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Pennsylvania Association of Numismatists

PAN COIN SHOW CONVENTION ISSUE

OCTOBER 24th – 26th "Overture, curtain lights" It's showtime! This issue will be dedicated to all the events occurring at the PAN Fall Coin Show and Convention.



Public Hours

Thursday October 24th 12:00 noon – 6:00 pm Friday, October 25th 10:00 am – 6:00 pm Saturday, October 26th 10:00am – 5:00 pm education.

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DEALER NOTES: PAN contracts and credit card table fee payments can be transacted on the PAN website Dealer Page <u>www.pancoins.org</u>

Secure Dealer Set Up and dealer to dealer business on the convention floor Wednesday evening Oct. 23rd 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm. Dealer set up and early birds on Thursday Oct. 24th 9:00 am – 12:00 noon

PAN Coin Show - Oct 24, 25, 26, 2013 Bourse Chairman, Blaine Shiff Cybercoins.net 412-531-4100 2925 West Liberty Ave. Pittsburgh, PA 15216



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DAY 1, Thursday, October 24th

9:00 am until 12:00 noon - Dealer set up will begin. Early Bird Dealers will be able to be admitted on the show floor with the purchase of an early bird badge at a cost of \$ 45.00. It will be honored for all three show days. Many of our dealers will be in place since we had a Wednesday evening set up also. This will allow early bird dealers to be able to transact business and not have to wait for dealers to unload and set up.

12:00 noon – Ribbon Cutting One of our PAN officers will make some opening remarks and with the help of Pennsylvania State Senator James Brewster and PAN Board Members will cut the ribbon to officially open the show. We usually have a line at the door with anxious collectors ready to seek out their favorite dealers.



12:00 noon – 6:00 pm American Silver Eagle coins will be given away with a ticket drawing every couple of hours. With the attendance of John Mercanti, the silver eagle engraver and designer, the PAN Board and the generosity of board member Rich Jewell, decided that this would be the perfect give away during the show.

DAY 2, Friday, October 25th

8:00 am - 10:00 am - Dealer's only will be allowed on the show floor.

10:00 am – Coin Show opens to the public. American Silver Eagle coins will continue to be given away with a ticket drawing every couple of hours.

10:00 am – PAN Open Board Meeting in meeting room 5. The first order of business will be a vote on three changes to the PAN by-laws. The proposed changes and a proxy ballot were sent to all paid membership on October 3rd. Unfortunately there was a typo on the return address and some members reported that their proxy was returned to the sender. Amajority of them were delivered to the PAN PO Box. The correction should be **1985** Lincoln Way not **185**. You are kindly asked to resend yours with the address correction.

During the Thursday and Friday Show Hours we will have a table of various gift baskets displayed for a fundraising drive. Winning tickets will be drawn at the PAN Banquet on Friday. You do not have to be present to win. If you are a winner arrangements will be made to ship your winning items. Please try to participate by purchasing a string of tickets to place in your favorite. Dealers are also encouraged to help us by buying some tickets. Maybe you can win something nice for that best person in your life! Good Luck!

Suggested Donation of only \$1.00 – The PAN Show has always had free admission but we still ask that you donte any amount of money so that we can continue to provide our programs and coin shows. None of our board members or officers are paid. Every dollar goes to supporting PAN.



DAY 2, Friday, October 25th

12:00 noon Mr. Simcha Kuritzky, "The Temple Tax and Jewish Taxation"

For thousands of years, Jews have paid taxes for the upkeep of religious and national organizations. This talk starts with the Biblical Temple Tax and discusses how it has survived to this day, including special coins, tokens, and receipts produced for this purpose within the last century. Simcha is presently serving as an ANA Regional Representative for the Mid-Atlantic since 2010, Treasurer for the Montgomery County Coin Club and Maryland State Numismatic Association, president of the



Washington Numismatic Society, and editor of the Maryland State Numismatic Association journal.

1:00 pm Mr. Kevin Flynn, "The Two, Three Cent Silver, and Nickel Series"

Author Kevin Flynn of Lumberton, NJ has authored or co-written a total of 38 books on numismatic topics. The Professional Numismatists Guild provided a \$2,500 grant for Flynn to create a book to promote coins to potential young numismatists. He received his undergraduate degree from Temple University in Computer Science and his Masters of Engineering in Computers at Penn State University. For the past twenty-four years he has been employed as a computer programmer.

2:00 pm Mr. Paul M. Joseph, "Coin Grading and Submissions"

ANACS representative, Paul Joseph will present a talk about coin grading services and the advantage of having coins authenticated and graded by an independent grading service. Paul is very personable and knowledgeable and will spend time explaining the finer points about grading. There is an advantage to having someone look at a coin before you spend the money to have it graded. Find out why.

3:00 pm Ms. Jeanne Stevens-Sollman "The Influence of Coinage on the Medal: How I Began My Medallic Journey"

Ms. Stevens-Sollman is a leader in the field of medallic sculpture with work exhibited throughout the United States and in the collections of museums throughout the US and Europe. Her most recent commissions include the Penn State Alumni Association's Alumni Achievement Award, Alumni Fellow Award, Honorary Alumni Award, and Friend of Penn State Award.

4:00 pm Mr. John Mercanti, "Mint Archives and Digital Technology"



Chief Engraver of the United States Mint (retired) In 2006 John was named chief engraver (supervisor of design and master tooling development specialist), a position he held until his retirement in late 2010. At the time of his retirement John Mercanti had worked at the Mint for an astounding 37 years. Only three chief engravers served longer. They were George T. Morgan, 48 years; William Barber, 47 years and Mercanti's mentor Frank Gasparro, 39 years. John was the first Chief Engraver to use advanced digital computers and artistic editing software at the Mint. John keeps busy these days writing books, and sculpturing the old fashion way.

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Day 2, Friday Evening, October 25th 7:00 pm

PAN BANQUET, FRIDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 25th, 2013

D' Imperío's 3412 William Penn Highway (Route 22) Pittsburgh, PA 15235 http://www.dimperios.net/

Cocktails with Cash Bar beginning at 7:00 p.m. Dinner at 7:30 p.m.

Banquet Speaker - Mr. John Mercanti, Chief Engraver United States Mint (retired)

Topic "Audrey Munson: Queen of the Artist's Studio"

The evening will also include award presentations and a fundraising auction featuring one of a kind items that Mr. Mercanti has graciously donated to PAN.

We may have a few spots left but it is getting full. If you are interested in attending email PAN at <u>pancoins@gmail.com</u> or inquire at the PAN table at the coin show.

Day 3, Saturday, October 26th

10:00 am PATCO - PA AREA TOKEN COLLECTORS ORG MEETING

Monroeville Convention Center Meeting Room # 5



The October PANKidZone for everyone **18 and younger**, plus parents, will run on Saturday, October 26 from 10AM to 5PM. In Meeting Room #4

FILL YOUR FOLDER

10:00 am - 5:00 pm Fill Lincoln cent folders with scarce 1940+ wheat cents. Bring a 1940+ folder filled at past shows and you can work on the rarer 1909+ folder. Show us a partially filled 1909+ folder and you can work on a Jefferson Nickel folder. All coins and folders supplied by PAN!

Then the real fun begins!

1:30 pm - 2:00 pm Registration, free coins, and 10 PAN Dollars to use in the auction.

2:00 pm - 2:15 pm More free coins and PAN Dollars in a fast-paced raffle!

2:15 pm - 2:35 pm Presentation by numismatist Kevin Flynn, author of "Coin Collecting for the Next Generation." His topic is "Two and Three Cent Pieces."

KIDS AUCTION

2:35 pm - 3:10 pm With the PAN dollars we give you, you'll bid on 50 lots of the best coins, medals, tokens, and paper money we've ever offered. Great fixed-price lots costing exactly 10 PAN Dollars are for sale if you don't win anything in the auction.



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PAN FALL COIN SHOW AND CONVENTION additional highlights include:

COIN GRADING - by ANACS, table 1110 and SEGS, table 508.

SUPPLIES – by Juskewycz Wholesale, tables 1002 – 1005 for flips, tubes, sleeves, albums, etc and also Safe Collecting located at tables 1215 – 1216 for the hard to find displays and custom storage alternatives for your favorite pieces.

US COINS – occupy 75% of the show floor with dealers form Maine to Wisconsin. A full group of dealers specializing in **PAPER MONEY** and dealers with an inventory of **WORLD and ANCIENT COINS** are at the end of aisle 1000 and throughout the show floor.

GreatCollections Coin Auctions of Irvine, CA will be at table 704.

CUNNINGHAM EXONUMIA will be at table 1102 for those seeking the more eclectic side of our hobby.

NUMISMATIC **RARE BOOKS** at tables 1205 – 1206 manned by John Burns. The **PATCO** meeting will be Saturday at 10:00 a.m.

The show also offers **MEDAL DEVELOPMENT** by Jeanne Stevens-Sollman at tables 1216 -1218, **JEWELRY** at table 1202 along with some of our other coin dealers.

The **PANKidZone** features author, **Kevin Flynn** at 2:15 on Sat, see details on page 4.

PANeGRADE

We are continuing the same coin until next month. This is a pre civil war coin. If you are buying coins you usually won't make a wrong decision with early type coins. What grade do you think it is? We will critique it in the next PANeNEWS. You can leave your opinion or comments two different ways by email at <u>pancoins@gmail.com</u> or in the comment box on the Flickr link below the coin.



http://www.flickr.com/photos/panegrade/9917861003/

PAN SHOW CONVENTION HOURS

We hope that you can make the time to visit our event.

WEDNESDAY	OCT 23rd	DEALER SET UP	3 p.m 7 p.m.
THURSDAY	OCT 24th	DEALER SETUP PUBLIC HOURS	9 a.m 12 noon 12 noon 6 p.m.
FRIDAY	OCT 25th	DEALERS ONLY PUBLIC HOURS	8 a.m 10 a.m. 10 a.m 6 p.m.
SATURDAY	OCT 26th	DEALERS ONLY PUBLIC HOURS	8 a.m 10 a.m. 10 a.m 5 p.m.





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PA COIN SHOWS & EVENTS If you don't see it here go to U.S.COIN SHOWS tab at <u>www.coininfo.com</u> Great website for show dates and info.

September 26, 2013 Thursday Coin - Currency Auction 6:00 pm Preview 5:00 pm <u>www.JohnPSabotaAuctioneer.com</u> Auction info: John Sabota janj@zoominternet.net Location: New Stanton Firemans Hall, New Stanton, PA Exit 75 PA Turnpike

September 28, 2013 Saturday West Coin Coin Club Fall Coin Show <u>www.WestPennCoinClub.com</u> Bourse info: Dane Olevian <u>dane.olevian@gmail.com</u> Location: Marine Hall 838 Pittsburgh St, Springdale, PA 15144

October 5, 2013 Saturday Harrisburg Coin Club 51st Annual Coin Show Admission- Free Tables- 30 Bourse info: Michael McCullough 717-985-0901 or 717-460-2783 Location: USWA I.W. Abel Hall, 200 Gibson St. Steelton, PA 17013

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