

HURON VALLEY NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

June 12, 2019

Highland Activity Center

409 John Street, Highland, MI 48357

CALL TO ORDER:

The 129th general meeting of the Huron Valley Numismatic Society was called to order at 7:00 PM on Wednesday, June 12, 2019. Our new subject tonight was Bronze vs. Brass. Brass has copper alloy of more than 15% zinc while bronze has less than 15% zinc, making it lighter in color.

ATTENDEES:

17 members were in attendance.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The Secretary's Report from May can be found on line.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Our checking account balance is \$5,602.23. There are 24 members; 17 paid. Family memberships are 11 with 10 paid.

PROGRAM:

The program was "Topical and Thematic Collecting Revisited". Ernie Nagy's presentation was on prison tokens. Reg Nizal spoke on biblical coins, Uni Mabutt's presentation was on M&M elongated coins and Chuck Sharpe spoke about the 1893 Chicago World's Fair.

AUCTION:

The auction mainly consisted of coin books which the Highland Library donated to us. Proceeds went into the club.

NEW BUSINESS:

Our summer picnic is planned for the next club meeting, July 10 beginning at 6:00 PM. Members can come earlier to help put chairs and tables in place. Karen Nizol gave each of us the information to go on line for the picnic. Google: perfectpotluch.com, Coordinator Last Name: **N.** (don't forget the dot) and the password is Money.

BOARD MEETING:

Ernie shared the board meeting information.

- We are running pretty close to budget
- Two coin shows left this year – HVNS and PANS to bring in money
- Alumni Night in September. Invitations being sent out; Bill Anderson will be the speaker. Our 10th anniversary will be celebrated.
- Attendance award will be \$40 a meeting
- Members bourse will be in October
- Boy Scout Merit Badge event will be in the fall
- Pictures, badges, shirts, grading books should be inventories/updated

OLD BUSINESS:

A new grill will be purchased before our July meeting.

AROUND THE ROOM:

Reminder about the August 25th PANS show which we cosponsor.

ADJOURN:

Meeting was adjourned at 8:50 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Darlene Sharpe
Secretary, Huron Valley Numismatic Society