



**1101st meeting of the
Pacific Coast Numismatic Society**
7:30PM Wednesday January 23, 2008
Building C, Fort Mason
San Francisco, California

Coins of the Samurai
Ken Takahashi

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Please join us Wednesday January 23, 2008 to hear our own Ken Takahashi tell us about coins associated with the famous Japanese warrior class, the Samurai. It is sure to be an interesting presentation that you won't want to miss!

1100th meeting. December 19, 2007 Annual Holiday Banquet

The date and time of the holiday banquet were moved this year to accommodate those away for the Christmas Holidays. The Gatehouse was a nice alternative, but we are moving back to our normal location on the 2nd floor of Building C at Fort Mason for our regular meetings.

As usual, the food brought by members was fantastic and a good time was had by all. The raffle was large and if you were there you would have won something. The Grand Prize, the Granite Lady Proof Silver Dollar, was won by PCNS Fellow, Jerry Schimmel. Congratulations, Jerry!

A new slate of officers was inaugurated for 2008. They are
Federico Castillo, President
Sandra Whalen, Vice President
Whalen, Treasurer
Herb Miles, Acting Secretary (Herb would like to groom a successor, please consider it. Herb will teach you how to do it!)
Ed Treuting, Governor
Gordon Donnell, Governor
Ken Takahashi, Governor
Michael Wehner, Past President.

As his last official act, President Wehner appointed Daniel Feldman as the PCNS Club Representative to the American Numismatic Association. Daniel is a junior at San Francisco University High School and an accomplished Young Numismatist who has spoken to the club several times (and will again soon!)

Future presentations:

February 2008: Daniel Feldman

March 2008: Federico Castillo

Please contact Michael Wehner at mf_wehner@yahoo.com or at 415 928 4469 if you would like to make a presentation

2008 Dues are now payable!

\$20 for members, \$5 each additional family member. Please remit to PCNS Box 475656 San Francisco, CA 94147-5656

2008 Annual Papers Contest

The submittal date for the 2008 contest is the April meeting. PCNS members are renowned for their in-depth numismatic knowledge. Please consider sharing that knowledge in the form of a paper for the society! Two papers from 2007 will be carried over into the next PCNS papers publication. The more articles we have, the more feasible a quality publication will be.



PCNS 1000th meeting medals. The set includes both a proof silver and an antiqued bronze specimen and is only \$30. A reminder of the Society's long and honorable history.

The Old Streets of San Francisco, Early Street Names on Some Brass Tokens by *Jerry F. Schimmel*. Published by the Pacific Coast Numismatic Society in 1993. 41 pages including many pictures. A must have reference for those interested in western trade tokens or San Francisco history. \$10