PASADENA COIN CLUB
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The Pasadena Coin Club meets every Second and Forth Monday of the month at **Golden Corral Restaurant.**

The address is 4021 Spencer Highway, Pasadena, and Texas.

Members start arriving at 6:00 p.m. The meeting starts at 7:00 p.m.

The Auction begins at the conclusion of the meeting. Viewing of Auction Lots is before the club meeting and at the ten-minute intermission.

Members and Guest are encouraged: but not required to purchase meals at Golden Corral. The management allows the Pasadena Coin Club to meet in their meeting room for a very nominal fee. So whenever possible please take the time to dine at Golden Corral.

PCC OFFICERS

President Jerry Clemons
Vice-President Ginger Bing
Treasurer Annette Bing
Secretary Elizabeth Howard

MEMBERSHIP

To become a member of the Pasadena Coin Club: fill out a membership application, including a sponsor's name, submit the proper dues, and your application will be voted on at the next regular meeting.

Annual Dues:
Junior Members……..$6.00
Regular Membership……$10.00
Couples……..$15.00
Family Membership……....$20.00

MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE DUE ON OR BEFORE THE SECOND MEETING IN JANUARY

According to the Pasadena Coin Club Constitution and Bylaws "Dues shall be payable at or before the second meeting each January, after which time dues become delinquent".

Also stated in the Bylaws "No member shall be allowed to vote on any issue after the regular January meeting if dues for the current year have not been paid. **Any regular or Junior member in arrears more than three months shall be automatically dropped from the roster and the mailing list."**

You may pay your dues by mail. The correct mailing address to send your dues is:

PASADENA COIN CLUB
P. O. BOX 58155
HOUSTON, TX 77258

NEWSLETTER

You can find the newsletter on line at www.pasadenacoinclub.org. The newsletter will only be mailed to you for the months of January, March, May, July, September, October, December.

PASADENA COIN CLUB COINS FOR A'S PROGRAM

The club sponsors a program called "Pasadena Coin Club for A's program." The intent is to reward the junior members with coins for each "A" they get on their report cards. This encourages and fosters further numismatic interest amongst the junior member.
Donations to this program are always appreciated.

EDUCATIONAL PRESENTATIONS

The Pasadena Coin Club encourages members and guest to give numismatic, educational presentations. If you would like to give a presentation or know someone who might like to give a presentation please contact one of the coin club officers. **Notice we still have plenty of empty slots.**

MEETINGS SCHEDULE 2004

07/12/04 BILL CHASE Gadiver	07/26/04 SEBASTIAN FROMMHOLD Specialized Numismatic Library
08/09/04 DINNER & BINGO	08/23/04
09/13/04 SEBASTIAN FROMMHOLD	09/27/04 ROBERT MAGEE
10/11/04	10/25/04

AUCTIONS

After each meeting club members place coins up for auction. We encourage our guest to stay for the auction. You do not need to be a member to bid on auction lots.

Rules:

*There is a 10-lot maximum (per member)

*You must be a member of the Pasadena coin club in order to put lots up for sale.

*There is no charge to members for entering lots.

*A $1.00 minimum bid shall prevail.

*Lots shall be affixed to a "3x5" card with the following information:
Description and grade of the lot: Lot number; Minimum bid & Owners Name.

*Lots shall be listed on the proper form for such listing. (The treasurer or secretary will provide a copy for you.)

ANA CONFERENCE

Bill C., Billy H , Sebastian F., Ginger B., and Bob B. are attending the ANA Conference in Colorado Springs. We look forward to hearing about the conference from them in the future.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To all members of the Pasadena Coin Club. If you would like to voice an editorial opinion about coin collecting; please submit your written text to: Elizabeth Howard P.O. Box 983 Manvel, TX 77578-0983

Your letter must be dated and signed and of course it must be in good taste. Any letters received that are not signed and that do not have a return address will be discarded.

The letter will be put into the next newsletter following receipt of your submission. Please keep your subject matter pertaining to coin collecting

AREA COIN SHOWS

JULY 24-25, 2004
Annual Coin Show Bellaire Civic Center
7000 South Rice Avenue
Admission: Free

NOVEMBER 26-28, 2004 PASADENA COIN CLUB
Houston Hobby Marriott
9100 Gulf Freeway (Exit #36 – IH 45 @ Airport Blvd.)
Admission: Free

RAFFLE TICKETS

Just a friendly reminder that when you sign in at meeting time, you can purchase raffle tickets for door prizes. The tickets are really inexpensive and there are some really good items to choose from. Red tickets are 2 for $1 and Yellow tickets are 3 for $1. Remember the proceeds from the ticket sales go toward buying more door prizes. We need more ticket sales to insure that this part of the program does not disappear.

STATE QUARTER PROGRAM TEXAS

The Texas quarter is the third quarter of 2004. On December 29,1845, Texas became the 28th state to be admitted into the Union The quarter's reverse design incorporates an outline of the State with a star superimposed on the outline and the inscription, "The Lone Star State." The lariat encircling the design is symbolic of the cattle and cowboy history of Texas, as well as the frontier spirit that tamed the land.

Texas comes from the Indian word "tejas," meaning friends or allies, and appropriately Texas's motto is "Friendship." Probably the two most recognized symbols of Texas are its unique shape and the lone star that is represented on the State flag. The Texas flag design was approved in 1893 to symbolize the Republic of Texas and was adopted as the State flag in 1845. The simple design of a lone star and three bold stripes of red, white and blue represent bravery, purity and loyalty, respectively. Texas is the only state to have had six different flags fly over its land- Spain, France, Mexico, Republic of Texas, Confederate States of America and the United States of America.

On August 17, 2000, Governor George W. Bush appointed the 15-member Texas Quarter Dollar Coin Advisory Committee. The Committee authorized the Texas Numismatic Association to conduct a statewide design contest on its behalf. Nearly 2,600 candidate design concepts were submitted in response to a statewide contest. From those design concepts, 17 finalists were selected by the Texas numismatic Association and presented to the Texas Quarter Dollar Coin Advisory Committee for review. The Committee further narrowed the submissions to the five designs that were most representative and emblematic of the State. Governor Rick Perry submitted the preferred design of the outline of Texas beneath the Lone Star and encircled by a lariat, which was approved by the Secretary of the Treasury on August 26, 2003.

MINUTES OF PAST MEETINGS

June 14, 2004

The meeting was called to order at 7 p.m. by Jerry C.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The treasures report was given by Annette B. and approved.
We had 37 members and 2 junior members present

Old Business. None

New business: Jean P. brought the August Dinner up for discussion. It was decided that we would hold the dinner on August 9th which is the first meeting of the month.

Bill C. reported that we had 48 tables sold.

Thruman F. gave a slide presentation on panning for Gold.

Door Prize: John C.
Dinner Ticket: Rupert S.
Cash Prize(Yellow) Ron S.
Raffle tickets(Red) Michael U., Bill F., Billy H., John L. Patrick L.(3), Jerry C., and Rudy V.

Member Present cash prize was won by Ginger B.

Junior members raffle prizes were passed out.

Special note: Ralph R. was in Austin at the Governors mansion for the First issue of the Texas State Quarter.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Submitted by Elizabeth Howard
Secretary

Dinners 19
Auction 147

June 28, 2204

The meeting was called to order at 7 p.m. by Jerry C.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The treasures report was read by Annette Bing and approved.

There were 37 Members 2 Junior Members and 3 Guest present.

Old Business: NONE

New Business: We voted in one new member Robert F.

Jerry C. continued his program on Type Sets. He is trying to put together a type set for our coin show.

DOOR PRIZE (BLUE): Steve U
DINNER TICKET: Faye F
CASH PRIZE(ORANGE): Tom W
RAFFLE TICKETS (RED): John T, Cecelia S, Tom C, Daniel C, Ralph R & Douglas S

Member Cash Prize was not won.

Junior member raffle prizes were passed out.

Sarah and Michael U each had 7 A's on their report cards

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Elizabeth Howard
Secretary

Dinner tickets 9
Auction items 116