

The Diablo Die Break

58th Year Vol. 2 February 2018



The 2018 DNS Officers and Board of Directors

From left to right: The esteemed Herb Miles who did the swearing in, Larry Casagrande (President), Kyle Anderson (Treasurer), Jim Gallegus (Board Member), Dave Davis (Secretary) Robert E. Luna (Vice President), Charles Ludvik (Board Member), and Brad Lee (Board Member).

Mission Statement

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

**The SOCIETY meets monthly on the third Thursday.
Meeting Starts at 7 PM**

*****WE'VE MOVED*****



Our February 2018 will be held in our new location:

**Concord Museum & Event Center
1928 Clayton Road
Concord, CA**

OUR NEXT MEETING: FEBRUARY 15, 2018

**TOPIC: PCGS WEBINAIRE - STRIKE, LUSTER, SURFACE
PRESERVATION & EYE APPEAL**

Our Website is: www.diablocoinclub.org

Youth Section

A perfect introduction to coin collecting is the Coin Discovery Set.



It includes magnifying glass, gloves and tubes for collecting quarters. Learn how coins are made and different finishes.



Kids' interactive timeline:

**<http://www.usmint.gov/kids/campCoin/timeline/> United States Mint
Education pages: <http://www.usmint.gov/kids/games/>**

<http://www.usmint.gov/kids/teacher/network>

**DIABLO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
PROGRAM SCHEDULE
2018**

JANUARY 18

BRAD LEE – THE TWO CENT SERIES

FEBRUARY 15

PCGS WEBINAIRE - STRIKE, LUSTER, SURFACE PRESERVATION & EYE APPEAL

MARCH 15

ANNUAL CLUB BANQUET – TEXAS BACK FORTY

(NO MEETING)

APRIL 19

CHARLES LUDVIK – MEDAL SERIES of the PRESIDENTIAL ART MEDALS COMPANY

MAY 17

OTHER HOBBIES NIGHT - MEMBERS SHARE THEIR NON-COIN HOBBIES

JUNE 21

HERB MILES – THE SUSAN B. ANTHONY DOLLAR

JULY 19

ANNUAL CLUB SUMMER BBQ – BORGES RANCH

(NO MEETING)

AUGUST 16

BRUCE BERMAN – COIN GRADING

SEPTEMBER 20

EXHIBIT NIGHT – A THEMED TOPIC BOXED or FRAMED

OCTOBER 18

JIMMY GALLEGUS – WEALTH DISTRIBUTION.....SOMETHING or NOTHING?

NOVEMBER 15

ROBERT E LUNA – THE UNITED STATES NICKEL & QUARTER THAT NEVER WERE

DECEMBER

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER – DATE and PLACE TO BE DETERMINED

(NO MEETING)

Diablo Numismatic Society's 58th Anniversary Dinner

You are invited to celebrate with us as the Diablo Numismatic Society turns another year older. **Happy Birthday D.N.S.!** The party will be held on **Thursday, March 15th, 2018** at **Back 40 Texas BBQ** located at **100 Coggins Drive in Pleasant Hill**, just off the 680 freeway. The festivities begin with socializing and a **no-host bar** in the **San Antonio Room** at **6:00 p.m.** The **Buffet Dinner** will be served at **6:30 p.m.** Our fantastic coin drawing will follow our dinner and be held around 7:30 p.m.



The menu is as follows: Smoked Beef Brisket, Rotisserie BBQ Chicken, House Field Green Salad with Assorted Dressings, Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Texas Style BBQ Beans, Ranch Rolls, Assorted Soft Drinks, Water, Tea, Coffee, and Cookies for dessert.

You get all this for an Admission price of **\$25.00 per person** which will be collected at our January and February meeting

Option to mail checks to:

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

Please get your reservations in by March 10th.

Name _____ Party Number _____

Amount Paid _____

*There will be no monthly March meeting.
Please come and celebrate our club's 58th birthday.*



Diablo Numismatic Society Club Meeting Minutes

Date: 01/1

The meeting called to order: 7:01pm by President Larry Casagrande

Total Attendance: 40

New Members/Guests: Neal Robertson - German coins
Evan Junker - He inherited a coin collection.

On time prize: 2018 Chinese year of dog **Won by:** Charlie Ludvik

Treasurer's Report by Kyle Anderson:

General Account: \$8,928.15 **Coin Show Account:** TBA Later in the year.

The following announcements were made:

This is our last meeting at the Police station.

Steve McClure had a quadruple bypass surgery, he is doing well.

March 15th will be our awards banquet.

Jan 27th; there will be a CSNA talk at the San Jose show.

Don Hill -Universal Numismatist award.

Aug. 12th is the Fairfield show.

Tonight's Program: U.S. 2-Cent Coins

Soaker: Brad Lee

Show and Tell entries: 9 **Prize:** Can. Maple Leaf **Winner:** Don Hill

50/50 Drawing: \$ 70.00 **To Winner:** \$35.00 **Winner:** Lindy Rewinkel

Drawing Grand Prize: \$100 Star Note **Winner:** Mike Stanley

Membership Drawing Prize: 1867 2-cent coin

Membership Drawing Winner: Chuck Call

Miscellaneous:

Mark Clarkson won the 1/10th oz. gold attendance prize.

Kagin's is hosting a No Reserve auction on Jan. 20th.

The meeting was adjourned at: 9:02pm

The next meeting (Feb.) will be at the new location.

Respectfully submitted by:

David F. Davis Jr. Club Secretary