



Nickel Belt Coin Club

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November 2021 Newsletter

**Meeting # 733 Date: Nov 21st 2021 will be held at The Calvin Presbyterian Church
1114 Auger Ave, Sudbury**

Doors will be open at 12:00 with the formal part of the meeting starting at 1:00
Trading Session to follow at about 1:30 and we should be finished by 3:00

Agenda Items

- Executive Reports
- New Business
- Attendee draw
- Auction

President's Message:

Special thank you to all members who attended our live-in person meeting in September. And a reminder to all coming for the November meeting you will require proof of vaccination and a mask. We hope to see all returning and some new members at this meeting.

The club has lost another great member in October

Rodney " Rod " Sisson

April 16,1976 - October 31, 2021 {45 years of age}

Rod was a member in good standing of the Nickel Belt Coin Club for several years and enjoyed attending the regular monthly meetings with his fiancé Angele and his step-son Cameron Mclean. Rod really enjoyed the " Trading Session ", where he was always on the lookout for that special coin or token to add to his collection. He will be missed by his fellow Numismatists at the NBCC.

Sincere condolences to the Family and his many friends from the members and executive of the NBCC



Special Considerations

For those who own collectibles, it may be wise to purchase Insurance.

These insurance policies protect your collection from theft, flood, and other types of loss. While such protection is critical for priceless items, your collection does not need to be worth millions to be worth insuring.

In fact, several insurance providers offer add-on collectibles coverage to existing homeowners' policies. Generally speaking, collectibles insurance is relatively inexpensive, but naturally, the cost varies depending on the value of your collection.

Best regards

Richard White
President

News from the Silver Bug:

Canadian Silver Dollar History {part 1}

This month we will feature two of Canada's more elusive and highly sought-after silver dollars: (1) the 1911 S.D. and (2) the 1948 S.D.

Let's begin our numismatic journey with the most valuable and elusive silver dollar: the 1911, the 1911 is the "Holy Grail" of all Canadian coins.

For many years it held the record as the world's most valuable coin. Only 3 examples were ever struck, one in bronze and two in silver.

The bronze example and one silver example are housed at the Canadian Currency Museum in Ottawa, which leaves only one out there in some one's collection. At an auction in 2003 the coin was sold for close to one million dollars. At one time as the story goes, it was owned by a Doctor from Timmins. Latest buzz, it is now in the possession of an American dealer.

Next on our list is the 1948, the 1948 is dubbed "the king of Canadian silver dollars".

It's listed mintage was a mere 18,780, but as you all know, finding one today for your collection in a higher grade is a difficult task.

The story behind the low mintage of the 48 has to do with India's independence in 1947. Prior to 1948, the obverse of Canadian coinage featured the effigy of the reigning monarch with their name and royal title in a Latin inscription. Part of their royal title included the designation of "Emperor of India". So this designation had to be removed from the 1948 coins. By the time the mint received the new dies, they were only able to produce a small quantity as the listed mintage indicates.

A 1948 S.D. will on occasion go on the auction block at a coin show or coin club, and usually sells for between \$1000 - \$20,000 depending on the coins grade of course.

I have never seen one offered at any of our Club's "Trading Sessions" in many moons, have you?



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Next month we will be featuring the 1947 maple leaf. This coin ranks as # 3 in Canada's top 10 favorite silver dollars.

Come on out to the regular monthly meeting on the 21st and have a look at 7 2 oz poured silver bars with a production run of only 255, each bar is individually numbered, and by the way, they sold out in a matter of hours.

Cheers from the " Silver Bug "

Stay healthy and enjoy your hobby.



October 2021 Trading results

60 lots listed & 68% Sold

1- \$15.00	11- 7-18*	21- 19-30 **	31- \$28.00	41- Pass	51- Pass	61- N/A
2- \$18.00	12- 7-18*	22- 19-30 **	32- \$13.00	42- Pass	52- Pass	62- N/A
3- \$14.00	13- 7-18*	23- 19-30 **	33- \$20.00	43- Pass	53- Pass	63- N/A
4- \$16.00	14- 7-18*	24- 19-30 **	34- \$110.00	44- Pass	54- Pass	64- N/A
5- \$10.00	15- 7-18*	25- 19-30 **	35- \$119.00	45- Pass	55- \$19.00	65- N/A
6- \$8.00	16- 7-18*	26- 19-30 **	36- \$120.00	46- Pass	56- Pass	
7- \$195.00	17- 7-18*	27- 19-30 **	37- \$75.00	47- Pass	57- Pass	
8- 7-18*	18- 7-18*	28- 19-30 **	38- \$45.00	48- Pass	58- Pass	
9- 7-18*	19- \$195.00	29- 19-30 **	39- Pass	49- Pass	59- \$25.00	
10- 7-18*	20- 19-30 **	30- 19-30 **	40- \$4.00	50- Pass	60- Pass	

7-18 * sold as a set

19-30 ** sold as a set

Congratulations to all winning bidders!

Looking For

Here are some items that members are looking for

1923 Shin plasters

Looking for letters A, B, C, E, H, K, M.

Note the letter in front of the serial number

It also has the word "Authorized" above the signature on the left



A sheet consist of 10 bank notes The letters are A, B, C, D, E, H, J, K, L, M.



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



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Joke of the month

I found an old coin and took it to a coin expert to examine it.
He said "This could earn you 1,000.000.00!"

After catching my breath I gasped "Really?"

He tossed it back to me and said "Yeah, if you use it to scratch off a
Winning Lottery ticket....."

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