

#### LVNS JOURNAL

The Las Vegas Numismatic Society

**November 2016 Newsletter** 

Next Club Meeting Saturday, November 12, 2016 ●

Educating and serving our members and the community



# LVNS 6th Annual Great Turkey Race



Come and meet the new contenders for this year.

Bring your family and friends!

Pick your favorite turkey and win prizes.

Starting at 3 P.M.

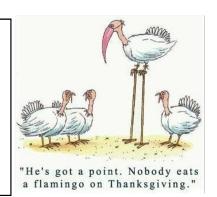
LVNS Club Meetings are held at the University United Methodist Church at 4412 South Maryland Parkway Las Vegas, NV. directly across from UNLV. Bourse & socializing from 2:00 p.m. Meeting starts at 3 p.m.

Free parking (use the rear lot) & free admission.

Newsletter editor & advertising call Jim Shands (702) 452-3498.

Joe Cavallaro, President (702) 860-6032.

Expanded Bourse, Come early!





## THE 2016 LAS VEGAS NUMISMATIC SOCIETY OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD BALLOT

Each year the LVNS presents the
Outstanding Service Award plaque at

the Holiday and Installation Banquet to honor a member

who has performed and shown outstanding service to the club throughout the year. This year the presentation will take place at Westgate Hotel & Casino in the Ballroom on Saturday, December



10, 2016. This is a secret

ballot and the winner will not be
announced until then. Please vote for only
one person who you feel deserves the
award and cast your ballot at the next

meeting on Saturday, November 12, 2016. Please see the list of past winners that are ineligible.

Thanks and Good Luck to Everyone!



- Only one vote per member
- Please do not vote for an ineligible person
- Ballots available at meeting

### PAST WINNERS & INELIGIBLE MEMBERS:

1993 Phil Carlino

1994 Larry Lochridge

1995 Sue Dolce

1996 Joe Dolce

1997 Al Hall

1998 Morey Friedman

1999 Art Spear

2000 Doug Marquardt

2001 Julia Chapman

2002 Sheila Carlino

2003 Lyn Spear

2004 Anita Zell

2005 Larry Lochridge

2006 Bill Zell

2007 Astrid Foreman

2008 Chris Shands

2009 Marti Szramek

2010 Florence & Jim Shands

2011 Sharon Parillo

2012 Don Cleland

2013 Ed Smith

2014 Diana Renaud

2015 Chip & Cindy Wukitsch

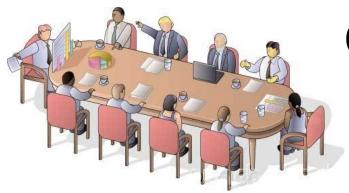
Also: Joe Cavallaro

Fred Kuch



#### **The Roosevelt Dime**

- 1. Who designed this dime?
- (A) Felix Schlag (B) John Sinnock (C) Adolph Weinman (D) James Fraser
- 2. What year was it first minted for general circulation?
- (A) 1946 (B) 1930 (C) 1909 (D) 1938
- 3. Which design did it replace"?
- (A) "Mercury" (B) Barber (C) Seated Liberty (D) Bust
- 4. Which President is featured?
- (A) Grant (B) Roosevelt (C) Monroe (D) Tyler
- 5. How is the concept of "Liberty" presented?
- (A) Statue of Liberty (B) Eagle (C) Obverse Header (D) Both A and B
- 6. Which was the last year of production?
- (A) 1976 (B) 1955 (C) 1964 (D) Still produced
- 7. Which year and which mint produced the least coins?
- (A) 1949S (B) 1955 (C) 1950D (D) 1964D
- 8. How many PROOF coins were produced for 1948?
- (A) 19,365 (B) None (C) 51,386 (D) 875,652
- 9. What does the designation FT stand for?
- (A) Fine Toneing (B) Front Topped (C) Full Torch (D) Free Total
- 10. Which dates are the "Keys"?
- (A) Both B and C (B)1949S (C)1955 (D) 1946



At the last meeting on Saturday, October 8, 2016 voting was held for the officers and Board of Directors of the LVNS. All the candidates were given a chance to address the membership if they so pleased. The count and verification was conducted by Dave Bouyea & Bob Muller. Term of office is for one year starting January 1, 2017. Installation will take place at the Holiday Banquet on December 10, 2016 at the Westgate Hotel and Casino.

#### **Official Election Results**

Here are the results for the contested positions:

#### For Vice President & Sergeant at Arms:

Diana Renaud

#### **Board of Directors will consist of:**

Dick Askew

Jimmy Migs

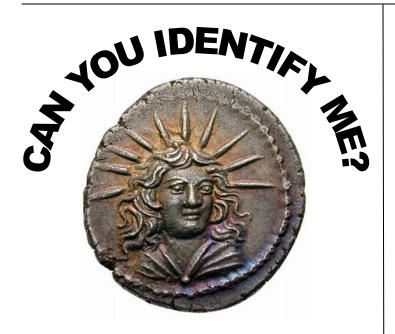
**Ed Smith** 

**Bob Gigante** 

Jim Rhodes

All the other incumbent Officers remain the same.

Bill Zell remains our honored immediate Past President and Fred Kuch, as Trust Chairman, automatically retain their seats on the board.



Write your guess/answer down on a piece of paper and bring it to the meeting. A winner will be drawn from all the correct entries and a prize will be awarded.

#### Hear Ye— Hear Ye

Proposed Constitutional Amendment

A 6th board seat will be added to the board of directors. If approved,



nominations will be accepted immediately through the Holiday Banquet with a special election to be held at the January 14, 2017 meeting.



### **MARKET**

### **PLACE**



#### **LVNS Newsletter Classified Ads**

- 1) 2007 UNC PD Mint Set 28 Coins Satin \$18 497-4858
- 2) 10 Troy oz. .999 Silver Buffalo Bar \$190 497-4858
- 3) 1999 G Washington \$5 Gold PRF&UNC \$675 497-4858
- 4) 8 Different Fractional Notes \$200 Joe 860-6032
- 5) Sheet of 4 Uncut \$2 bills \$25 Call Joe 860-6032
- 6) 1945 S Silver War Nickel PCGS MS65 \$18 Joe 860-6032

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## LVNS Annual Holiday Banquet

Saturday, December 10 at the Westgate Hotel & Casino in the Ballroom D-E-F, Doors Open 6 p.m., Dinner Served at 7 p.m.

Reservations are required and can be made at this November meeting.

\$5.00 member fee

\$25.00 guest fee

Reservations and payments must be made by December 3, 2016.

See Fred Kuch or call (702) 497-4858



## \*Entertainment will be provided by\* Chuck St. Troy from American Pie Band

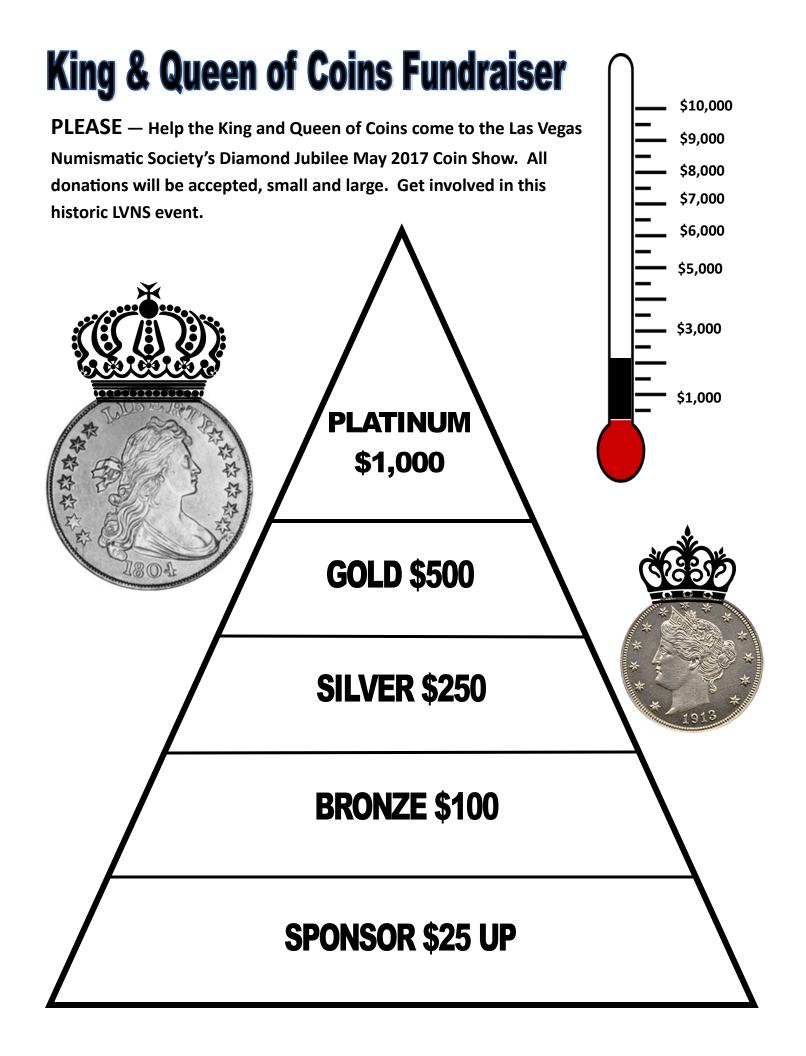
**ALSO** 

\*Installation of Officers & Board Members for 2017

\*LVNS 2016 Outstanding Service Award

\*Raffle, Prizes, Benefit Auction

Dinning, Dancing, Fun for All



#### Beware of Fake Gold Krugerrand Coin circulating in Las Vegas area

By <u>Jeff Starck</u>, Coin World Published: 11/13/15 Fullerton, Calif., dealer Dwight Manley recently discovered a fake South African gold Krugerrand coin in a fake NGC holder.

Numismatic Guaranty Corp. has confirmed that the holder and coin are both counterfeit.

Manley issued an advisory about the find on Nov. 10, calling the piece "frighteningly deceptive."

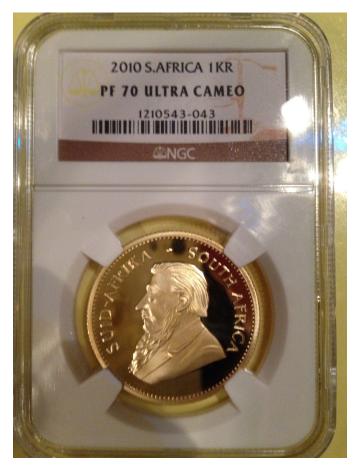
The counterfeit quarter-ounce Krugerrand in a counterfeit NGC holder was purchased in Fullerton where Manley owns and operates Fullerton Coins & Stamps.

"A frighteningly deceptive counterfeit has been encountered, and the world needs to be told about it," Manley said in the statement.

The firm purchased a 2005 quarter-ounce gold Krugerrand labeled Proof 70 in what was purported to be a Numismatic Guaranty Corp. holder. Not only is the coin counterfeit, but so is the holder.

The holder "has the same certification number on the label as a genuine 2005 one-quarter ounce Krugerrand listed in the NGC data base," Manley said.

"Before making the purchase, the employee checked the NGC website to see if the certification number and coin description matched, [and] they did."



Manley later inspected the coin, and, "it just didn't look quite right. I did a side-by-side, inch-by-inch comparison between the encapsulated coin the store purchased and the obverse and reverse photos on the NGC website. The reproduction of the NGC hologram on the fake is almost dead on, the same."

There is one distinct difference between the fake and genuine holders, Manley said.

Collectors should look at the left side of the front insert label.

"On the fake coin, the circle in the NGC logo (an encircled balance scale) goes almost entirely around the P in the grade PF 70. On the genuine coin's label, the P is outside the logo circle," Manley said.

"An amazing amount of effort obviously went into creating a fake coin and a fake holder with a [certificate] number and description that match a genuine coin," said Manley. "I've notified NGC, but in the meantime, I caution collectors and dealers to watch out for any similar, deceitful and dangerous counterfeits."

Max Spiegel, vice president of sales and marketing for NGC's parent firm, Certified Collectibles Group, told *Coin World* by email that the firm reviewed the images provided by Manley and concluded that these images show a counterfeit coin in a counterfeit NGC holder.

"NGC has observed a very small number of similar counterfeit coins encapsulated in counterfeit NGC holders that are generally poorly made and very easy to detect. The coin, holder, label and hologram have serious issues and a comparison with any genuine NGC holder would reveal numerous differences," he said.

"Counterfeit NGC holders not only infringe upon NGC's registered trademarks, but also violate both the Hobby Protection Act of 1973 and the Collectible Coin Protection Act of 2014. NGC is actively working to investigate and pursue those who counterfeit NGC holders and violate NGC's intellectual property rights."

The counterfeit holder lacks many of the security features of a genuine NGC holder, said Spiegel, noting that some images published online in reports about the counterfeit coin and holder actually show genuine articles.

#### **Important Dates:**

November 12 LVNS Turkey Race (UUMC)

December 2-4 Bick Coin Show at Gold Coast Casino

December 9-11 CK Coin Show at Westgate

December 10 LVNS Banquet at Westgate

January 14, 2017 LVNS Club Meeting

February 11, 2017 LVNS Club Meeting

February 17—18, 2017 Bottle Club Show

At the Henderson Convention Center

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