



Salem Numismatic Society P.O. Box 2051, Salem, OR 97308. 503-588-8162. www.oregoncoinclubs.org
Meet 3rd Monday ea. month @ Scottish Rite Center, 4090 Commercial St. SE, Salem. **6:30 PM. Doors open 6:00 PM.**

From Your Board:

Thank you for being a member of the Salem Numismatic Society! **This is your club** – With your help and energy, we can advance our wonderful hobby. As we look forward to 2025, reach out and invite guests and help our membership grow. Our meetings are fun, educational, and filled with great numismatic prizes and surprises. *Starting this month, we will have more opportunities for the Jr. Numismatists to acquire more items of value and interest so they can continue to grow in their knowledge of numismatics.* Your suggestions for special events and ways to improve our meetings are welcome – just chat with a board member. We will continue Big Ben’s Treasure Chest, programs, membership, and white elephant prizes (gold, silver, mint and proof sets, silver coins and more), and coin auctions. *Keep bringing guests and encourage guests to become members. For those who bring the most guests who then become members will get a special monetary gift at the end of the year.*

Club members: Guests, new members, birthdays, and juniors get 1 free White Elephant ticket. Bring a guest and get a free White Elephant ticket and a special silver coin reward. Future meetings: March 17th, April 21st, May 19th, June 16th. **Next Board Meeting:** March 24th at Chopstick Brothers Chinese Restaurant, 3134 Commercial St. SE, Salem.



White Elephant raffle tickets: \$1.00 each or 6 tickets for \$5.00 or 13 tickets for \$10.00 or 19 tickets for \$15.00 or 27 tickets for \$20.00. Ticket sales help the club, more sales means more silver coin prizes. We have winners at every meeting. Bring your tickets for the special quarterly drawing – you can win a gold coin or gold item or wonderful silver coin.

March: Program: “Are You Smarter Than a Jr. Numismatist?” Quarterly White Elephant Drawing (Remember to bring your tickets), Big Ben’s Treasure Chest, and Auction. *Danny B.* places won items in named envelopes for payment and collection at the end of the auction. Winners pay at the front table, then, sellers come and collect. Helpers appreciated. ■

Other tidbits from the coin till....

Stay informed – PNNA <http://pnna.org/news/norwester.html> *Danny B.* is our Oregon representative to PNNA and ANA. See <http://www.oregoncoinclubs.org/clubs/salem.html> for information about Oregon coin clubs. *John B.* needs your ideas for ANA programs – can you help? *Mark Ht.* and *Joanne S.* are always looking for speakers and show-and-tell presentations. *Charlene F.* mails our newsletters – if you want online, let her know.

Mid-Valley CC meets the 2nd Monday each month at the Villas of Courtyard Village, 1929 Grand Prairie Road SE, Albany, 7:00 pm. **Polk County CC** meets the 3rd Tuesday each month at the Polk County Fairgrounds, 520 S. Pacific Hwy. West, Rickreall, 7:00 pm. **Springfield CC** meets the 1st Tuesday each month at Putters, 1156 St. Hwy 99, Eugene, 6:00 PM. **Willamette CC** meets the 3rd Thursday each month at Garden Home Recreation Center, 7475 SW Oleson Road, Portland, 6:00 PM. Stay informed about meetings/shows at www.oregoncoinclubs.org.

Great websites for you! American Numismatic Association <https://www.money.org/> Pacific Northwest Numismatic Association <https://pnna.org/> and *Selected Numismatic Websites* - a must see page – hotlinks to dozens of websites https://pnna.org/info/outside_links.html.

Upcoming coin shows: **Springfield Club Coin Show, March 2**, Springfield Holiday Inn, 919 Kruse Way, Springfield, OR. **Join the PNNA.** <https://pnna.org/info/membership.html>



SNS Board 2025. President *James F.*, 1st Vice President *Ben W.*, 2nd VP *Joanne S.*, Treasurer *Danny B.*, Chief Facility Director *John B.*, Secretary *Charlene F.*, Program Director *Mark Ht.*, Program Assistant *Joanne S.*, Historian *Steve D.*, and at-large Board Members: *Jim B.*, *Mark Hb.*, *Monte M.*, *Brad H.* and YN *Justin C.* and *Ellie A.*