Winners

Once again the SCNA had a great show turnout with many excellent Youth and Adult Exhibits.

Youth Exhibitors:

First Place—Shelby Plooster with an exhibit on Native Americans depicted on U.S. coins and currency

Second Place—Joshua Lazenby with an exhibit on Unusual U.S. coin denominations

Third Place—Ethan Kolmus with an exhibit on U.S. small cents, 1856 to present

Fourth Place—Eva Whitener with an exhibit on Colorized state quarters

Adult Exhibitors:

First Place—Sam Deep, Lee-Grant

Second Place—Mac Martin, Georgia Notes

Third Place—Jim Kolmus, Teddy Roosevelt

Fourth Place—Will Gragg, Signatures on U.S. currency

Fifth Place—Bill Orne, U.S. Commemorative Issues of the 19th century
Attention Member Clubs
We want you to come and enjoy the 46th Annual SCNA Convention!!

The SCNA will reimburse your club up to $300.00 for rental of a vehicle/van to bring club members to the convention.

The member club must bring a minimum of 4 members and present a receipt from a car rental company.

*Restrictions for this program are simple: 4 member minimum and member club is more than 100 miles from the convention.

SCNA CONVENTION VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

SCNA extends its sincere appreciation to the volunteers who worked at the 2017 Convention.

We need volunteers again this year
October 26-28th, 2018,
TD Convention Center Greenville, SC 29607
People are needed to help set up and take down the showroom, run errands during the show, and work at the registration table during the show.

Anyone interested in helping at the show should contact:
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843-532-5089
Camden Coin Club News
The Club will resume its twice monthly meeting schedule in January after having once monthly during the Holidays

The Club’s annual banquet will be held on January 28 at a local Camden restaurant. All Club members and their guest are invited.

Planning has started for our 2018 spring coin show on March 17. The show will again be held at Camden Recreation Department, 1042 West DeKalb Street, Camden SC 29020. We expect most of the dealer from the fall show to return. The show hours are from 9 am until 3 pm. We are expecting a full Bourse. Hope you can attend.

The Camden Coin Club meets twice per month on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday’s at FIRST COMMUNITY BANK BUILDING, 631 WEST DEKALB STEET, CAMDEN, SC. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Augusta Coin & Stephen James CSRA Club News
Take a look at these websites for these two coin clubs. Their newsletters are published there and have a wealth of information for numismatists young and old. Meeting schedules and show dates can also be found there.

www.sjcsracc.org
www.augustacoinclub.org
Midlands Coin Club News

The Midlands Coin Club had a great 2017 that ended with a pizza party during our December meeting. We had a large attendance and a fun auction. 2018 holds great promise for our hobby and our club.

The club has a nominee for the SCNA Austin M Sheheen Junior Numismatist scholarship for the ANA Summer seminar this year, Joshua Lazenby. He is an active member of the club and has exhibited in the state (SCNA) show. After finding a Morgan dollar in his dad’s drawer, Joshua was hooked. He started working on the classic Lincoln cent series and is close to finishing it. Along with Lincoln cents he has branched out to many foreign coins all the from the USSR or Weimar inflation notes. Joshua is currently working on a set of every coin minted by the Soviet Union. The club has sponsored him for the seminar and the SCNA Scholarship. We will be watching and reporting on his progress.

Our next show in the Midlands is May 5th from 9:00 AM until 4:00 PM at the American Legion Hall #6, 220 Pickens Street, Columbia SC. Our November show was very successful and we expect our Spring show to be the same with a dealer table sellout. There will be something there for everyone. There will be door prizes too. There will also be a Boy Scout Merit Badge clinic for the Coin Collecting Merit Badge starting at 10:00 AM. All troops are welcome. For information concerning the Boy Scout program, contact Will Gragg at SCNA_Webmaster@yahoo.com

The Midlands Coin Club meets every month on the second Thursday at The Cayce Historic Museum, 1800 12th Street, Cayce, SC. We have a Show & Tell, speaker or presentation, auction and a business meeting. Free coins for kids!!! More information on our website at www.mislandscoinclub.com or our Facebook page.
Pee Dee Area Coin Club

The Pee Dee Area Coin Club had a wonderful 2017 year. We hope to have even a better 2018 year. We are already starting our 2018 membership and have had a great turn out. We are also getting ready for our 2018 Spring Coin Show. Please come out and join us on April 14th and 15th for a great show. This show is free to the public and parking is free also. The club will be having raffles for some great coins to win. We will be having our show at Flo-Darl Tech College: SiMT Bldg on Piggah Road in Florence. Bring the children to visit the YN table.

The club welcomes anyone to come visit our meetings on the 2nd and 5th Monday of the month at Shoney’s Restaurant on Hwy 52 in Florence, SC. The meetings start at 7pm but come early and have your supper and socialize. We welcome new members and members from other clubs to come share with us.

Check us out at www.peedeeareacoinclub.com

Myrtle Beach Coin Club

On Tuesday, Dec.5th the Myrtle Beach Coin Club held its annual Christmas Party/Dinner at Brother Shuckers. There were over 50 attendees including guests Kathy Edens and Sheila Conroy. We had a choice of 6 entrees to choose from. After dinner Awards were presented to Matthew Kling (Member Of The Year), Susie Paitsel (Special Presidents Award) Dorothy Brabant and Dave Grabda (Appreciation Awards). After awards were presented each attendee received a nice Christmas gift. Next up was an auction and a drawing for 1 of 4 coins, Then Myrtle Beach Coin Club President Rick Ciano presented a check to Kathy Edens for $2,321 for Meals On Wheels and Myrtle Beach Car Club President Sheila Conroy presented Meals On Wheels with a check for $1,250. A good meal and a good time was had by all making the Party a great success.
The Best Secured Coin Shows for 2017

Brentwood, Tennessee—Colonel Steven Ellsworth, ret. of the Butternut Company has announced the annual selection of “The Best Secured Coin Shows for year 2017.” COL Ellsworth personally attended over 36 coin shows and conventions in 2017, closely observing and evaluating the various types of security measures provided to both dealers and the public. In addition, he receives numerous reports from across the nation from coin dealers, collectors and crime-incident reports from the media and law enforcement sources. This is the 20th year a report with show-listings has been named.

American Numismatic Association World's Fair of Money Show, Denver, CO. Security was continually provided by plain clothes private security and uniformed Denver police. Security has continually improved each year. There was excellent security in and out of the facility during set up and breakdown. All security officers are tied into a monitored communication net. Registration and name tags were required for all attendees. The ANA staff and board continue to be proactive in to reduce crime and improve the safety of its members and staff and the entire hobby through their excellent educational and awareness programs. This organization has and deserves to be commended for their efforts to keep the security of exhibitors and attendees safe.

Blue Ridge Numismatic Association, Dalton, GA. Security is continual provided by off-duty uniformed Walker County Sheriffs, off duty GBI agents and private security. Security is provided in and out of the facility during set up and breakdown. Unloading and Loading is under watchful security personnel. Security personnel continually walk the show floor to discourage shoplifting. Registration and nametags are required for all attendees. They like many other shows have an officer in a marked patrol car near the show entrance.

Colorado Springs Coin, Currency and Collectibles Show, Colorado Springs, CO. Security is provided by a private security Contractor with extensive military and civilian experience.

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Security is excellent in and out of the facility during set up and breakdown. Parking areas are also patrolled before, during and following the show. Registration and nametags are required for all attendees. The show is well attended by ANA summer Seminar Students who are required to display their credentials. The bourse chairman makes security a critical part of his event plan.

**Central Ohio Coin Club, Dublin, OH.** Security is provided by off-duty Dublin police officers. Security in the past assisted in making arrests, the booking and jailing show thieves. Registration and nametags were required for all attendees. Dealers are allowed to load and unload at the front doors of the facility. Again with all shows, collectors and dealers leaving a show need to immediately implement their own individual plan on their remaining travel to avoid theft.

**North Carolina Numismatic Association, Concord, NC.** Security is continual provided by off-duty uniformed County Deputy Sheriffs. Security is provided in and out of the facility during set up and breakdown. Unloading and Loading is under watchful security personnel. Security personnel continually walk the show floor to discourage shoplifting. Registration and nametags are required for all attendees. They also display a marked patrol car near the entrance.

**Pacific Northwest Numismatic Association, Tukwila, WA.** Security is provided by Tukwila Police. Security is constant from setup and breakdown, in and out of the facility. It is continuous during the show. Officers do an excellent job of keeping watch of the parking and loading areas during setup and breakdown. Registration and nametags are required for all attendees. Security personal are highly visible during all aspects of the event.

**Pennsylvania Association of Numismatists (PAN), Monroeville, PA.** Security is provided by a private armed security firm wearing distinctive company clothing. Security is provided in and out of the facility during set up and breakdown. Registration and nametags were required for all attendees. Dealers are allowed to back up to the loading docks for unloading and loading.

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As with all shows, collectors and dealers leaving a show and the security provided must immediately implement their own individual plan on their remaining travel to avoid theft.

**Tennessee State Numismatic Association, East Ridge, TN. Security** is provided by East Ridge Tennessee Police. The show's organizers put security high up on their plans for running a safe and secure show. Security is excellent from setup to breakdown with uniformed officers keeping a careful watch of activity on the bourse, parking areas, entrances and exits of the facility. Officers are well equipped with all the necessary weapons and equipment to handle most any incident and extra patrols are made during and after show hours. A patrol car is parked in a strategic location and dealers are escorted to their vehicles. Registration and nametags are required for all attendees.

**Texas Numismatic Association, Arlington, TX Security** is provided by Doug Davis of Numismatic Crime Information Center and off duty Arlington police. Security is excellent from setup to breakdown with both uniform and plain clothes officers keeping constant vigilance of the bourse, parking areas, entrances and exits of the facility. Officers are well equipped with all the necessary weapons and equipment to handle most any incident. Registration and nametags are required for all attendees.

**Whitman Baltimore Coin & Currency Convention, Baltimore, MD.** Security is continually provided by private security and uniformed Baltimore City Police. Unloading and loading is in a gated section of the convention center and provides better than average security for dealers un-loading and loading. All security officers are tied into a monitored communication net. Registration and nametags are required for all attendees. This show has grown to one the largest in the country and their security has adjusted accordingly.

Colonel Ellsworth has written articles on coin collector security over the last twenty years. After receiving constant inquires from collectors and dealers as to what type of security they could expect when attending various shows throughout the country and overseas, Colonel Ellsworth began to recognize those shows that did an outstanding job providing security. For more information go to his website at [www.Butternut.org](http://www.Butternut.org). Or contact Colonel Steven Ellsworth, email; [BUTTERNUT@Butternut.org](mailto:BUTTERNUT@Butternut.org)
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2018 CONVENTION- October 26-28th

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The South Carolina Numismatic Association will hold its annual Convention at the TD Convention Center in Greenville, SC October 26-28, 2018.

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The SCNA will provide locked cases for each Exhibitor.

YN's can set up their exhibits Saturday Morning, have their exhibits judged during the YN Program. The winners will be announced at the end of the YN Program. All winners will receive their gift certificates to spend after the program. Exhibits may be dismantled after the awards are presented.

Mom and Dad do not need to spend the night, but if you desire to travel in and stay either Friday or Saturday night, SCNA now has a travel incentive. Families can receive reimbursement up to $125.00 for lodging if their child is exhibiting at the convention. Please contact the exhibit chair for questions/rules regarding this travel incentive. Applications and Rules are available online at the SCNA website www.sc-na.org.

Applications are due October 15, 2018.

All YN exhibitors must be members of the SCNA. All questions can be directed to the SCNA Exhibits program chairman,

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FROM FLORENCE: Take I-20 to I-77 to Shop Road exit. * (see above)
FROM AUGUSTA: I-20 to I-26. East on I-26 to I-128 into downtown Columbia. Right on Assembly Street to Whaley (CITGO) gas station on right. Subway on left. Left on Whaley until you reach the flashing red light at the top of the hill, American Legion Hall, across Pickens Street on left.

For more information call Jimmy Botland, 803-787-0363, 803-886-7721, or e-mail jimboland@scdps.net
The YN Corner
By Greg Stowers
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THE YN CORNER

The YN Corner is a column for our young numismatists (YN).

Welcome to 2018 Young Collectors! The South Carolina Numismatic Association announced in its last issue of the SCanner that the American Numismatic Association named Ms. Shelby Plooster, a SCNA member of the Augusta (GA) Coin Club, as the 2017 Young Numismatist (YN) of the Year. This is the top award any young person can receive in the United States for numismatists. Ms. Plooster is the only winner of this important ANA award from South Carolina.

At SCNA’s October state Convention in Spartanburg Ms. Shelby Plooster was presented the Robert W. Ross III YN of the Year award. Shelby is a three-time winner of this award (2014, 2016, and 2017). This special young collector is a fixture at her home club, the SCNA Convention where her exhibits consistently win top prizes, and she has attended the ANA’s Summer Seminar for the past four years. An excellent article of her achievements was presented in the last issue of the SCanner. SCNA wishes Ms. Shelby Plooster great success in her future numismatic activities!

2018 America the Beautiful Quarters: Have you found all of the 2017 quarters yet? I suspect, like me, it has been a challenge to find “D” mint-marked quarters. The mint will be releasing five new quarters in 2018: Pictured Rocks National Lakeshore, Michigan; Apostle Islands National Lakeshore, Wisconsin; Voyageurs National Park, Minnesota; Cumberland Island National Seashore, Georgia; and Block Island National Wildlife Refuge, Rhode Island. Much like the State quarter series (1999-2009) and starting in 2010 and scheduled to end in 2021, five new quarter designs based on the National Park Service sites are produced each year. If you are saving these coins they make a very attractive collection. Many people have never heard of these places and it can take an effort to remember the names and details of these historic coins. Keep searching your pocket change for nice examples of these coins. It could pay off in the future.
The future of Numismatics for YNs to consider:

1. Keep searching for hidden treasures in your pocket change. Keep looking for old coins and currency, errors on coins and currency, foreign money, and unusual coins and currency.

2. Learn what makes coins and currency valuable beyond its face value. Some things used in determining value are a) condition, b) the mintage/rarity, c) popularity, d) age, e) composition metal of the coin, and f) price guides.

3. Learn how to grade coins and currency. Keep the best grade and/or condition items. Consider investing in a Red Book, grading guidebook and current value/price guides.

4. “Buy the book before you buy the coin.”

5. Always handle coins and currency carefully. Properly store all items you keep for your collection.

6. Know who you are buying your coins/currency from. The usual sources are other collectors, coin clubs, known/trusted local dealers, sponsored coin shows, auctions, legitimate sources on the internet, the U.S. Mint, and respected national companies.

7. Buy the “keys” first. Beware if the cost is too good to be true.

8. Buy the best you can afford.

9. “Buy the coin, not the holder.” If you do not like the looks of a coin or currency, it is likely others will not like it either.

10. Keep a good inventory of your collection. Know what you are interested in and are looking for.

Remain up to date on possible changes in the numismatic world. Currently there is a great deal of news on “bitcoins” and “cashless societies.” There is discussion on removing the U.S. cent from production and circulation, changing the composition of other coins, removing dollar bills and replacing them with dollar coins, and the redesign of U.S. currency (removal of Andrew Jackson, addition of Harriet Tubman, and revised reverses). Many of these changes are pending due to U.S. politics and public opinions but changes could lead to opportunities for young collectors.

Have you taken advantage of this free offer yet? Schools are in session and your great report cards should be put to good use. This ANA program is a great reward for students with good grades. If you earn 3 or more A’s in school the American Numismatic Association will send you a coin and a 6-month free basic membership in the organization.
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The program is open to SCNA YN members age 13 to 18. Applications can be found in the Scanner; by visiting the YN table at the 2018 SCNA Convention; or by contacting Pascal Brock, SCNA Secretary, P.O. Box 693, Lugoff, SC 29078 or psbrock@truvista.net. The completed application and supporting documents for the 2019 scholarship must be received no later than December 31, 2018. Do not wait until the last minute to apply for this special program.

News on the 2018 SCNA Convention! The 2018 SCNA state Convention is expected to move back to the TD Convention Center, Greenville, SC in October 2018. For more information keep checking future issues of the SCanner and the SCNA website.

Here is a preview of the 2018 Convention YN Program:

*Free parking and free admission to the Convention.
*Free numismatic and YN information at the YN Table. Information and applications for the Austin M. Sheheen, Jr. YN Scholarship program and the ANA Summer Seminar program can be found at the YN table. (SCNA membership is needed to apply for the SCNA scholarship.)
*The Exhibition program has gift certificates and awards for exhibiting YNs.
*Presentations to winners are made at the Saturday afternoon YN Program. YNs can set up and show their exhibit for all three days of the Convention or they can elect to set-up, exhibit their collection, and then take down their items all on Saturday. An overnight stay for YN exhibitors and their family is available by arrangement with the SCNA Exhibit chairperson. (SCNA membership is needed to enter an exhibit into competition.)
*Saturday is YN Program day. There will be special presentations, an education program and gift bags presented at the end of the program. (SCNA membership is not required to attend.)
*Free admission for SCNA members to the Sunday morning Awards Program and breakfast.
*Currently the membership fee for YNs up to the age of 18 is $1.00 a year.

If anyone needs further information about this organization or the State Convention, be sure to check the web-site atWWW.SC-NA.ORG.

Until next time, Happy Hunting!
Greg Stowers

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Musings from North of the Border...

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By: Daniel M. Freeman, SCNA Life Member #172

Like all people of a certain age, I like to reminiscence about long ago glory. I often think about that first Indian Head cent I noticed when I was eight. It would start a life-long love of collecting coins. At first I wanted to keep any coin over fifty years old, but soon realized this was not possible. I also had started to focus on silver dollars, which I saw on television westerns like “Gunsmoke”. I can remember my mother taking me down to the local banks so I could ask the nice ladies behind these giant counters if they had any silver dollars I could exchange for paper ones I had saved. It was a glorious time.

My father took me to my first coin club meeting when I was eleven. As the evening auction began, he gave me $10 and said, buy something if you want. I bought my first “Gem BU” silver dollar for $3. Over time, the novelty of a kid buying and selling coins wore off on the local collectors. They accepted me as one of their own.

A local attorney who collected gold coins would call my mother when he had acquired something new so he could share it with me. I would buy my very first gold coin from him, a $5 Liberty for $15. A few years later I would purchase a $20 St. Gaudens for $60 from him as well. A retired tobacco warehouse owner who bought all of his automobiles from my father was an avid collector. When I was fifteen he began taking me to coin shows in the Carolinas. He would stand back and snicker while I haggled with dealers on a coin they thought “this kid” couldn’t afford. When we agreed on a price and I pulled out the cash to pay them, he would burst out laughing, reveling at the look on their faces.
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Dalton Convention Center
Dalton, Georgia - I-75 Exit 333 (follow signs)
Getting our Youth involved in coin collecting?

There are a lot of things about coin collecting for kids to find interesting. Just give them a coin collecting book/guide and cardboard folder for their birthday, Christmas or as we do in our shop, for A’s and B’s on their report card.

You could buy your child mixed rolls of wheat cents or buffalo nickels to put in the folders then take the time to show your child how to place the proper coin in the proper place of the folder. The National Park Quarter program is another great idea. These coins can be found easily in everyday use. Just get a folder and show your child how to place the proper coin in the proper place. Some other coins that work well for the beginner are Wheat Cents, Indian Head Cents, Mercury Dimes, Jefferson Nickels and Roosevelt Dimes. Once you and your child decide on what type of coin(s) they want to collect just obtain the corresponding coin folders or albums to organize and display the coins in as they are sorted. Most importantly........HAVE FUN!
2018 AREA COIN SHOWS

SHOW CALENDAR

*denotes SC Club Member Show

February

*Low Country Coin Show February 2-4, 2018
9850 Hwy 78 Ladson, SC 29456 (SC Exchange Park Fairgrounds)

Charlotte Coin Club Annual Show February 9-11, 2018
4751 Hwy 49 N Concord, NC 28025

*Upstate SC Coin Show February 16-18, 2018
385 N. Church St. Spartanburg, SC 29303

March

Tennessee State Show March 2-4, 2018
Camp Jordan Arena 323 Camp Jordan Pkwy. East Ridge, TN 37412

April

*Pee Dee Area Spring Coin Show April 14-15, 2018
Florence-Darlington Tech, SiMt Bldg. 1951 Pisgah Rd. Florence, SC

Georgia Numismatic Asso. Show April 13-15, 2018
Dalton Convention Ctr. 2211 Dug Gap Battle Road, Dalton, Georgia 30720

May

*Midlands Coin Club May 5, 2018
American Legion Hall 200 Pickens Street Columbia, SC

August

*Low Country Coin Show August 3-5, 2018

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SCNA AUSTIN M. SHEHEEN, JR. YOUNG NUMISMATIST SCHOLARSHIP

Applicants for the Austin M. Sheheen, Jr. Young Numismatist (YN) Scholarship must be a member in good standing of the SCNA. The applicant must be between 13 and 17 years of age. Previous SCNA Scholarship /Educational Grant Awards recipients are not eligible.

SCNA will decide each year what amount and number of scholarships are to be offered the following year conditioned upon funds being available for the scholarship. The local coin clubs can decide if club funds can be contributed to the SCNA scholarship winner(s).

YNs will be judged on their contributions to their local coin club, the SCNA and their accomplishments in school, religious institution or community activities.

The applicant must write a letter of self-nomination stating the reason(s) he/she would like to attend an ANA Summer Seminar. Also, the applicant must have at least 2 nominations with one being from a local coin club member or SCNA member who personally knows them. The other nomination should be from a school professional, religious institution or community leader who is involved with the nominee in one or more of these activities. Nominations should describe the applicant’s contribution to the group. Any questions about the nominating procedure should be directed to the SCNA Secretary.

Application blanks may be obtained by writing or e-mailing the SCNA Secretary, Pascal Brock, P.O. Box 693, Lugoff, SC 29078 or PSBROCK@TRUVISTA.NET.

All completed documents must be postmarked or e-mailed by December 31. The winning applicant(s) will be notified within 30 days.
SCNA AUSTIN M. SHEHEEN, JR. YOUNG NUMISMATIST

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Date ______________________

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Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian ____________________________

Signature of Applicant (YN) ____________________________

(Completed application, self-nomination letter, at least 2 nomination/recommendation documents, and any other supporting material for this application must be returned to the SCNA Secretary noted above by December 31.)

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Share your knowledge. Show and tell them what to look for on a cleaned coin. Point out diagnostics on a genuine versus a counterfeit coin. And for the kids that just won’t put down their smart phones, tell them about all the wonderful “apps” they can download about coins.

Collecting coins is no different than learning good manners from your mother, or your older brother teaching you how to ride a bike. If no one shows you how, you will never know how.

If we don’t show the younger generation the joy of numismatics, they will never know what they are missing.

Until next time…

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Saturday, October 27, 2018 10am– 6pm
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