

# Legacy Knights Numismatic Society

## 2020-2021 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

STUDENT INFORMATION (ALL INFO IS REQUIRED—PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY):

NAME:	
GRADE:	TEACHER or HOMESCHOOL GROUP:
MAILING ADDRESS (STREET OR P.O. BOX):	
CITY/STATE/ZIP:	
STUDENT EMAIL ADDRESS (REQUIRED*): (LCA STUDENTS, USE YOUR @LEGACYKNIGHTS.ORG ADDRESS)	
PHONE#:	BIRTHDAY (MM/DD/YYYY):
ARE YOU A CURRENT OR RECENT MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION?    NO    YES -- ANA MEMBER#:    EXPIRATION DATE:	

*\*If the student has no email address, please supply a regularly-checked parent email address.*

### REQUIREMENTS FOR MEMBERSHIP:

- 1) A complete, accurate, and legible membership application (**this form**).
- 2) **\$25.00 cash or check payable to "LEGACY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY"**. Dues must be paid to participate in activities and earn awards. Dues are non-refundable.
- 3) **Copy of your most recent grade card that has letter grades on it (A's, B's, C's, etc.)** NOTE TO GRADE 3 LCA STUDENTS: Letter grades start this year. Please bring in your first quarter grade card to the October meeting. NOTE TO HOMESCHOOL MEMBERS: A signed statement from instructor/parent indicating homeschool status, homeschool group name, and student's satisfactory completion of requirements will suffice.

### OUR SOCIETY'S FOUR RULES:

1. HAVE FUN!      2. BE RESPECTFUL!      3. LEARN SOMETHING!      4. SHARE YOUR KNOWLEDGE!

Please review and talk about these rules with your parent or guardian on the other side of this page.

### TRADING RULES (these rules also apply to buying and selling):

We want to honor God, our families, our school, and LKNS by maintaining the highest reputation of being honest, honorable, and fair in all our dealings. Therefore, all members must agree to these trading rules: 1.) I will only trade my own personal property. 2.) I will talk with my parents about what I may or may not take to school and/or trade; and I will only trade what I have my parents' permission to trade. 3.) I will make it my business to know the approximate value of what I am offering, as well as of what I am receiving. 4.) I will make all trades in the spirit of honesty and fairness; I will not misrepresent any item; I will neither offer nor accept what I know is a bad deal. 5.) I will not pressure others, nor be pressured, into making a trade one of us doesn't really want to make. 6.) If in doubt, either my trade partner or I may ask an adult to review our trade for advice before we make it.

### SECURITY AND CLASSROOM RULES:

Members must always be responsible for their own numismatic items. Do not be careless with your items while at school or leave them where they could be lost, damaged, or stolen. Keep them secure and out of sight when not in use. Abide by all class/library/lunchroom/etc. rules teachers may make regarding numismatic items, trading, storing, displaying, etc. during the school day.

### APPLICANT SIGNATURE:

"I have read, understand, and agree to abide by all LKNS and LCA rules. I understand that membership is a privilege that depends on my ability and willingness to abide by the rules and cooperate with the leaders in charge. I will do my best to listen, cooperate, follow instructions, and help make LKNS a great experience for everyone."

[Student Signature:] \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENTS – PLEASE READ AND COMPLETE REVERSE SIDE**



**PARENT(S)/GUARDIAN(S) INFORMATION (ALL INFO IS REQUIRED—PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY):**

NAME(S):	
CONTACT PHONE #:	TEXT # (IF DIFFERENT):
EMERGENCY ALTERNATE CONTACT NAME(S)/PHONE(S):	
PARENT/GUARDIAN EMAIL THAT YOU ACTIVELY CHECK:	PARENT/GUARDIAN FACEBOOK NAME/ID:

**PARTICIPATION IS KEY (AND COMMUNICATION IS KEY TO PARTICIPATION)!** Please provide an email address you check regularly. Please READ emails for important updates, reminders, and additions to our schedule. **VERY IMPORTANT:** An ANA membership username and password will be sent to the email mailbox your child specified on the front of this form; please help them find it, and do not lose it! Ask your student if they've received any LKNS flyers and read them together. Finally, if you Facebook, please LIKE and follow our public page (@KnightsNumismatics) and accept our invitation to our private LKNS group.

**EXPECTATIONS FOR YOUR STUDENT:** *Our Four Rules cover lots of things, but here are some examples to review with your student:*

- HAVE FUN**—LKNS has fun and interesting meetings and activities; even parties, auctions, giveaways, and drawings! How much fun you have depends on how much you participate! Also, remember to help others have fun too—we all have more fun together!
- BE RESPECTFUL**—Honor others through listening, participating, showing interest, helping, using good manners, and respecting others' property (be careful, don't touch it without permission). Respect yourself and your fellow members with behavior that doesn't distract, disrupt, or interfere.
- LEARN SOMETHING**—You will gain the most from LKNS if you attend, listen, and participate. There's a lot you can learn, and numismatics makes it fun and interesting! If you learn something interesting at LKNS, read more about it when you go home!
- SHARE YOUR KNOWLEDGE**—Use what you know and learn to help others know and learn. Leadership is born through serving others. You earn respect, gain confidence, and make friends when you lead this way.

"I, [print name] \_\_\_\_\_ (parent/guardian) assert that my student is sufficiently interested in numismatics to be an asset to the Legacy Knights Numismatic Society. I hereby recommend this student for membership and grant permission to join LKNS and the ANA.

I have read, understand, and agree with the Important Information for Parents/Guardians, including granting permission to send contact information to the ANA for the sake of enrolling my student in their YN program.

I agree to review my student's collection and discuss which numismatic items may or may not be taken to school, traded, sold, etc. I agree that LKNS, its Coordinator, members, volunteers, and the faculty and staff of Legacy Christian Academy cannot know or keep track of which numismatic items are family heirlooms and which are OK to trade; therefore I will not hold them responsible for the trade, sale, loss, or theft of any numismatic items associated with my student or family."

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

For more information, see <https://www.facebook.com/KnightsNumismatics>. Email contact: [numismatics@legacyknights.org](mailto:numismatics@legacyknights.org)

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## IMPORTANT LKNS INFORMATION FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS

- 1) **WHO CAN JOIN:** Membership in LKNS is limited to currently enrolled 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade students of Legacy Christian Academy (LCA) and affiliated homeschool programs, LKNS alumni, parent volunteers, and school faculty/staff.
- 2) **ANNUAL DUES:** Payment of \$25.00 is required of student members; funds will be used towards purchases of supplies and paying expenses. Dues are required at the beginning of the year for membership and are non-refundable.
- 3) **WHY GRADE CARDS ARE REQUIRED:** We supply them to the ANA only to receive benefits for our club and its members. The ANA offers our club discounts on new membership costs and sends a free coin to students who earn at least 3 A's.
- 4) **ATTENDANCE BEHAVIOR:** One of our goals is for all our students to have fun and enjoy our meetings and events. Disruptive, distracting behavior is disrespectful of others and impacts their enjoyment. Please ensure your student understands that membership is a privilege, and that their behavior must uphold the highest standards of the Numismatic Knights.
- 5) **STUDENT PICKUP:** LKNS will meet at least once each month during the school year, typically in either the LCA library or the cafeteria ("Chambers") after school, from 3:00PM until 5:00PM. Parents are responsible for prompt pickup of students by the end of the meeting.
- 6) **FIELD TRIPS:** As event arrangements permit, we may have additional meetings off campus; for example, meeting at a local coin shop, attending a coin show, etc. Some of these events may be scheduled for an evening or weekend; transportation is not provided by the school or club. Advance notice and instructions will be given.
- 7) **A.N.A. MEMBERSHIP:** All LKNS student members will be enrolled in the American Numismatic Association's Young Numismatist program as part of our curriculum. Part of your student's LKNS dues go towards individual and club-level ANA membership. The ANA is the world's largest numismatic organization; it provides invaluable resources to our club and individual members. Members will receive an ANA membership card and other info in the US mail. Parents are encouraged to explore their website (<https://money.org>) with their students to discover all that is available to them. The ANA offers scholarship opportunities, not only to ANA seminars, but for college, regardless of your student's chosen field of study.
- 8) **A.N.A. EMAIL REQUIREMENT:** The ANA requires a valid email address to complete your student's ANA membership; they send a username and password which is necessary to complete some of the ANA curriculum we use. LCA students will set up their ANA account with their LCA mailbox; we will help them retrieve their ANA login info. For homeschool students who don't have an LCA mailbox, please provide a valid, monitored mailbox (student or parent), and watch for emails from the ANA. LKNS has never seen anything inappropriate arrive in email as a result of joining the ANA.

RECORD YOUR STUDENT'S ANA MEMBERSHIP AND LOGIN INFO HERE:

ANA MEMBERSHIP #: \_\_\_\_\_ MONEY.ORG LOGIN NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PASSWORD: \_\_\_\_\_

- 9) **ONLINE WITH THE A.N.A.:** Parts of the ANA's YN program require a login to participate. Once logged in, the student has access to their own blog if they wish; they can be contacted by other ANA members. Please discuss online safety with your student prior to use; if you wish, you can control their access by changing their password after they receive it so that they cannot logon without you. LKNS does not require use of the blogs, collections, or other public community features of the site.
- 10) **PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS AND YOUR STUDENT'S SAFETY:** LKNS communicates PUBLICLY via our public FACEBOOK page, on the INTERNET (e.g. on the LCA WEBSITE, or a MONEY.ORG blog), via public numismatic DISPLAYS, in MAGAZINE ARTICLES, and LKNS INFORMATIONAL LITERATURE. Occasionally your student's image may appear as we post photos of our activities. For their safety, we never identify our student members on public communications by name without your permission.
- 11) **INTERNAL COMMUNICATIONS:** LKNS communicates with our members and families via our PRIVATE FACEBOOK GROUP, EMAILS, SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS, and FLYERS sent home with students. Your LKNS Coordinator makes every effort to communicate important information, updates, reminders, and additions to our schedule via several channels. It is the members' and their parents' responsibility to check for communications and heed announcements. We may identify student members by name in the PRIVATE Facebook group. Email LKNS at [numismatics@legacyknights.org](mailto:numismatics@legacyknights.org) with questions or feedback.
- 12) **FAMILY SUPPORT:** Parents/guardians are encouraged to talk with their students about their LKNS experience. Taking an interest in your student's interests is a great way to encourage them. Look at their collection with them and ask questions. Offer guidance with their projects, but let them lead. You are always welcome to attend LKNS functions with your student. Your Coordinator appreciates your insights and feedback on your student's LKNS experience.
- 13) **VOLUNTEER HELP:** Parents can help in a variety of ways: bringing cookies or water bottles to parties; keeping score for games; being a "teacher's aide" for activities; or simply providing additional adult presence. Watch for opportunities to show support.
- 14) **DONATIONS WELCOME:** As the dues don't cover all expenses, donations of additional funds, numismatic items of interest, and supplies are greatly appreciated. Contact the Coordinator if interested in donating.

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## **LKNS 2020-2021 CALENDAR**

### **SEPTEMBER**

There are no scheduled meetings or activities for September this year. Watch for alternate events announced throughout the year.

Due to the uncertainty of pandemic restrictions extending into the 2020-2021 school year, guest speakers and special events are TBA. Watch for announcements!

### **OCTOBER**

26—Library; 3-5PM

Bring your 1st Quarter Grade Card to the meeting!

### **NOVEMBER**

30—Library; 3-5PM

Activity Workshop: Coin Identity Challenge, Coin Grading Project, ANA Dollar Project, etc.

### **DECEMBER**

14—Chambers; 3-5PM

Annual LKNS Christmas Party!

### **JANUARY**

25—Library; 3-5PM

Activity Workshop: Coin Identity Challenge, Coin Grading Project, ANA Dollar Project, etc.

### **FEBRUARY**

22—Chambers; 3-5PM

4<sup>th</sup> Annual LKNS Birthday Party!  
Numismatic Team Jeopardy!

### **MARCH**

29—Library; 3-5PM

Activity Workshop: Coin Identity Challenge, Coin Grading Project, ANA Dollar Project, etc.

### **APRIL**

26—Library; 3-5PM

Getting credit for all your hard work... bring in completed activities!

### **MAY**

17—Chambers, 3-5:30PM

Annual End Of Year Student Members Only Auction!

27—LKNS Awards during Awards Chapel

**PLEASE WATCH FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS** IN THE KNIGHTLY NEWS, LKNS FACEBOOK POSTS, EMAILS, FLYERS, ETC. for changes in meeting location, additional events, etc.