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EXPLORE  
CANADA AS  
YOU'VE NEVER  
SEEN IT BEFORE

SPIRITED SYMBOLS OF  
CANADA (PAGE 4)—  
PLUS MUCH MORE.

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RAISED FALCON DESIGN  
AND SHINY BACKGROUND  
HIGHLIGHT THE SHINE OF  
PURE SILVER.



ACTUAL SIZE

## WORLD'S FASTEST HUNTER.

The peregrine falcon is one of the most spectacular birds of prey. It is roughly the size of a crow with compact feathers and long, pointed wings that allow it to dive at breakneck speeds of 300 km/h (186 mph) to catch its prey.

This daring existence seems to begin at birth when the female lays her eggs in a shallow hollow that she scratches out of a cliff ledge. This is her nestlings' home for the first 35 to 45 days of life, and the place where they begin their hunting lessons by catching food their parents drop from above.

At six weeks, the nestlings take to the sky to snatch food directly from their parents' talons. Once they are able to provide for themselves, they will permanently leave the nest to grace the skies with the same beauty and power that has been crafted on this spectacular coin.

\$5  
fine silver  
(99.99% pure)  
proof  
31.39 g  
38 mm  
serrated

**2014 \$5 FINE SILVER COIN—  
PEREGRINE FALCON**

**#127179**

**\$89<sup>95</sup>** NO GST/HST!\*

Limited to 20,000 coins worldwide.

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AN ORIGINAL DESIGN BY  
CELEBRATED QUEBEC  
ACTOR, SINGER AND  
JEWELLERY DESIGNER  
CAROLINE NÉRON.



## JEWEL OF LIFE.

This breathtaking coin combines pure silver, selective gold plating and five glittering Swarovski Elements to recreate the magical essence of a Canadian winter. Perhaps there are mystical fairies dancing in the glistening snow, protected by a tall and proud tree. Its leafless silhouette suggests a barren landscape, but beneath the earth life lies dormant. Soon, seeds will sprout in the darkness and reach for the light.

The tree is a cornerstone of Canada's national identity and the jewel of all life on earth. This coin is a masterpiece of visual poetry that is a poignant reminder that trees nurture, sustain, purify and preserve the very rhythm of life itself. It's an original keepsake that will delight anyone who appreciates nature, the majesty of a Canadian winter and the poetic beauty of life on earth.

\$3  
fine silver  
(99.99% pure)  
proof  
(with selective  
gold plate &  
crystal effect)  
7.96 g  
27 mm  
serrated

MADE WITH SWAROVSKI® ELEMENTS.

**2014 \$3 FINE SILVER COIN—  
JEWEL OF LIFE**

**#128684**

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worldwide.

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VANCOUVER BOUTIQUES. DETAILS AT [MINT.CA/BOUQUETS](http://MINT.CA/BOUQUETS).



A STUNNING VISUAL  
ESSAY ON THE CANADIAN  
EXPERIENCE—MORE  
THAN 50 DISTINCT  
IMAGES IN ONE DESIGN!



## CANADA—THROUGH THE EYES OF TIM BARNARD.

Explore Canada as you've never seen it before with this captivating coin that draws you in to discover more than 50 images that are Canadian icons in their own right, or reflective of the artist's personal Canadian experiences—like time spent under the Yukon's midnight sun, as shown within the centre of this coin.

These images are reminiscent of comic book illustrations, but that's where their similarity to comic books ends. Instead of being linear they spiral out from the centre, inviting you to create your own adventure as you search for the initials of the province or territory you call home.

What else will you find? Canadian fauna and flora; First Nations culture and art; historic portraits and images; and various logos. Every time you explore this coin, you will see something new.

\$30  
fine silver  
(99.99% pure)  
proof  
62.7 g  
54 mm  
serrated

TRULY CANADIAN!  
**2014 \$30 FINE SILVER COIN—  
CANADIAN CONTEMPORARY ART**

**#129132**

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AN EXCLUSIVE COLLECTIBLE BY WORLD-RENNED  
CANADIAN ARTIST TIM BARNARD.

\$250  
fine gold  
(99.99% pure)  
proof  
62.34 g  
42 mm  
serrated

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**2014 \$250 PURE GOLD COIN—  
CANADIAN CONTEMPORARY ART**

**#130164**

**\$5,199<sup>95</sup>** NO GST/HST!\*

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A STUNNING REPLICA OF THE WOLF ONE-OUNCE BULLION COIN CRAFTED IN 99.999% PURE GOLD—THE HIGHEST STANDARD OF GOLD WORLDWIDE.

## CALL OF THE WILD.

The eerie sound of a wolf's howl can pierce the air for miles around. It can be a lone voice in the darkness, or multiple calls echoing from the distance. A wolf's howl can send shivers down the most stalwart spine, when in truth there is nothing to fear.

In the entire written history of Canada, there is not a single incident of a person being killed by a wolf (*Canis lupus*), but that haunting call from an unseen beast in the darkness was destined to inspire fairytale villains who continue to shape people's beliefs and perceptions today.

The wolf's howl actually demonstrates its sophistication and complex social structure. Wolves live in packs of four to 12 members, and they are highly territorial, controlling hundreds of square kilometres of land. Howling is the pack's way of communicating—gathering members, warning intruding packs, even calling wolf pups.

\$200  
fine gold  
(99.999% pure)  
proof  
31.16 g  
30 mm  
interrupted  
serration

ANCIENT SPIRIT OF SURVIVAL  
**2014 \$200 PURE GOLD COIN—  
THE HOWLING WOLF**

**#129232**

**\$2,799<sup>95</sup>** NO GST/HST!\*

Limited to 2,000 coins worldwide.

**QUICK FIND:** [mint.ca/TheWolf](http://mint.ca/TheWolf)





STRUCK IN ONE KILOGRAM  
OF 99.99% PURE SILVER WITH  
SELECTIVE ENAMEL TO  
ACCENTUATE THE SNOWY  
OWL'S YELLOW EYES.

## UNDER THE GAZE OF THE MIDNIGHT SUN.

Few animals can match the owl for the intensity of its gaze, and the eyes of the snowy owl (*Bubo scandiacus*) are further distinguished by a third diagonal eyelid that protects them from the Arctic wind and bright sunlight. Contrary to common belief, owls can see day or night, an ability that is particularly important for the snowy owl, which must hunt under the midnight sun of the Arctic summer.

Unlike other birds, an owl's eyes are located on the front of its head, an adaptation that heightens its depth perception for targeting prey, which it can spot over tremendous distances. Owls cannot roll their eyes the way humans do: they are fixed in their sockets. This is yet another intriguing adaptation that produces the signature way owls turn their heads—as much as 270 degrees in either direction before fixating on their prey.

\$250  
fine silver  
(99.99% pure)  
proof with  
selective  
enamel  
1,000 g  
102.1 mm  
serrated

**2014 \$250 FINE SILVER COIN—  
IN THE EYES OF THE  
SNOWY OWL**

**#129422**

**\$2,299<sup>95</sup>** NO GST/HST!\*

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## TURN A NEW LEAF.

This coin's airy design beautifully conveys the notion of time through the perpetual rhythm of Canada's four seasons.

Change. The anticipation of something new. It's an idea that has lured untold multitudes to Canada to start anew, to turn a new leaf.

\$50  
fine silver  
(99.99% pure)  
proof  
157.6 g  
65.25 mm  
serrated

### 2014 \$50 FINE SILVER COIN—MAPLE LEAVES

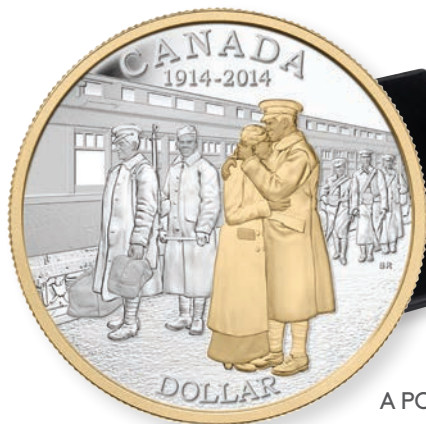
#129499

**\$519<sup>95</sup>** NO GST/HST!\*

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A POPULAR SET, YEAR AFTER YEAR.

## UNFORGETTABLE MOMENTS PRESERVED FOREVER.

### 2014 FINE SILVER PROOF SET—100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DECLARATION OF THE FIRST WORLD WAR

Every coin is struck in fine silver (99.99% pure)! Plus, this is the only set offering selective gold plating on the commemorative silver dollar—a must-have!

#128624

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### INCLUDES THE RARE 50-CENT COIN! 2014 UNCIRCULATED SET

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#128638

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# OFF TO WAR— BY LAND AND SEA.



A.

On October 3, 1914, the largest single movement of Canadians during the First World War—the largest convoy ever to cross the Atlantic to that point—set sail. Canada's response to Britain's declaration of war had been swift and enthusiastic, with recruits quickly swelling the nation's standing army of 3,110 to more than 30,000.

Tens of thousands of fathers, sons, husbands and brothers made their way up roped gangways to steel ships that would take them, along with 7,000 horses and critical munitions and supplies, to England.

Trains also played an essential role in Canada's mobilisation as they brought soldiers across the continent to the new training camp in Valcartier near Québec City, or delivered them to the Port of Halifax, where they would head out to sea. Over the course of the war, more than 650,000 men made that voyage. Sadly, more than 66,000 never returned home.

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A HEARTFELT  
TRIBUTE TO  
THOSE WHO  
SERVED—PAST  
AND PRESENT.



B.

\$10  
fine silver  
(99.99% pure)  
proof  
15.87 g  
34 mm  
serrated

**A. 2014 \$10 FINE SILVER COIN—100TH ANNIVERSARY  
OF THE DECLARATION OF THE FIRST WORLD WAR:  
THE MOBILISATION OF OUR NATION**

**#129457**

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Limited to 40,000 coins worldwide.

**QUICK FIND:** [mint.ca/Mobilisation](http://mint.ca/Mobilisation)

\$1  
fine silver  
(99.99% pure)  
proof  
23.17 g  
36.07 mm  
serrated

**B. 2014 PROOF SILVER DOLLAR—100TH ANNIVERSARY  
OF THE DECLARATION OF THE FIRST WORLD WAR**

**#128296**

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13TH COIN  
IN THE  
SERIES.

COLOUR DESIGN  
SHOWCASES THE VIBRANT  
BEAUTY OF THIS SONGBIRD  
AND THE WILDFLOWERS OF  
ITS GRASSLAND HABITAT.

## SINGING AMONG THE WILDFLOWERS.

Every summer, a melodic song like a sliding whistle fills the air above the open fields and grasslands of southern Ontario and east to the St. Lawrence Valley. It's the happy tune of the Eastern Meadowlark (*Sturnella magna*), a medium-sized songbird that isn't a lark, but a member of the blackbird family (*Icteridae*).

This cheerful bird often sings in full view from an exposed branch or fence post, and its vibrant colours make it easy to spot. It has a yellow throat and belly, and a distinctive black v-shaped collar. In contrast, its back and wings are a darker pattern of mottled black and brown—the perfect camouflage for walking on the ground and digging in the soil for insects.

When the Meadowlark flies, it alternates between a few rapid wing beats and graceful glides—a distinctive flight pattern that only adds to the endearing nature of this delightful bird.



ACTUAL SIZE

25¢  
cupronickel  
specimen  
(with  
colour)  
35 mm  
plain

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4TH COIN  
IN THE  
SERIES.



TURN OFF THE LIGHTS AND DISCOVER TIKTAALIK'S  
GLOWING SKELETON! PHOTO-LUMINESCENT EFFECT  
WILL NOT WEAR OUT!

## "MISSING LINK" DISCOVERED!

In 2004, researchers working in Nunavut uncovered the fossilized remains of a mysterious prehistoric creature to bridge the evolutionary gap between water and land.

*Tiktaalik* lived roughly 375 million years ago. It had the gills, scales and fins of a fish, but the head of an amphibian: flat with both eyes on top, and spiracles that suggest the presence of rudimentary lungs.

What's more, *Tiktaalik* had extra-thick ribs, another adaptation for animals that don't float in water and need extra support against gravity while on land. It also had wrist and finger-like bone structures inside its fins—precursors to actual limbs.

Experts believe *Tiktaalik* used these limb-fins to push itself out of the shallow, fast-flowing water where it lived and crossed short distances on land. It's a captivating, puzzle-packed creature that will fuel the imagination of dino-detectives young and old alike!

25¢  
cupronickel  
specimen  
(with colour &  
photo  
luminescence)  
35 mm  
plain

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**TIKTAALIK**

#127627

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