



Worcester County Numismatic Society

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**October
2025**
**WCNS
Monthly
Newsletter**

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Next Meeting: Friday, October 10

Hadwen Park Congregational Church
6 Clover Street, Worcester MA

Doors open at 6:00 PM

Meeting: 7:15 PM

YN meeting: 6:15 PM

Educational Program:

"The Buffalo Nickel"

by Jim Turner

YN program:

"Project 1-9-8-2 part 1"

WCNS Leadership

Officers

Co-Presidents: John Frost & Jim Turner

Vice President: Charlie Noonan

Secretary: Maria Matys

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Programs

Speaker Bureau: Bob Moffatt

YN Coordinator: Mark Matys

Newsletter Editor: Maria Matys

Hello everyone,

Once again another month has gone by; it almost feels like no time has passed at all! But somehow we're only a couple of months away from the end of 2025. This month we've got plenty of things to look forward to, including co-president Jim Turner as our speaker giving a presentation on buffalo nickels. Remember, if you have a topic you'd like to present to the club, talk to Bob Moffatt and he can get you set up to speak at one of our upcoming meetings.

Last month, we had a strong start to the new coin club year. Mike Bruni shared the curious creation of the Wisconsin Denver quarter "errors" and showed off examples from his own collection. The YNs presented their penny projects they completed over the summer and they were promoted to CPAs (Certified Penny Apprentices) by the Penny Wizard. And to top it off, a riveting auction closed out the meeting.

Until next time,

Maria

Upcoming Events

- **Oct 15 – Blackstone Valley;**
Uxbridge, MA, 3 PM – 7 PM, VFW Post 1385
- **Oct 19 – Blackstone Valley Annual Fall Show**
Woonsocket, RI, 9 AM – 3 PM, Elks Lodge #850
- **Oct 19 – Nashua Coin Show;**
Hollis NH, 9 AM – 2 PM, Alpine Grove Events Centre
- **Nov 9 – Greater Worcester Coin Show;**
Auburn MA, 9:30 AM – 2:30 PM, Elks Club
- **No Devens Coin Show this month;**
Show resumes on Nov 23
- **Nov 14 – November meeting for WCNS**

Deadline for next issue: November 2nd



WCNS Auction			Auction		
Item description	Owner value	Min bid	Item description	Owner value	Min bid
1. 4 Roosevelt dimes 1960 unc others VF . Included 1953 S All silver	\$ 14*	\$10	25. 1924 D Buffalo Nickel Semi Key Date	\$15	\$10
2. 4 Mercury dimes 1940's All VF	14*	11	26. 1913 Type 1 Buffalo Nickel First Year Coin	-	13
3. 4 Mercury dimes 1940's All VF	14*	11	27. 1864L bronze Indian cent, Good with some marks.	40	25
4. 4 Mercury dimes 1939-1945 All VF	14*	11	28. 1879 Indian cent, Good with some marks.	10	5
5. 4 Roosevelt dimes 1948-1964 VF-AU	14*	10	29. 1883 No-Cents Liberty nickel, AU	18	9
6. 4 Roosevelt dimes 1947-1961. 1946 and 1961 AU	14*	10	30. 1931D Mercury dime, XF	45	12
7. 2 Washington quarters 1943&1946	17.50*	13	31. 1926S Standing Liberty quarter. Key date. VG-Fine	20	12
8. 4 Roosevelt dimes All silver VF/AU	14*	10	32. 1892 Columbian Expo commem half dollar pendant, XF	25	15
9. 4 Roosevelt dimes All silver VF/AU	14*	10	33. 1949P Franklin half dollar, AU	25	15
10. 1940 Washington quarter 3 Roosevelt dimes all silver	17*	13	34. 1934D Peace dollar, XF	60	40
11. About 30 cents. Lincoln cents includes a nice VF 1909 VDB. Also 1915, 1918, 1929 D, 1919S. Coins dated teens, 20's and 50's, 1955 BU and 4 Canadian cents.	-	5	35. 1889-O Morgan silver dollar, VF-XF	50	35
12. 4 Roosevelt dimes All silver VF/AU	14*	10	36. 1920 Wilson dollar, Manila, Philippine Islands. These dollars were dumped in Manila Bay to hide them from Japan. VF, pickled by the salt water.	50	25
13. 4 Roosevelt dimes All silver VF/AU	14*	10	<u>Donation Lots</u>		
14. 4 Roosevelt dimes All silver VF/AU	14*	10	37. Cayman Islands 4 coins dated Cupronickel/bronze 1987-1990 All BU. 1, 5, 10, 25 cents.	-	-
15. 4 Roosevelt dimes All silver VF/AU	14*	10	38. Bolivia 3 coins Dated 1978 Nickel-clad steel All BU. 50 centavos, 1 and 5 pesos. Scarce in BU. Obsolete 1987 reformed coinage.	-	4
16. 4 Roosevelt dimes All silver VF/AU	14*	10	39. Fiji 6 coins Bronze and cupronickel all dated 1982 All BU 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, and 50 cent. Artistic reverses.	-	4
17. 1968 s Proof Half Dollar (Sold For \$10.50 on eBay)/ Nice Coin	10.50	9	25. Ghana 4 coins Nickel clad steel, and Cu/Ni ring and Al/bronze center. All BU and All dated 1991 10, 20, 50, 100 cedis. Obverses drums, cacao, seashell.	-	5
18. Very Nice 1950-D Jefferson Nickel Key Date Rarest Of The Series	-	13	26. Brazil 7 All stainless steel. All BU. All dated 1986. 1, 5, 10, 10, 50 centavos. 1 and 5 cruzados. Obsolete 4 currency reforms 1967-2000	-	-
19. 1868 Shield Nickel	-	4			
20. Baggie Of 13 Liberty Head Nickels	-	13			
21. \$100 Star Note Going For About \$125 on eBay	125	110			
22. Two Pairs Of Consecutive Serial Number \$100 Bills Going For \$579+ on eBay	579+	505			
23. Nice 1905 VF Liberty Head Nickel	-	3			
24. 1926 D Buffalo Nickel Semi Key Date	15	10			

* melt value