

# WEST GEORGIA COIN CLUB

## INFORMATION FLYER

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Mondays- Setup: 4pm--- Meeting Starts At 5:30 pm- Raffle At 5:55 pm--Auction Starts: 6:00 pm.

### Welcome to the West Georgia Coin Club: (WGCC)

**Mission-** Our purpose is to encourage and promote an interest in numismatics through the cultivation of friendly relations with collectors & dealers, encouragement of amateur collectors, and assisting all people who display an interest in numismatics.

#### Today's Metals Prices

(Last week: Gold \$5008.10 Silver \$103.75 Platinum \$2575.00)

Gold \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per oz    Silver \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per oz    Platinum \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per

#### Do you need?

Auction sell sheets, applications, junior applications, auction rules/procedures, or a copy of the club "Information Flyer" .....See your club secretary (JB)- Copies of all documents are available.

#### Did You Know? The 1st through the 4<sup>th</sup> centuries A.D. (ANNO DOMINI)

Money after Crist's death- Coins used by the Chinese, Roman, Greek, Judea, and other societies for commerce. Copper and Bronze coins for daily transactions and Silver & Gold for week or monthly wages. These are still being discovered singly and in hoards.



Chinese



Roman



Greek



Judea



Found in the U.K

#### Meet your 2026 WGCC Officers/Officials:

President: Rick Horne

Head Auctioneer: Chris Evans

Assistant Treasurer: Cal Robinson

Vice-President: Craig Jones

Club Chaplain: O.A. Powers

Asst. Secretary: Teresa Robinson

Treasurer: Chris Evans

Auction Runner- O.A. Powers

Asst. Auctioneer: Eric Dodson

Secretary: James Bouwens (JB)

Asst. Runner: Jacob Buterbaugh



## The Mint Minute:

Take a minute to look over what the U.S. Mint is releasing this month.



Best of the Mint- Mercury Gold Coin  
Coming soon



Mayflower Compact Quarter  
February -5<sup>th</sup> (First of five-2026)



Charter of Freedom Platinum- PF  
February- 6<sup>th</sup>



Woodrow Wilson Silver Medal  
February 11th



2026 ASE-Dual-Date-Proof  
February 26<sup>th</sup>



Congratulations 2026 ASE  
February 26th

## Weekly Treasury Report:

- The club took in \$31 in snacks last week- Thank you to all that bought items.
- Donations last week brought in \$2 - Thank you to all for your generosity.
- Last week's raffle brought in \$156 – Please continue to try your luck.
- Weekly baskets that were sold-23



(Remember all proceeds go toward

## Weekly Secretary Report:

- President- Rick Horne and treasurer Chris Evans announced to offset increasing expenses- a 1dollar fee per basket for the seller. **Please place 1 dollar under the bid sheet for each sheet you offer. (Effective 1-26-2026)**
- We had 1 new member join last week.
- We had 2 members renew their dues last week.



## Coin Spotlight: U.S. FLOWING HAIR (1793-1795)

The flowing hair designs were produced from 1793 to 1795. With coins from other countries still being legal tender, and the silver content being less than the Spanish dollar and British pound, the U.S. coins struggled to circulate. Criticism of the chain sent (symbol of slavery), the “ugly” lady liberty, along with the “Scrawny Eagle- led to some changes until the entire coin was redesigned in 1795/6 (Draped Bust).



Large Cent



Half Dime



Dollar

## What's New: -

We will see more of the “different” raffle items in the future. Last week we had a slabbed Morgan silver dollar.

**Reminders: 2026 club dues- (Please pay before February 28<sup>th</sup>)**

