

HIDALGO COIN CLUB MINUTES

March 14, 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 98 members with 45 members attending with 2 visitors. Seven (7) door prizes were given out.

The President's report was given by Raul Gonzalez President

He reminded everyone that memberships expired on December 31, 2015 and that if you had not renewed your membership you would be removed from our membership roll.

He reminded everyone that they could renew their membership by visiting with Rene De La Garza. The membership dues are 20.00 per year.

He reminded everyone that this was the last chance for any HCC Member to order HCC Club Shirts will be this Friday Night at the show. Shirts will be available to be picked up at the April Monthly Meeting. There are 2 colors - Teal Green or Khaki. Prices are - \$27 for Sm. to XL \$29 for 2XL , and \$31 for 3XL. He announced the *New* Gold Coin Raffle Ticket Sales Have Begun! Tickets are \$2 each and are sold in a book of 10 for \$20. If you are a paid member of the HCC, you may buy 20 for \$35 instead of \$40 or you can buy 40 tickets for \$70 instead of \$80.....This is the 'Member Special" The following gold coins are in hand and will be raffled during the 1st Annual 'Spring' Coin & Collectibles Show (May 14, 2016) : 6 Coins - 6 Winners!! (all donated by Robert Farrow of East Texas)There will be-> **5** - 1/10 oz. Gold American Eagles and a GRAND PRIZE of a 1996-W \$25 American Gold Eagle - Graded 'Proof' 69 - Deep Cameo by PCGS. He announced that the Youth club was working on art projects for the Spring Show using demonetized coins from Mexico. 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 and Sam Rodio reported on the Spring Show, Friday Night Shows and the gold coin raffles

Old Business:

New Business: Spring

Open Discussion:

Pizza Party Break: It was 'Pizza Night' All HCC members enjoyed 2 kinds of pizza and bottled water. This is the 3rd year in a row our club 'gives back' to its members for the great job they do in volunteering for shows and meetings.

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 April 11, 2016

Next council meeting April 7, 2016

Submitted by Secretary Rene De La Garza