

**Huron Valley Numismatic Society (HVNS)**  
General Meeting  
at the Highland Adult Activity Center  
209 John St. in Highland, MI  
05/14/2014 at 7:00 PM

MINUTES

Chair Jim M. called the meeting to order.

I. Education and Membership

A. Guenter L. reported that:

1. HVNS has the use of two display cases for the month June at the Highland Township Public Library. He would like to have a series of displays during that time and asked members who are interested in helping to contact him at [gloepertz@comcast.net](mailto:gloepertz@comcast.net) .
2. HVNS will have an informational table at the Highland Founders Day Festival Crafts Fair at the Adult Activity Center and asked members interested in working at the table to contact him. (For more, see <http://www.hometownlife.com/article/20140514/NEWS11/305140021/Highland-set-celebrate-Founders-Day> .

B. Al R. reported that our club had a National Coin week display at the Milford Library in April, and Historian Mark, J. has photos.

C. Jim M. reported that he and Guenter L. will be coordinating a Boy Scout Coin Collecting Merit Badge seminar at the Michigan State Numismatic Society (MSNS) Fall Convention and Coin Show in August. (For more, see <http://www.michigancoinclub.org/> .)

D. Glen R. reported that 38 members have paid their 2014 dues.

## II. Treasurer's Report

Glen R. reported:

- A. HVNS has paid MSNS \$300 to sponsor a first place exhibit award at their Fall Convention and Coin Show in August.
- B. There is \$6,157.02 in the HVNS bank account.

## III. Coin Shows

- A. Mike B. reported that all the tables were sold and the Spring Coin Show and HVNS made \$299.85 after all bills were paid. He thanked all who helped, and noted the Fall HVNS Coin Show will be on Saturday October 25/2014.
- B. Jim M. reminded members that HVNS is co-hosting a coin show with the Polish American Numismatic Society on Sunday August 24, 2014 at the American Polish Cultural Center in Troy, MI and circulated a sign-up sheet for members who will help.

## IV. Auction

Mike B. called the auction.

## V. Program

- A. The group watched 35 minutes of a video by Robert Campbell entitled "Market Grading vs. Technical Grading" (which is available from the HVNS Library), and Jim M. showed slides of realistic looking cardboard boxes of money carved out of wood by Randall Rosenthal. (For more, see <http://www.viralnova.com/box-of-money/> .)
- B. Al R. noted the June program will be a Numismatic Quiz (with prizes), the July (annual barbeque) program will be "Flying

through the History of HVNS” by Mark J., and the August program will be “Hobo Nickels” by Ralph Winter.

- VI. Attendance Prizes were given out.
- VII. Jim M. adjourned the meeting

Submitted by Al R.