



A Message from the
President

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As we usher in the new year of 2022, we hope that all within our numismatic community will remain healthy during these trying and challenging times. PAN managed to pull off our largest and sold-out coin show last October at the Monroeville Convention Center in the suburbs of Pittsburgh. The Covid restrictions were not as strict as they were in the year prior. Our public attendance increased by about 15% which was a welcome surprise. We had a fair number of new dealers that were not familiar with our PAN shows. They were pleased and plan to return to our May 19-21 Spring Coin Show. I wish to thank them for their support. The vibe on the show floor was positive. The collectors and investors were equally as enthusiastic about a full bourse with a very wide range of numismatic material.

I would like to thank retired United States Mint Sculptor and Engraver Don Everhart for making the ride over the mountains to visit us again. Don presented a very fine lecture about his artistic career and how he ended up at the Mint and now embarked privately working in his studio and still producing beautiful medals. I would also thank Ron Abazzio from NGC for visiting the PAN show and presenting a lecture about the newest company happenings. A hearty thanks to David Lisot of CoinTelevision.com for the filming of all of our lectures. The Newman Numismatic Portal sponsored David's handy work. PAN is fortunate to partner with NNP to preserve these presentations so that future generations will have the opportunity view our lectures.

One of the new features at the Fall PAN show was a silent auction that was managed by PAN Convention Committee member Mike Drabick. The interesting aspect of the auction was a "buy it now" feature. Many lots went this route. Mike diligently replaced lots during the three-day cycle. The very popular auction raised \$1,500 for PAN. Hopefully we will do it again.

In closing, please mark your calendar with our May 19-21 Spring Coin Show. It looks to be as exciting as our past October show. Also, our dues notices will be mailed soon. We wanted to give you a chance to pay down those holiday gifts first. You can save us some postage and mailing costs by sending your dues to:

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Numismatically yours,

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