Young Numismatist's News Letter

Albuquerque Coin Club

August 2026 News Letter

The next YN meeting will be on September 28, 2026. On the last monday of the month. It will be at the UNM Continuing Education Building on University Street, from 6:00 PM to 6:45 PM. Same day and place as the monthly Albuquerque Coin Club meeting. At the September meeting there will be a foreign coin hunt. Each person attending will be able to hunt for coins and keep them for their collection. There will also be a trivia contest with prizes. Don't forget about the show and tell session. So bring in a coin or bill from your collection and tell us about it. Better yet bring a friend! If this is your first meeting or if you missed a meeting don't worry we will catch you up and get you started on whatever projects you missed. We will also be giving out coin supplies and other coin items to help you store your coins.

LAST MONTHS MEETINGS RECAP

In August we had six Young Numismatist come to the meeting. There was very spirited 1960's Lincoln cent coin hunt. The attending YN's hunted for 1960's P,D,S mints cents trying to complete a set of 1960 to 1969 Lincoln cents. They also received a United States Proof Set. Show and tell was done as well. Some coin books and coins supplies were also given out. Plus a sheet of twenty foreign coins with trivia questions about them.





The hunt goes on! Young Numismatist hunting for coins.



Upcoming Club Events

2026 Membership Meeting Dates at UNM Continuing Education Center. Dates: 09/28, 10/26, 11/30. Remember there's no regular meeting in December.

Fall Coin Show: November 13-15, 2026, Marriott Pyramid Hotel

Holiday Dinner: December 7, 2026 Santa Ana Star Hotel - Casino



TO BE A VOLUNTEER

WE ARE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS

Earn Some Club Bucks by volunteering to work at the Fall Coin Show in November. Shifts are two hours long. Available shifts are 10:00-12:00, 12:00-2:00, and 2:00-4:00. You can work one, two, or all three shifts. What will you be doing? Whatever job you choose. Greeting people at the show, help run, and sell supplies at the Young Numismatists Supply Sales booth, helping club members and coin dealers. It's a great way to meet other coin collectors and coin dealers. Just let Peter know at one of our meetings or text me at 505-610-5707. Remember to get your parents permission first!

Show and Tell

Don't forget to bring something like a coin or paper money and tell us about it at the next meeting. A coin you found, bought, or were given to you by someone. One that has a special meaning to you. A coin with a story behind it. It does not have to be like a book report, just a simple story about what you brought. As a bonus those who do get something for their effort.

Let's have a contest!

Win a prize by writing a short story about why you collect coins or paper money. You could even write an article about a certain type of coin or coins. Or anything about coins or paper money. You can even include a photo or two. We look forward to hearing from you. You can send your articles to me Peter at hamer@hammers-africaners.com , or text me at 505-610-5707 or bring them to a meeting and we will put it in a future news letter.

Did you know?

That you can volunteer at parks and receive numismatic prizes! In honor of the semiquincentennial this year, the ANA is inviting K-12 students to celebrate history by doing hands on service by joining Project America. You can get more information about he program at MONEY,ORG/AMERICA250-PROJECT.



Proud new owners of a United States proof set.

What's this that came with my newsletter?

About American Buffalo Coins

American Buffalo Coins are collector versions of the official U.S. Mint American Buffalo Gold Bullion Coins.

They were designed by James Earle Fraser, a student of the legendary sculptor Augustus Saint-Gaudens. The American Buffalo Gold Coin's obverse and reverse designs feature images originally created for America's five cent coin originally introduced in 1913. That popular coin, known as the "Indian Head" or "Buffalo Nickel," showcases the native beauty of the American West.

The one you have received is not gold but a replica.
The buffalo nickel you received is a real coin.





See you at the next meeting! Bring your brother, your sister and your friends. Bring a whole car full! If you want you can even bring a whole bus full!

Remember you don't have to be a club member to participate! We welcome everyone! In the mean time, Happy Hunting!



And don't forget to bring something for show and tell!