

October 2011

Crescent City Coin Club

NEXT MEETING

October 19, 2011

Dinner 6:00pm

Meeting 7:00pm

Knights of Columbus
3310 Florida Avenue
Kenner, LA

Dinner Menu

Viener Schnitzel

Mac & Cheese

Veggie & Desert

Bourse

Members are encouraged to buy, sell & trade coins before the meeting begins. Bourse tables are available!

Coin Auction

Members are encouraged to bring coins for auction. Coins will be auctioned toward the end of each monthly meeting. Members are permitted to set starting bid price on each coin put on the auction block.

Illegal Gaming Chips

Clinton Boyle made a presentation on "Illegal Gaming Chips" at the September meeting.

Clinton brought a huge binder of the

various chips he has collected through out the years.

Of special interest were the chips from the many gaming casinos throughout the New Or-

leans area way back in the day. It was kind of fun listing to stories told by those who remembered when...

Great presentation Clint!

Election Time Coming The Goofy Auction

That's right! That time of year is right around the corner. Now is the time to start thinking about your club's leadership in 2012.

Nominations for the 2012 club officers will begin at October's meeting, followed by the election of officers at November's meeting.

It's like the monster in a B grade horror flick. It just won't die.

Bring your stuff for auction and money to buy, because if it flops this time, then it will be forever - goodbye.

Limit:5 items per member

The next America the Beautiful Quarter product is coming soon. The United States Mint announced it will debut the **Vicksburg National Military Park Quarter Three-Coin Set** on Tuesday, October 18, 2011, at noon Eastern Time. Like similar sets, its price will be \$14.95.

The three Vicksburg Quarters that are packaged on a durable plastic card include a proof 2011-S, an uncirculated 2011-P, and an uncirculated 2011-D. In other words, one coin from each of the three United States Mint facilities that produce the coins -- San Francisco, Philadelphia and Denver.



Meeting Minutes September 21, 2011

Mike Buras, Pres., opened the monthly meeting at the K of C Hall at 3310 Florida Ave., Kenner, LA 70065 at 7:10PM. He gave a 2nd membership application for Frank Faust.

Rick Demers had a show & tell of a blank planchet that looks like a U S Quarter. He passed it around for people to look at & say decide what they think it is. Many people gave their opinions on the planchet. It is a foreign planchet, but no one knows for what. The reasons it is not a U S Quarter are: slightly larger, has a reeded edge (the U S coins but the reeded edge on at the time of pressing the design), and it is not clad.

Nick Lagattuta gave a short program on grading U S coins with the Sheldon System. He used a program showing all the different grades for Washington Halves.

The membership prize of a \$35 gift certificate from Coins & Collectible Shop was won by Richard Frilot; the membership prize of a 1978 U S Mint Set was won by Jean Rahn; the Coin Raffle of a 2007 Silver Eagle was won by Andrew Correnti; and the 5-/50 of \$26 was won by Steve Demmer, a guest from CA.

Clinton Boyle gave our monthly program on Gambling in New Orleans and the illegal gambling chips. He brought over 100 to show & answer questions.

The numismatic auction this month had the auctioneer of Mike Buras & about 80% of the items were sold, most having multiple bids.

Membership Renewals, Now is the Time

Michael Maniscalco will be handling 2012 membership renewals.

Membership Dues: \$15 Single Member \$20 Couple \$5 Junior Member

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Michael Maniscalco, 512 N. Hullen Street, Metairie LA 70001

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