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## **THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD 2009**

The Meetings of the Indianapolis Coin Club are held  
the fourth Monday of each month at the  
**Northside Knights of Columbus**  
**2100 E. 71st Street in Indianapolis, Indiana.**

The Meetings consist of a business session, an intermission, educational program,  
and a numismatic auction. Doors open at 6:00pm, meeting will begin at 7:00pm.

## **We Are Holding Elections This Month!**

2009 Meeting Dates:

Nov. 23rd

**December is our Banquet. Our banquet will be held  
at the Perkins restraurant in Castleton on Monday  
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## Who is Sheltowee??

Sheltowee is the name Daniel Boone was given by Chief Black Fish leader of the Chillicothe, a Tribal member of the Shawnee Nation, when Boone was captured by the warring tribe.

You probably recognize the name Chief Black Fish as his entire stature, along with Daniel Boone's, adorns the reverse of one of the United States Silver Commemorative Half Dollars, right?

Chief Black Fish is the Anglicanized name of the war chief. His name in his native (Chillicothe) tongue is Cot-ta-wa-ma-go and in Shawnee it's Mkah-day-way-may-qua.

Daniel Boone's Chillicothe name of Sheltowee translates to the English equivalent of Big Turtle.

When the Shawnees were defeated by Virginia in Dunmore's War in 1774, the resulting peace treaty made the Ohio River the boundary between western Virginia (what is now Kentucky and West Virginia) and American Indian lands in the Ohio Country. Although this treaty was agreed to by the Shawnee Nation leaders such as Cornstalk, Blackfish and a number of other tribal leaders refused to acknowledge the loss of their traditional hunting grounds in Kentucky.

Violence along the border escalated with the outbreak of the American Revolutionary War in 1775. As a result, the Chillicothe moved their village on the Sciota River further west to the Little Miami River, near what is now Xenia, Ohio. Encouraged and supplied by British officials in Detroit, Michigan, Blackfish and others launched raids against American settlers in Kentucky, hoping to drive them out of the region. In revenge for the murder of Cornstalk by American militiamen in November 1777, Blackfish set out on an unexpected winter raid in Kentucky, capturing American frontiersman Daniel Boone and a number of others on the Licking River on February 7, 1778. Boone, respected by the Shawnees for his extraordinary hunting skills, was taken back to Chillicothe, adopted into the tribe and given the name Sheltowee.

Boone escaped in June 1778 when he learned that Blackfish was launching a siege on the Kentucky settlement of Boonesborough, Kentucky, which commenced in September of that year. The siege of Boonesborough was unsuccessful, and the Kentuckians, led by Colonel John Bowman, counterattacked the Chillicothe the following spring. This raid was also unsuccessful, but Blackfish was shot in the leg, a wound which became infected eventually leading to his death.



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**Indianapolis Coin Club  
Treasurer's Report for November 2009**

**Income:**

50/50	\$38.50
Auction Slip -- 8 (\$1.00 ea)	\$8.00
Total	<u>\$46.50</u>

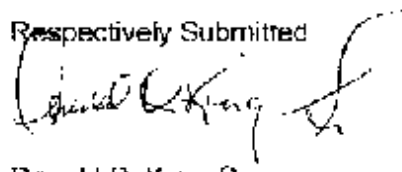
**Expenses:**

November Room Rent	\$50.00
Donald D. King, Sr.- Reimbursement for Magnifying Glasses for State Convention	\$165.31
Mat Dinger - Reimbursement for prizes for ICC Exhibited Night	\$169.00
Vinton Dove - Reimbursement for prizes for ICC Exhibited Night	\$32.00
Total	<u>\$416.31</u>

October Checkbook Balance	\$3,402.83
November Checkbook Balance	\$3,033.02

ICC Value of CD's at Maturity	\$20,708.66
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Respectfully Submitted



Donald D. King, Sr.  
Treasurer

## **October 26, 2009 - Minutes of the Indianapolis Coin Club Meeting.**

**Open** - The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by Club President Matt Dinger. Only 22 people signed the attendance book, but there were 29 in attendance. We met at the Northside Knights of Columbus Hall, 2100 East 71<sup>st</sup> Street. We met in the back room. It was the first time in that room, but everyone seemed to find their way.

**Visitors** – The visitors were Tim Catoni, from Kenya, and Paul Vaughn.

The **Treasurer's report** and the **Secretary's report** were accepted as reported in the newsletter.

**Old Business** – None.

**New Business** – Matt reminded the Club that the ISNA annual coin show would be held on Friday, November 6, 10 AM to 6 PM, and Saturday, November 7, 10 AM to 5 PM. He also announced that he had arranged for Rupert, of Survivor fame, would be at the show giving free autographs. Don King asked the members to contribute items to fill the baggies to be handed out to visitors at the show.

After the break, the **50/50 Drawing** was run by Club Treasurer, Don King, and Gordon Knauer won the prize.

**The Educational Program** – The program for the night was “Exhibitors Night,” which was run by the Secretary, Vinton Dove. Fifteen members exhibited, with the winner chosen by popular vote of those in attendance. The winner was Marty Moore. His exhibit contained his Great-Grandfather's purse, newspaper articles and other items. Ron Jackson's exhibit of Carson City silver dollars was voted second place. Sarah Dinger's “Silver Certificates” and Tom Brockman's “US Buffalo Coins” tied for third place. All who exhibited received a prize.

**Auction** – Joe Boling ran the auction in his usual grand style. There were approximately 50 lots. The buying was brisk and most of the lots sold. Dave Reid, Bob Bettcher, Matt Dinger and Vinton Dove assisted.

The club adjourned at 8:43 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Vinton Dove, Secretary