

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 \$ 4308.50 Silver \$ 69.87 Platinum \$1767.00)

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.

Coin Spotlight: Gold – 2 ½ Dollars- Quarter Eagles-1796-1929

The Quarter Eagle was the smallest of the original US gold coins, authorized by the Coinage Act of 1792 as a fractional denomination of the \$10 Eagle coin, with a face value of \$2.50.

Production began in 1796 and continued intermittently until 1929, with interruptions due to low mintages, gold export, and melting. The coin was officially discontinued following the US departure from the Gold Standard in 1933.

Turban Head 1796-1807



Classic Head 1844-39



Indian Head 1908-29



Capped Bust 1808-34



Liberty Head 1840-1907



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.



2026 Morgan Reverse Proof
July 9th



2026 Peace Reverse Proof
July 9th



Best of the Mint 1916 SLQ & Metal Set
July 10th



Minnesota American Innovation
Rolls & Bags- July 28th



3rd Comic Art -3 medal Set- Super Heros
August 3rd



2026 Uncirculated set
June 30th

Weekly Treasury Report:

- The club took in **\$20.00** in snacks last week- Thank you to all that bought items.
- Donations last week brought in **\$0.00**-
- Last week's raffle brought in **\$120.00**. – Please continue to try your luck.
- Baskets sold last week **27**



(Remember all proceeds go toward club)

Weekly Secretary Report:

- President- Craig Jones presided over the meeting.
- We had **1** new members joined last week. – **Welcome Jessie Watts**
- We had 0 members renew their dues last week.



Did You Know? The First ATM -1967 London

Automated teller machines (ATM) first appear. They allow bank customers to retrieve cash from their accounts without needing to visit the bank. Invented by John Shepard-Barron- frustrated by limited banking hours.

Features of the First ATM

- The pioneering ATM incorporated several innovative features for its time:
- Carbon-14 checks for authentication
- PIN pad for entering a **6-digit code** (later shortened to 4 digits)
- Cash cassette dispensing fixed £10 notes
- Alarm system to detect tampering
- Illuminated instructions to guide users through transactions



Attention Members/Dealers - Club Needs:

The club is looking to buy BU/UNC items (at a fair price). A total of 5 mint sets, 5 Kennedy/Bengamin half dollars, and 5 Morgan dollars per month for the weekly raffles. Please see Chris Evans if you wish to sell items to the club.

Reminders: 2026 club dues should have been paid.....

