

HIDALGO COIN CLUB MINUTES
June 8, 2015

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 112 with 42 members attending with 2 visitors. Eight (8) door prizes were given out.

President Raul Gonzalez announced that the gold coins drawing tickets for our fall show are in and available for purchase. The price is 2 dollars per ticket or 40 dollars for a book of twenty tickets. He reminded the membership that Hidalgo Coin Club members are able to purchase a book of tickets for 35 dollars, for a savings of 5 dollars per book. The prizes are as follows 1. 1/10 oz. Gold Am. Eagle , 2. Mexican Cinco (\$5) Pesos 3. 1/4 oz. Gold Am. Eagle and the Grand Prize is a 1927 \$20 Gold Double Eagle St. Gaudens. He reported the club has an opportunity to move the Winter Coin Show up a week to Jan 30 & 31st and get the show changed from Super Bowl weekend. The change was approved by the membership. He also discussed the Friday night show (June 12th) and reported that due to the church using the north end of the music room for a rummage sale we were going to have to cut the show down to 10 dealers. He thanked Brent Garza for the text blast and Rene De La Garza for the newspaper articles.

Vice-President Douglas Jenkins reported that the youth group will meet at the Lark Center on the 2nd & 4th Saturdays between 2:00p-5:00p.m. The next meeting is June 13, 2015. 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 reports may be viewed online at www.hidalgocoinclub.com.

The treasurer's report of last month's balance was \$5,294.02 after expenses; deposit was made of \$450.00 for new memberships, Friday night table and meeting auctions. Payments were made for \$225.00 for raffle tickets.

Current Balance of \$5,519.02

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

Show Chairman's report: Rene De La Garza reported that 9 dealers have paid for the Fall show He also reminded dealers to reserve their spot for the Fall show as it is on a first come first serve basis and that no table would be saved.

Old Business: None

New Business: Nomad Shrine Hall has added an "Event Insurance" surcharge of 132.00 for the weekend for our fall show. He informed the membership that the council has determined that the club was in good fiscal shape and could absorb the cost and not pass the fee on to the dealers. The church has informed the club that they will not be replacing our T.V. and a P.A. system worth 550.00 dollars that were stolen. The membership approved the purchase of a new projector and screen.

Open Discussion: None

The meeting continued with the coin auction with over 70 lots being auctioned off. The auctioneer for the night was Raul Gonzalez with Brent Garza and Rene De La Garza serving as the money runners. The meeting was adjourned at 9:15 p.m. by the president, Raul Gonzalez.

Next Meeting July 13

Next council meeting July 9th

Submitted by Secretary Rene De La Garza