



# Nickel Belt Coin Club

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Meeting # 728 will be held On Line  
on Thursday March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
at 7 pm

## President's Message:

Hello fellow members and guests,

We held our first Virtual meeting in the club's history last month. Attendance was light, but we are hopeful for a better turnout this month. The auction was well presented with pictures and descriptions. There were a few coin related sites presented that all members found value in seeing, and now have more tools to use.

In this meeting we will be showcasing a tool called CoinOScope this unique program will be very useful for coin and medallion identification, linking you to sites for valuable information on the item.

There will be a very generous door prize. BAASS Business Solutions had donated the following

One only Samsung Galaxy Tab A 32GB Wi-Fi 8" tablet. This is a 199.00 value. The lucky winner can use this device to join meetings in the future, play games, surf the web and even email.  
Good luck to all attendees.



We will open the session at 6:30 pm to have all members test Cameras and Sound. Don't worry if you don't have a camera or microphone on your PC. You can try connecting with a dial in phone number as well.

Starting for the next meeting, we would love to hear from you the members. If anyone has anything they want to share with the group. A virtual show and tell. Just let us know if you would like to present.

I will also share an excel spread sheet with everyone to help track your collections.

I am looking forward to this monthly meeting.



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## Agenda Items

- Resolve as many connection issues as needed – start time 6:30 pm – meeting start 7 pm
- Executive Reports
- Presentation
- Attendee draw
- Auction
- New Business

## Our NBCC Executive Team

President – Richard White (705) 691-7777  
Vice President – Gerry Doyon  
Secretary – Keith Godin  
Treasurer – Jerome Guenette  
Member at large – Manny Ranger

## News from the Silver Bug:

Silver is money - fiat currency printed by governments around the world is paper.

Many don't realize, but silver is considered to have been the first precious metal to serve as money.

Could silver one day regain its role as money? Perhaps. It's widely accepted that gold was used as money by Lydia merchants around 550 bc, roughly 2500 years ago.

But even before that was silver, more than 4,000 years ago in ancient Greece. At that time, silver ingots were used as payment in transactions of trade. Back when Athens oversaw an empire, it's silver coin the "tetradrachm" was used as money.

The tetradrachm is considered to be the first coin to attain "international standard" status, as it was used in trade across the Mediterranean. Today, of course, silver is no longer used as money in daily transactions. But for many, it still retains monetary characteristics and value.

In my view, there's a reasonable possibility that silver and gold may once again regain their role as money (not currency) in the years to come.

Cheers

Keith  
The Silver Bug

## Looking For

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***Here are some items that members are looking for in our trading list***

If you have any of these items for trade contact us and we can list them for the next trading session.

### Fur Trade coins

\$ 2.00 Newfoundland Gold coins

2008 Calgary Flames Collector Set Loonie

2008 Montreal Canadiens Puck Set Loonie

2008 French Montreal Canadiens Puck Set

2008 Ottawa Senators Puck Set Loonie

2009 Montreal Canadiens Collector Set Loonie

2009 Ottawa Senators Collector Set Loonie

2009 Edmonton Oilers Collector Set Loonie

2009 Montreal Canadiens Puck & Stick Set Loonie

2009 Toronto Maple Leafs Puck & Stick Set Loonie

2015 Specimen Loon Set from (from Specimen Toonie Set)

2015 Baby Set

2015 Wedding Set

2016 Baby Set

2017 Baby Set

2018 \$25.00 Piedfort Timeless Icon Cariboo

2019 \$25.00 Piedfort Timeless Icon Loon



**Email us the items you would be in seeing on our trading list or have for trading**



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## Results for February 2021 Trading session

1- \$6.00	11- N/A	21- N/A	31- \$8.00	41- N/A	51- N/A	61- N/A
2- N/A	12- N/A	22- N/A	32- \$8.00	42- \$4.00	52- N/A	62- N/A
3- N/A	13- N/A	23- \$12.00	33- \$8.00	43- \$4.00	53- N/A	63- N/A
4- \$20.00	14- \$14.00	24- N/A	34- \$12.00	44- \$10.00	54- N/A	64- N/A
5- N/A	15- \$21.00	25- \$20.00	35- \$6.00	45- N/A	55- N/A	65- N/A
6- N/A	16- \$25.00	26- \$4.00	36- \$7.00	46- N/A	56- N/A	66- N/A
7- N/A	17- \$12.00	27- N/A	37- N/A	47- N/A	57- N/A	67- N/A
8- \$8.00	18- \$15.00	28- \$30.00	38- \$15.00	48- N/A	58- N/A	68- N/A
9- N/A	19- \$15.00	29- \$2.00	39- \$8.00	49- N/A	59- N/A	69- N/A
10- N/A	20- \$5.00	30- \$3.00	40- \$10.00	50- N/A	60- N/A	70- N/A

**Congratulations to all winning bidders!**



**Joke of the month:** 2 for one this month LOL

**I have a special trick for getting  
the result I want in a coin flip**

*It's not perfect, but it works about 50% of  
the time.*

**I designed a coin making  
machine but I couldn't  
understand why it wasn't  
working**

*It just didn't make cents*