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The next meeting of the *Oshawa & District Coin Club* will take place on April **APRIL 12th 2015** Doors open at 12:30 P.M. at **Rundle Park Community Centre** ( Located at Park & Gibb. ).

Remember that the Oshawa & District Coin Club is always open to friends and relatives. Please feel free to bring your friends and neighbors. Its nice to meet new people and you never know you may just generate new interest in the hobby.

### FROM THE PRES:

**WEB:** site seems to be fine now for those who read this.

**NEW SECRETARY:** Our thanks to Ted Walsh for doing the last meeting minutes before moving to Ottawa. We need a new secretary to take the minutes. Any volunteers ???

Our grateful thanks to Ted for the wonderful job he did. Good Luck!

**SNAP;** paper—will have a few at the meeting.

**Show;** On behalf of the club & myself I would like to again extend our deepest thanks to **ALL!!!** the dealers who came out and supported our show.

### EXECUTIVE MEETING:

Called for the April meeting at 1:45 PM (take a couple minutes)  
To update what I found out about ins.

## Attendance Draw Coupon

Oshawa & District Coin Club

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership # : \_\_\_\_\_



Meeting Time: 12:30pm to 4:00pm.

Meeting Place: Rundle Park Community Centre

### Meeting Dates 2015

Jan. 11th,	Feb. 08 th,	Mar. 08th	
Apr. 12th,	May 03rd,	June. 7th,	
Sep. 13th,	Oct. 04th,	Nov. 08th,	Dec 13th,
Coin Shows: Feb.21st. & Oct.17th 2015			

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## MEMBERSHIPS:

- : mailing list I believe is updated
- : If you wish to read your newsletter via web please send a small post at papman@bell.net & let me know. Also if you are having any trouble regarding the web or mailing please contact me.

## EDUCATION: Slide presentation:

April's topic is "2015 Pan Am Games Medals".

## ROYAL CANADIAN MINT

LOOKING FOR SOMETHING TO DO THIS SUMMER? HAVE YOU EVER THOUGHT ABOUT VISITING THE ROYAL CANADIAN MINT. IT IS LOCATED ON 320 SUSSEX DRIVE IN OTTAWA AND HOURS ARE 9 TO 6 WITH TOURS GOING BETWEEN 10.00 AND 5.00PM. RESERVATIONS ARE RECOMMENDED FOR THE TOUR AND CAN BE MADE AT [reservationsottawa@mint.ca](mailto:reservationsottawa@mint.ca) OR BY CALLING 1 800 276-7714. THE TOUR TAKES ABOUT 45 MINUTES AND GOES THROUGH THE MANUFACTURING FACILITY WHERE THE ART OF COIN MAKING IS REVEALED. HERE, HAND CRAFTED COLLECTOR AND COMMEMORATIVE COINS, BULLION COINS, MEDALS AND MEDALLIONS ARE PRODUCED. ALSO, THIS IS WHERE THE MASTER TOOLING IS DONE TO CREATE THE DIES THAT STRIKE COIN DESIGNS FOR BOTH CIRCULATION AND COMMEMORATIVE ISSUES. THE MINTS GOLD REFINING AND ADVANCED ENGINEERING OPERATIONS ARE ALSO LOCATED HERE IN OTTAWA. HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

HAVE A COIN VENTURE TO RELATE. ADDED A MUCH SOUGHT AFTER ADDITION TO YOUR COLLECTION OR A COIN STORY YOU WOULD LIKE TO SHARE WITH THE CLUB. FORWARD ANY ITEM TO DAVID GORESKI, YOUR EDITOR, AND I WOULD GLADLY INCLUDE IT IN THE NEWSLETTER.

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Numismatic Interest: \_\_\_\_\_

New Membership: \_\_\_\_\_ Renewal Membership: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Dues per year  
(January–December)  
Regular \$ 8.00  
Junior \$ 3.00  
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**Regular Meeting of Mar 8, 2015**

Meeting called to order at 2:07; 22 members signed in, 35 present

**Secretary's Report:** The February 8, 2015 minutes were read by Ted Walsh, with a motion to accept by Al Hynes, seconded by Bob Holden. Carried.

**Treasurer's Report:** Presented by Vic Shewchuk, Feb 8, 2015 to date expenses were listed in detail for a final figure of \$            as of Mar 08, 2015. Show final results to follow next month. Motion to accept the report by Al Hynes, seconded by Ed Keetch. Carried.

**Librarian's Report** - The CTC book is now available in the club library. Correction to last month, it was Steve Cahill who has requested a link to the Coin Club website, not Al Hynes.

**Education Coordinator's report**

- A very thorough presentation was made by Paul Strong on the counterfeit coins being produced in China, in very large numbers, mostly American but also Australian, South African and Canadian. Very difficult for the average collector to differentiate the phonies without specific detection methods. Examples provided by Jim Langille were circulated.

**President's discussion items:**

- RCM has produced a John A MacDonald coin, recent coin sales have shown that tokens are selling for triple their estimated sale price, RM has produced its 5<sup>th</sup> effigy of the Queen on the English coins, a huge hoard of silver has been discovered in Buckinghamshire, to be shared by the country, the land owner and the finder. Fake pound coins totalling 30M were seized in Britain, with arrests.
- Sharon thanked club members for their help at the Coin Show on the 21<sup>st</sup> of February, for setup, head table presence and take down after the show. Also thanks to Vic for the new cart which was very useful, even with the short tow rope. All tables were sold, costs were slightly higher owing to additional insurance costs (from \$2 mil to \$5 mil required), and the draw items were slightly higher in cost as well. Weather problems later in the day meant fewer guests, however from the dealers view, there was positive feedback. Overall, it was a success.

**New Business**

- None at this time
- Motion to adjourn by Al Hynes, seconded by Marion Alexander, carried
- Membership draw winner was Mike Bjerring.



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