

ANA NAMES TOP CLUB PUBLICATIONS

Each year the American Numismatic Association (ANA) recognizes outstanding journals and newsletters produced by local, regional and specialty numismatic organizations published in 1999 and submitted in the annual competition. Winners of the 2000 Outstanding Club Publications Contest were announced at the ANA Club Representative meeting, held on August 12 during the ANA's 109th Anniversary Convention in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

In the local club publication category, first place went to "ACCent," newsletter of the Anchorage Coin Club (Alaska), Chief Editor Larry Nakata. Winning second place was "Metropolitan Coin Club of Atlanta Newsletter," published by the Metropolitan Coin Club of Atlanta (Georgia) and edited by David Crenshaw. Third place was taken by the "Elgin Coin Club Newsletter," published by the Elgin Coin Club (Illinois) and edited by Michael Metras.

Among regional club publications, first place was awarded to The Centinel, published by the Central States Numismatic Society and edited by Karen and Jim Jach. Taking second place was The N.A.S.C. Quarterly, published by the Numismatic Association of Southern California and edited by Gary Beedon. Third place was won by GNA Journal, published by the Georgia Numismatic Association and edited by David Crenshaw.

Receiving first-place honors for specialty clubs was Errorscope, published by CONECA and edited by Deborah Wiles. Second place went to the John Reich Collectors Society's John Reich Journal, edited by Bradley S. Karoleff. Third place was not awarded.

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