

HIDALGO COIN CLUB MINUTES

June 13,2016

The Hidalgo Coin Club meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by club President, Raul Gonzalez followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. The general membership count was 105 members with 37 members attending with 2 visitors. Eight (8) door prizes were given out.

The President's report was given by Raul Gonzalez President He thanked everyone for their volunteer efforts of our 1st annual Spring show and discussed the show expenses report. The turnout was low but the dealer said the guests who showed up were buyer and that they had a good show overall. He reported that Christian Merlot from ANACS state it was his best show so far. He also noted that Larry Warner's exhibit was well received and enjoyed by all. He thanked the membership for supporting the members of the Youth Coin Club who sold original homemade objects using coins at this show. Some of the art works sold were Crosses, hot plates, coasters, key chains, jewelry, paper weights, games and much more. Please visit their tables and support their efforts. He asked member who were not receiving emails to please visit with him. He thanked Brent Garza for the text blast and Rene De La Garza for the newspaper articles.

Douglas Jenkins continued with the Vice Presidents report, he reported that the youth group will meet at the Lark Center on the 2nd & 4th Saturdays between 2:00p-5:00p.m. Donations are needed for both clubs in the way of red books/2006 till now, foreign coins, folders, album, magazines, etc for collectors.

The secretary's report maybe view at hidalgocoinclub.com

Gordon Taylor gave the treasurer's report.

Historian report: plan for record/photos/video keeping etc

Show Chairman's report: Rene De La Garza gave a report on the Spring Show and reminded everyone that the Fall show is slated for Nov 5 and 6th.

Old Business: The Membership discussed the viability of continuing to have a Spring show. The membership review the numbers and time and effort involved. James Dunn motioned to continue the show and Mike Hecht seconded a vote was taken by the membership and the motion carried.

Raul Gonzalez thanked Ski and Kay Kurczewski for donating their time and effort to represent the club and south Texas at the TNA and for donating their check to the club

New Business: "Open Call" for new exhibitor for the Fall and Winter shows

Open Discussion: Perfect Attendance Award eligibility -16 possible members as of June 2016

The meeting continued with the coin auction with over 80 lots being auctioned off. The auctioneer for the night was James Dunn with Brent Garza and Rene De La Garza serving as the money runners. The meeting was adjourned at 9:15 p.m. by President Raul Gonzalez.

Next Meeting July 11, 2016
Next council meeting July 7, 2016
Submitted by Secretary Rene De La Garza