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Brian Miller - Editor

I hope everyone is enjoying the tad bit of warmer weather we have been having. Spring is just around the corner!

I really like the new look of the Mint Luster with all the added color. With the extra color though, it means the cost to print each issue is more expensive. The addition of more advertisers will offset this additional cost of printing so if you would like to place an advertisement, send it to me, let me know how long you would like to run the ad, the

size of the ad and if you would like the ad to be in color. The best way to send it to me would be a pdf but if you send me a picture and some text as to what you would like, I can do some basic editing and create your ad for you.

Hope to see at one of the shows!

An advertisement for Major Tucker's Coin and Bullion. It features a cartoon character in military uniform on the left. The main text reads "MAJOR TUCKER'S COIN AND BULLION" in large, bold, camouflage-style letters. Below this, it says "WE WANT TO BUY YOUR COINS!" in yellow on a black background. The contact information includes the name "Todd Hourihan", title "Founder/President", and email "todd@majortuckerscoinandbullion.com". It also lists logos for CAC, NGC, and PCGS, with the text "Certified CAC, NGC and PCGS Dealer". The phone number "918.644.3787" is prominently displayed between two gold coin icons. At the bottom, the address "P.O. BOX 140873, BROKEN ARROW, OK 74014" and the website "WWW.MAJORTUCKERSCOINANDBULLION.COM" are provided.

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Letter from the President



Chris Harrell - President

As we enter spring there is a lot going on with the ONA. Our Spring ONA Coin Show in El Reno, OK is filling up. If you need a table, please contact Tim or myself. The show is open to the public on Friday May 5th at 10:00 A.M. and Saturday May 6th doors open from 9:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M. I encourage all members to come and support our ONA Coin Show. We also need volunteers to help with the show. If you want to volunteer, please tell us ASAP.

The coin market and the bullion markets are still hot. As I write this letter Silver just went over \$23.00 and Gold is North of \$1,980.00. The numismatic market is having a surge in demand and price appreciation. In 2023,

the market shows no signs of slowing down.

Regarding ONA business, I recently received a letter from Gary Parsons, our current ONA VP. I am sad to announce Gary is resigning from his VP position. I would like to thank Gary for his past service to the ONA.

We are going to have a great year and remember to take a child to a coin show.



Why We Collect

There are numerous reasons coin collectors collect, but for me it's the people that are drawn to the hobby we love! We have lost several of our friends the last several years. Most recently, one of my best friends Jerry Stephens died in January. Jerry loved the hobby and his friends in it. He was a natural salesman with great people skills. He never met a stranger! He was a member of ONA and the Oklahoma City Coin club. He supported both with a lot of his time with no compensation. He recruited new



Gary Parsons

members, he helped with the shows, staying and helping all day before his health started to fail him, and he participated in all the club activities. All of our clubs need people like Jerry. Lets all rededicate our self to making a difference in our association and clubs in Jerry's memory! We will miss him!

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ONA News

By Tim O'Keefe

Spring is finally here. The coin market continues to be strong and a bevy of coin shows coming up in the five state area in the coming weeks supports that comment. And rest assured that the ONA will have our show as planned. Find us at the Canadian County Expo Center in El Reno May 4-6. May 4 is dealer set up day only 1pm-5pm, and we will be open to the public Friday May 5 and Saturday May 6 starting at 9am. ONA members and people under 18 get in free. General admission for adults is \$3, good for both days.

My winter was spent working on my personal collection. I have stepped away from national notes for a bit. Lately I've been chasing Papal States coins, both for the historical value and the lack of a dent in my pocketbook. That's one of the neat things about our hobby. You can change gears and still accumulate something impressive.

At the end of December I attended the Indian Capitol Coin Club of Muskogee's Christmas party. Members sold coins while we

feasted on a variety of finger foods. In February I drove over to Oklahoma City for the monthly Oklahoma City Coin Club meeting. Outgoing President Terry Gust gave me a few minutes on the floor to expound on the ONA and talk about the Spring Show. I will be back there in April to give an Educational Presentation on Numismatics and Norwich, Connecticut. And I want to add congratulations to Brian Miller for becoming the new president of the OKC Club.

We had some transitions over the past few months. We lost members Jerry Orcutt (LM-169), Jerry Stephens (#1619), and Ron Lawrence (#1508). Meanwhile we have added regular members Jesse Harris, Steve Rohwer, and David Huntly, along with new lifetime members Todd Hourihan, Drew Conway, and Donald Harris.

We will have our next ONA Board meeting at 8am on Saturday May 6 at the Canadian County Expo Center before the show opens for the day. We will be voting on a dues increase to go into effect on

July 1. We will certify the election results and welcome the 6 new Board members.

I also want to thank Scott Thompson of First Capital Coins in Guthrie for his continued support of the ONA. Scott has been advocating ONA membership to

his customers and is an active advertiser in the Mint Luster. His interest makes the Board's responsibilities much easier and is extremely appreciated.

Hope to see you in El Reno.



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Magic Empire Coin Club Minutes

By Tim O'Keefe

The January 2023 meeting of the MECC was opened up at 6pm. President Chris Harrell welcomed the 19 members and 1 guest in attendance, then led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Previous Minutes: S/T Tim O'Keefe sent out an electronic version of the December minutes to those members with emails. Hard copies were available at tonight's meeting. There was a motion by Ron Trezell to accept the minutes as presented, seconded by John Sayko.

Telephone Report: Sheryle Morgan advised that she left messages with most of the membership. She also advised that she and husband Keith will not be able to attend meetings this year as they have some family obligations out of state. She asked if someone else could take over the telephone duties.

Old Business:

- 1) The Club's Annual Holiday Dinner was held on December 16, 2022 at the Delta Café located at 4600 East 51 Street in Tulsa. 25 people attended the event.
- 2) The next coin show coming up

will be in Duncan February 17 & 18, 2023

New Business:

Due to the sudden influx of coin shows in the surrounding states this spring, President Harrell has cancelled his March show at Stoney Creek in Broken Arrow.

January Business Meeting:

Per the by-laws, the floor was opened up to nominations and elections. Results are as follows: President – Chris Harrell was re-elected by unanimous vote
Vice President- Todd Hourihan stepped down and Greg Shoaf was elected by unanimous vote
Secretary/Treasurer- after open discussion, this office was split. Mark Kephart was elected as Treasurer and Tim O'Keefe will assume Secretarial duties only.

Board Members- Keith Morgan had to step down per the earlier report. John Sayko indicated that he wished to remain on the Board. Phill Hughes was elected to the final open position. Ron Lawrence, Mark Kephart, and Todd Hourihan retain their positions.

Show & Tell: Colson Wallace showed some new NGS boxes that were not meant for public use. Phill Hughes presented an 1896 \$1 Educational Series note that was in fantastic shape. Tim O'Keefe passed around a Galata book that documents tokens from the 18th & 19th centuries covering British Commonwealth issues. Ron Hass showed a 1788 Connecticut Copper. Ron Lawrence presented a BU 1939 Irish shilling and an 1872 silver dollar. Gary Harris presented a slabbed 1807 Draped Bust quarter and an 1800 Draped Bust half dime. Greg Shoaf showed an ONA silver token featuring the Pioneer Woman. James Swartwood presented a 1905 Barber Dime graded XF.

Auction:

President Harrell acted as auctioneer. \$15 was added to the Club's charitable fund.

The February meeting of the MECC was opened at 6pm by Vice President-elect Greg Shauf. He led the Pledge of Allegiance, then welcomed the 11 members and one guest in attendance.

Previous Minutes: VP Shauf asked for the February minutes. Secretary O'Keefe sent out a copy of the minutes by email in January. Hard copies were available at tonight's meeting. There were no corrections or additions.

There was a motion by Phill Hughes to accept the minutes as presented, seconded by John Sayko.

Telephone Report: Sheryle Morgan advised she sent out texts to all members. John Sayko advised that he and his wife Mary will take over the Telephone report starting in March.

Drawings: Won by Secretary O'Keefe and Ron Haas.

Show & Tell: Gary Harris showed an 1801 Bust dollar that has been certified PCGS VF25. He also had a 1799 dollar with arrows in the right talon of the eagle on the reverse. The arrows are generally in the left talon. Arrow in the right talon show a preparedness for war. Greg Shauf showed a mint error of a Morgan dollar that had lamination damage from the minting process. Spencer Cochrane had a PCGS certified 1887 Indian Head cent and a certified 1809 Mexican half reale. Robert Cowden had a collection of half dollars that he has accumulated.

Educational Presentation: Secretary O'Keefe opened up the room for discussion and remembrance for recently departed Magic Empire Coin Club member Ron Lawrence. Ron passed on February 19. He had been a club member since 1972, served as

President for a term or two, and was a current Board member. Because of health issues he had been attending less meetings but he was still an avid collector and active club member. O'Keefe will be collecting the club assets from Ron's house for safekeeping. This includes books and ANA plaques. The membership shared stories of Ron for about 45 minutes. Ron's family donated a \$500 check to the family which was given to Treasurer Kephart for deposit.

Open Discussion: Secretary O'Keefe made a motion to have the Youth Exhibit Competition at the Fall Tulsa Coin Show named after Ron Lawrence. There was a second by VP Shauf. Motion passed by acclamation.

The March meeting of the MECC was opened at 6:30pm by Vice President Greg Shoaf who welcomed the 22 members and several guests in attendance.

Previous Minutes: Secretary Tim O'Keefe sent out the February minutes by email and provided hard copies at tonight's meeting. There were no additions or corrections from the minutes. There was motion by John Sayko to accept the minutes as presented, seconded by Ron Trekell.

Treasurers Report: Treasurer Mark Kephart stated that all bills are paid. Sec. O'Keefe gave him a list

of all members who have paid dues this year.

Telephone Report: Katherine Sayko has taken over the Telephone Report. She was able to contact most of the membership for tonight's meeting.

New Business: James Eklof has qualified for the American Numismatic Association summer scholarship program in Colorado Springs, Colorado, this June. President Chris Harrell and Sec. O'Keefe wrote endorsement letters that were accepted by the Application Committee.

Due to the Ron Lawrence Estate, we wavered from our usual order. The first 30 minutes of the meeting was spent dispersing 20 boxes of coin supplies that Ron's family supplied. 15 boxes were passed on. Sec. O'Keefe will bring the remainder back for the April meeting.

After the business portion of the meeting was completed we began an auction with Ron's paper currency collection. We went through about half of the collection. The second half of the collection will go up for auction in April.

The next meeting of the MECC will be held at 6pm on April 18 at the Tech Ridge Business Park, 9726 East 42 Street, in Room 105 of the Osage Building.

What We Collect

Several months ago I did a piece on not what we collect but on whom we collect with. The people in our hobby are the most important factor in collecting. That fellowship brings us numismatists closer to each other. There is a common bond that inspires us to seek out collectible knowledge and information. There comes a joy in sharing a great find or relating the thrill of the hunt when searching out a particular treasure. It's the people who drive this hobby.

One such person was my good friend Ron Lawrence (ONA member #1508). I met Ron through Tulsa's Magic Empire Coin Club in 2012. For years his wife, Jearldine, and her friend, Jo Ann Sloan, would work the door at the Fall Tulsa Coin Show and ask me to join the club. I was finally able to clear my Thursday nights and start attending. Ron was in charge of gathering prizes for the club and running the monthly drawing. He carried these items in an old worn black briefcase. He and Jearldine were



By Tim O'Keefe

physical opposites. She was a heavyset woman while he was rail thin. Both had several medical issues. They would arrive early for the show, and we members would make sure she was escorted to and from the meeting room safely. They were both collectors. Their house was full of coins, quilts, beer steins, keys, magazines, hummel figurines, and other nick -knacks. And Ron was a metal detectorist. He was constantly finding treasures all over Tulsa. He kept the things he needed for his collection while the rest went on the Bid Board at nearby Tulsa Gold and Silver.

Ron had it figured that Jearldine would outlive him, as he had more pressing medical concerns than she did. However, in 2018, she suddenly passed. This left a great void in his life. His only family resides in New Mexico, and his only friends were the coin club. He often told me how upset he was that she died first, leaving him alone. He always added how much he loved her.

He served in the US Naval Reserves and sold insurance in Tulsa. Ron was a very stoic person and did not show emotion well. The night after Jearldine's death I stopped by the house. I gave him a hug, and it was probably the most awkward hug I have ever experienced. He had no idea how to react. And it was at that time I realized I was going to have to step in and step up.

Ron had been collecting coins for years. He had a fantastic eye for grading. I often turned to him to figure out the quality of a coin. He was great at authenticating. He also had one of the most extensive foreign coin collections I have ever seen. Gold, silver, copper items along with coins going back almost 1000 years. Every time I went to his house it was time for Show and Tell. He loved to display his wares, and I know I never saw the complete collection. He kept detailed handwritten notebooks on the coins he purchased over the years with the price he paid next to each. The prices never matched the true worth, as he was always working to get a deal. He bragged that he rarely paid up for an item. I collect foreign, but not to the extent he did. Every trip there was a learning experience for me.

Metal detecting was his other passion. Soon after I started dri-

ving him to doctor's appointments he suggested I go with him. Part of it was he wanted company, the other part were his knees were going out and he needed someone to bend and dig with him. We started going out every few weeks. I never quite got the hang of things, but he was patient with my schooling. He liked to hunt in the city parks and on Tulsa Public School grounds. He took it as a personal affront when TPS began fencing off their properties. And he used to tell me of all the places the police had chased him out of for hunting without permission.

Over the next five years we created a bond. I brought him to the local coin shops, took him to dinner, and drove him to his regular regimen of dialysis rounds. I helped him grocery shop and did some household chores for him. He was always very matter-of-fact and did not like to waste time. Two years ago I took him to the Enid Coin Show. I was surprised that he wanted to make a ride that far. Once we arrived, he started heading to every junk box in the room. He was always looking for a prize that he could get for as cheap as possible. I spent my first forty minutes visiting dealers to discuss Oklahoma Numismatic Association business. Once I finished, I tracked him down to see what he had bought. He told me that he was

done shopping for the day and that it was time to go. I explained that I had not yet had a chance to run the bourse floor. He replied that it did not matter because it was time to go. He then stormed out the nearest door, ending up in a field away from the parking lot. I could tell he had no clue where he was, so it really was time to go. That was probably the only time I never spent money at a coin show.

About a month later Ron fell at his house, requiring an ambulance ride to a hospital, followed by a lengthy stay in a rehab center in South Tulsa. He lived in North Tulsa with his beloved beagle, Belle. I live west of Tulsa but had a responsibility. Thus began a six week daily commute to take care of the dog and run his mail by the center. And I always dropped off the newest coin magazines with him which he loved to pour through. My only thought through this was his well-being. One thing that stood out from his massive collection of world coins was his disdain of Irish coins. He found them unattractive and too plain. He never understood why I liked them. He had a smattering of them on hand just to say he had some. But shortly after he was released from the rehab he called me over to the house. Once I got there, he tried to repay me for all the gas money I had gone through. I rebuffed him. He told

me he hated to be in debt to anybody, so he put a silver Padraig Pearse medal from Ireland in my hand and insisted I take it. I begrudgingly accepted it, mostly to appease him. However, it is one of the jewels of my collection now.

Ron was a fixture at the Tulsa Coin Show. A few years back we instituted a Youth Exhibit Competition to attract younger people to the hobby. Ron always insisted on doing an exhibit to run concurrent with the kids as he was proud of the coins and research he had done, even though he could not participate in the competition. We also made regular trips to Tulsa Gold and Silver. He always went through the junk box and loved to find things that John Davis had missed. Sometimes he would point them out, sometimes he did not. He would always tell me that John should have paid him for all the money he located in that box. Bid Board is every two weeks there, and Ron would always bid on items that he already possessed. He knew the true worth of all foreign silver and would cut off his bids once he knew the price had risen above market value. He would constantly complain that he was running out of items to put up for bid, but every two weeks he would have at least five items up for auction.

Coins became Ron's entire life after losing Jearldine. He would call me at all times of day and night (literally) to tell me he found out some tidbit on a coin he was researching. And the phone call was always short. "Hey Tim, I found out the actual silver content of that coin. Click". As long as I knew, he was content.

The last few years were tough. His knees and his hips began deteriorating, so metal detecting went by the wayside. His driving skills also degraded and I was acting as chauffeur more frequently. He finally had a long overdue knee replacement done in December of 2022. His daughter came in from New Mexico to care for him. At the same time, I went back to work full time with an inconvenient schedule which limited my contact with him in recent weeks. His hearing was getting progressively worse and he was having problems concentrating and comprehending. Things were actually improving in January when he fell and broke the same knee, requiring another trip to the rehab. I was able to stop in once to drop off some magazines and check on him. Several of the Magic Empire members were also able to check in with him.

In early February I received a phone call from the rehab center.

The nurse was very hesitant to talk to me. She asked if I was Tim O'Keefe, to which I said yes. She then asked how I was related to him. I told her that I was a friend of the family. She took a breath and related to me that he had me listed on his admission papers as his wife. (That was either an accident or his dry sense of humor shining through). I assured her that definitely was not the situation. I was afraid she was going to give me some devastating news. However, she related that he had fallen out of bed and needed to go to nearby hospital for treatment and she needed authorization. I referred her to his daughter and the transport was completed.

I had been fighting a head cold for a few days and knew the hospital would not let me in due to COVID precautions. He called me once, but because of his failing hearing he became frustrated and hung up on me. That was the last time we spoke. On February 19 I received the call that he had passed. Services were held on Ash Wednesday and I was able to deliver part of the eulogy.

His daughter and son-in-law came in for the service and to start the estate liquidation process. I was invited over to help sort out the belongings. They insisted I take the metal detector. It had been two years

since it had been used and being about 30 years old its best days are behind it. They also let me have the black briefcase, which will continue to be used at our club meetings. We called upon respected and longtime ONA member Richard McPheeters to appraise and deal with the coin collection.

Ron joined Magic Empire in 1972. He was a past President and a current Board Member at the time of his passing. His passion for the hobby was always evi-

dent. He was a long time member of the ANA. ANA Awards for the Magic Empire Coin Club commemorating 25 and 50 years of membership were hung with care on his staircase wall. While going through his attic we found numerous trophies he had won for his exhibitions at coin shows in Tulsa during the 1970s and 1980s. The man had fantastic knowledge of coins of the last millennia. I feel privileged to have been able to tap some of that information.



My main point to this essay is to get folks to appreciate the people around them. ONA membership has a dedicated group of collectors who have amassed an amazing amount of experience and knowledge. Talk to your fellow club members, encourage them to show their coins and currency, listen to their stories of the 'glory days', and absorb as much as you can. We all get a lot of enjoyment from what we do, and sharing the ride makes it that much more pleasurable. Remember, find something you like and collect the heck out of it. And do it with a friend.

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Secretary - Kim Pepe
PO Box 1901
Enid, OK 73701

Magic Empire Coin Club

ONA Life Member CC 241
Meets monthly on 3rd Tuesday at
6pm.
Tech Ridge Office Park
9726 East 42 Street, Suite 105
Tulsa, OK
President - Chris Harrell
Vice Pres - Greg Shoaf
Treasurer - Mark Kephart
Secretary - Tim O'Keefe
PO Box 580055
Tulsa, OK. 74158
918-697-8348

Border Town Coin Club

ONA LM-234
Meets 2nd Tuesday of each month
Bancorp South - East Branch
7000 Rogers Ave
Fort Smith, AR
President - Phil Rosar
Vice Pres - Richard Bartlett
Sec/Treas - Dale White
PO Box 931
Fort Smith, AR. 72902
479-783-5881

Indian Territory Coin Club

Meets 2nd Monday each month -
6:30pm
Taco Bobs, S. Main, McAlester
President - Woodrow Hall
Vice Pres - Thomas Lovette
Sec/Treas - Curtis Golden
1232 S Main St.
McAlester, OK. 74501
(918) 429-4033

Comanche County Coin Club

ONA Life Member 14
Meets 1st Monday of each month
6pm unless holiday
Lawton Library
110 SW 4th St, Lawton, OK.
President - Lisa Kay Ewing
Vice Pres/Treasurer - JR Warren
Secretary - Julia Montoya
2418 NW 80th St. Lawton, OK.
73505
Contact - 580-583-0873 (Lisa Kay
Ewing) or 580-704-3923 (JR Warren)
June 5 is next meeting.

Stephens County Coin Club

ONA Life Member 17
Meets 4th Monday of each month -
6:30pm
Red River Technology Center
3300 W Bois D'Arc, Duncan, OK.
President - Wayne Hatcher
Vice Pres - Richard Glenn
Secretary - Carol Sessums
Treasurer - Dan Fletcher
(580)656-3628
Box 635
Duncan, OK. 73534

Indian Capitol Coin Club

ONA Member CC 185
Meets 3rd Monday of each month -
6:30pm
Muskogee Library
8th & Okmulgee
President - Mike McClendon
Vice Pres - Sam Carter
Secretary/Treas. - Robin Holloway
PO Box 2521
Muskogee, OK. 74402

Custer County Coin Club

Meets 3rd Monday of each month -
7:00pm
217 N. Illinois ST. (in the back)
Weatherford, OK 73096
President - Trent Boesen
Vice President - David Tautfest
Sec/Treasurer - Kim Arganbright
405-222-8718

Northwest Arkansas Coin Club

Meets 3rd Tuesday of each month -
6PM; NWACC College Campus,
National Child Advocacy Training
Center Building, Corner of Eagle
Way and NWACC Blvd.
Bentonville, AR. 72712
President - Ed Wheeler
edwheeler@bentonvillear.com
479-621-3277
Secretary - John Maes
weepinglion@hotmail.com
479-981-1701
PO Box 7401
Springdale, AR 72766-7401
www.nwacoinclub.com
info@nwacoinclub.com



COIN SHOW GUIDE

Southwest Coin Show

Free admission to the public, Stephens County Fairgrounds, 1618 S. 13th Street, Duncan, OK 73533, April 21 & 22, 2023, Fri. 10 AM - 5 PM, Sat. 9 AM - 5 PM, contact ED at 580 475 4570 or Paul at 580 475 5132 for info

NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COIN CLUB

7th Annual Coin Show
April 20 -22, 2023
NW ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUS
Shoemaker Center for Workforce Technology Bldg, 1000 SE Eagle Way, Bentonville, AR 72712
Directions - I-49, Exit 86, go East on HWY. 102 (14th Street) - campus is across from ARVEST
BANK/SAM'S CLUB
BUY, SELL, TRADE 40 TABLES;
OPEN Thursday, APRIL 20 - Noon - 5PM, Fri.
April 21 - 9AM - 5PM, Sat. April 22 - 9AM - 4PM; Contact info: Dealer registration and general info at nwacoinclub.com.
Show Chair: Andy Ellis
870 654 3563 or andylellis@cox.net.

GREATER OKLAHOMA CITY COIN SHOW, OKLAHOMA NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

Coin Show of the Heartland Canadian County Expo Center, 3001 Jensen Rd., El Reno, OK.

May 4, 5, 6th, 2023

May 4 will be dealer set up day after Noon

Note: no one else will be allowed entry

general public hours will be 10AM - 6PM on Friday May 5th and 9AM - 3PM on Sat. May 6th, contact: ONA

Officers for details (See front page of Mintluster) or coinzip.com.



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