Club News Bulletin: NEW LSCC WEBSITE IS NOW LIVE

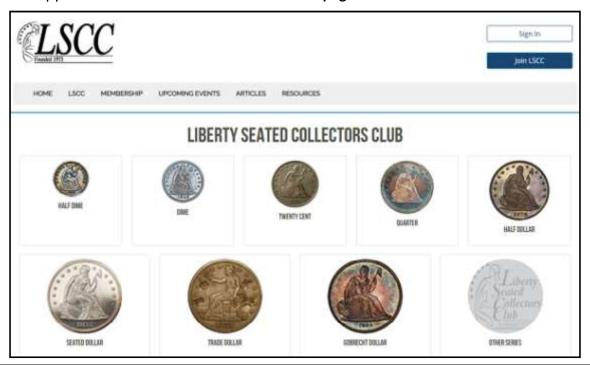
The Liberty Seated Collectors Club is proud to announce the launch of its new LSCC website, Isccweb.org. This two-year project was completed by a team of LSCC members and consultants, including the Moore Creative Company and Fry Archive Services.

LSCC is leading other coin clubs again with this new technology, which offers convenient, on-line dues payment. You can now pay your dues by following the prompts, which will avoid long delays and miscommunication. Please help keep our administrative costs down and push the easy button --- pay your dues on-line!

In addition to renewing your dues, as an LSCC member, you can explore approximately half of the *Gobrecht Journal* articles that have been published over the last 50 years. These articles are conveniently indexed by date, denomination, and topic. You can search for a specific date and mintmark, varieties, or past collections that have been showcased in the *Gobrecht Journal*.

Even if you do not owe dues at this time, you can still vote for the <u>LSCC Literary Awards</u> and <u>Club Officers</u> using the website. Award voting is typically very close, and, in more than one case, awards have been decided by a single vote. Make your vote count!

We are pleased to offer these new services to the members, and thank you for your continued support of LSCC! The website Home page is shown below.



<u>Press Release (January 12, 2025):</u> Eric P. Newman Numismatic Education Society Invites Applications for Newman Grants

The Eric P. Newman Numismatic Education Society (EPNNES) announces the opening of the application period for the 2025 Newman Grant program. Newman Grants are designed to financially assist numismatic authors and organizations pursuing original research in American numismatics. This program was launched in 2019 and supports research projects related to colonial numismatics, U.S. federal coinage, counterfeit detection and other areas.

Authors, researchers, and numismatic organizations are encouraged to apply for amounts between \$1,000 and \$5,000. Awards may be applied toward related research costs including but not limited to photography, reproduction of research material and graphic art services, database access fees, and travel.

Electronic publications will be preferred as EPNNES wishes to direct funds toward expenses specifically related to numismatic research, rather than the print publication of research. Newman Grant awardees agree to non-exclusive publication of their research on the Newman Numismatic Portal (NewmanPortal.org). EPNNES intends to make approximately half a dozen grants in 2025.

The Newman Grant program is administered for EPNNES by the Newman Numismatic Portal (NNP). Applications may be found on the Newman Numismatic Portal at: https://nnp.wustl.edu/library/archivedetail/530553?Year=2025, and should be submitted to NNPCurator@wustl.edu. The application deadline is April 15, 2025, with the grant awards to be announced on May 25, 2025, coincident with the late Eric P. Newman's birthday.

It is the hope of EPNNES that this program will continue the legacy of Eric P. Newman in a way that would reflect his high standards for numismatic research.

ANA Summer Seminar 2025 — New Class!

The Liberty Seated Collectors Club (LSCC) and the Barber Coin Collectors' Society (BCCS) will be offering a new class during Session 1 at the 2025 ANA Summer Seminar, June 21-26, in Colorado Springs:

The New Orleans Mint Coinage and its History

This course will cover the coins and the history of the New Orleans Mint from its origin in 1835 to its final closure in 1909. The silver and gold coins produced at the New Orleans Mint are comparable to the Philadelphia Mint both in type and quantity. From arduous early days marked by epidemics and deaths, a struggle to mint coins with limited dies being stored in tropical conditions, to changing hands three times during the Civil War, its complicated history is written in its coins. The course will include discussions of the 40 (or so) types of New Orleans coins, individual dates, major varieties, hands-on attribution exercises, and grading discussions.

Instructors: Craig Eberhart (LSCC Secretary), Len Augsburger (LSCC President) and John Frost (BCCS President).

This class should fill up quickly. Sign up today at: money.org/summer-seminar