

CALENDAR FOR 2018-19

Dec 26Holiday gathering and elections **at the Mechanics' Institute**
Jan 23.....Speaker & Topic TBA* **at the Mechanics' Institute**
Feb 27Speaker & Topic TBA* **at Fort Mason Center**
Mar 27Speaker & Topic TBA* **at Fort Mason Center**
Apr 24Speaker & Topic TBA* **at Fort Mason Center**
May 22.....Speaker & Topic TBA* **at Fort Mason Center**

* See "Speak Up!" below

SPEAK UP!

A quick look at the Calendar above reveals that there is ample opportunity for you to make a presentation in the coming months. Your presentation can even be something about which you have submitted or plan to submit a Paper. Email webmaster@pcns.org to sign up.

MEETING LOCATION AND TIME CHANGES

Due to scheduled construction at Fort Mason Center, PCNS meetings for December 2018 and January 2019 will take place at the Mechanics' Institute in downtown San Francisco. Meetings at the Mechanics Institute will start at 7:15pm.

2018 PCNS BOARD OF GOVERNORS

PresidentDaniel Hipple
Vice PresidentJason Macario
SecretaryBob Somers
TreasurerStephen Huston
GovernorsHerb Miles, Ed Treuting
Past PresidentWilliam Hyder

Meetings of the Board of Governors normally take place 30 minutes before the membership meeting in the same location.

CONTACTING AND PAYING PCNS

Email messages to PCNSwebmaster@pcns.org
PayPal address for PCNSmoney@pcns.org

PCNS WEBSITE

Visit www.pcns.org to read our *Papers*, get the latest Bulletin, or to check our meeting schedule.

Use a QR scanner/reader to open pcns.org via this code.



1232nd Monthly Meeting of the

PACIFIC COAST NUMISMATIC SOCIETY



Holiday Gathering General Business Meeting

Wednesday, December 26, 2018, 7:15 PM
Mechanics' Institute Board Room
57 Post Street, 4th Floor, San Francisco

PCNS + PO BOX 475656 + SAN FRANCISCO CA 94147

2018, WE HARDLY KNEW YE

December is the month our annual business meeting and holiday party. Join us on Boxing Day, Wednesday December 26, for the election of Governors for 2019, followed by good company and good cheer. The event is a potluck, so bring something tasty to share.



The December meeting is also an excellent opportunity to pay your dues for 2019. Dues are \$20 for the year. So bring a check or cash to the meeting and start the new year in good standing.

Remember: This meeting is at the Mechanics' Institute and begins at 7:15pm.



NOVEMBER MEETING RECAP

The theme of the general meeting was PCNS Memorabilia with Jerry and Michael bringing large impressive collections. Jerry showed a collection of token, medals and related material from PCNS, CSNA, ANA and TAMS. Michael brought in a complete collection of PCNS medals including several that are considered unique. Michael also had a 2002 article on PCNS tokens and medals known at that time.

Other members brought additional PCNS ephemera. Stephen brought retired PCNS Fellow & Honorary Member cards, as well as both versions of his 1000th meeting tokens (which he distributed to those attending), and three PCNS publications unique in their form of printing. Mark brought 1000th meeting tokens of esteem for Ron Johnson.

It was a great opportunity for new members to see the rich medallic history of PCNS and related organizations.



ADDITIONAL NOVEMBER MEMBER EXHIBITS

A few members brought items that fell outside the theme of PCNS memorabilia.

Mark: A booklet in recognition of B. Max Mehl, two unlisted California tokens and a 1915 Charlie Chaplin token from Niles CA.

Chris: Photos of a 2015 visit to the Smithsonian Archives and a 2018 visit to Stacks in New York City in which he was able to view and hold historic coins and medals.

Charlie: Photo of the ANS cabinet containing material from the now defunct Medallic Arts Company.

NOVEMBER DRAWING

Chris: PCNS draft publications exhibited by Stephen, a copy of the 2007-2008 PCNS Papers, and a 1955 Washington quarter.

Jerry: 1965 Special Mint Set.

Ed: 1975 First Day Cover and medal, and a 1956 Franklin half dollar.

Bob: A bag of tokens, medals, and world coins.

Charlie: *Coins of America* book.

STEP UP!

As the year comes to an end, it's time to elect officers for 2019. We're always looking for fresh faces to get involved in the leadership of PCNS. Note that "fresh faces" can include well-rested veterans as well as well as relative newcomers.

The nominating committee has proposed the following slate for the coming year. There are two open governor positions, so feel free to nominate yourself.

President.....Daniel Hipple
Vice President.....Jason Macario
Secretary.....Bob Somers
Treasurer.....Stephen Huston
Governor.....Ed Treuting

William Hyder continues as a member of the Board of Governors in his position of Immediate Past President.

NEW MEMBER APPLICATION

- **Chris Rivers** of San Francisco, CA

Per PCNS Bylaws, Mr. Rivers will become an Active Member at the December 26 meeting.