

# December 2025 YN eLetter

Merry Christmas!

Welcome to our Worcester County Numismatic Society (WCNS) Young Numismatists (YN) December  2025 E-Letter. We will have our next meeting ~ 6:30 p.m. on **December 12, 2025**. Last meeting, 6 adults, 6 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!

## December's Meeting: FUN with COINS!

 It's the Most Wonderful Time of the Year!  - Luckily, you can't hear me sing! Our topic for December will be **FUN with COINS!** We will explore the fun and games we can have playing with coins! And, if you are wondering, we will complete Project 1-9-8-2 part 3 in January!

Don't forget to keep looking for additional 1982 cents! Even though there is a cent shortage, I've received separately in change a "red shiny" small & large date 1982 P cent! Hopefully, we can fill our sets with shiny red cents!

## **PASTA FEST '25**

WCNS will be celebrating with our  Christmas  Party  Pasta  Fest '25 featuring Chef John!  Please review the club newsletter on the club's website for more details. [Every family is requested to bring in a side dish /or dessert](#). [Worcester County Numismatic Society](#)

## Last Meeting:

At our November meeting, our topic was [Project 1-9-8-2 \(Part 2\)](#). We used the scales  we made in October's meeting to determine which cents were made with copper and which cents were made with zinc! I am happy everyone found the 7 different varieties of the 1982 cent from the Philadelphia and Denver mints! We will finish Project 1-9-8-2 in our January meeting.

Below is an awesome project from our Summer Adventure:



Great Job!!!! 🙌

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

This month's link relating to numismatics is beneficial to **Project 1.9.8.2.: "The Lincoln Cent Resource"!** : [1982 P & D Large and Small Dates](#) This site is the greatest resource I found for the Lincoln Cent and varieties! Tell me if you checked out the site! I'm interested in what you think!

#### Show & Tell December:

Christian 😊: brought in a 1986 Canadian \$5 bill - super cool and non-polymer! CA

Joseph 🎵: brought in a moment of silence for the striking of the last circulated U.S. Cent! It was so quiet you could hear a penny drop! 🎵

Calvin 🎯: brought in a 1924-2024 Airplane commemorative Canadian \$2 colorized coin; ✈

Clara 🎯: brought in a small face 1990 Series \$100 bill. However, she wasn't willing to spend it on wings and pizza. 🎯

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.

### **I found May's Show & Tell!!:**

#### **Show & Tell May 2025:**

Calvin ☺: brought in a 2000 P Massachusetts colorized quarter & a 2008 Hawaiian quarter with an Obama Sticker;

Christian ☺: brought in a Red Sox Silver round & a 1937S Washington quarter!



Grinch emoji:

#### **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:**

December 12: Fun with Coins

January 9: Project 1-9-8-2 Part 3

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 [WorcesterCountyNumismaticSociety](http://WorcesterCountyNumismaticSociety) 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.