



Palm Beach Coin News

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November 2021 Events

November 7

Gold Coast Coin, Stamp & Collectible Show

November 10

PBCC Meeting: Doors open at 5:00PM

Meeting Begins at 7:00PM

★ *Nomination of Club Officers and Board* ★

November 14

Melbourne Coin - Stamp & Collectible Show

Azan Shrine Center, 1591 W Eau Gallie Blvd, Melbourne

November 21

Ft. Lauderdale Coin and Stamp Show

Volunteer Park Community Center, Plantation

November 24

PBCC Meeting: Doors open at 5:00PM

Meeting begins at 7:00PM

★ *Election of Club Officers and Board* ★

November 28

PBCC Coin Show

American Polish Club, 4725 Lake Worth Rd., Greenacres

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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Presidents Message

It's time to reserve your seat on our bus trip to the *FUN Show* Friday, January 7, 2022.

The bus leaves from Iglesia Familiar Church, 855 Jog Rd, at the NW corner of Jog Rd & Summit Blvd at 7AM sharp. It's a \$30 deposit per club member and you get \$15 back when you get on the bus. See Tony or mail your check to PBCC, P.O. Box 5823, Lake Worth, FL 33466. Deadline is the December 26th coin show, but please make an effort to get your money in November.

The October 13th Estate Auction went well with sales totaling \$8888. The club received \$444. The October 16th club picnic had 48 members attend. It was fully catered, the weather was great, and everyone had a good time.

The new 2022 club calendars are in. Every month, the meetings and coin shows are marked in red ink. The calendar is still only \$1. See Tony.

Wednesday, November 10th is nomination of club Officers and Board. November 24th is the club election. Gregg Wagner will be speaking on "*Classic Head & Braided Hair Half Cents*" on the 10th.

Carole Marshall is checking into our club having a table at the *Gem & Mineral Show*, Saturday and Sunday, November 20th and 21st at the WPB Expo Center at the fairgrounds.

We will have two regular meetings in December. Wednesday, December 8th & 22nd. No party due to covid-19 precautions. The monthly coin show is Sunday, December 26th.

Loose Change

Carole Marshall

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We had our picnic last Saturday. As always, too much food. We had some new members come this year. I hope you all had time to say hello. A friendly club is a good club. We are still missing some of the old members who usually come. Jim and Linda and Sol, we missed you. The winners of the commemorative silver dollars were Larry Siehl, Henry Torres and Natalie Larson.

Photos will be posted to our club webpage:

pbcc.anaclubs.org

Just a note on our club scholarship to ANA. You have a better chance of winning if you also do something to further the club. Help pack up after the club show, write articles for the newsletter, help at the club auctions by being a runner. If you are detail oriented you might want to help keep track of the auction bids. There are a lot of little things to help your club. Then, when you do write your letter of why you deserve a scholarship, it will be better received. Sid Talavera is going in 2022 but you can write an essay for 2023 due in December 2022.

One thing I forgot to mention is that Sandy Pearl designed the logo for the 2021 FUN pin. Congratulations Sandy.

One other thing, if you want a name badge for the FUN show in January, please order yours before the December meeting. They are \$6.50 each.

I hope our members who contracted COVID are recovering. Get well soon, we miss you.

Denny's Minutia's Coins Laminations

by Denny Thostenson

A lamination on a coin is a mint error that covers a broad spectrum of errors.

For the most part, a lamination is caused by metallic alloys being added to the base molten

metal during the first stage of the minting process that involves producing a blank planchet.

How many of us have just had a taste for chocolate milk? If that's not something you usually buy at the store, you might reach into your refrigerator and pull out a container of cold milk, then if your lucky you will also pull out a container of Hershey's chocolate syrup. You pour several tablespoons of syrup into the milk and stir it up. Because the milk and syrup are both cold, the syrup will not go into solution easily.

This is one of the most common reasons for laminations. At the initial process of adding the alloy metals to the base metals, a complete or homogeneous mixture is not easily obtained. During this process other contaminants also may fall into the molten vat. For the most part, this does not cause problems in the minting process, but on occasion these contaminants cause issues.

This was the case during the production of the 1941-1954 war nickels. Laminations on war nickels are fairly common and in some cases, pretty dramatic. Because laminations are fairly common in our coinage, error collectors delight in picking these errors up frequently and inexpensively.



Jefferson Nickel Obverse Lamination



1943-P Jefferson Nickel Reverse Lamination



1945 Jefferson Nickel Obverse Lamination



1943-P Jefferson Nickel Reverse Lamination

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