

RNA news letter for January 96

December 14th, 1996 1771st meeting of the RNA

OFFICERS REPORTS :

TREASURER : Checking account : \$2398.27
Savings account : \$1180.51
CD 1 year : \$4500.00

After a long discussion in the recent board meeting on December 14th 1996 at 7:30 PM it was decided that the amount of 4500.00 dollars would be reinvested in a CD account for a one year term. The remaining amount left from the former CD account would be transferred to the checking account to help with payment of the clubs bills. This change is reflected in the new total for the checking account.

MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN : No current applications at this time and no membership readings at this time. At the recent board meeting it was discussed about the possibility of trying to recruit new members through the now disbanded Kodak coin club. A meeting is scheduled in the spring by the Kodak coin club in order for them to discuss their future. As of this time it seems that the problem that the Kodak club is having is a lack of interest in order to keep them viable. By possibly being able to recruit those members who are still interested in coin collecting we may be able to increase our membership and therefore allow for increased growth of the RNA.

LIBRARIAN : No current report at this time.

CURATOR: The curator would like to appeal to the membership that there is a need for a new locking cabinet for the clubs possessions. If any members know where to obtain a cabinet or would like to donate a cabinet please contact the vice president.

OLD BUSINESS :

RESULTS OF THE BOARD MEETING : The following officers and board members were present : Douglas Musinger president, Ira Stein treasurer, Frank VanZandt librarian, John Zabel curator, Darlene Corio secretary, Tim Corio membership chairman, Paul Bernstein vice president, Jason Childers board member, Ursula Loose board member, Jerry muhl board member, William Coe board member , Dave Foster board member. The following topics were discussed at the December 14th board meeting which took place at 7:30 PM before the scheduled club meeting :

The State of the Bank Accounts for the Club : it was decided to reinvest \$4500.00 in a new CD for a one year term. See the treasurers report for more information.

Membership Initiatives : How to attract new members ? The possibility of attracting interested members from the now disbanded Kodak coin club. Ways of doing this have not yet been determined and more discussion will have to be done.

Computer Web Pages : It has come to the attention of the RNA that the ANA has provided space on their server for member clubs. We need to provide the ANA with a formatted HTML file (Web Page) and they will put it on their site. The club would be able to put our news letter and images on the site this service is free and the ANA is willing to update our information monthly if we want them too. There are only two clubs so far taking advantage of this service of the ANA and they are the following :

The Montgomery county coin club
Central states numismatic society.

Currently Timothy Corio membership Chairman and Jason Childers club board member are working on getting a Web page together for discussion at a later board meeting and possible approval. This effort will help to bring our club into the 20th century and take it long into the 21st.

Library Security: The librarian is currently reviewing this years and last years book lists to see if all books are still currently in the clubs possession. It has become a concern of the librarian that some books have been missing from the clubs collection and that the missing books are some of the most valuable books held by the club. If there are any members who are not returning books in a timely manner it is asked that they do so immediately. A reminder for club members that the time allowed for taking out a book is two meetings. All books must be signed out and dated on the cards placed

in the pockets of all the books. If an extension is needed for a borrowed book the member seeking the extension must discuss the matter with the librarian who will issue another two meeting extension provided no other members wish to take the book out at the time of the request. If it is determined that the club is missing any books or that books are not being signed out properly it may become necessary to keep the library locked and any members wanting to take out books would have to be escorted to the library and any books borrowed at that time would be signed out before that member is allowed to remove the book from the library. This matter will be under further discussion at the next board meeting.

RNA Presidents Dinner : The annual dinner will be held at the Green Lantern Inn in Fairport. The date is May 9th 1997. Members are asked to mark their calendars.

UP COMING MEETINGS AND PROGRAMS :

14th of January 1997 Speaker : Paul Bernstein : Italian Unification in coins.
28th of January 1997 Speaker : Scott Annechino Colonial American coins
11th of February 1997 Speaker : Dan White TBA
25th of February 1997 Speaker : John Zabel TBA

Those members interested in speaking at a meeting please see Paul Bernstein for available dates.

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