

**APRIL 1, 2019**

# **YOUR NEWSLETTER**

## **APRIL YN AUCTION**

*Click to enlarge auction lots*

The April YN Auction is here! View the lots below, and jump to the [YN Auction](#) page to place a bid with your YN Dollars.

Not sure what YN Dollars are or how to earn them? Visit [How to Earn YN Dollars](#).



**Lot 1: 1939 Winged Liberty  
Head/Mercury dime**

*Reserve: 50 YN Dollars*



**Lot 2: 1973 Panama 1/4 Balboa,  
Proof**

*No Reserve*

 **PLACE BIDS**

YNs may bid on one or both items with YN Dollars. Bids must be placed no later than April 15. In case of a tie, the first person to submit the winning bid will receive the lot.



## SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

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The considerable benefits of ANA membership are actually just one component of the country's constellation of coin clubs. Wherever you are, and whatever you collect, you're likely to find an organization that enhances your hobby experience.

For many collectors, that experience revolves around a local coin club. Meetings are generally held monthly, on a regularly scheduled weekday evening, in a meeting hall or other gathering place. The agenda often includes a discussion of club business and news; a show-and-tell session where members share their acquisitions and experiences; a raffle with part of the proceeds benefiting the club; a presentation by a club member on a topic he or she is passionate about; and an auction of material consigned by members. Local clubs also are likely to sponsor coin shows, with a frequency ranging from monthly to annually.

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## WIN PRIZES DURING NATIONAL COIN WEEK

National Coin Week, April 21-27, will recognize the role of numismatics in discoveries and innovation with the theme "Discover the Past, Envision the Future."

Young numismatists ages 17 and under are encouraged to participate. Use your creativity and design your own invention, describe it and complete a coin design that commemorates the innovation or you – the inventor!

If you do an exemplary job, you have the chance to earn the grand prize – a 1776-1976 Bicentennial Proof Set!

[Rules and Directions](#)



# SUBMISSIONS ACCEPTED FOR YOUNG NUMISMATIST LITERARY AWARDS



Entries are now being accepted for the 2019 ANA Young Numismatist Literary Awards competition. All submissions must be postmarked by **April 15**.

The contest is open to young writers in three age groups, all of whom will compete for cash awards and numismatic book vouchers. Article submissions will be evaluated by a panel of judges, including Bill Fivaz, Q. David Bowers and Kenneth Bressett. Awards will be presented in Colorado Springs at the ANA's 2019 Summer Seminar, June 15-27. Those who are unable to attend will receive their awards by mail.

For additional information, contact Cynthia Wood-Davies, copy editor of *The Numismatist*, at [cwood-davies@money.org](mailto:cwood-davies@money.org).

Learn more [here](#).

## HOW TO EARN YN DOLLARS

YN dollars earned by Young Numismatists can be used during monthly auctions or the annual online YN Auction, held in September each year.

There are a number of ways to earn YN dollars, including:

- Completing school projects on numismatics
- Participating in the National Coin Week project
- Attending local ANA member coin club meeting
- Presenting talks or programs
- Serving as an officer for a local ANA member coin club or a regional ANA member organization
- Recruiting new members for the ANA
- Publishing numismatic articles
- Attending local coin shows or displaying an exhibit
- Attending a regional coin show or displaying an exhibit
- Attending an ANA convention
- And more!



To see a list of all the ways Young Numismatists can earn auction money, [click here](#).

## IMMERSE YOURSELF IN NUMISMATICS

Classes for the 2019 **Summer Seminar** are filling quickly – several are already full! So, don't wait another minute; register today to ensure your attendance.

The two one-week sessions will be held **June 15-27** in Colorado Springs on the campus of Colorado College (adjacent to the ANA).

Summer Seminar is a once-a-year opportunity for intense numismatic study and the 2019 program features a lineup of classes to meet virtually every collector's needs. To view a full list of courses, daily excursions and session schedules, visit [www.money.org/summer-seminar](http://www.money.org/summer-seminar).



## WIN MEMBERSHIP

**Women in Numismatics** (WIN) is offering a free, one-year membership to all ANA Young Numismatists. WIN was founded in 1991 as a network for female numismatists and established collectors. It encourages fellowship and networking among members and promotes education through speaking engagements and seminars.

As a benefit of WIN membership, YNs receive WIN's official publication, Winning Ways Magazine, which is printed three times per year.

To redeem your free membership, email Lisa Loos at [lisakloos@yahoo.com](mailto:lisakloos@yahoo.com). Be sure to include your name, email address and ANA membership number in the email body or subject line.

For additional information, contact ANA Education Director Rod Gillis at (719) 482-9845, or email [education@money.org](mailto:education@money.org).



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