

“Fairfield Coin Club”



Gold: \$1987.00

“as of 3/31/2023”

Silver: \$24.24

Meeting Location: Grace Episcopal Church 1405 Kentucky St. Fairfield, CA. 94533

Meeting Time: 6:30 pm to 8:30 p.m. Web site: <http://www.solanocoinclub.com/>

Next Meeting #545, April 26th, 2023

“Easter and Tax-Day Collectibles”

Upcoming Shows & Events

April 15th, 2023 Vacaville Coin Show

Location: Elks Lodge, 302 Parker St., Vacaville between 9:30am to 3:00pm

April 16 – 22, 2023 National Coin Week & Cupertino Coin Show

Location: St. Joseph’s Church of Cupertino Parish, 10110 N. De Anza Blvd., Cupertino

April 28 – 30, 2023 Sacramento Valley Coin Club Spring Show

Location: Four Points by Sheraton, 4900 Duckhorn, Sacramento

May 7th, 2023 50th Anniversary Celebration Luncheon

Location: Pietro’s #2, 679 Merchant St., Vacaville beginning at 12:00 noon



“Remember to Renew your Dues”

Presidents Message:

Greetings Fairfield Coin Club members. My president's report is short and sweet. I appreciated the birthday wishes (3/20/58) from everyone and special thanks to Mr. Turrini for the delicious giant carrot cake cupcakes. We had a good meeting and about 19 folks showed up. I had to leave early as I am caretaking for my mother in Sacramento, but the show went on in good hands of the excellent VP, Treasurer, and Secretary. I don't know who won the raffles or auction items but the evening was filled with good times, shows and tells, and lots of good food. See you all at the next meeting on April 26th.

"State of the Market: Strength maintains, buyer profile changes"

by: Scott Griffin

Precious Metals: Momentum buyers (new individuals to previous metals) have entered the market in droves as gold touches \$2000 and silver stands above \$23. Premiums are strong across the board as "bank panic" is feeding fears around currency. Interesting that metals strength exists in the face of a strong dollar. Ever wonder how high gold would be if the dollar weren't so strong?

Rare Coins: As bank panics become daily news and the greater public anticipates belt-tightening, some caution remains. Buyers of low-to-mid range rare coins seem to be tapping the brakes. Higher-end rare coins continue to be strong, as those with deep pockets compete for "lifetime" coins they either buy now, or never see again.

Collectibles auction companies continue to proliferate as buyers get more and more comfortable with buying online. New entrants also find this form of acquisition preferable to the sometimes uncomfortable experience of dealing face-to-face at a coin show or shop. Our data, however, suggests that hobbyists who buy books and develop relationships in the hobby (through clubs, shows, or local dealers) stay in the hobby longer, have more fun, and are more successful.



"Fairfield Club Meeting March 22nd, 2023 – 17 in attendance"



CELEBRATION LUNCHEON

Pietro's #2
Sunday, May 7th, 2023 at 12:00 noon

Fairfield's Coin Club 50th Anniversary Celebration is all set for Sunday, May 7th, 2023 at 12:00 noon!

Our anniversary will be celebrated at Pietro's #2 on Merchant Street in Vacaville, California. Please arrive at **12:00 noon**. Lunch will be served including pizza, spaghetti, salad, and garlic bread. Reservations are a must and payment is due with your reservation. The **cost is \$30.00 per person** and the club will pay for sodas and water as well as tax, tip, and extra help.

Our own active life member, Michael Stan Turrini, will be the M/C for our event.

There will be a \$1,500.00 mega drawing during our luncheon. Prizes will include ¼ oz gold 1995W, Stadium \$5.00, 1883 CC Morgan Dollar in the GSA holder in the original box with the COA, 2022 1/10 oz AGE, 2015 1/10 oz AGE, 1945 2 ½ Peso Mexican Gold.

A wooden dollar will be given to each attendee along with commemorative poker chips. This will be a great celebration and a must go to party.

This is a one-time event that should be attended by all members. Reservation is attached. Please fill out and return with remittance to Bill Bartz (Vice President)

Name: _____ # In Your Party _____

Make payment to Fairfield Coin Club w/ Attention 50th Anniversary Luncheon, P.O. Box 944, Fairfield CA 94533

Minutes:

Reminder: You will want to be at our 50th anniversary Party... Be There or Be Square!

Our March guest was Richard White. Richard is creating our 50th anniversary wooden chip.

Richard retired from the Navy, retired from the Post Office, and was in the US Marshall Service, providing executive protection to Federal Judges.

We had 4 Show and Tell items from Scott G, Dan D, Don H, and Mike T brought a 1928 Irish Proof Set

50/50 drawing was won by Monica

Mike T did a great job with some amazing Auction items. Thanks Mike!

Meeting adjourned at 8:05pm

A BIG Thank you to all the members who brought food items and goodies...Delish! And thanks to those who stayed to help clean up...Many hands make light work.

Fairfield Meeting Raffle Winners! 1898 Morgan Dollar – Karen C. 1937 Buffalo Nickel – William B.
1955 Franklin Half – Gary S. 1938C Buffalo Nickel – Gary S.
1853 Large Cent – Don H. 1903 Indian Cent – Gary S.
1906 Indian Cent – Dan D.

???Question???

Would you like to see a section in our newsletter regarding, “Wants, Needs, Sales?”

Who do you listen to? Share names of people you listen to/read for updated Gold and Silver Information

