

“Fairfield Coin Club”



Gold: \$2945.80



“as of 3/12/2025”



Silver: \$33.49

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

Meeting Time: 6:00 pm to 8:00 p.m. Website: <http://www.solanocoinclub.com/>

Next Meeting #566, March 26th, 2025

President: David Trimingham

Vice President: Bill Bartz

Secretary: Monica Espinosa

Treasurer: Vacant



Fairfield Coin Show - August 17th, 2025

Vacaville Elks Lodge, Cernon Street

Looking for Promotional Ideas on how to get the work out locally to entice the public to visit our show.

We need volunteers!

Raffle Tickets are on order. Time to promote our Event.



Since there were no volunteers for the Treasurer position, the board has asked Secretary, Monica, to take over the Secretary-Treasurer office.

With a special emergency Board of Director meeting. Monica was appointed to the new position and will be affirmed at our next meeting.

Note: Our club funds are in excellent order, per Scott.



THANK YOU!

Vince C. held a very special fundraiser for our club, at the last meeting. He brought a box of new 2025 rolled pennies (probably last year for the penny). We paid \$5 per roll and raised \$250 for our club. Fabulous Job!



NATIONAL COIN WEEK IS APRIL 20-26

We will celebrate how "POP CULTURE" has influenced our collecting of coins, paper money and other numismatic objects that have been made popular in this day and age.



GOOD NEWS!

Our 501©3 STATUS IS BACK

Our tax-exempt status has been restored by the government. That means that any donations you make to our club are deductible.



Happy March Birthdays to:

Happy Birthday to: Gene B. - March 11th - Lolly & Libby H. - March 12th
David T. - March 20th - Pam M. - March 26th

IN LOVING ♥ *Memory*

Last month, we lost a life member, Elaine Florkowski. Bob, her husband, is also a life member. Our Club members have donated to the American Red Cross in her name. A kind gesture. If you would like to donate, pass your donation on to Bob Florkowski or Monica.



Presentations:



Mike T. shared great ideas on "Enhancing Your Club Auction Experience."

March Presentation by Scott G. will be "How to Build a Resilient Rare Coin and Numismatic Portfolio."

Should be interesting for all of us! We need presentations for April and May. Let Monica know your topic.

SHOW AND TELL

May "Show and Tell" Theme is: St. Patrick. Spring Solstice. Animals

We had 3 "Show and Tell" offerings: Mike T. - 1897 Morgan, Don H. - 2025 Proof set of Women on Quarters, Dan D. - 1856 Proof set.

Welcome our New Members!

Delia B. (Bill's Wife), Ron G. (Dealer), and Aman K. (new collector)

We are happy You joined our Club.



PRESIDENTS MESSAGE:

February 26th, 2025 - President's Message

Well, No Leap Year this year but it was a good end to February as our meetings are always late in the month on the 4th Wednesdays. Once again we had another Grrreat coin club meeting. We had over 20+ members in attendance. We dedicated tonight's meeting to Elaine Florkowski who passed earlier this month. We held a moment of silence and passed around a card and donations were welcome to her favorite charity as she had volunteered for the American Red Cross for 35+ years. Amazing.

We had lots of food and snacks and drinks at tonight's meeting and Thank You's go out to all who brought and donated. The club could use some bottled water in the coming warming up months ahead and maybe a case of your favorite soda to replenish out shrinking supplies. The rest of the meeting went as usual. We had a few Show & tells and that was followed by our speaker Michael Turrini. He gave an excellent talk on the Art of Auctioneering. We are still looking for a Treasurer. Next month is St. Patrick's Day and the SPRING solstice. Bring a Show & Tell with Irish or green in or on it. Erin go Brah! Kiss the Blarney Stone. Eat corned beef and cabbage. Best wishes to all. See you at our next meeting March 26th.

Upcoming Shows & Events

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| <u>March 16th</u> | <u>Vacaville Coin Show</u> |
| <u>March 21st – 22nd</u> | <u>South Bay/Sunnyvale Coin Show</u> |
| <u>April 6th</u> | <u>Marin Coin and Collectibles Show</u> |
| <u>April 11th – 12th</u> | <u>Fresno Coin Show</u> |
| <u>April 13th</u> | <u>Cupertino Coin Show</u> |
| <u>April 17th – 19th</u> | <u>Sacramento Valley Coin Club Show</u> |
| <u>June 6th-7th</u> | <u>East Bay Concord Show</u> |
| <u>August 17th</u> | <u>Our Own – Fairfield Coin Show, Elks Lodge Vacaville</u> |
| <u>September 28th</u> | <u>Joint Picnic, Highlands Ranch Vallejo</u> |
| <u>December 13th</u> | <u>Holiday Party</u> |

Our February meeting had 25 in attendance, with Barry B's son in law as a guest, and a youth guest with him.

Our last meeting was a Food Extravaganza... so many yummy treats...

Thanks to: Monica E., Barry B., Mike K., David T, Mike T, Lloyd C.

We had another successful auction.

Members got some great loot.

