

(Bob Frazier governor report)

The 2021 Elongated Coin Design Contest theme was “What I’m Thankful for”. The contest was announced in the January TEC News and entries were due at the end of February. Reminders were sent out via the TEC Facebook Page. This year we had a grand total of fifty designs received. Thirty-eight designs were from twenty regular members and twelve designs were from three junior members. This year’s winning design was submitted by Dana Beyer (TEC #5106) and the winning design for the Junior member was submitted by Ryan Manley (TEC #5182-Jr). All TEC members received elongated coins with the winning designs with the July TEC News. Additionally, the winners received a complete denomination set (Penny, Nickel, Dime and Quarter) and 25 additional pennies of their designs. All of the entries can be seen on the TEC News website.

The TEC Newsletter is delivered to all active members of TEC 4 times a year. Members have three choices of how to receive their newsletter. They can be print copies, digital copies or a combination of both. The newsletter is published in January, April, July and October. The newsletter is loaded with articles and tips about collecting elongated coins as well other valuable information. With each issue members receive limited edition coins that are only available to TEC members. TEC has over 600 members in 48 states, Washington DC, Canada and The United Kingdom. In the last 12 months TEC has mailed out over 1700 print newsletters, 800 digital newsletters and over 10000 elongated coins.