



FORT WORTH COIN CLUB

Club Meeting Minutes

May 5, 2022

Zoom and In Person at the FW Botanical Gardens

President Kevin Guiles called the May 5th meeting to order at 7:10pm. There was a great showing of members. In attendance were, 2 members via ZOOM, 22 in person and 2 guests.

All members received the April meeting minutes via email. A motion was made to approve these minutes. Our Treasurer, Walter F., presented the financial report and a motion was made to approve them. All members in attendance have paid their dues.

TNA Coin Show volunteers are still needed. Please let Frank H. know if you would like to help out. Jack has tickets for the TNA Coin Show raffle, June 3-5.

The club would like to host a Picnic in lieu of a meeting in August. The date would be August 4th. Spouses and guest are invited by paying a \$10 fee. We would have prizes and play BINGO. Walter will send out a survey via email to members to see if Pizza or BBQ is preferred and to get a head count.

We still need an educational program for June. Alex will present in July, Robert in September and Richard in October.

The members were asked by a show of hands who would be interested in putting on a coin show in 2023. By over whelming response, the members do want a show in 2023.

The members would also like the return of the monthly “Door Prizes”. Walter will look into securing some prizes.

ANA National Coin Week contest was brought up again. Several members would like to work on the questions together and submit the answers as a club. If you are interested in participating let Kevin know. Walter will send out the questions again to members via email.

It was brought up that we would like to encourage Junior Members (under 16 years of age) to attend meetings. The club will waive the 2022 dues for the Junior Member and their parent/driver as well.

Ed L. presented an interesting educational program about Japanese Invasion Money, (JIM). Once a country was invaded, all local and hard currency was seized. It was replaced with JIM, officially known as Southern Development Bank Notes. The notes were stamped with a letter that would designate where the JIM was issued. For example, P-Philippines, B-Burma, M-Malaya, S-Netherlands Indies, O-Oceania. A second block letter after the country identified the issue of that currency group. PA-first issue, PB-second issue, After PZ you might see P/AA. It was a very informational program.

Show and Tell:

Danny brought in some foreign coins from the Netherlands.



Richard showed us a page of Mexican silver coins in recognition of Cinco de Mayo!



Walter showed us some Full Bell Lines Franklins.

Frank Provasek conducted an auction consisting of 30-40 lots.

Next FWCC meeting is June 2.

TNA Coin Show June 3rd-5th, Arlington Convention Center.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20pm