

South Brevard Coin Club

Policy #2018-01

“Enacting a Speakers Bureau and Its Implementation”

As approved by the South Brevard Coin Club Board of Directors at their January 2018 meeting, we hereby enact policy #2018-01 establishing a South Brevard Coin Club Speakers Bureau. Effective with the February 2018 regular meeting of the Club, a monthly meeting speaker will be assigned from a list maintained by the Chair of the Speaker’s Bureau for upcoming Club meetings except for the months of October (Mini-Bourse) and December (Holiday Dinner). A list of speakers and presentation topic will be comprised of interested Club members and non-members (based on the merit of the topic). With this implementation, the Club will have a viable and assigned list of speakers which will enhance the Club’s monthly meeting.

Once assigned, the speaker will prepare a 15 to 20 minute numismatic presentation on a topic of their choice. They may use the Club’s digital means of projection, handout material and any items for show or simply present verbally. A question and answer (Q&A) period will be added for group discussion at the end of the presentation.

Upon the conclusion of the Q&A period, the President of the Club will present the speaker with an American Silver Eagle (ASE) as recognition for being a speaker. The Club’s Historian will photograph the speaker receiving the award for use on the Club’s website and for historical purposes. The ASE will be presented as the monthly award until such time as the Board of Directors deems otherwise. It will be the responsibility of the President, along with the assistance of the Treasurer, to ensure that an American Silver Eagle is available for each meeting’s award.

Besides the presentation, the speaker is responsible for formulating three trivia questions based on their presentation material. These questions will be read by the speaker (or their designee) at the next month’s Club meeting and a Club trivia prize will be presented by the speaker for each correct trivia answer given. Audience members participating in the trivia must be Club members and can only receive one prize in that month’s trivia question contest. In fairness, this will allow for three distinct trivia winners each month. It is the responsibility of the President, along with the assistance of the Treasurer, to have three trivia prizes available at each meeting for such purposes.

In the event a speaker must cancel their scheduled presentation date, they shall notify the Chair of the Speakers Bureau ASAP so that arrangements can be made to replace them. The speaker will have their next opportunity to present after all other scheduled speakers have had their opportunity. In other words, they will proceed to the back of the line. Speakers may trade a scheduled date with another scheduled presenter as long as it is at least one month prior to their scheduled presentation. This will allow for timely updating of the Club’s newsletter and website.

Once a person has been a speaker, their next opportunity to present will be AFTER all other members of the Club have had an opportunity to present. The Chair of the Speakers Bureau will maintain the

historical and future scheduled speakers list for reference in this effort. This will provide fairness to all members. Snowbird members wishing to be speakers will be given consideration for the winter month meeting dates to provide them the opportunity to share in this process.

It will be the responsibility of the Speaker to notify the Chair of the Speaker's Bureau as to their presentation topic at least one month prior to their presentation, but preferably as soon as possible. This information will be provided by the Chair to the Secretary for inclusion in the monthly Club newsletter and to the Club's Webmaster for inclusion on the Club's website.

Presenters are hereby notified that it is the intention of the Club to video each month's presentation and Q&A session along with the award presentation ceremony. This will be used to further our Club's educational outreach on our public website and internet presence and in addition provide a historical archive for future numismatists. This will also greatly benefit our members who may miss a meeting. The Club's webmaster will video, edit and post these activities for member and public access.

The Club expects that each speaker will put forth such effort that it warrants such recognition from the Club with the awarding of the ASE. Presentations should convey personal knowledge, should be educational, thought provoking and engaging to the audience.

Club members are NOT required to be presenters. This is on a volunteer basis only.

Juan M. has volunteered to be the Club Historian, Photographer and Webmaster.

Bob M. has volunteered to be the Chair of the Speakers Bureau. Any interest in becoming a speaker should be directed to him at RM3Coins@GMail.com, or by contact at our monthly Club meeting or show.

Current 2018 Speakers Bureau Schedule

Date	Topic	Speaker
03 January 2018	NO SPEAKER ASSIGNED	NA
07 February 2018	The Future of Numismatics	Lou M.
07 March 2018	Fort Meade FL, Numismatic & Archeology Recovery from the 1800s	Tom Dankowski
04 April 2018	Cleaning Ancient Coins	Greg B.
02 May 2018	A History of Columbia's Coinage	Juan M.
06 June 2018	A Short Review of the United States Mints	Bob M.
04 July 2018	Annual Dinner & Movie Night – NO SPEAKER	Bob M.
01 August 2018	The History of the Banking System	Jack K.
05 September 2018	Numismatic Photography	Joe C.
03 October 2018	Annual Mini Bourse – NO SPEAKER	All Members
07 November 2018	Mercury Dimes	Stan L.
05 December 2018	Annual Holiday Dinner – NO SPEAKER	All Members

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January 2019	World Coins Produced by the United States Mint	Dick A.
February 2019	All About Registry Sets	John M.
March 2019	TBD	Lou M.
April 2019	TBD	Bob M.
May 2019		
June 2019		
July 2019	Annual Dinner & Movie Night – NO SPEAKER	Bob M.
August 2019		
September 2019		
October 2019	Annual Mini Bourse – NO SPEAKER	All Members
November 2019		
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