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These could be yours!!

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On the front cover: Dave Davis displays his always intriguing variety of drawing prizes at our May meeting.

Our website: DIABLOCOINCLUB.COM

Announcements!

Membership Dues

Yearly club memberships are now due. Please pay your dues at the next club meeting, or send your check to the address on the application found later in this newsletter.

Social Media Links

*Please Like and Follow our club on Facebook at:
<https://www.facebook.com/DiabloNumismaticSociety>*

*Please Follow us on Instagram at:
[Diablonumismaticociety](https://www.instagram.com/diablonumismaticociety)*

*Please Subscribe to our YouTube channel at
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCa4wbYC2qJl7-a_f8FWrSA, or look for Diablo Numismatic Society*

Mission Statement

The Diablo Numismatic Society of Concord, CA is a non-profit coin collecting club dedicated to serving all its members from beginner to expert – with focus on three priorities: education, fellowship, and fun!

Monthly Meeting

The Club meets on the third Thursday of every month (except in March, July and December) at 7PM at the Clayton Community Library.

The address is:

6125 Clayton Rd.

Clayton, CA 94517

Youth Section I

Connecting America Through Coins.

Kids' interactive timeline:

<http://www.usmint.gov/kids/campCoin/timeline/>

Youth Section II

United States Mint Education Pages:

<http://www.usmint.gov/kids/games/>

President's Message

Welcome to Summer, 2023 Diablo Numismatic Society

I recently went to visit Old Borges Ranch in Walnut Creek and saw the completed picnic area at the upper parking lot location. This area doesn't slope down any more; it's all level. However, the area is smaller and protected from the sun with 4 plastic benches which would seat about 32 people. The barn is not rentable and the animal area is only for the handlers. I'll have to check if the main house can be opened when we are there for our July picnic.



The lower parking lot area has 10 plastic benches, lots of shade trees, restrooms, a BBQ pit, a sink for washing, a nearby pond area, hiking trails, and no big hill to walk up on. This is where we will be having our July BBQ on Saturday, July 22nd. Please sign up at our June meeting. The price is only \$20.00 per person and kids under 18 are free. Check out our website for more info.

President's Message

Last month we enjoyed the presentation on how to spot counterfeit Morgan, Liberty Seated, and Trade silver dollars from Scott Griffin. By using print article clippings from various numismatic magazines like Coin World, he used the projector to illustrate his talk. Very informative! Thank you, Scott! We also had 3 visitors with one being Linda and Manuel Cunha's nephew, Tommy, down from Redding.

This month will be the club's 778th meeting with the presentation topic being your favorite coin, medal, banknote, or collection. All of you can be the star presenters and share something very meaningful to you.

*If you have any friends who would be interested in history and coin collecting, please invite them and bring them to this next meeting. We will be having our usual Show & Tell and coin drawing with lots of coins to choose from. We will also have our On-Time and Membership coin drawings as well.
See you soon!*

Until then, God bless,

*Kyle Anderson,
(925) 382-8825, kma2001@yahoo.com*

2023 Program Schedule

Jan. 19

Open discussion - coin collecting, where we've been, where we're headed.

Glenn Stephenson Tribute by Karen Stephenson

Installation of club officers & coin auction

Feb 16

ROBERT E LUNA - THE "M" MINT, MANILA, PHILIPPINES

Mar 16

ANNUAL CLUB BANQUET

A.N.A. HISTORY & DNS 63RD ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION. ALSO, DNS CLUB AWARDS.

Apr 20

KYLE ANDERSON - THE COINS & BANKNOTES FROM THE KINGDOM AND REPUBLIC OF HAWAII

May 18

SCOTT GRIFFIN - SEATED & MORGAN DOLLARS & THEIR COUNTERFEITS

Jun 15

MY FAVORITE COIN, MEDAL, BANKNOTE, OR COLLECTION.

Jul 15

ANNUAL CLUB SUMMER BBQ - OLD BORGES RANCH IN WALNUT CREEK FROM 2:00 PM TO 6:00 PM.
(NO REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING)

Aug 17

RAUL RAMIREZ - HISTORY OF THE MYSTERIOUS MEXICAN PESO

Sep 21

EXHIBIT NIGHT - A THEMED TOPIC BOXED or FRAMED

Oct 19

WHAT I GOT AT THE COIN SHOW

Nov 16

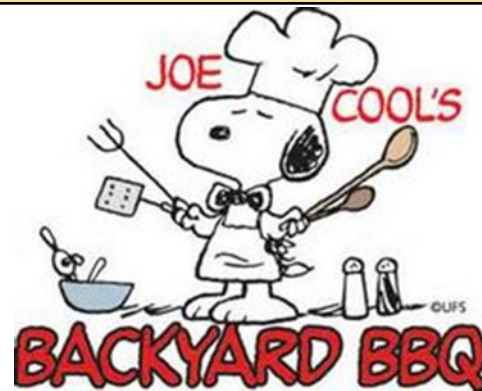
LET'S JUST SOCIALIZE and AUCTION

Dec 10

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER - Texas Back 40 6PM. (NO REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING)

2023 Diablo Numismatic Society's July BBQ Picnic!!!

It's that time of the year again! It's time for our annual July BBQ to be held on **Saturday, July 22nd, 2023** at **Old Borges Ranch** in the foothills of Walnut Creek located at **1035 Castle Rock Road**. Our BBQ will go from **3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.** We will start with snacks and drinks. Dinner will be catered by our very own D.N.S. Board Members. Dinner will be served at 4:00 p.m. Our coin drawing will follow dinner and be held around 5:00 p.m.



The menu is as follows: BBQ pork ribs, chicken quarters, Asian salad, fresh fruit salad, BBQ beans, dinner rolls with butter, soft drinks, and Dave's famous cookies. Feel free to bring some snacks to share before the dinner. Ice cold bottled water will be made available during the whole event.

Admission price is **\$20.00 per person** which will be collected at our June meeting.

Directions:

From Highway 680, take the Treat Blvd exit and head east on Treat toward Mt. Diablo. In about one mile, turn right onto Bancroft Road. As you cross over Ygnacio Valley Road, it turns into Walnut Avenue. Continue on Walnut Avenue for about 1.5 miles. Turn right at the traffic circle onto Oak Grove Road. As you pass Northgate High School on your right the road turns into Castle Rock Road. Continue for about one mile and turn right at the Old Borges Ranch sign. Enter the gate and drive on the one lane private road for $\frac{3}{4}$ of a mile to the **lower parking lot**. We will be holding the event at the lower parking area due to the fact that the barn in the upper parking area will not be rented out.

Option to mail checks to:

Diablo Numismatic Society
P.O. Box 177
Concord, CA 94522-0177

Please get your reservations in by July 1st.

Name _____ Party Number _____

Amount Paid _____

Upcoming Shows and Events

NorCal - East Bay Coin Show
Jun 9th - 10th, 2023

Concord Plaza Hotel

45 John Glenn Dr.

Concord, CA 94520

Fremont Coin Show
July 29th - 30th, 2023

Elk's Lodge

38991 Farwell Drive

Fremont, CA 94536

CoinExpo San Jose
Sept 23rd - 24th, 2023

DoubleTree Hotel

2050 Gateway Pl.

San Jose, CA 95110

Contra Costa Coin Show
Oct 13th - 15th, 2023

Elk's Lodge

1475 Creekside Drive

Walnut Creek, CA 94520

Upcoming Shows and Events

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\$5⁰⁰ Admission for all days - **\$1⁰⁰** Off With Flyer

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Contra Costa Coin & Collectibles Show

October 13, 14, & 15, 2023

FRIDAY 12:00pm - 6:00pm

SATURDAY 10:00am - 6:00pm

SUNDAY 10:00am - 4:00pm

*Best 3-Day Coin Show in
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PARKING

Larry Casagrande (925) 683-1180 - Info@DiabloCoinClub.org

Diablo Numismatic Society P.O. Box 177 Concord, CA 94522-0177

Map to Contra Costa Coin Show Elks Lodge 1475 Creekside Dr. Walnut Creek, CA 94596

Traveling 680 North:

- Take exit 45A onto S. Main St.
- Turn right onto Creekside Dr.
- Proceed up the hill veering right
- Elks Lodge Parking is on the right

Traveling 680 South:

- Take exit 45A onto S. Main St.
- Turn left onto S. Main St.
- Turn right onto Creekside Dr.
- Proceed up the hill veering right
- Elks Lodge Parking is on the right

- #### Traveling South on S. Main St
- Turn left onto Creekside



T-Shirts!!!

The club has T-shirts for sale!

If you are interested in purchasing one of these once-in-a-lifetime items of clothing, please see a board member at one of our monthly meetings.



In order to keep the costs of the shirts at a reasonable price, the club needs to order the shirt in quantities of 24 OR HIGHER. If you place an order at one of our club meetings, and we have not yet reached that quantity threshold, rest assured that your shirt will be ordered once the threshold has been reached.

The shirts come in a variety of colors, as long as you order a Royal Blue shirt, and has our world-famous logo on the left chest and back areas.



You can order the shirt in short-sleeve (\$15.00) or long-sleeve (\$20.00).

So come to a meeting and buy a shirt or two.

Once they're all gone, we'll have to order more!

Coin Drawing Ticket Price Tier

1 through 9 tickets are \$1.00 apiece.

\$20.00 is the first price break, you will receive 20 tickets for \$20.00.

\$ 20.00	Buys	20	Tickets
\$ 30.00	Buys	37	Tickets
\$ 40.00	Buys	50	Tickets
\$ 50.00	Buys	63	Tickets
\$ 60.00	Buys	75	Tickets
\$ 70.00	Buys	87	Tickets
\$ 80.00	Buys	100	Tickets
\$ 90.00	Buys	112	Tickets
\$ 100.00	Buys	125	Tickets
\$ 110.00	Buys	137	Tickets
\$ 120.00	Buys	150	Tickets
\$ 130.00	Buys	162	Tickets
\$ 140.00	Buys	175	Tickets
\$ 150.00	Buys	187	Tickets
\$ 160.00	Buys	200	Tickets

2023 June Coin Drawing!!

	Date	M M	Description	Cond.	Grade	Coin Value
1	1971-1976	S	Eisenhower Proof Dollar 5 coin set - silver	PCGS	PR 69 DCAM	\$ 230.00
2	1938	D	Indian Head Nickel	PCGS	MS 66	\$ 100.00
3	1958		Franklin Half	PCGS	MS 64 FBL	\$ 75.00
4	2019		Silver Eagle	Raw	MS 65	\$ 40.00
5	1996	P	Roosevelt Dime - Large Broadstrike	Raw	MS 63	\$ 35.00
6	1963		Franklin Half	Raw	PR 66	\$ 35.00
7	1967		Canadian Silver Dollar	Raw	MS 63	\$ 20.00
8	1969	D	Kennedy Half - 40% silver	NGC	MS 61	\$ 15.00
9	1971	S	Eisenhower Dollar	Mint Pkg	PR 67	\$ 15.00
10	1972	S	Eisenhower Dollar	Mint Pkg	PR 65	\$ 15.00
11	1977		USSR 1 Rouble	Proof-like	MS	\$ 5.00
12	1987	D	Washington Quarter	SGS	MS 70	\$ 5.00
13	1999	P	State Quarters	Mint Pkg	MS 65	\$ 5.00
14	2010	D	Lincoln Cent	ANACS	SP 69	\$ 5.00
15	2010	P	Mt. Hood State Quarter	NGC	MS 66	\$ 5.00
16	2013		First Spouse Medal Set	Mint Pkg	MS 65	\$ 5.00
17	2016		Presidential Mint Set	Mint Pkg	PR 69	\$ 5.00
			Total			\$ 615.00



Diablo Numismatic Society Membership Application

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/State/ZIP+4: _____

Contact Telephone Number: _____

E-mail: _____

Collecting Interests: _____

I hereby apply for Membership in the DIABLO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY and further agree to adhere to its Bylaws and Policies.

Yearly dues for a Regular Membership are \$15.00, \$25.00 if you elect to receive our newsletter via snail mail. Junior Memberships (under 18) are \$10.00.

I am joining as a (please check one):

☐

Regular Member

☐

Junior Member (under 18)

Membership commences upon approval and payment of initial dues

DATE _____

SIGNATURE _____

**Please mail this completed (signed and dated) application along with your check/
money order to:**

**Diablo Numismatic Society
P.O. Box 177
Concord, CA 94520-0177**