

# April 2025 YN eLetter

Good Day!

Welcome to our Worcester County Numismatic Society (WCNS) Young Numismatists (YN) April 2025 E-Letter. We will have our next meeting ~ 6:30 p.m. on **April 11, 2025**. Last meeting 3 adults, 4 YNs and 0 YN Alums were in attendance. As always, let me know if you are going or not ([gluemark@gmail.com](mailto:gluemark@gmail.com)), so we can start on time or wait if anyone (including me) is running a few minutes late!

## April's Meeting "The ABCs of Numismatics"<sup>ABC</sup>:

At our April meeting, we will figure out the ABCs of New England Rock & Roll. Of course, the "A" belongs to Aerosmith! And "B" belongs to...wait, wrong ABCs\*. We will be amazed by "the ABCs of Numismatics". Any guesses on the A, B or C? (\*to find out more of the New England Rock & Roll, join me for any car ride or email me for more!).

## Last Meeting "Lowering the Barr & Magician":

In March, WCNS members and guests were amazed by special guest and spectacular magician 🧙Steve Charette. Our topic in March was "Lowering the Barr". We smelled the results from our February meeting that used an official "Smell-🐝-Gone!" product. Each YN had been given a unique U.S. one dollar bank note that smelled! They each wrote down the serial number and placed it in the official "Smell-🐝-Gone!" product. The infomercial video was recently uploaded on the YN page at [www.WORCESTERCOINCLUB.org](http://www.WORCESTERCOINCLUB.org). The video is still available for your enjoyment! After removing the notes from the Smell-🐝-Gone product, the smell was gone! And, all the bills were \$1 1963 B Series Barr notes - collectible because Mr. Barr was in office for only 28 days!



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## One more emoji that smells: 🌸

## Numismatic News of Interest (NNI) - Chance to Win! National Coin Week - ANA:

Did you know National Coin Week is in April? This year it is celebrated from April 20 through April 26, 2025. The event is sponsored by ANA - American Numismatic Association! This year's topic is "Iconic Change: Pop Culture & Coins Unite!". Check out the ANA's website for more information [National Coin Week : American Numismatic Association](https://www.ana.org/national-coin-week) and participate in the Challenge Coin Contest for a chance to win a prize! [National Coin Week](https://www.ana.org/national-coin-week)

[Challenge Coin Contest : American Numismatic Association](#) (Contest: Guess the Engravers. If you are "Seeing Red", you might remember that the Red Book should be useful!)

### Website relating to coins, bills, numismatics, etc.:

This month's links relating to numismatics is a YouTube video about our topic: I could not find a singular resource for this month's topic, but have two links that will be helpful. The first is from J.M. Bullion: [Art Bars - What is a Silver, Gold, or Copper Bullion Art Bar?](#) And from APMEX [Buy Silver Bullion Online | APMEX®](#) (Note: you can search both locations for a variety of bullion products. Hmmm? I wonder 😊 what the "B" can be - 🐝 - no, not you!)

### Show & Tell March:

**Christian** 😊: Brought in a chrome plated 1957 d Wheat cent possibly a former encased coin!

**Bob (Alex)** 😊: Brought in a collection of uncirculated coins from the Kingdom of Norway!

**Doug (William)** ☐: Brought in a collection of 2014 dated coins from their year of birth!

Show and Tell: Bring in any numismatic **coin, token, or currency!** This is the time to shine & show us what you got. Remember for Show and Tell, try to bring in ONE coin, set, or currency you would like to share with the club. It is O.K. if you do not have anything, want to show the same thing over and over, or just plain old forget.

### MEMBERSHIP:

WCNS membership 🐾 normally runs from Jan-Dec. WCNS supports the YN program and is the main reason we receive most of the cool numismatic goodies (coins, tokens, notes, prizes). Remember, if you are a member in good standings, you will receive the goodies 🍷!

### Wrap-Up

Always remember to bring your "**Short Snorter**" 🐷 to our meetings. You'll never know when you will be asked to present your Short Snorters to receive a prize. What? You don't know what a Short Snorter is? Show up to a meeting to find out!

### Potential Topics:

April: The ABCs of Numismatics

May: Short Snorter - revisited?

June: Summer Adventure

Do you have any interests for upcoming meetings? Let me know.

We are currently meeting at **Hadwen Park Congregational Church, 6 Clover Street, Worcester MA**. Take a look at the WCNS website at <http://worcestercoinclub.org/> for directions, pictures and links to our previous e-letters.

As always, you can contact me by email: [gluemark@gmail.com](mailto:gluemark@gmail.com) to discuss coins, notes or other ideas!

- Mark.