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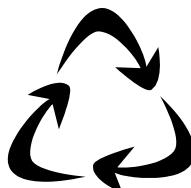
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Welcome to Tukwila

by General Chairman Mike Labosier

Welcome to the 62nd annual Pacific Northwest Numismatic Association Spring Convention and Coin Show! This year's show hours are:

Friday	April 8	noon until 7:00 p.m.
Saturday	April 9	10:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m.
Sunday	April 10	10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.

The PNNA Spring Convention is the oldest and largest annual coin show in the Pacific Northwest. With 85 dealer tables, you will find many of your favorite local dealers, as well as regional and national dealers, providing a wide selection of numismatic material in many price ranges for you to explore.

Temptations abound at this show! Collectors of U.S. coins will find everything from colonial coppers to gold double eagles and modern commemoratives. Others will be attracted to coins of the Greek classical period or Roman coins of the Caesars. These will be well represented, along with coins of other ancient civilizations. Foreign coin enthusiasts will find dealers specializing in medieval coins, modern world coins, and everything in between. Currency collectors will see selections of colonial paper, broken bank notes, and the whole range of U.S. currency, as well as fascinating and colorful foreign bank notes. For collectors of exonumia, beautiful and historic medals and interesting tokens will be on display and available for sale.

In addition to the buying and selling opportunities of the bourse, collector exhibits will be on view Saturday and Sunday. This year, you will also find free numismatic theater presentations on several topics, and Boy Scout and Girl Scout Clinics offered to assist Scouts in earning their Coin Collecting Merit Badge. For the younger crowd, the popular YN (Young Numismatist) Treasure Hunt will run all three days of the show, providing YNs under age 18 with a chance to earn free coins. This program is run by Walt Ostromecki, a member of the American Numismatic Association's Board of Governors. To get started, just stop by the YN table and see Walt.

The PNNA very much appreciates the efforts of the convention's co-host — the King County Coin Club (KCCC),

of the Olympia Coin Club, which hosts the dealer hospitality suite, and of the Boeing Employees Coin Club, which hosts the YN Program. Volunteers from these clubs work hard, have fun, and contribute greatly to the success of the show. You will find these clubs and others listed on the PNNA website, along with their meeting locations and times. Your local coin club always welcomes new members, and joining a club is a great way to meet fellow coin enthusiasts and make new friends.

The annual convention brings together many of our members, and provides a wonderful opportunity for you to let us know what is important to you, and what member benefits you value. Please feel free to contact any of the PNNA officers or board members with your comments or suggestions. Our goal is to share and promote our wonderful hobby!

We're happy to see you — enjoy the show!

For collector exhibit information — see page 14.

Additional Show Information

- The YN program will be conducted all three day of the convention by ANA Governor Walt Ostromecki. The program is being hosted by the Boeing Employees Coin Club and sponsored by PNNA.
- The PNNA is sponsoring a club table in the exhibit area. Local area clubs will have the opportunity to put out information about their clubs as well as have a representative at the table if they so choose.
- There will be both a numismatic theater and club meetings this year — see page 14.

Convention Tokens

Although the design of this year's souvenir commemorative piece for the Tukwila convention is unknown at press time, we're sure it will be another interesting design, as in past years since 2003!

Three-token sets (silver, pewter and copper) typically sell for about \$7.00, with individual coppers selling for \$2.00 and individual silvers for \$4.00. (There will not be plastic capsules or boxes, just coin envelopes or flips.) A limited number of each will be available, with 750 pewter strikes available at the door with paid admission.

PNNA News

PNNA President's Message

by Lisa Loos

Will winter ever end???? It seems as though Mother Nature has thrown everything at us this winter; from snow to hail, to torrential rain and for about five minutes showed us the sun. Alas, after spending an hour (in the sun I might add) today at the dog park, it looks as though the worst is behind us and we can think about spring.

What better way to begin a new season than spending it at the PNNA Convention in Tukwila. The convention will be April 8-10 at the Tukwila Convention Center. The show committee again has done a fantastic job to ensure there will be a flurry of activity. To read more about what the convention has to offer, please see the article submitted by Mike Labosier, General Chairman. I hope to see many of you there.

On to PNNA news: Your board continues to meet every quarter to discuss improvements to the organization. It never ceases to amaze me the great ideas that are presented. At January's meeting, the discussion of the by-laws came into play. Since the by-laws have not been revised in over 10 years, I assigned a committee to review and make any recommendations that would benefit the overall health of the organization. We will be discussing the committee's recommendation in April. Another idea was to have a traveling kiosk at local shows to create awareness of the PNNA and our benefits. This will be making its debut in Tukwila. The board is also considering a new logo/branding. The existing logo has been in place since club inception, and like most corporations, re-branding needs to be done to inject a more current feel. The Outreach Committee has been assigned this task. If you have any ideas as to what the new logo should be, please contact any member of the Outreach Committee. There may be a contest involved and a prize for the best design. Please read the minutes to see all the good work the board is doing.

As always, I encourage you to attend any board meeting. They are open to all PNNA members and guests. Our next board meeting will be Saturday, April 9th at 8AM. We will follow with a general membership meeting that evening at 6PM where annual award winners will be announced. Also, I will be having an informal discussion where you will be able to present suggestions and give feedback as to how we can improve. We had a very good discussion last year, and implemented a few ideas

that were shared. We can't improve or change unless we know what our members want. Remember, this is your club...

Hope to see everyone in April. Until then, wag more, bark less — Lisa.

PNNA Annual Awards

The winner of the PNNA's annual Bob Everett Memorial Award, made for integrity and demonstrated commitment to numismatics in the Pacific NW, will be announced at the convention on Saturday, April 9.

For more information about Bob Everett, about the award, for a list of past winners from 1999 to 2010, or to nominate someone, please see the PNNA website at:

<http://www.pnna.org/awards/everett.html>

Other PNNA annual awards, including the Nina Nystrom Memorial Goodwill Ambassador Award and the ANA Summer Seminar scholarship awards, will also be announced at the convention.

National Coin Week Contest

Every year the ANA sponsors National Coin Week and selects a theme for the promotion of our hobby. This year the celebration is the week of April 17-23, and the theme is *Blue, Gray and Greenbacks*.

The PNNA has a contest among member clubs for the best promotion of NCW. Cash awards are given to the best three clubs that submit a report on their promotional event. No formal application is necessary. Just submit a description of the event to NCW judge Danny Bisgaard not later than 31 May for consideration. Photos are a great way to supplement the application!

The awards are \$100-\$75-\$50 for the top three club efforts. The annual theme does not have to be part of your effort; if you have an already-established program for promoting coin collecting in your community that does not refer directly to the annual NCW theme, it is still acceptable for consideration. The ANA also gives awards for NCW promotion excellence. If your club belongs to the ANA, submit a report to be considered for this award.

PNNA Membership Information — If you have questions about your PNNA membership or would like to join, please contact: Rachel Irish, 101 W. Prairie Center #323, Hayden, ID 83835, Phone (208) 765-1839, E-mail mirish5@roadrunner.com. Individuals, families and clubs can join PNNA for 3 years and save money! See the PNNA website memberships page for details.

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 APR 2-3 INLAND EMPIRE COIN CLUB'S SPRING COIN, CARD & STAMP SHOW, Center Place, 2426 N Discovery Place, Spokane Valley, WA (North of the new mall)
 APR 2-3 VANCOUVER NUMISMATIC SOCIETY ANNUAL COIN SHOW, Oakridge Centre Auditorium, 41st Ave & Cambie St., Vancouver, BC, Canada
APR 8-10 PACIFIC NORTHWEST NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION CONVENTION (62nd Annual), Tukwila Community Center 12424 42nd Ave. So., Tukwila, WA
 APR 10 FENWICK STAMP & COIN SHOW, Holiday Inn, 1 South Grady Way, Renton, WA
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April 2010 (Part 2)

APR 14-16 SANTA CLARA COIN, STAMP & COLLECTIBLES EXPO, Santa Clara, CA
 APR 14-17 Chicago International Coin Fair, Crowne Plaza Chicago O'Hare, 5440 N River Rd, Rosemont, IL
APR 17-23 ANA National Coin Week (87th Annual) Theme: Blue, Gray and Greenbacks.
 APR 28-30 CENTRAL STATES NUMIS. SOCIETY ANNUAL CONVENTION, Rosemont, IL
 APR 30-MAY 1 (tentative) TRI-CITY COIN CLUB SHOW, Hampton Inn, 486 Bradley Blvd., Richland, WA
 APR 30-MAY 1 SOUTHERN IDAHO COIN SHOW, Hilton Garden Inn, 7699 W. Spectrum St., Boise, ID

May 2010

MAY 1 COWLITZ COIN CLUB'S 43RD ANNUAL SHOW, AWPPW Hall, 724 - 15th Ave, Longview, WA
 MAY 1 (9AM-Noon) NORTHWEST TOKEN & MEDAL SOCIETY, King Oscar Motel, 8820 So. Hosmer, Tacoma, WA
 MAY 7-8 (tentative) SOUTHERN IDAHO COIN SHOW, Hilton Garden Inn, 7699 W. Spectrum St., Boise, ID
 MAY 11-15 Early American Copper (EAC) convention, Doubletree Hotel, 1000 NE Multnomah St, Portland, OR
 MAY 13-15 DENVER COIN EXPO, National Western Complex, I-70 & Brighton, Denver, CO
 MAY 14 KENT VALLEY COIN SHOW, Kent Commons, 525 4th Ave. N, Kent, WA
 MAY 21-22 GREATER TACOMA COIN SHOW, King Oscar Convention Center, 88th & So. Hosmer, Tacoma, WA
 MAY 28-29 Mid Valley Coin Club 44th Annual Coin, Currency and Token Show, Linn County Fair and Expo Center, 3700 Knox Butte Rd, Albany, OR

June 2010

JUN 2-4 LONG BEACH COIN, STAMP & COLLECTIBLES EXPO, Long Beach, CA
 JUN 4 SEQUIM COIN, CURRENCY, BULLION, & STAMP SHOW, Masonic Hall, 700 South 5th Ave, Sequim, WA
 JUN 12 FENWICK STAMP & COIN SHOW, Holiday Inn, 1 South Grady Way, Renton, WA
 JUN 12 COIN AND CURRENCY SHOW, Clackamas Banquet Center, 15815 SE 82nd Dr, Clackamas, OR
 JUN 19 North Shore Numismatic Society Oakridge Stamp & Coin Fair, Oakridge Auditorium, 41st & Cambie, Vancouver, BC
 JUN 25 KIRKLAND-EASTSIDE COIN & CURRENCY SHOW, Kirkland Baymont Inn, 12223 NE 116th St, Kirkland, WA
JUN 25-JUL 8 ANA Summer Seminar (pre-registration and payment of tuition required to take courses), Colorado Springs, CO

July 2010

JUL 9-10 NORTHWEST TOKEN & MEDAL SOCIETY 27TH ANNUAL CONV. & AUCTION, Vancouver Elks Lodge #823, 11605 SE McGillivray Blvd., off I-205 at the Mill Plain exit #28, Vancouver, WA
 JUL 14-16 SO-CAL COIN, CURRENCY & JEWELRY SHOW, Ontario Convention Center, Ontario, CA
JUL 14-17 Royal Canadian Numismatic Association convention, Windsor, ON, Canada
 JUL 16 OLYMPIA/TUMWATER/SOUTH SOUND COIN & CURRENCY SHOW, Comfort Inn, 1620 74th Ave SW, Tumwater, WA (I-5 Exit 101)

August 2010

AUG 14 FENWICK STAMP & COIN SHOW, Holiday Inn, 1 South Grady Way, Renton, WA
AUG 16-20 ANA World's Fair of Money®, Donald E. Stephens Convention Center, Chicago, IL
 AUG 20-21 14TH ANNUAL FLORENCE COIN SHOW (also stamps and jewelry), Florence Events Center, 715 Quince St., Florence, OR
 AUG 27-28 TACOMA-LAKEWOOD COIN CLUB SHOW, King Oscar Convention Center, 88th & So. Hosmer, Tacoma, WA

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A Selection of Einstein Medals

by Eric Holcomb

A version of this exhibit was shown at the ANA National Money Show™ in Sacramento, CA, March 17-19, 2011, and will also be shown in Tukwila.

This exhibit shows a group of medals honoring the life and scientific discoveries of Albert Einstein, named “Person of the Century” (for the 20th Century) by *Time* magazine. When *Time* made its selection in December 1999, their editors explained as follows:

“In a century that will be remembered foremost for its science and technology — in particular for our ability to understand and then harness the forces of the atom and the universe — one person stands out as both the greatest mind and paramount icon of our age: the kindly, absent-minded professor whose wild halo of hair, piercing eyes, engaging humanity and extraordinary brilliance made his face a symbol and his name a synonym for genius: Albert Einstein.”

Born in March 1879 in Germany, Einstein later studied at the Polytechnic in Zurich, Switzerland, and first rose to prominence within the physics community in 1905 (his “miracle year”) when he published four groundbreaking papers, on the photoelectric effect, Brownian motion (helping to establish the atomic and molecular basis of matter), special relativity (best known for predicting “time dilation” near the speed of light), and the equivalence of matter and energy (the famous $E = mc^2$). In 1915 he followed up with his theory of general relativity (replacing Newton’s theory of gravity), which remains to this day as one of the two pillars of modern physics (along with quantum mechanics). When his prediction of the bending of starlight by the sun was confirmed during a total solar eclipse in 1919, he became world famous, and was awarded the Nobel Prize in Physics in 1921, although the Nobel committee cited his explanation of the photoelectric effect because relativity was still considered controversial.

In 1933, Einstein decided to emigrate to the United States to escape Nazi Germany and the persecution of the Jews. He eventually took up a position at the Institute for Advanced Study at Princeton, New Jersey, an affiliation that lasted until his death in 1955. He is well-known for his letter to President Roosevelt about the possibility of an atomic bomb, leading to the U.S. Manhattan Project. Although he later regretted that letter, he said there was some justification — the danger that the Germans would make them. He regarded his relationship with the Jewish people as his “strongest human tie,” supporting Zionism and the State of Israel, although declining an offer to serve as the mostly ceremonial President of Israel in 1952.



Issued by: Israel Government Coins & Medals Corp., Ltd. Part of a series of six medals honoring “Jewish Contributors to World Culture.”

Obverse: portrait of Albert Einstein.

Reverse: Wise Observatory, Tel-Aviv University.

Diameter: 50 mm; **Edge:** plain, “STATE OF ISRAEL / 999 / 0019 (serial number).”

Finish: antique; **Composition:** .999 silver (also available in bronze 59 mm size); **Weight:** 60 g.

Mintage: 1,500.



Issued by: Franklin Mint (presumably for sale in Germany).

Obverse: portrait of Einstein with dates born/died.

Reverse: various symbols/equations, including sun, space-time diagram, atom and $E = mc^2$. German legend *Der schöpferische genius des Deutschen geistes.* (The ... genius of the German spirit.) Since the end of World War II, Germany has renounced its Nazi past and embraced Einstein and other Jews.

Diameter: 39 mm; **Edge:** plain, ERSTAUSGABE NR 0768 (serial number), Franklin Mint symbols, year 1977; **Finish:** bright cameo proof; **Composition:** .925 silver; **Weight:** 24 g.

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Obverse: portrait of Einstein, PHILOSOPHER · SCIENTIST. There was an embarrassing error in that some of these medals have 1875 (instead of 1879) as Einstein's birth year, which was corrected. (The photo shows the "1875" variety.)

Reverse: tree of knowledge, globe, quotation about world as a "Great Eternal Riddle."

Diameter: 38.1 mm (1.5 inches); **Edge:** reeded except for FM markings and serial numbers, year 1968; **Finish:** bright cameo proof; **Composition:** .925 silver; **Weight:** 26 g.



Issued by: The Franklin Mint.

Obverse: portrait of Einstein (with that famous "wild halo of hair") smoking a pipe, E = mc².

Reverse: "Einstein, Great Scientist and Humanitarian, etc.," dates born/died. (This time they got it right on the first try!)

Diameter: 38.1 mm (1.5 inches); **Edge:** plain except for FM markings and serial number, date 1973; **Finish:** bright cameo proof; **Composition:** bronze; **Weight:** 24 g.



Issued by: Longines Symphonette (part of a series).

Obverse: portrait of Einstein, boy (Einstein himself?), sun deflecting starlight, E = mc², dates born/died.

Reverse: "Albert Einstein, one of history's greatest physicists, laid the foundation for the atomic age, etc."

Diameter: 40 mm; **Edge:** plain except for Longines markings, 342 (serial number); **Finish:** antique; **Composition:** .925 silver; **Weight:** 34 g (net silver weight 1 Troy ounce).



Issued by: believed to have been made in Russia.

Obverse: portrait of Einstein.

Reverse: cross-like shape, dates born/died, ЭИНШТЕЙН (EINSTEIN in Cyrillic).

Diameter: 60 mm; **Edge:** plain; **Finish:** antique.

Composition: bronze; **Weight:** 127 g. (The heaviest medal in this group.)

References and information sources:

Time magazine, December 31, 1999.

Wikipedia.org (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Albert_Einstein).

Isaacson, Walter, *Einstein—His Life and Universe*, Simon & Schuster, New York, 2007.

William M. Rosenblum, LLC, website <http://www.rosenblumcoins.com/>.

Einstein coins and medals are usually assigned numbers according to Harry Flower's catalog. (His collection was the most complete and comprehensive collection of Einstein medals.) The exhibitor plans to include these numbers in the future.



Issued by: The Hamilton Mint.

Obverse: portrait of Einstein, equations leading up to E = mc².

Reverse: "Our Greatest Americans, etc."

Size: 25.4 x 50.8 mm (1 x 2 inches); **Edge:** plain; **Finish:** bright cameo proof (with partially textured reverse).

Composition: .999 silver; **Weight:** 32 g (1+ Troy ounce).

American Numismatic Association News

2011 National Coin Week

"Blue, Gray and Greenbacks" is the theme of 2011 National Coin Week, April 17-23. The weeklong celebration of coins and currency will commemorate the sesquicentennial of the Civil War and the numismatic changes and innovations during the conflict, which began at Fort Sumter, S.C. on April 12, 1861.

Collectors are invited to help the American Numismatic Association celebrate National Coin Week by participating in fun and educational activities. Beginning in March, weekly clues and questions will be distributed online every Monday, challenging participants to hunt for numismatic objects and answers. The activity will follow a virtual tour of battlefields and other important places during the war.

Clubs can participate in a competition this March and April testing Civil War numismatic knowledge and research. Students across the country will be encouraged to create coin and note designs honoring the war and the people who experienced it. Prizes relating to the War Between the States will be awarded for individual, club and student activities.

Resources will be available on www.money.org, including a sample press release, proclamations, an interactive flier and online games. The Edward C. Rochette Money Museum will offer an activity for children and reduced admission for adults. The main gallery exhibit, "A House Divided: Money of the Civil War," will be featured throughout the week.

Each year during the third full week of April, collectors celebrate National Coin Week with exhibits, presentations and other activities promoting the fun of collecting and studying coins and other forms of money. The ANA established National Coin Week in 1924. To get involved in the 88th annual event, call 719-482-9814, e-mail ncw@money.org or visit www.money.org (select "National Coin Week" from the "Numismatic Events" dropdown menu).

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Club Rep Program

The ANA Club Representative Program is being revitalized, and a PNNA Club Representative Program is also being started! For more information, attend the general membership meeting scheduled at the PNNA convention, or watch the ANA and PNNA websites for more information as it becomes available.

To read the ANA club rep newsletter, *MintMark*, simply visit the ANA website (www.money.org), select "Membership / Club Directory," then click on "Learn about Clubs" to find the link. Contributions of written material and photos from ANA clubs for future editions of *MintMark* are welcome.



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PNNA Convention Exhibits

by Eric Holcomb, PNNA Chief Judge

Collector exhibits are encouraged at the Pacific Northwest Numismatic Association convention and coin show, April 8-10, 2011 in Tukwila. Exhibits will be displayed in a separate room across from the bourse area. This room will only be for exhibits, and for club tables for clubs that would like to participate. This arrangement allows more space for exhibits and makes it easier for the public to view your display.

Exhibiting is not complicated. Just bring your display and register it at the Exhibit Chairman table. Exhibits need to be in place by noon on Saturday to be eligible for exhibit awards. A limited number of standard Allstate cases will be available if needed. Exhibits can be competitive or non-competitive. Remember that the PNNA best of show winner receives \$200 in assistance to take the winning exhibit to the ANA anniversary convention in the same year. (The 2011 convention is in Chicago.)

We hope to see your exhibit at the convention!

Note: If you would like to complete the simplified one-page exhibit application in advance (recommended), please see the PNNA website as explained below. If you intend to have someone else place or remove your exhibit or if you are a multiple winner of first place exhibit awards at previous PNNA conventions, please contact chief judge Eric Holcomb for the necessary information and forms.

For additional information about collector exhibits at the PNNA convention, please see the PNNA website exhibit page at <http://www.pnna.org/exhibits/exhibits.html>. There you will find lots of useful information including upcoming events, completed events, past PNNA best-of-show exhibit award winners, a Numismatic Exhibiting

Guide ("How to Exhibit") by former ANA Chief Judge Joseph E. Boling, the official PNNA rules for exhibiting and judging, and the PNNA exhibit application and sample exhibit rating sheet.

Tukwila Meeting Schedule

Saturday, April 9, 2011

PNNA board meeting..... 8:00 AM

Speakers and club meetings 11:00 AM-4:00 PM

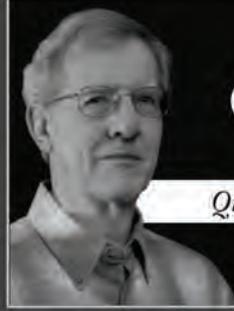
PNNA General Membership Meeting and
Awards Presentation 6:15 PM

Although the meeting schedule was not finalized at press time, the headline speaker will be John Krajlevich. John is a well-respected professional numismatist and former outstanding ANA Young Numismatist. He is also a noted researcher and cataloger (Bowers and Merena and Stacks). His talk will be on the topic of: "Before 54'40: Numismatics of the Pacific Northwest." There will also be presentations on eBay and numismatic photography.

Minutes from past PNNA board meetings are available on the website (see <http://www.pnna.org/minutes/board.html>), or PNNA members may request copies of the minutes from PNNA secretary Michael Labosier, e-mail pnnasecretary@gmail.com.

PNNA/WCC Fall Convention

The PNNA and the Willamette Coin Club are pleased to announce their 7th annual fall convention/coin show. The show will take place the weekend of October 22-23, 2011 at the DoubleTree Hotel at Lloyd Center in Portland, OR. The fall show has many of the same features as our spring convention – an outstanding bourse of local, regional, and national dealers; a numismatic theater; a YN program; and an exhibit area.



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