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Redwood Empire Coin Club

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Next Meeting: November 13, 2019

TAILGATE PARTY!!!

With the Redwood Empire Coin Club, when the going gets tough, the members keep on eating! The October meeting was held on the two year anniversary of the 2017 Tubbs Fire which destroyed thousands of homes in Santa Rosa. That meeting two years ago was cancelled because the Veterans' Building was a safety shelter for countless fire victims.

This year we were again shut out of the Veterans' Building. But this time it was because PG&E predicted dangerously high winds and decided to cut power to at least 800,000 Californians. There was no electricity at the building or up into the surrounding hills. Nonetheless, we decided to make the most of it and hold a tailgate

party outside instead. And over forty people showed up!

Mike M did a fabulous job cooking all beef hot dogs and Polish sausages, and there were buns, condiments, potato salad, and drinks for all. And we had a special dessert: a birthday cake for President Merle! Besides collecting tokens, bottles, and mirrors, metal detecting, and tennis- he must also like golf!

We were unable to have any of our other usual activities: no drawings/raffles, no auction, nada. So next month will be packed with fun things.



FOR NOVEMBER

- We will have <u>DESSERT NIGHT!</u> If you can, please bring a dessert to share with the club. Maybe something related to Thanksgiving: pumpkin pie; pecan pie; minced meat pie; ice cream, etc
- The topic of the night is: What Numismatic Item Were You Grateful For in 2019?
- We will try again to have our 2nd Annual Lee Gong Club Benefit Auction! Please bring in a numismatic item to donate to the auction if you can. If your donation is valued at \$20 or more, OR you are wearing a pair of Lederhosen even though it is November (I hope you are reading this Chris N- we miss seeing you in your traditional garb!), you will hopefully still get to have your choice if a non-alcoholic



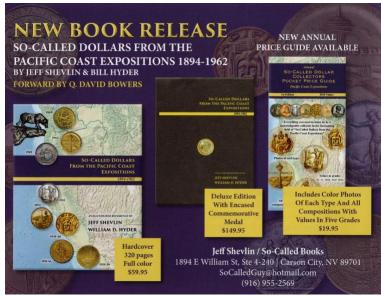
Coors or Beck's beer; if you do not want the beer, a Henry Weinhardt's Reserve Root Beer will also be a choice. We are encouraging everyone to bring some nice items for the auction, and a FAT WALLET to buy those items with—so we can have the best Lee Gong Benefit Auction ever!

Dealer table sign-ups for our February Coin Show are up to 17 out of 63 available tables, with many more to be snapped up soon, thanks to the efforts of Merle. PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE, keep selling the Gold Coin Drawing tickets- it really helps support the show. Thanks!











DONATIONS

As you may know, the costs of operating the Coin Club over the last few years have increased greatly. Rather than raising Membership dues, the RECC Board has decided to seek donations. Many organizations, like the A.N.A., have done this successfully.

All donations are tax deductible within the limits of the law. Our club is a non-profit 501 (c) organization, and you will receive a tax

DRAWING WINNERS

Membership: none

50:50 none Raffle: none

Gold Coin raffle- none
October Attendance: 40+
New Members: none

Guests: yes! Auction: none

Adjournment was after everybody had enough to

eat

receipt with each donation. We will also gratefully acknowledge each of you in the monthly newsletter. If you cannot afford a monetary donation but would like to donate Numismatic items instead, we may be holding a special auction of those items at our Club meetings. Please see any of our Board Members at the next meeting and they will be glad to accept your donation.

Thank you in advance for your generous donation and continued support!

Many thanks for the following generous donation:

Michael S. Turrini, \$300!!!

WOW! We greatly appreciate the support.

KIDS CORNER

We did manage to have a kids' meeting outside the Veterans' Building. Ember B and several kids set up on a portable table- see the photo to the right >>>

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The Redwood Empire Coin Club meets on the second Wednesday of each month. The Club's meeting location is the **Veterans Memorial Building, 1351 Maple Avenue, Santa Rosa** (opposite the County Fairgrounds across from Highway 12), in the "**Dinner Room**" on the east side of the building, at 7:00 p.m. sharp.

Volunteers for **refreshments** for November are all of you- we will have dessert night! Please bring a dessert to share with the club if you can- thanks!

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UPCOMING SHOWS & EVENTS

- October 19, 2019. Delta Coin Club Show. Eagles Hall, 1492 Bourbon Street, Stockton October 26-27, 2019. Fresno Numismatic Society Club Show. East Hall, American Legion Post 509,
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- November 16, 2019. Vacaville Coin Show. Vacaville Moose Lodge, 6585 Gibson Canyon Road, Vacaville
- <u>December 6-7, 2019. San Francisco International Coin Show 2019</u>. Holiday Inn Golden Gateway, 1500 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco
- February 14-15, 2020. REDWOOD EMPIRE COIN CLUB'S 52nd Annual Coin Show. Finley Hall, Sonoma County Fairgrounds, Santa Rosa, CA
- February 16, 2020. Cupertino Coin Club 48th Annual Coin Show. St. Joseph's Church Hall, 10110 N. De Anza Blvd, Cupertino
- March 1, 2020. Livermore Valley Coin Club's 57th Annual Coin Show. Elk's Lodge, 940 Larkspur, Livermore
- May 3, 2020. Vallejo Numismatic Society 48th Annual Show. Florence Douglas Senior Center, 333 Amador (between Georgia and Florida), Vallejo

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newsletter@Redwoodempirecoinclub.com. See you November 13— Charlie