



Potawatomi Area Council, BSA

Coin Collecting Merit Badge Clinic
CONTACT SCOUT OFFICE TO REGISTER



- WHO:** All Boy Scouts are invited. **Limited to 50 Scouts.**
- WHAT:** A morning of learning about Coin Collecting and if the prerequisites are completed, you will receive the Coin Collecting merit badge.
- WHEN:** Saturday, October 17, 2015, check in starts at 8:30AM. Program begins at 9:00AM and concludes at 12:00PM.
- WHERE:** **Potawatomi Area Council Service Center – Training Room**
804 Bluemound Rd.
Waukesha, WI 53188

WHAT TO BRING: ***Please bring your blue card signed by your Scoutmaster***
Please bring any coins that have been collected per the required pre-requisites.

WHAT TO WEAR: **Class "A" uniform.**

COST: \$15.00 / Boy Scout ---
(Fees include MB book, handouts, and a snack)

Prerequisite: Please complete the **highlighted** portions of the prerequisites below before attending the Coin Collecting Merit Badge Clinic in order to receive the Coin Collecting Merit Badge.

1. Describe the 1999-2008 50 State Quarters® program. **Collect and show your counselor five different state quarters you have acquired from circulation.**
2. **Collect from circulation a set of current U.S. coins. Include one coin from each denomination (cent, nickel, dime, quarter, half dollar, dollar). For each coin, locate the mint marks, if any, and the designer's initials, if any.**
3. Do ONE of the following
 - a. **Collect and identify 50 foreign coins from at least 10 different countries.**
 - b. **Collect and identify 20 bank notes from at least five different countries.**

- c. Collect and identify 15 different tokens or medals.
 - d. For each year since the year of your birth, collect a date set of a single type of coin.
4. Do ONE of the following:
- a. Tour a U.S. mint facility, a Bureau of Engraving and Printing facility, a Federal Reserve Bank, or a numismatic museum or exhibit, and describe what you learned to your counselor.
 - b. With your parent's permission, attend a coin show or coin club meeting***, or view the website of the U.S. Mint or a coin dealer, and report what you learned.
 - c. Give a talk about coin collecting to a group such as your Troop, a Cub Scout Pack, or your class at school.
 - d. Do drawings of five Colonial-era U.S. coins.

***Coin Club meeting opportunities before Merit Badge Clinic:

Waukesha Coin Club
 September 2nd, 2015 and October 7th 2015
 Salvation Army Meeting Room
 445 Madison St.
 Waukesha, WI 53188.

Meetings begin at 7:00 PM and last until 8:30/9:00 PM.

For additional information, please contact:

Dick Plopper via email at mypoview@twc.com or
 phone at 262-691-6789.

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Saturday, October 17, 2015

PLEASE ✓ DISTRICT: Onatah Northern Lights River Trails
 Troop # _____ No. of Scouts _____ No. of Adults _____

Leader's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Scouts Attending:

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| 2. _____ | 7. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 8. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 9. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 10. _____ |

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 or register online at www.pacbsa.org