



~PAWCATUCK VALLEY COIN CLUB MONTHLY NEWS LETTER~

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The 676th meeting and Holiday Party of the Pawcatuck Valley Coin Club will be held on **Wednesday 18th December 2019** at Amanda's Pantry 37 Beach Street Westerly Rhode Island. Doors open @ 6:30 PM, Buffet Dinner @ 7:00 PM.

There has been a change to the format of our newsletter. Please contact Larry Erhart for additions and contributions..

News Courtesy from Coin World: Father Christmas marks holiday on 50-penny coin By [Jeff Starck](#) Published: Nov 21, 2018



*This is not your typical Santa. "Father Christmas" author Raymond Briggs turns the stereotype of the jolly old soul on its head. A colorful 50-penny coin shows the mischievous man. **Images courtesy of the Pobjoy Mint.***

Father Christmas is a short animated film based on two books written by Raymond Briggs: *Father Christmas* and *Father Christmas Goes on Holiday*, published in 1973 and 1975 respectively.

Father Christmas in these publications is a different interpretation of the stereotypical character. It is Briggs's character that appears on two new 50-penny coins from Gibraltar.

The Briggs Father Christmas still looks like the Santa we all know and love, with his large white beard and red suit. However, he is rather grumpy and works from a normal house coping with everyday domestic chores with no Mrs. Claus or elves to assist him. The only other occupants of the house are his cat and dog and two reindeer.



**THE PAWCATUCK VALLEY COIN CLUB HOLIDAY PARTY WILL
BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 18th AT AMANDA'S
PANTRY RESTAURANT LOCATED AT 37 BEACH STREET,
WESTERLY, RI 02891.**

**ADMITTANCE TO MEMBERS AND GUESTS WITH PREPAID
RESERVATIONS ONLY**

DOORS OPEN AT 6:30 PM BUFFET DINNER AT 7:00 PM



~2019 COIN SHOW DATES~

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		JAN		JAN	
FEB	AUG	FEB	AUG	FEB	AUG
		MAR	SEPT	MAR	SEPT
APR	OCT	APR	OCT	APR	OCT
		MAY	NOV	MAY	NOV
JUN	DEC 8 TH	JUN	DEC 18 TH	JUN	DEC 2 ND
DEVENS MA		HARTFORD CT		NASHUA NH	
JAN		JAN		JAN	
FEB		FEB		FEB	AUG
MAR		MAR		MAR	SEPT
		APR		APR	OCT
NOV		SEPT		MAY	NOV
DEC 22 ND		NOV		JUN	DEC 15 TH
MANCHESTER NH		MANSFIELD CT		WEST SPRINGFIELD MA	
				JAN	JULY
				FEB	AUG
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				JUN	DEC
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MAY	NOV				
JUN	DEC				

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HARTFORD CT: Courtyard Marriott, 4 Sebeth Dr. Cromwell CT. 718-323-1930 or stassinsJ98@aol.com

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