

# The GlenCoin News

Newsletter of the Glendale Coin Club

## “Bring a Friend” Drawing in June



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Meeting Place: CalFed  
2350 Honolulu Avenue  
Glendale (near Montrose)  
Date/Time: 2nd Friday of every month  
at 7:30 p.m.  
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### President's Message...

Dear Members,

It was good to see all of you at the May meeting. Let's see some new faces next month—bring a friend. We'll have a drawing for a special prize for those members who bring a friend—one ticket for each guest you bring. Two tickets for each YN guest. I'll donate the prize.

YN's be sure to visit the ANA YN table at the show on Saturday and see Walter Ostromecki, YN Auctioneer Extraordinaire, Wilfred Gamble, NASC Superb Club Coordinator and yours truly. If you can be there at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday come to the SUSC (Society of Commemorative US Coins) meeting. *(Editor's note: Mary's calendar was a little out of kilter when she wrote this, not realizing this wouldn't be in your hands until after the Long Beach Expo.—GB)*

When I bring refreshments in June I'll be sure to bring a special treat you won't want to miss.

It was a great time of Show and Tell at the May meeting. Thanks to all who participated.

I am somewhat disappointed that the club has decided not to have a Youth Auction or other

event to try and bring in new members.

Thank you to the faithful members—Mary, Joe, Denise, Earl, Dorsille, and Jerry—for being there early and staying late to get the room set up, pick up the key, sell tickets, etc. **YOUR HELP IS APPRECIATED!**

I look forward to seeing you next month. Have a great month.

*Mary*

President, GCC

### Welcome New Members

During the last meeting Tom Redmond signed up his daughter, Tiffany Redmond as member number 646. Welcome aboard Tiffany!

I also received an email from William Skinner of Burbank late in May. William is member number 647, and it would be nice if he could make it to our June meeting so we can welcome him in person.

### June Attendance Prize

We'll be having our June Attendance Prize at the upcoming meeting. All of you who have been attending have gotten a ticket each month to write your

name on. Denise has collected them, and at the June meeting we'll draw one and the lucky winner will receive a silver Eagle.

### New Website

The Glendale Coin Club's website has moved. We now have our own domain name ([www.glencoin.com](http://www.glencoin.com)) and we're being hosted on a server that doesn't require those stupid pop-up ads and other garbage.

### Thank You Mark

At the May meeting Mark Watson volunteered to make up some business cards for the Glendale Coin Club. We can use these at coin shows and other places to give out as a reminder of our meeting times and location in an effort to solicit guests and new members. Thank you, Mark, for all your help.

### Holiday Party Funding Assured

Tom Redmond must have been overjoyed when Treasurer Joe Purnell announced the following financial status for the club:

Savings	\$854.93
Checking	341.82
Cash	68.44
Total	1265.19

It seems likely that with numbers like these we'll be able to



## Sandy's Spot...

Hi All,

It's tough to change leadership when you've had a "good prez" like Mary. I can understand why members don't want another to take her place. However, she's says "enough" and as a result I've been chosen to take her place. From what I've seen she's done a fine job and I can only hope to fill her shoes. I know all of you offer thanks for her fine dedicated service and look forward to seeing her at our meeting. I also wish Jerry well. I understand he had "angioplasty" done and wish him a speedy recovery. Bring a friend with you to our next meeting. We need new members and fresh ideas to maintain our group. See you soon...

—Sandy Mazel



### Magnificent Management List

President .....	Mary Yahalom
1st VP .....	Oded Paz
2nd VP .....	<open>
Treasurer .....	Joe Purnell
Asst. Treasurer .....	<open>
Secretary .....	Mary Purnell
Asst. Secretary .....	Denise Ballard
Newsletter Editor/Website Mgr .....	Greg Burns
Board .....	Bea Young
Board .....	Harry Reder
Board .....	Viesturs Zagars
Board .....	Bob Vick
Board .....	Tom Redmond
Board .....	Jerry Yahalom

### New Officers Coming

Well, perhaps they're not so new, but with a little bit of buffing they'll be just as shiny as if they were.

At the May meeting we seemed to have bypassed all of the usual rigmarole of nominating committees (arm twisting), election campaigns (sure bet) and voting (I actually remember a time when we did this), and we moved right ahead with the identifying the following slate of "candidates":

President.....	Sandy Mazel
1st VP.....	Mark Watson
2nd VP .....	Denise Ballard
Secretary .....	Mary Purnell
Treasurer .....	Joe Purnell
Board.....	Mary Yahalom
Board.....	Viesturs Zagars
Board.....	Jerry Yahalom
Board.....	Tom Redmond
Board.....	Earl Fritcher
Board.....	Steve Ryczewicz

Even though it's not an elected position, most folks seemed to have thought it was and were relieved when I agreed to continue as the Editor (whew!).

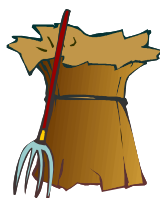
I guess we'll have an official "election" in June, though it's a pretty foregone conclusion who's going to win each of the positions, and we'll follow that up with an installation at the July meeting.

afford our Holiday Party in December. Better start working on ideas for fun and games because time is flying fast and it will soon be here.

### Earl's Good News

Well, if you wanted to know how we can afford to have such a yummy time at our Holiday Party, perhaps the announcement Earl Fritcher made during the May meeting may have some bearing on it.

It seems that Earl did some calculating. You may be aware that almost ALL clubs pay for their meeting rooms each month. It can range from a low of \$25 to upwards of \$50 or more for a club to have a room to meet in. Well, considering that the GCC enjoys the hospitality of CalFed (nee Glendale Federal Savings and Loan), we've saved about \$1800 since February, 1996 to present on our avoiding having to pay for our meeting room. And that ain't hay!



### Member Wins Big

In the picture above we see Denise (on the right) and daughter Kim (left) pictured with the 1902 British gold sovereign that Denise won at the Verdugo Hills Coin Club drawing in March. It sure is a pretty coin!

### No YN Auction

As Mary mentioned in her President's Message, it appears that the subject of holding a youth auction has died due to lack of member interest. Of course, I'm not so sure it was lack of interest, rather it may have been that there was a lot of divergent opinions and it appeared that the desired timeframe was fast expiring. I think that there was simply too much to hammer out before the August/September time frame. Perhaps if we get a running start at something like this now we could do it sometime next year. What do you think?



This Month—Our 516th Meeting



**Program**

We'll have to wait to see what the program is for the June meeting...

**Door Prizes**

We'll have to wait to see what the door prizes are for the June meeting...



**Birthdays**

- Harry Reder .....6/5
- Bob Vick.....6/6
- Oded Paz.....6/7
- John Govorchin .....6/8
- Mary Yahalom.....6/11

*Did we forget your birthday? If so, let our newsletter editor know for next year!*



**Refreshments**

Mary and Jerry Yahalom will be bringing the refreshments to the June meeting.



Last Month, May 2002—Meeting Results

**Attendance—23**



**Show and Tell**

- Sandy Mazel \*\* .....Euro
- Mary Purnell ..... Oil Certificate
- Denise Ballard \* .....State Stamps, etc.
- Kim Klein \*\*\* .....Pennies
- Greg Burns..... *The Quarterly* (NASC)
- Joe Purnell .....Big Bill
- Tom Redmond .....Something
- Steve Rycewicz.....“Ditto”
- Daria Rycewicz.....“Ditto”
- Wilfred A. Gamble ..... Transportation Tokens

*\* Indicates the number of dollars worth of door prize tickets won during the Show and Tell drawing.*

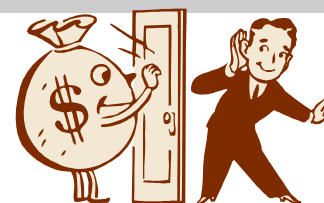
**Refreshments**

Thank goodness Mary reminded me that I was supposed to bring refreshments when I walked in the door. We managed to eat them all up!



**Door Prize Winners**

- 1912 Barber Quarter (Early Bird)...Steve Rycewicz
- 1899 Barber Dime ..... Chris Watson
- 1 Ounce Silver Bar ..... Lisolette Koerner
- 1960D Washington Quarter..... Kim Klein
- 1968 Mexico 25 Peso ..... Kim Klein
- 1 Ounce Silver Bar ..... Kim Klein
- 1952D Washington Quarter..... Wilfred Gamble
- 1 Ounce Silver Bar ..... Denise Ballard
- 2002 Silver Eagle ..... Kim Klein
- 1 Ounce Silver Art Bar .....Daria Rycewicz
- 1898 Morgan Dollar (Special)..... Wilfred Gamble
- 2 Peso Mexican Gold.....Dorsille Fritcher



**Membership Drawing**

Elena Krishtal wasn't present when her number was drawn. Guess we try again next month!





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November 17, 2002

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