

Greater Cincinnati Women's Post 644 Commander's Coin

OFFICIAL RULES of a COIN CHALLENGE

1. RULES:

- A.*** A challenge is initiated by drawing your Post 644 Coin, holding it in the air or tapping it on a table in a manner that can be easily seen or heard by those being challenged.
- B.*** A proper response consists of all persons being challenged drawing their Post 644 Coins in a like manner within 60 seconds. Coins of other organizations are not recognized – if you are challenged with a Post 644 Coin, you must produce a Post 644 Coin.
- C.*** If you are challenged and are unable to properly respond, you must “pay the price” by making a minimum donation of \$2 to the Pallas Athena at the next Post 644 meeting. Alternately, if all participants involved in the challenge are in agreement, you may “pay the price” by purchasing a round of drinks (alcoholic or non-alcoholic) for the victor(s).
- D.*** If everyone being challenged responds in the correct manner, the challenger must “pay the price” as above.
- E.*** If you accidentally drop your Coin and another member witnesses or hears the infraction, then you must “pay the price” as above for improper care of your Coin (provided the accuser is able to produce his/her own Coin).
- F.*** If you are skillful and cunning enough to steal a Coin from another member of the Post, you must surrender the stolen Coin to the Commander and the owner must make formal petition for return of the Coin at the next general membership meeting. Return of the Coin shall normally be contingent upon the creativity and sincerity of the petitioner's plea.
- G.*** Disputes will be heard by the Commander at the next regular membership meeting of Post 644. Quibbling, nitpicking, and whining are highly discouraged and will most likely be met with little sympathy. The decision of the Commander is final.

2. WHEN – WHERE:

- A.*** Coin checks are permitted ANY TIME, ANY PLACE. In the shower? Scuba diving in the Caribbean? Running a marathon? Touring Rome? Cutting the grass? Doesn't matter – if challenged, you must produce your Coin within 60 seconds or lose the challenge. (Cohabitants who belong to Post 644 are encouraged to negotiate their own groundrules so as to not disrupt domestic tranquility.)

3. ALTERATION OF COINS:

- A.*** Coins affixed to belt buckles are not Coins, they are belt buckles.
- B.*** Coins affixed to key chains are not Coins, they are key chains.
- C.*** Coins with a hole drilled in them are not Coins, they are pendants.
- D.*** In accordance with tradition, unaltered Coins placed in a holder or clasp and worn around the neck like a necklace are valid and are considered a Coin.

5. FINAL ADVICE:

- A.*** Never, ever be caught without your Post 644 Coin.

NOTE: The Post 644 Commander's Coin is privately funded and available in a very limited quantity. Please do not give your Coin away. If you know someone who has made special contributions to the Post or to veterans and you think he/she deserves a Coin, please discuss with the Commander.