



Nickel Belt Coin Club

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January 21, 2023

Newsletter

Meeting # 754 on Sunday January 21, 2023

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

President's Message:

Hello All NBCC members,

Our December meeting was very well attended, and I am sure everyone enjoyed the lunch and meeting.

Due to personal reasons, our current Secretary has tendered her resignation. If you have any interest in joining the Executive team to fill this position, please let anyone on the team know.

Duties of Officers

The **Secretary** maintains members', mail and email lists; takes notes at monthly and Executive meetings and publishes meeting minutes; handles all correspondence as directed by the executive; and mails and emails the monthly newsletter and trading list.

Just a friendly reminder, if you plan on bringing coins to the meeting to sell, there is a \$10.00 fee to be paid prior to selling of your coins, The club's primary funding is from the Trade sessions commission and with out it the Club would not be sustainable.

Call Meeting to order

Executive reports

New Business

Report on 2024 Coin Show - October

50/50 Draw

Attendance Draw

Trade Session

Lunch

Regards,

Richard.



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Silver Bug Report:

Greetings and Happy New Year to all you Numismatists and Coin Collectors out there.

Silver Bug Report:

Introduction of the "Dollar" Part 1 of 3 reports.

The word "dollar" can be traced back to 1434 when a German emperor gave a large tract of land, including the whole village, to his chancellor, the Duke von Schlick. The giving of land for services rendered or as a gift was a medieval custom. In the 15th century the hillside village located in north west Bohemia was known as Joachimsthal (translated Joachim's Valley); today, it is called Jachymov and belongs to Czechoslovakia.

This region, as it turned out, was very profitable for the chancellor's descendents because silver and other valuable ores were found on it. And since anyone with the means to make coins could do so, coining began there in 1517. The coins they made were attractive and similar to those of Hall, in Tyrol, which were already in circulation. Little did the Dukes realize that the money not "fiat currency" that developed would eventually lend it's name to a whole family of coinage that we are familiar with to this day.

In a short time frame the Joachimsthal's coins of Duke von Schlick became known as "Joachimsthalers". Later, for simplicity, they were called "Thalers", an abbreviation which would ultimately be used to describe many other large silver coins in central Europe. In Holland the name of the large silver coin was "daalder" and it was from this name that the famous term "dollar" arose.

The most important "dollar" coin in history has been the Spanish-American "dollar" or "piece-of-eight" of pirate stories- the true denomination was eight reales. It was this coin that the newly formed United States government copied when introducing its silver dollar in 1794.

Canada's adoption of the decimal system with the dollar as its larger unit was the direct result of the use of Spanish-American and U.S coins and trade with the Americans. The first part of Canada to adopt the decimal system was the Province of Canada in 1857, followed by Nova Scotia and New Brunswick in 1860, Newfoundland in 1864, and Prince Edward Island in 1871. Although a dollar coin was then not in Canada, the way was cleared for its later introduction. To be continued in the February newsletter.

Looking forward to seeing all your smiling faces at the next regular monthly meeting of our Club on Sunday, January 21st at Calvin Presbyterian Church.....Silver Bug, bugging out for now..... cheers you'all.



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Dec 17/23 Trading results

58 lots listed & 78% Sold

1-	\$60.00	11-	Pass	21-	Pass	31-	\$4.00	41-	Pass	51-	N/A	61-	N/A		
2-	Pass	12-	Pass	22-	\$4.00	32-	\$17.00	42-	\$30.00	52-	N/A	62-	N/A		
3-	\$80.00	13-	\$79.00	23-	\$4.00	33-	\$31.00	43-	\$31.00	53-	N/A	63-	N/A		
4-	Pass	14-	\$80.00	24-	\$6.00	34-	\$31.00	44-	\$29.00	54-	N/A	64-	N/A		
5-	\$21.00	15-	Pass	25-	\$6.00	35-	\$31.00	45-	\$11.00	55-	N/A	65-	N/A		
6-	Pass	16-	Pass	26-	\$6.00	36-	\$20.00	46-	\$250.00	56-	N/A				
7-	\$30.00	17-	\$38.00	27-	\$6.00	37-	\$35.00	47-	\$44.00	57-	N/A				
8-	\$24.00	18-	\$12.00	28-	\$7.00	38-	\$31.00	48-	Pass	58-	N/A				
9-	\$32.00	19-	\$13.00	29-	\$4.00	39-	\$29.00	49-	\$25.00	59-	N/A				
10-	Pass	20-	\$12.00	30-	\$8.00	40-	\$29.00	50-	\$31.00	60-	N/A				

Congratulations to all winning bidders!

We are looking for pictures From the 2023 Show



Let us help you find what you are looking for!

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.

Colombia 2 and 2 1/2 Centavos any year



Canadian 50 Cent Pieces

1900 & 1901

1947 Curved 7 (Wide Date) and Straight 7 (Narrow Date)



2014,2019 & 2021 Canadian 1Dollar

2016 Silver Lucky Loon



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Joke for the month

Q: What happened
When the cat
Swallowed a coin?

A: There was money in the Kitty.

2023/2024 Executive team

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Member at large – Barry Stone
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