

# RCCC MEETING MINUTES - FEBRUARY 2022

## SUMMARY:

Meeting conducted by President Mark Gusack.

Location: HSOC Social Hall - Huntington, WV.

Date: 2/14/2022

Attendance: 14 (unofficial - where's the sign-in sheet?)

## PREVIOUS BUSINESS:

1. Minutes of January meeting approved unanimously.
2. Our website (RCCC.club) is up and running. Mark & Daniel are keeping the troughs filled and the holes patched.

January RCCC Milton show:

Conducted on 1/15/22.

15 dealers at 28 tables.

76 postcards and filled-out index cards indicated official attendance. Seems about right and is a little below typical.

Dealers reported generally that sales ranged from very good to disappointing.

Seems that patrons wanting to sell material was above normal.

## CURRENT BUSINESS:

1. Membership approved idea to make May our annual Bourse Auction. All who wish to sell coins can; the club will do our best to accommodate and support all who wish to sell. Greg has the needed info and will present at March meeting.
2. New member Archie Morris donated an intriguing “Green River Whiskey” token to RCCC. Some research indicates what Archie related from memory: Issued as good luck tokens in the mid 1930’s by Oldetyme Distillers of NYC, this specimen grades about AU, has a thick milk chocolate patina and is a bit porous. I’d love to restore it but won’t - just can’t wash away all its secret stories.
3. Volunteers for Registration Desk Milton show: Saturday April 16: 9a - Noon; Noon - 3p.

## DEPARTMENTS:

- Histerical Hystorian Ish Stephens: Presentation on review of presidencies of William McKinley and Theodore Roosevelt.
  - Skill Quiz Gremlin Mencotti finally got caught up, issuing kudos to:
    - Nov 21: Paul Myers & Larry Ray
    - Jan 22: Paul Myers, Larry Ray, Howard Rogers.
  - Paul’s Pandemonium: VP Paul Myers: Chuck Johnson was the lucky winnahhh of the attendance guessing game.
  - Auctioneer of the Year 2021 Mencotti conducted the February auction consisting of 43 Lots. 29 sold for a record \$1,143 total. Included in this was a winning bid of \$175 for a beautiful and scarce 1854-O Half Dime (ANACS AU55). This single-coin winning bid also set that RCCC record. Also included in the \$1,143 total were three Lots generously donated by members whose bids tallied \$25 (100% to club treasury).
  - March auction listing was emailed 3/6/21.
  - Available hard copy at March meeting: Slight revision to “RCCC: AUCTION GUIDELINES”. Significant upd to point #22, concerning WV sales tax.

FOR NOTE OR DISCUSSION - MARCH MEETING:

1. See Mark's agenda.

2. Secretary Greg Mencotti:

a) If you're not getting auction listings, be sure I have your current email address.

b) With demise of MSNS, officers and dealers may want RCCC shirts. Paul relates that visit to our supplier on the far west side is required to assure proper fit.

c) Annual Dues due! Dealers - \$24; Collectors \$12. Please pay Jake at March meeting.

d) Milton show logistics: Nasty hangout area: Registration needs to be staffed reliably. Al Cooper has done a fantastic job for years, but his and his wife's failing health leave us with potential void. Greg will lead discussion.

3. AUCTION DEPT.: Greg is hereby proposing that every May meeting's auction time be devoted to "Every Member Sale", in which all members lay out coins for sale and all members shop the floor (just like a coin show). Motion passed vote. Greg will explain details at March meeting.

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