

TWO CENTS WORTH

OUR NEXT MEETING:

Monday, January 4th 2021

(we hope)

Due to the Covid-19 pandemic all meetings for the remainder of 2020 have been cancelled **including our December Holiday banquet**.

It seems to me that Spring rather quickly became Summer, and now we are well into Fall which will bring Halloween, Thanksgiving, and Winter which means more Holiday fun and finally a New Year, 2021! Let's hope that the new year brings us all back together to share our stories, coins, currency and other fun treasures.

Until then stay safe, be healthy, wear a mask and treasure the opportunities that you can during these strange and trying times.

Remember all those who paid in full their dues for 2020 will have those dues credited to 2021

It is our hope to return in January of 2021 with our planning meeting so we can have a full calendar of events in 2021 including our July Annual picnic and a Holiday banquet, Monday December 6, 2021. Most of all just to gather to gather and share our time and hobby together.

I apologize that there wasn't an October newsletter, not quite sure what happen to September must have found a way to have too much fun.

I will try to keep up to date in the next few months so if you have something you'd like to share with the club please let me know, Melissa G., mibicicleta@aol.com.

A special thank you to Jim D. who continues to provide fun and interesting information for his What's in your Pocket? segment. I greatly appreciate the time and effort he takes to educate us all.

Treasurers Report

- Balance remains at \$1967.44

New Business

- If you are aware of club member who could you well wishes please let me know you can send an email to Melissa G. at millitration.
- Club member and former officer Nick Weiss was in the hospital this past weekend and had minor surgery, if you'd like to send a card I know he would enjoy hearing from you. Nick Weiss, 745 Memorial Rd, Bensenville, IL 60106.

From Club Member Jim D.

What's in your pocket?

These chips don't need dip. An interesting error you can look for are die chips. A die chip is when a small piece of the interior of the die breaks away leaving a raised area when the coin is struck. This differs from a cud as a cud only appears on the edge of a coin. This error is fairly common on cents of the 1950's. The most well-known is the BIE error. Here the die chip looks like an I between the B and E of Liberty. Other chips can fill letters or numbers. Recent quarters sometimes exhibit die chips. The Alaska quarter has one that looks like an extra claw on the Bear. The Homestead quarter can have chips on the building called Snow on the roof. The Cumberland Islands quarter can show die chips on the bird's wings. This is just a few of the many that can be found. While most of these coins are inexpensive, they can make an interesting addition to your collection.



UPCOMING COIN SHOW SCHEDULE

Local shows, Itasca, Niles and Countryside are cancelled until further notice. Once these shows return I will make sure to include them in the newsletter.

To the best of my knowledge there are no local shows in the coming months. I believe February will be the next show in Tinley Park. I will share that information as the show gets closer.

HCC meetings are held the 1st Monday of each month at the Hillside Community Center, 1 Lind Street, Hillside, IL 60162, one block West of Wolf Rd, one traffic light North of Roosevelt Rd. Occasionally meetings are the 2nd Monday when Holidays or Elections conflict.

(just west of Proviso West High School).

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Possible Upcoming Meeting dates and topics

- November 9th (date change for election day) Cancelled
- December 7th Holiday Banquet at The Alpine Haus Cancelled
- January 4th Annual planning meeting (tentative)

