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President's Message



Greetings South Carolina Numismatists,

Fall is upon us and that means that many of us are getting into the routine of sending the children back to school, getting a break from the humidity, and planning to get to Greenville for the 42nd Annual SCNA Convention! The Convention will once again be held at the TD Convention Center off of Pleasantville Road in Greenville on October 24-26, 2014. Bourse Chairman Dr. Tony Chibbaro reports that just a few tables remain for this year's show and if you are a member and have not secured a table, contact Tony ASAP and do not be left out of the largest show in South Carolina. Once again this year, a Young Numismatist (YN) presentation will be held on Saturday, complete with prizes for every child so be sure not to miss it. More details are included in this edition of the *SCanner*. An enhanced exhibits program is also being held with valuable prizes for the winners, including gift certificates which are used like cash at the show.

I feel fortunate to work with a Board that contributes to the advancement of the hobby in many ways. This year, Mr. Will Gragg has taken up the effort to maintain and enhance our website, www.sc-na.org. This is a large undertaking and the Board thanks Will for the effort he has put forth to keep the site up to date with shows and to add in some new content for the good of the Association. Be sure to come to the Convention this year as Will once again will serve as our photographer. Do you have any ideas to add to www.sc-na.org? Feel free to contact Will or any of the SCNA Board members with your ideas.

Finally, I ask you, the membership to get involved in the SCNA. We are always looking for volunteers to help out at the Convention and to serve on the Board. It would be great to get a diverse mix of members throughout South Carolina involved (I am looking to you in Aiken, Rock Hill and Florence!). This is the second year where all Board members have been re-elected without any turnover and while consistency is fine, it is also good to have representation across all areas of the hobby and the state. Please contact any Board member if you are interested.

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From The Editor:

Fall is approaching and we are hopeful and excited for the changes it brings. Here in the central part of the state we welcome cooler temperatures and the arrival of football season. With every season there is change as it is with life. We see habits come and go, some become routine and others just a passing fancy. I had the opportunity to learn about a SCNA member's passing and the personal way this person touched other's lives by his habit of routine little gifts & tokens. He clearly left a mark on this world if even in a small way. It makes me want to do even more than I currently do for others in my life and in this hobby. Doing something small for the joy of doing it without recognition can bring great satisfaction for ones own self but also to those you touch. Thank you to all whom are the givers of these treats. Your good deeds are not going unnoticed. Continue to "Pay it Forward."

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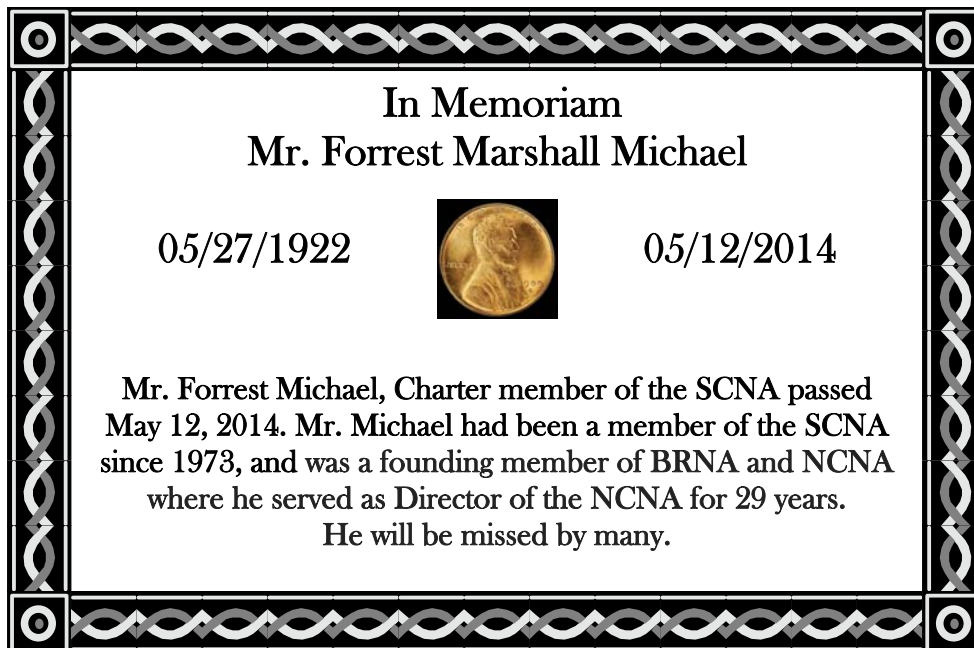
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AREA COIN CLUB NEWS

Cherokee County Coin Club

During National Coin Week (April 2014) we had (3) youth members do a short presentation to their classmates at three different schools in Cherokee County. 2 students are highlighted below.

Tegan Beattie :Tegan is a 2nd Grade Student at Blacksburg Primary School Blacksburg, SC-His Teacher is Ms. Pittman. Tegan has been a member of the Cherokee County Coin Club for (2) years. This was his first time doing a presentation for National Coin Week. He was most excited to tell about his new friend (MR. GEORGE NATHAN) who had gifted him several coins/stamps/paper money from INDIA.

Tegan gave each of his classmates an Indian Coin, a small bag of shredded US Currency, a presidential bookmark with a Lincoln Cent, along with an information sheet of How to start collecting Coins.

Tegan brought several of his Indian Coins, postcards & stamps along with photo's of Mr. George Nathan to share with his class. These included (MOTHER TERESA COIN, GHANDI COIN & PAPER NOTE, LOUISE BRAILLE COIN, and proof stamp sheets of India)

The following month, Mr. Nathan traveled from his home in the state of Tamil Nadu (South India) to spend 2 months here in America. It was his first ever trip here. He attended each of the schools to eat Lunch with all 3 of the youth he had gifted coins to.



Sam Philbeck: Sam is a 4th grade student at Northwest Elementary School in Gaffney, SC. Sam did (2) different presentations to his class during National Coin Week 2014. He is shown in this photo giving his teacher Ms. McKee a folder to collect PRESIDENTAL DOLLARS.

Sam has 12 kids in his class. He prepared a Lincoln Cent along with a President Lincoln Bookmark & gave to each class mate.



Sam is legally blind and attends events held at the Spartanburg School for the Blind which includes The Braille Challenge each year.

The newest member of the Cherokee County Coin Club, Mr. George Nathan, gifted 15 Louise Braille Coins from India (where he lives) to Sam, and asked that he share these with his classmates

along with (3) of the coins to be donated to the Spartanburg School for the Blind.

Sam also received a partially filled Dansco Album of Lincoln Cents from Mr. Nathan along with several pages of Indian Coins to start his own Collection this year.

MR. GEORGE NATHAN -International Numismatist/club member

George has been a collector of US Coins for more than 30 years. He is from Tamil Nadu (South India). He began his collection with a Kennedy Half Dollar when he was a young man, and from this has built many American Coin Sets and has a love for the Kennedy Family and all US Coins.

George dreamed of visiting America someday.... and after 50 years... He finally made this come true May 2014. During his (2) month stay, he was able to attend a meeting of the PARKER COIN CLUB in Greenville, SC and (4) meetings of the Cherokee County Coin Club. It has been quite the Adventure traveling with George thru out the Eastern States. We have driven over 6,000 miles and visited (14) Different States.

I have learned more about America, made so many new friends, and I owe it all to the Wonderful Hobby of Coin Collecting. AMAZING. I have always been a collector of Foreign Coins (This is how I met George Nathan)... He belongs to several web sites where they do "TRADING" which I never even knew existed. I am not that good with Computers. George and his friends showed me how much fun this can be... I even got to attend a club meeting in Livonia, Michigan. Wow, what a great hobby I belong to.



Midlands Coin Club

The Summer is upon us and the usual "slow down" of coin collecting activity due to vacations and other outdoor activity shows. But, President Tony Chibaro reports that our membership is higher than he can remember at 50 members! Our meetings are full and auctions are fun! That is very encouraging for our club and the hobby in general. Right now we are gearing up for the State show exhibit and also putting the finishing touches on our Fall Show in Columbia SC at 220 Pickens Street on November 1st at 9:00 am! We invite everyone to check it out and also visit our website and FaceBook fan page at www.midlandscoinclub.com and www.facebook.com/midlandscoinclub respectively for more information concerning our meetings and show dates/times.

Augusta Coin Club

Augusta Coin Club Spring Show was held on 5/9 & 5/10 at the Columbia County Exhibition Center. We would like to thank all the Vendors and the public for a successful show. The new location received nothing but praises. Our next show will be at the same location on November 21-22, 2014.



Spartanburg Coin Club

Our regular, 2nd Tuesday meeting was held on July 8 at the Boiling Springs branch of the Spartanburg Library. We had a great crowd, with several visitors attending for the first time. One member brought a counterfeit 1854 Half Cent he discovered while browsing a flea market dealer's inventory. In light of the major theft after the Baltimore show, president, Jason G., gave an account of the circumstances and of the missing coins and led a discussion about safety when travelling to and from shows. Also discussed, were new offerings in the month of July from various World Mints and what kind of effect those programs are having on the collecting public, especially younger collectors.

Among the visitors, was the president of the local Metal Detecting Club and his son. Jason G. and Richard M. had given a presentation on the methods of preserving and restoring tokens and medals for their club a few weeks prior.

Each month, members of the club submit a guess of what the price of silver will be on the day of our next meeting and entries are awarded points based on how close the guess is to the actual price. The points are added each month and at the end of the year, the member with the most points will receive a Silver Eagle. As of our July meeting, Pat S. and Scott G. are tied for 1st place. Linda M. is in 3rd and tied for 5th are Jim S. and John R.

Noticeably absent from the leader board was Richard M. When asked about his poor performance, Richard asked, "What's silver?" Thanks for playing, Richard.

Congratulations to Don M. for winning the July giveaway of a 1 oz. silver bullet! There were Buffalo Nickels, V Nickels and steel Cents given away also as prizes to those who correctly answered trivia questions. The meeting ended with the usual auction and descriptions and discussion of upcoming shows, including member accounts of public traffic they've seen in the past and the quality of dealers and variety of inventory available.

Greenville Coin Club

The Greenville Coin Club has been enjoying its new location for meetings and hopes to have website up and running soon. www.Greenvillecoinclub.org



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Camden Coin Club

The club is busy working on the Fall Show which is September 27, 2014. the club hopes to improve the show with more dealers and increased attendance. The show will be held at 1042 West Dekalb Street (Hwy #1 South) Camden, SC. Admission and parking is free. Part of the proceeds from the show will go to Kershaw County Charities. The Camden Coin Club would like to thank the dealers and guests who participated in our 2013 shows and the 2014 Spring Show who make these donations to the community charities possible. Currently the Bourse is sold out with a waiting list.

During the summer months (June, July & August) the Club has been meeting only once a month on the second Tuesday of each month.

Low Country Coin Club

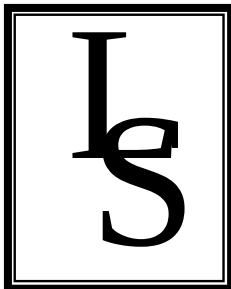
Weather was not a problem on the second weekend of September 2014 as the Low Country Coin Club held its Summer Coin Show in Charleston, South Carolina area.

After being forced to cancel the February Low Country Coin Show due to the worst ice storms in recent memory for any South Carolinian, the club brought together dealers from around the state and collectors for a very successful show from Friday afternoon through Sunday.

25 dealers and over 500 collectors and visitors spent the weekend, shopping and buying and selling coins and numismatic related items. Reports from club members and the dealers indicate that everyone left the show venue smiling.

The Low Country Club moved this show to a new building on the Ladson Exchange Park Fairgrounds, where the show has been held for the past few years. The Mike Kent Gun and Knife Show took the building the club had used for the coin show in past years, but attendance at both shows seemed to boost both shows' traffic. Both locations were just yards apart.

For the first time the coin club held a Boy Scout Merit Badge workshop on Saturday afternoon. Attendance for the workshop was a little disappointing, but for the first time those working with the scouts were pleased and a number of scouts left the show qualified for the Coin Collecting Merit Badge. It was a learning experience and the club will work to make this workshop bigger and better at future shows.



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Other than the scouts about 45 Young Numismatists visited the show and were given special treatment by long time club member Arthur Darr at the YN area. Arthur has been working with YN's in the Low Country Club for many years.

In the closing minutes of this summer's show, the fund raising drawing was held. The grand prize, a 1907 \$5 gold coin was won by Paul Liewellyn. Second prize, 3 Morgan Dollars, was won by Diana Acuff and the third prize was taken by Jan Placko, a 2014 Silver American Eagle.

There are still wooden nickels available for collectors from this summer show as well as the past winter show, which was canceled. Anyone interested in ordering these wooden nickels can check the club web site, www.lowcountrycoinclub.com for details or email LowCountryCoin-Club@gmail.com for ordering information.

The next Low Country Coin Club Coin Show is tentatively scheduled for February 6 through 8, 2015. Details can also be found at the club website for this show.



A Reflection of My Summer Seminar 2014 Experience

By Shelby Plooster

As a young numismatist, I had the opportunity to attend the 2014 Summer Seminar that is put on by the American Numismatic Association in Colorado Springs, Colorado. The summer seminar has provided me with a better appreciation and understanding of coin collecting, lasting memories, friendships, as well as, an amazing trip to beautiful Colorado.

I attended the first session of the seminar, and I took United States Grading Part 1. I had three incredibly knowledgeable instructors, Don Bonser, Matt Kleinstein, and Steve Roach. The class provided me with a better understanding of grading and other techniques that have improved my grading skills. The amount of knowledge that I received in that one week, has proved to be incredibly beneficial to me. The class was very detailed and informative. I even passed my test with flying colors!

At the Seminar, I met many new friends that enjoy numismatics as well. This has been so special to me because I had never met that many other young numismatists before. It's amazing the amount of knowledge that I received from the other young numismatists there, because not everyone collects the same things. Some of the other young numismatists collect ancient coins, foreign coins, tokens, United States Coins, and many other different types of coins.



I made so many great memories, whether it was at the dorm, in the class, or across a dinner table. This experience has given me a new outlook on coin collecting, because I realize how many different parts there are. It made me rethink my collecting techniques and made me consider expanding my collection into other areas as well.



The Seminar gives us a chance to do extra activities outside of our regular class. I toured the Denver Mint, attended mini seminars at night, and I even participated in a metal detecting trip. The metal detecting class was taught by the stars, George Wyant and Tim Saylor, of the TV show, “Diggers” on National Geographic. The Denver Mint was very fascinating. It helped me to understand how our coins are produced. The mini seminars were a great addition. The metal detecting class was a blast! I learned so much and was so inspired, that I bought my own metal detecting gear as soon as I got home.



The opportunity to go to Colorado was thrilling for me, because it is a beautiful state full of tall mountains, snowcapped peaks, and sunny skies. The college campus was also very nice. I really enjoyed staying in the dorm with the other students, going shopping at the ANA bookstore, and even playing pool at night with the other young numismatists.

I am so thankful for the SCNA for giving me the scholarship. Without the SCNA, I wouldn't have had the chance to experience the Summer Seminar. My love for coin collecting has just increased since going to the Summer Seminar. I really enjoy coin collecting and the SCNA is the reason that any of this was possible.

Thank you SCNA!!!



CAMDEN COIN CLUB

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THE YN CORNER

by Greg Stowers

Greetings Young Collectors!

By now it is no secret there is something very wrong with the distribution of new coins within the United States. For the past several years it has become very difficult to find new coins entering circulation. For beginning collectors, who usually start by keeping coins from pocket change, it now becomes a challenge to find common coins that should be easy to find. Here in South Carolina new coins from the Denver Mint have become very difficult to find. Quarters, nickels and dollar coins are not reaching the casual collectors' hand. For example, I have received a small supply of 2013-P cents and dimes and one 2013-P White Mountain Forest quarter in my change. I have not received any 2013 nickels and 2013 dollars or any coins from the Denver Mint. Interestingly, the records show many millions of these coins are being minted.

What is a good Young Numismatist to do? Well, have you thought about collecting other numismatic items? First, continue to search the pocket change you get for older coins still in circulation. From time to time an old wheat cent or a silver coin can be found. Next, look for obvious error coins. This requires some extra studying to know what types of "errors" on coins are worth looking for and collecting. Sharpe-eyed YN's may still be able to find a double-die error coin from 1972 or 1995 Lincoln cents. A nice magnifying glass may also be very helpful.

Next, think about collecting foreign coins. This activity will likely require trips to a local coin dealer or coin show but this can be a new, fun, and often inexpensive method to create a collection. Consider collecting coins from foreign countries that hold a special interest for you. Canada, Great Britain, and many European nations have attractive and available coins to collect. Foreign coins offer many interesting options such as pre-19th century coins, unusual animals and flowers, historical figures, unusual events, etc.

While at the local coin shop or coin show, be sure to consider adding a collection of other types of obsolete U.S. coins. Starting collectors usually look for Lincoln cents before 1959, Liberty nickels, Buffalo nickels, and Mercury dimes. Nice examples of these coins can be purchased for a few dollars or less. (Hint: Before you start buying these coins learn about their value so you do not pay too much.) Finally, think about collecting tokens. Tokens come in many types such as political tokens, transportation tokens, merchant tokens, Civil War tokens, tax tokens, as well as many other categories. The price and value of these tokens can be from a few cents to hundreds of dollars.

One hundred years ago was a busy year for the nickel with a hint of mystery and confusion. To start, we know of five Liberty nickels dated 1913. No one is sure why or when the 1913 Liberty nickel was produced. What we do know is surviving examples now cost over three million dollars to own if you could find any for sale. Also in 1913, the nickel was re-designed to feature a Native American on the obverse and an American bison or “Buffalo” on the reverse. The artist for this new design, James Earle Fraser, was not completely sure who served as the composite models. Two Native Americans, a Cheyenne named Two Moons and a second model, Iron Tail, were known. However, a third Native has never been identified. Fraser stated a bison named “Black Diamond” was used as the reverse model but the real animal with that name did not look like the one found on the coin.

Before the year was over, the coin’s reverse was re-designed to add a line under the animal to prevent unusual wear. So, we have 1913-P,D,S Type I (bison on a mound) and 1913-P,D,S Type II (bison on a line) for design varieties from the Mints. (When was the Indian Head/Buffalo nickel produced?)



Answer: 1913 to 1938. Note- no nickels were produced in 1922, 1932, and 1933.)

YN Corner Cont.

The 2013 SCNA State Convention will be here before you know it. This year's show will be October 25, 26, and 27 at the TD Convention Center in Greenville, South Carolina. As in past years, every day there will be an YN table with free items and information suitable for the young collector. On Saturday an YN Education Program will be presented and YN's will receive a gift package at the end of the program.

The awards have been improved for the YN's who have exhibits at this year's Convention. Arrangements can be made for YN's to set up, have their exhibit judged, and receive his or her award all on Saturday. Awards will be presented during the Saturday YN Education program. An application to exhibit and the contact person can be found within this issue of the SCanner.

Now is the time to consider applying for the 2013 Austin M. Sheheen, Jr. Young Numismatist Scholarship. The deadline for application is December 31, 2013. If you are interested in applying to attending the ANA Summer workshops in Colorado for 2014 contact me, Greg Stowers, or the SCNA Secretary, Pascal Brock, for an application or further information.

If anyone needs further information on the South Carolina Numismatic Association or the State Convention in October, contact me or check the web-site at WWW.SC-NA.ORG .

Until next time, Happy Hunting!

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Thursday, October 23, 2014

5:00 pm	Dealer Set-Up, Security Begins	Exhibit Hall 2
9:00 pm	Convention Area Closes	

Friday, October 24, 2014

8:00 am	Convention Area Opens to Dealers	Exhibit Hall 2
10:00 am	Ribbon Cutting	Exhibit Hall 2
	Convention Area Opens to Public	
6:00 pm	Convention Area Closes to Public	
6:30 pm	Convention Area Closes to Everyone	

Saturday, October 25, 2014

8:00 am	Convention Area Opens to Dealers	Exhibit Hall 2
8:30 am	SCNA Executive Board Meeting	Exhibit Hall 2*
9:00 am	SCNA General Membership Meeting	Exhibit Hall 2*
10:00 am	Convention Area Opens to Public	
11:00 am	"Exploring the Numismatically Unexplored" by David Cashin	Exhibit Hall 2*
12:00 pm	"My Favorite Tokens" by Tony Chibbaro	Exhibit Hall 2 *
1:00 pm	SCNA Young Numismatist Program	Exhibit Hall 2*
6:00 pm	Convention Area Closes to Public	
6:30 pm	Convention Area Closes to Everyone	

Sunday, October 26, 2014

8:30 am	Awards Breakfast & Installation of Officers	Exhibit Hall 2 *
9:15 am	New Executive Board Meeting	Exhibit Hall 2*
9:30 am	Convention Area Opens to Dealers	Exhibit Hall 2
10:00 am	Convention Area Opens to Public	
3:00 pm	Convention Area Closes to Public	
3:30 pm	Convention Area Closes to Everyone	
4:00 pm	Security Ends	

Exhibit Hall2*- see draped area at front left corner of Exhibit Hall 2

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In countries where such mutilation is illegal, such as [Canada](#), blank [planchets](#), slugs, or U.S. cents are occasionally used, though this law is often ignored both by the users of the machine and law enforcement. This method is also often used in countries such as Australia, which never had or no longer have a one cent (or equivalent) coin.

SCNA CONVENTION VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

SCNA extends its sincere appreciation to the volunteers who worked at the 2013 Convention.

We need volunteers again this year from October 23 -October 26, 2014, at the TD Convention Center in Greenville, SC.

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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****SCNA 42st Annual Convention***

October 24-26, 2014

TD Convention Center– Greenville, SC



November

****Midlands Coin Club Fall Show*** ***November 1, 2014***

American Legion Hall #6-Columbia, SC

Tennessee State Show November 7-9, 2014

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****Myrtle Beach Coin Club Show*** ***November 8-9, 2014***

Springmaid Beach Resort, Myrtle Beach, SC

Carolina Coin & Stamp Show November 15-16, 2014

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Columbia County Exhibition Center, Augusta, GA

Rare Coins of Raleigh Coin Show November 29-30, 2014

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December

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The South Carolina Numismatic Association will hold its annual Convention at the TD Center in Greenville, SC October 24-26 2014. One Hundred Twenty Five tables with approximately 85 dealers from 5 states.

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This year's prizes for YN's have been upgraded to the following.

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Applications and Rules are online at the SCNA website www.sc-na.org.

Applications are due October 1, 2014.

All YN exhibitors must be members of the SCNA. All questions can be directed to the SCNA Exhibits program chairman, Randy Clark at Twobuckrandy@yahoo.com.

SOUTH CAROLINA NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION YOUNG NUMISMATIST EXHIBIT RULES 2014

Each exhibitor must submit a separate application for each category or class of exhibits being entered. Exhibitors must be a member of the SCNA.

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Exhibitors may use their own cases provided total space does not exceed space of 4 SCNA cases.

All cases must lie flat on the tables provided.

No electrical outlets will be provided.

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Martin, who previously won best-in-show awards at Central States and Memphis Paper Money Show, said he began collecting Baby Bonds in 1975. "That started me collecting everything I have ever had a chance to buy," he said. For Martin, the fun of collecting Baby Bonds is researching the history behind them through archived records. Only two states in the South, Georgia and Louisiana, issued Baby Bonds. In Martin's home state of Georgia, the use of Baby Bonds was short-lived before the Federal Government shut the program down. Georgia Baby Bonds were likely issued for less than a year, and those that were redeemed were destroyed, which makes Georgia bonds exceedingly rare, Martin said.



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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.

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SCNA AUSTIN M. SHEHEEN, JR. YOUNG NUMISMATIST
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