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President's Message by Scott Loos

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The 53rd Annual PNNA Convention has now come and gone and I would like to thank convention general chairman Dick Billings and all of his committee chairs in putting on a great convention. The bourse was completely sold out, public attendance far exceeded last years totals and the vast majority of the dealers surveyed were pleased with the results. The 2003 convention has been scheduled for the weekend of April 25-27 and will again be held at the Tukwila Community Center. The 2003 convention will feature an increased bourse of approximately 100 dealer tables with almost a third of the available tables being sold before the close of the 2002 convention. Dick Billings will again serve as general chairman for 2003.

Highlights of the convention included the attendance of ANA President John Wilson and Nancy Wilson and Krause Publication's Cliff Mishler. Both the Wilson's and the Krause Numismatic Theater presentations were fairly well attended and Dr. Walt Ostromecki had all of the attending YN's captivated with his enthusiasm at the ANA table. The YN activities were successful – with 21 school classrooms participating in the quarter design contest and nearly 50 kids completing the YN scavenger hunt. A hearty thank you goes to all of the dealers who participated as "stopping points" on the scavenger hunt.

Congratulations also go to the recipients of this year's PNNA awards. (Also see photos on page 7.) Dick Billings received a well deserved appreciation plaque for his work over the last two years as convention chairman and also received the Nina Nystrom Memorial Goodwill Ambassador Award and Del Cushing was honored as the 2002 recipient of the Bob Everett Memorial Award. ANA President John Wilson presented surprised Lisa and I with an ANA Presidential Award. In further ANA news, Lisa and I have been appointed as the new National Coordinators of the ANA Club Representative Program and we have appointed Eric Holcomb as the new ANA Regional Coordinator for our region.

Finally, as club activities slow down until the fall, why not consider one of the numismatic opportunities of the summer? 1) The 34th Annual ANA Summer Seminar, held on the campus of The Colorado College in Colorado Springs will be held June 29 – July 12. Summer Seminar is an opportunity for numismatic scholarship and camaraderie offering students a wide and varied selection of week-long courses suited for anyone from the curious beginner to the most advanced numismatist. Please contact either myself or the ANA for more information. 2) The Canadian Numismatic Association is holding their annual convention July 12-14 at the Renaissance Vancouver Hotel Harbourside in Vancouver, BC, Canada. 3) The ANA is holding the ANA World's Fair of Money July 31 – August 4 at the Marriott Marquis Hotel in New York.

PUYALLUP FAIR

The PNNA again sponsors a coin collecting table and exhibit at the Western Washington Fair, 6-22 September 2002. Several Puget Sound clubs have volunteered to sponsor one or more days of the fair by staffing the table. If you wish to work a shift or two and are not affiliated with a sponsoring club, or if you have an exhibit for the "permanent" display case, contact Joe Boling at the numbers in the letterhead. Volunteers receive two tickets to the fair for every shift worked. Go early and work late, or work early and cruise the fair late.

PNNA Officers 2002-2004

President	Scott Loos
Vice-President	Larry Gaye
Secy./Treas.	Joseph E. Boling
Past President	Tom Sheehan
Directors	Richard Billings, Del Cushing, William Henderson, Eric Holcomb, Lisa Loos, William McKivor, William Roark, Kathy Rowe, Larry Rowe, Bruce Wonder
Dealer-Director (appointed)	Dale Reubish
Editor/Webmaster (appointed)	Eric Holcomb

National Coin Week Competition

by Larry Rowe, Judge

By now all member clubs of PNNA should be aware that they can earn money for their organization by entering the National Coin Week competition. This competition, now a permanent annual event, is sponsored by PNNA to encourage organizations to promote numismatics in their area. There are no rigid rules or requirements. All that needs to be done is to promote the hobby in any way that a club has the means to. The promotion undertaken needs to be written up (photos help) and submitted to the PNNA judge to determine issuance of awards. This year only two entries were received, and following are the results.

- First Place (\$100) — Olympia Coin Club, Olympia, WA — The Olympia Club placed a display in the Tumwater branch of the Timberland Regional Library. In keeping with the theme of "Faces of Time" the display illustrated how different people were depicted on coins and currency of the world. The display also contained coin trivia questions with illustrated answers. It was an attractive and attention getting display.
- Second Place (\$75) — University Coin Club, Seattle, WA — The University Club placed their traveling exhibit in a Washington Mutual Bank branch in Federal Way. The display illustrates the many facets of coin collecting and was a popular attraction for bank customers. A club member also delivered a talk on the hobby of collecting at a local Kiwanis club meeting.

Congratulations to the winning clubs for their efforts to promote the hobby.

[From Joe Boling.] The ANA early spring convention exhibit program now includes a special exhibit category and award for National Coin Week-suitable exhibits. Among other prizes, the best NCW exhibit earns a scholarship and transportation to the ANA summer seminar. If your club has such an exhibit, and someone will be traveling to the spring convention who can set it up (Charlotte, NC in 2003, Portland in 2004), don't overlook this opportunity to have it recognized. If the club wins, a club member can use the scholarship. Contact ANA HQ for exhibit rules for the spring conventions. (A club must belong to the ANA in order to compete for the convention exhibit award; non-member clubs can show their exhibits non-competitively.)

Exhibits at the 2002 PNNA Convention

by Larry Rowe, Exhibit Chairman

And Then There Were None. Competitive exhibits at this years PNNA convention in Tukwila were great, but — there were only two of them!

It seems that each year there are less and less competitive exhibits entered for the annual convention. The Board of Directors has done several things to encourage people to exhibit. A monetary award of \$100 is given to the Best of Show winner to offset expenses to take the exhibit and enter it in ANA competition. Exhibit rules were revised to be more in line with ANA rules to make the transition from regional to national exhibiting easier. New awards were introduced last year that contained an actual Silver Eagle coin to make them worth something, and not just another plaque. New display cases were purchased to standardize exhibit sizes and make them more attractive. Exhibits have been taken out of the back of the bourse area and put closer to the entrance so the public will take notice of the displays. We are fortunate to have the best exhibit judge in the nation in our association. Mr. Joe Boling, who is the Chief Judge for the ANA, leads the judging team at the PNNA conventions, this year assisted by Tom Sheehan. You get expert judging to learn how to build even better exhibits. What more can PNNA do to encourage exhibiting? If you have any suggestions or ideas, please let me know. I can be reached by e-mail at medalman@paclink.com, or by US mail at PO Box 61621, Vancouver, WA.

An exhibit titled *Double Struck Capped Bust Half Dollars* was entered by Kenneth R. Hill. Ken received First Place for U.S. Coins and the Byron F. Johnson, Jr. Memorial Best of Show award.

Also entered was an exhibit titled *Apollo 16-17 30th Anniversary 1972-2002* entered by J. Eric Holcomb. Eric received First Place for Tokens and Medals, and the C.E. "Hep" Heppner Memorial award for Best Tokens and Medals.

It should be noted that both of these exhibits were worthy of the awards that they received as determined by the judges, and did not win the awards just because they did not have any competition.

There were also some non-competitive exhibits. The University Coin Club had their stand-alone exhibit of the different facets of coin collecting available, but it was not set up due to lack of available space. The PNNA memorabilia display was once again on display. This display is always of interest to the general public. The ANA also had an exhibit of ancient coins pertain-

ing to the Olympic Games which PNNA president Scott Loos arranged to have displayed.

Thanks to all who took the time and trouble to exhibit at this year's PNNA convention.

Official PNNA Election Results - 2002

by Larry Rowe, Election Chairman

No surprises here.

Following are the results of the 2002 election for officers and directors. Some new names are now on the roster, but the results are exactly as the ballot submitted. There were not enough names nominated to create a contest for any position. There were a total of 63 ballots cast. The following persons were elected to the indicated offices.

President Scott Loos North Bend, WA

Vice Pres. Larry Gaye Beaverton, OR

Secretary/Treasurer
Joseph Boling Federal Way, WA

Directors

Richard Billings	Redmond, WA
Del Cushing	Seattle, WA
William Henderson	Puyallup, WA
J. Eric Holcomb	Kent, WA
Lisa Loos	North Bend, WA
William McKivor	Seattle, WA
William Roark	Centralia, WA
Kathy Rowe	Vancouver, WA
Larry Rowe	Vancouver, WA
Bruce Wonder	Bellingham, WA

Bob Everett Memorial Award

The 2002 recipient of the Bob Everett award is Del Cushing, who received a check for \$250 and will have his name engraved on the perpetual plaque that is maintained by the PNNA. Congratulations to Del.

For more information on the award, see the PNNA web site at <http://www.pnna.org/everett.html>.

Past Winners

Robert "Bob" Everett Memorial Award

1999 – Larry Rowe

2000 – Jim Payne

2001 – J. Eric Holcomb

2002 – Del Cushing

Nina Nystrom Ambassador Award

The 2002 recipient of the Nina Nystrom Memorial Goodwill Ambassador Award is Dick Billings. Congratulations to Dick.

Past Winners

PNNA Goodwill Ambassador Award

1990 – Nina Nystrom

1992 – Freda Peterson

1994 – Del Cushing

1996 – Marge Farnam and Don Farnam

Award Renamed To:

Nina Nystrom Memorial Goodwill Ambassador Award

1998 – Kathy Rowe and Larry Rowe

1999 – Joseph E. Boling

2000 – Larry Gaye

2001 – Del Cushing

2002 – Richard Billings

Boling to Ride for Multiple Sclerosis

PNNA secretary/treasurer Joe Boling will be making a two-day 183-mile bicycle ride to benefit the National MS Society (in honor of longtime PNNA stalwart Marge Farnam) on the second week end of August. Because the MS Society's Washington state rides have been discontinued, he is riding a Cascade Bicycle Club ride in their "pedal for a purpose" program, namely the RSVP ("Ride from Seattle to Vancouver and Party"). The ride starts at Sand Point and overnights at Western Washington University in Bellingham, ending the second day in downtown Vancouver, BC. If you wish to make a pledge to support this cause (either a fixed sum or an amount-per-mile), please contact him at the numbers in the letterhead. No payment is needed until after the ride is completed.

The Republic of Rome by Joseph Kleinman

At the time that Rome was established as a city, Greeks were colonizing the Italian peninsula, Phoenicia was establishing colonies on the North African coast and the Assyrian Empire was poised to attack the Kingdom of Israel.

Rome's founding according to legend occurred in the year 753 BC. The Roman Republic was established in 509 BC, when the last of the Etruscan kings was overthrown and an assemblage of elders (a Senate) was created to govern the community. This republic lasted until 27 BC at which time Octavian was granted the title Augustus and so began The Empire.

The coinage of the Roman Republic underwent several reforms during its long history. Needless to say, covering the history of those reforms would be far to lengthily an opus to put into a newsletter such as this one. However, there are some features of the later coinage that the collector of classical coins can appreciate. As discussed in an earlier article, ancient coins are one of the few ways in which a person of modest means can secure a genuine ancient art object.

Among the most desirable pieces of numismatic art are the Silver coins of Greece. Especially popular are the coins of the Colony of Syracuse as well as the cities of Corinth and Athens. Building a collection of quality Greek Silver can be quite costly. A single coin of a common issue can easily cost several hundred dollars and the prices can run into the thousands.

The coinage of the Roman Republic on the other hand, offers the collector of quality ancient art the opportunity to assemble a gallery of coins which mirror the Classical Greek style. It should also be mentioned that many of the coin die engravers were themselves Greek. The investment associated with building a quality cabinet of Roman Republican Denarii is miniscule when compared to the cost of Greek Silver. Many pieces in very fine+ condition can be purchased for between fifty to one hundred dollars.

An example of such a piece is the one illustrated in this issue. This is indeed a mystery coin. Here we have a Republican Denarius issued by the Moneyer L. Julius Bursio. This piece struck in 85 BC. shows the god Apollo who was the god of prophecy, music, medicine, the sun god and the protector of flocks. However, on this coin he also wears the wings of Mercury and has the trident of Neptune behind his head in the field. No satisfactory explanation has been given for this type of syncretism this early in the history of Rome.



Minutes of PNNA board meeting

4 May 2002, Tukwila, Washington

The meeting was called to order by President Scott Loos at 8:13 AM. Present were vice president Larry Gaye, secretary/treasurer Joseph Boling, directors Richard Billings, Del Cushing, Eric Holcomb, Bill McKivor, Larry Rowe, and Bruce Wonder, past president Tom Sheehan, and members John and Nancy Wilson, Kathy Rowe, Lisa Loos, Al Schy, Mark Gruner, Ian Gruner, Bert Simmons, and Walt Ostromecki.

Moved and seconded (Rowe/Billings) to approve the minutes of the meeting of 19 January as published. Passed.

Boling presented the April 2002 and annual 2001 treasurer's reports. Moved/seconded (Billings/Sheehan) to accept the treasurer's reports subject to audit. Passed.

Boling reported that the YN program appropriation has \$331 remaining (of \$1000 from the September 2001 board meeting).

Show report - this year we increased early bird fees 65%. We rented 92 of 90 available tables (yes, you read that right) (compared to 72 tables last year). The break table at the overhead door is not being used; it will be replaced by the UCC exhibit [which did not happen, as the table started being used on Saturday]. A couple of dealers have complained about the lack of free lunches. The mobile lunch truck has been well received, though prices seem to be variable. Larry Rowe presented the election report. The slate was elected; nobody got 100% of the vote. The top vote-getter was Scott Loos as president. Top vote recipients for director were Larry Rowe and Del Cushing. We now have Kathy Rowe, Lisa Loos, Bill Roark, and Bill Henderson as new board members. Scott Loos reported that he will appoint Dale Reubish as dealer-director for the 2002-2004 term.

2003 convention site/dates. Central States has moved to the first weekend of May; our logical choice for 2003 is 25-27 April. The Tukwila convention center wants 2004 dates to be selected at this time also. Tom Sheehan suggested that we need to get clubs invited to sponsor the show in future years. Scott Loos observed that getting a stable location/date is desirable. Sheehan suggested that if we are going to depart from the traditional objective of moving the show around the region, that we should address it as a formal change of the PNNA's policy. Dick Billings proposed a motion to modify the policy. It died for lack of a second. Moved and seconded (Wonder/Cushing) to hold the 2003

convention in Tukwila 25-27 April. Passed. Moved and seconded (Cushing/McKivor) to place the 2004 convention in Tukwila also, in the last weekend of April. Passed.

Kathy Rowe thanked Nancy Wilson for providing cookies for the meeting.

Eric Holcomb gave a webmaster's report: we appreciate the ANA providing web space for member clubs. We still have to renew our domain name registration periodically, but no longer have to pay hosting fees. He would like to print PNNA cards showing the web site URL. Moved and seconded (Holcomb/Rowe) to acquire business cards showing our web site address and future show dates. Passed. Moved/seconded (Billings/Holcomb) to renew the domain registration for three years. Passed. Boling observed that this issue should become a matter of routine expense no longer needing board attention. President Loos agreed. John Wilson asked for a moment to present an ANA President's Award, which went to Scott and Lisa Loos. President Loos reminded all that the general membership meeting will be this evening after the bourse closes.

The meeting adjourned at 8:51 AM. Minutes recorded by secretary/treasurer Joseph E. Boling.

Minutes of PNNA general membership meeting 4 May 2002, Tukwila, Washington

The meeting was called to order at 6:24 PM with sixteen members in attendance.

The result of the election was announced; the officers for the 2002-2004 term are: president, Scott Loos; vice president, Larry Gaye; secretary/treasurer, Joseph Boling; directors, Richard Billings, Del Cushing, William Henderson, Eric Holcomb, Lisa Loos, William McKivor, William Roark, Kathy Rowe, Lawrence Rowe, and Bruce Wonder. The dealer-director (appointed) is Dale Reubish.

President Loos congratulated the show committee for their work at this year's convention. The attendance for the first two days was about 750. He welcomed out-of-town members Dr. Walt Ostromecki and John Wilson.

An appreciation plaque was presented to Dick Billings for his work over the past two years as show chairman.

The Nina Nystrom Memorial Goodwill Ambassador Award for 2002 was presented to Richard Billings.

The exhibit awards were announced. J Eric Holcomb won the tokens and medals class and the Clarence "Hepp" Heppner award. Ken Hill won the US/Canadian coins class and the Byron Johnson best of show award.

John Wilson said a few words of thanks for being invited to the show and said that he is looking forward to the ANA spring convention in 2004 in Portland. He recognized the many ANA national volunteers who were in the room (regional reps, national coordinators, chief judge, convention volunteers). He reported that the ANA is doing OK; the building renovation fund is slowly accreting and membership is growing slowly; he invited any ANA member with an issue involving the ANA to contact him for assistance. Dick Billings pointed out that more people had joined the ANA at this convention than at either the Central States or the Georgia Numismatic Society conventions this year. Dr. Walt Ostromecki was recognized for his work with YNs at this convention and at Long Beach. Larry Rowe announced that, subject to the ANA board's approval, the 2004 Portland ANA convention chair will be Larry Gaye, with himself as assistant. Larry Rowe requested that the major exhibit awards for PNNA be changed. The large perpetual trophies will be retired; the annual plates on them will be mounted on permanent plaques, which will be expanded year by year, and the plaques will be in the custody of the historian (similar to the Everett award plaque). They will be shown at the annual conventions. Moved/seconded (Rowe/Boling) to adopt this scheme. Passed.

The Bob Everett memorial award for 2002 was presented to Del Cushing (certificate and \$250 check).

The meeting adjourned at 6:42 PM. Minutes recorded by secretary/treasurer Joseph E. Boling.

Deadline for submission of material for 4th Quarter 2002 Nor'wester: September 15, 2002.

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Full page color — price on request

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1-line web site listing — Free to members

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American Numismatic Association News

ANA President Wilson Congratulates the PNNA — In a letter to the Pacific Northwest Numismatic Association board and membership, ANA president John Wilson and his wife Nancy thanked the PNNA for their hospitality at the May 3-5 PNNA convention in Tukwila, and congratulated the PNNA for a “well run convention.” According to the Wilsons, “The show itself had something for everyone, including an excellent bourse, great security, nice exhibits and educational programs, free parking, and a dealer/staff hospitality room that always had something to drink or eat. The YN table, handled by Dr. Walter Ostromecki Jr., [was] busy all the time. Walt did an excellent job talking to the many YN’s who stopped by. The scavenger hunt for the YN’s was outstanding and we are sure everyone who participated had a wonderful time.” The PNNA also thanks the ANA for attending and helping to promote the hobby.

ANA Representative Program is Getting a Face Lift — The ANA Representative Program is being revamped to nearly double the number of regional coordinators who provide the ANA with a closer connection with its nearly 500 member clubs. The ANA Board of Governors approved the restructuring at its meetings in Jacksonville in March and directed Governor Patricia Finner, who chairs the program, and ANA Volunteer Administrator Rachel Irish to work with the current 16 regional coordinators to revise the program. Under the revised mission statement, the ANA Representative Program “is to work directly with collectors and clubs to promote and expand the numismatic experience through the services and programs offered by the Association.” The ANA currently has 16 regional coordinators, including one to assist young numismatists and one to serve as a representative on the Internet. When the revision is completed this summer, there could be as many as 29 regional coordinators, working with Scott and Lisa Loos of North Bend, Washington, who have been appointed by President Wilson to serve as national coordinators.

Scott Loos, a self-employed accountant by trade, works as a full-time coin dealer, specializing in medieval and world coinage. A collector for more than 20 years, he is a life member of the ANA and is active in local, regional and national coin clubs. Loos is president of the Pacific Northwest Numismatic Association, has served in the ANA Representative Program at the club, district and regional levels, and received the ANA’s Terry Armstrong Outstanding Regional Coordinator Award in

2000. Lisa Loos, an account representative for Microsoft, is a collector of Portuguese coinage and has worked with her husband as a coin dealer. She is a member of several local clubs and a new director of PNNA. She joined the ANA in 1991 and has been co-coordinator for Region 7, which covers Alaska, Idaho, Oregon and Washington.

Finner says the Board of Governors is examining ways to provide additional funding to the Representative Program, and Wilson notes that regional coordinators will be able to present appreciation awards to district and club representatives who demonstrate dedicated work for the ANA and the program.

ANA’S NEW “DISCOVERY GUIDE” OFFERS A GREAT WAY TO SPREAD THE WORD — The ANA Education Department has prepared a “discovery guide” that is great for introducing the joys of coin collecting to the general public, young and emerging collectors, families and educators. Presented in a friendly, easy-to-read format, the articles are timely, interesting and fun, and the eight-page, 11 x 17-inch “newspaper” is packed with “Know more!” references to web sites, books and periodicals.

Copies of “Discover: The World of Money” are available in bulk to ANA member clubs, educators and public speakers for just the cost of postage and handling: 50 copies, \$6; 100 copies, \$9; 250 copies, \$20; and 450 copies, \$25. For more information or to place an order, contact the Education Department at 818 N. Cascade Ave., Colorado Springs, CO 80903 3279; telephone 719/632-2646; fax 719/634-4085; or E mail education@money.org.

ANA MONEY MUSEUM OPEN ALL WEEK — The ANA Money Museum, at 818 North Cascade Avenue in Colorado Springs, Colorado, opened seven days a week beginning June 2, 2002. “More and more people are visiting our Money Museum, which is free and open to the public, and we want to accommodate the increase in visitors expected this summer by being open Monday through Sunday,” says ANA Executive Director Edward C. Rochette. “Our recently renovated museum offers the ideal place for everyone, from children to serious collectors, to discover the fascinating world of coins, paper money, tokens and medals.” The Money Museum will be open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.; and Sunday, 1 to 5 p.m.

Young Numismatist (YN) News

Washington Quarter Design Contest

The PNNA is sponsoring a Washington State quarter design competition for school children beginning this year. This year's winner received a gold coin at the PNNA convention in May, and silver eagles for individual classroom winners were also available courtesy of the PNNA and local coin clubs. PNNA president Scott Loos requested that local individuals and coin clubs help with outreach to local schools, and possibly contribute one or more classroom prizes. The current plan is to do this again in 2003 with more advance notice to increase participation.

For 2002, a total of 21 classes participated from the Seattle, Tacoma and Spokane areas. Clubs participating were: University Coin Club, Seattle Coin Club, Tacoma-Lakewood Coin Club, and the Inland Empire Coin Club. The 21 individual classroom winners were displayed at the PNNA convention to determine the winning design by public vote. The winning design was submitted by Ashley Powell (Tacoma area) and depicted a soaring eagle over the mountains. Ashley received a 1/4 ounce U.S. gold eagle.

YN Scavenger Hunt

Approximately 50 kids participated in the YN Scavenger Hunt which had them searching around the bourse floor at the PNNA convention for a total of 13 different numismatic items. YN's that completed the hunt were entered into a drawing for the grand prizes. The grand prize winner of a 1/10th ounce U.S. gold eagle was Alex Nelson of Renton. Winners receiving 1 ounce U.S. silver eagles were: Joaquin Gurrola of Burien; Federico Gonzalez of Burien; Danielle Bencze of E. Wenatchee; Jennifer Bailey of Maple Valley; Katelyn Brownell of Marysville; and Danielle Finley of Federal Way. Other prize winners were: Alisha Bencze of E. Wenatchee (Fifty State Quarters Handbook and Coin Album); Andrew Phoenix of Olympia (Washington Quarters State Collection Albums Volume I and II); and Garrett Mohr of Kent (Baush & Lomb Magnifier).

PNNA Convention Award Photos



Scott and Lisa Loos receive the ANA Presidential Award from ANA president John Wilson (right).

John and Nancy Wilson receive speaker award from convention chairman Dick Billings (center).



Dick Billings receives the Nina Nystrom Memorial Goodwill Ambassador Award from PNNA president Scott Loos (right).

Del Cushing receives the Bob Everett Memorial Award from PNNA president Scott Loos (right).



COIN SHOW and EVENT CALENDAR

To list a show contact Del Cushing; P.O. Box 88984, Seattle, WA 98138-2984; Phone 206-244-1596. Highlighted shows and events are PNNA, ANA or CNA sponsored or co-sponsored. Shows may occasionally be subject to changes or cancellations.

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JUN 27-30 MIDAMERICA COIN EXPO, sponsored by *Numismatic News*, Donald E. Stephens Convention Center Rosemont, IL (adjacent to Chicago O'Hare International Airport).

JUN 29-30 VANCOUVER COIN EXPO, Marshall Recreation Center, Vancouver, Wa.

JUN 29-JUL 12 ANA Summer Seminar (pre-registration and payment of tuition required to take courses), Colorado Springs, CO.

JUL 12-14 CANADIAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION CONVENTION, Renaissance Hotel Harborside, 1133 W. Hastings, Vancouver, British Columbia

JUL 13-14 NORTHWEST TOKEN & MEDAL SOCIETY CONVENTION, Marshall Recreation Center, Vancouver, Wa.

JUL 20 OLYMPIA/SOUTH SOUND COIN SHOW, VFW Hall, 2902½ Martin Way, Olympia, Wa.

JUL 31-AUG 4 ANA World's Fair of Money®, New York City, NY

AUG 11 FENWICK STAMP & COIN SHOW, Eagles #1, Corson & Michigan, Seattle, Wa.

AUG 24-25 WASHINGTON STATE 23rd ANNUAL COIN SHOW, University Place Community Hall, 37th & Bridgeport, Tacoma, Wa.

SEP 6-22 PUYALLUP FAIR (PNNA-sponsored coin exhibit in Hobby Hall).

SEP 7-8 OREGON STATE FALL COIN SHOW, Holiday Inn Portland Airport Convention Center, 8439 NE Columbia Blvd., Portland, Or.

SEP 15 NORTHWEST TOKEN & MEDAL SOCIETY, King Oscar Motel, 8820 So. Hosmer, Tacoma, Wa. 10 AM - 1 PM.

SEP 20-22 PACIFIC NORTHWEST COIN, CURRENCY & BULLION SHOW®, Tacoma Dome, Tacoma, Wa.

SEP 21 KENT VALLEY COIN SHOW, Kent Commons, 525 4th Ave, Kent, Wa.

SEP 28 SKAGIT VALLEY COIN CLUB SHOW, Farmhouse Inn, 13724 LaConner-Whitney Rd., Mt Vernon, Wa. (corner of Laconner-Whitney and Hwy 20.)

OCT 12 KIRKLAND-EASTSIDE COIN SHOW, Kirkland Best Western Inn, 12223 NE 116th, Kirkland, Wa.

OCT 13 FENWICK STAMP & COIN SHOW, Eagles #1, Corson & Michigan, Seattle, Wa.

NOV 2-3 TACOMA-LAKEWOOD COIN CLUB SHOW, University place Community Hall, 37th & Bridgeport, Tacoma, Wa.

NOV 9 ISSAQUAH-EASTSIDE COIN SHOW, Holiday Inn, 1801 12th Ave. NW., Issaquah, Wa.

NOV 15-17 PACIFIC NORTHWEST COIN, CURRENCY & BULLION SHOW®, Tacoma Dome, Tacoma, Wa.

NOV 16-17 EVERETT COIN CLUB ANNUAL SHOW, Normanna Hall, 2723 Oakes Ave., Everett, Wa.

NOV 30-DEC 1 THE HOLIDAY COIN SHOW, University Place Community Hall, 37th & Bridgeport, Tacoma, Wa.

DEC 7 OLYMPIA/SOUTH SOUND COIN SHOW, VFW Hall, 2902½ Martin Way, Olympia, Wa.

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DEC 14 KENT VALLEY COIN SHOW, Kent Commons, 52 4th Ave. No., Kent, Wa.

Tom Sheehan will pay cash for numismatic libraries. He is also interested in buying old numismatic literature as well as medals of a commemorative or historic nature. Tom is also interested in taking those old auction catalogues off of your hands.

Tom Sheehan is eager to find any printed information, letters, photos or other memorabilia that has to do with some old time members of the PNNA. Tom is looking for information on Paul Fouts, C.C. Saeman and Jack Koch.

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