

Strait Stamp Talk

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Presidents Message

Welcome to our July - August Newsletter.



Wes Falor
Photo by Richard Tarbuck

Hope everyone is getting their displays pulled together as it s almost time for our annual show. This will be the last newsletter before the show so it is now "crunch" time. The A. P. S. show coming right after ours will make things interesting. I hope it does not cause our attendance to drop off. Keeping that in mind we need to double our efforts about getting out the information about the show and to as wide a group as we can. I greatly appreciate all of the hard work our members do to make this a great show. With the National Park theme we are using we should to pick up a few more interesting individuals, I hope.

The letter for the month of July is "Q" and for the month of august is "R"{that means some serious searching as Q does not have many possibilities =

July 7th..MEETING

After the general meeting, there will be a show and tell that begins with the letter "Q". Books with stamps will be available for circulation. Stamp book covers can be downloaded from our website straitstamp.org.

Aug. 4th. MEETING

After the general meeting, There will be a show and tell that begins with the letter "R." Members are encouraged to come prepared with their choices. This will be followed by a <u>Silent Auction</u>. Bring any items you are interested in selling. Silent Auction forms can be downloaded from our website http://straitstamp.org.

Free used periodicals and some club material available for sale.

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July-Aug. Stamp Shows

July 16-17 Evergreen Stamp Club
(Summer Exhibition)
Kent, WA

July 30, Strait Stamp Show
Sequim Masonic Lodge
Sequim, WA

Aug. 4-7, APS Stampshow2016
(WSP Show)
Portland, OR

Aug. 14, Fenwick Stamp Show (Bourse) Holiday Inn' 1 South Grady Way Renton, WA

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2016 Stamp Program

July-Aug. Issues

July 13, **James Escalante** Washington DC

July 15, Classic Trucks Syracuse, NY

July 31, Henry James
(3 Ounce Literary Arts)
Dulles, VA

July? Star Trek

Aug.2, **Pets** Las Vegas, NV Stamps * Covers * Supplies * Coins
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Presidents message

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A few possibilities are: Querensland, Quelimane,, or? The letter R for August leaves many possibilities. Please remember that there will be a silent auction for July and bring those goodies you wish to dispose of...

Hope everyone is having a good start of summer.

Respectfully, Wesley N. Falor .



Secretary Cathie Osborne Notes.

June 28, 2016 meeting at Cathie's House

There were five **members** at the show planning meeting this morning. We made some progress, but there is still more to do. Donuts and coffee were great, though. We'll have one more planning meeting session July 19th.

I'm excited about how many of us have decided to do an exhibit. There is going to be some great ones, I know. And we have your ribbons waiting for you.

May I take this moment to say 'thank you' to all who contribute to make our meetings and our show fn place to be? It's a delight, in a world that's gone a bit wonky, to have an organization' that is a pleasure. Your the best.

Off to Reno in the morning, for my last obligation before the show. See you at the general meeting July 7th.! Cathie,

Editors notes:

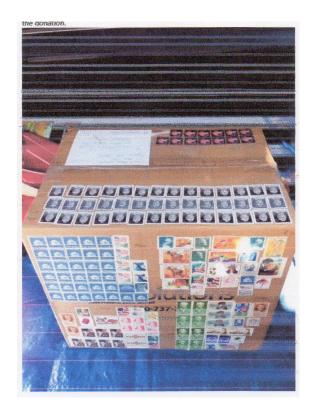
Cathie attached some copies of exhibit forms: One Frame Exhibit from Julie Tarbuck on "Wine on Stamps" and another one frame on "Man's Best Friend" description Dogs on Stamps. Donald McIntyerone Frame on "Christmas on stamps".

Richard Tarbuck will have separated frames one on "LEDENDS" and another exhibit on "JAPAN ART IN STAMP" in a separated area. That 25 or 26 but we can us a lot more to keep the viewers interested in coming to the big event Strait Stamp Show in Sequim the 30th of July.

Chester Masters #

Pictures of some







Editor Chester Masters

July last Saturday of the mouth July 30th on our "**Strait Stamp Show'** with a Post Office booth canceling covers and our show covers of a **Bird** show cache with a postal cancel of a Bird and Strait Stamp show with the date and another one frame on



I think that is our stat bird the yellow fench.

So bring your friends who loves birds. Their will be lots of exhibits with all types of birds, cancellations, bells, flowers, postal history and more. The first six exhibit frames will be on birds. Viewer of the exhibit can check out dears stock on birds on U.S. and foreign stamps of different types of birds and wish to purchase and talk to other on birds. Free admission, Free stamps for children, Snack Bar with coffee, drinks, donuts and cookies plus the door prizes called out every hour. You also get to vote on three ex hibits (Most Educational), (Most attractive) and (Most unusual).

Stampshow – APS National Summer Convention Portland, Oregon August 3-7 2016



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Where: Oregon Convention Center 777 NE Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.

Portland, OR. 97232

Hours: Thuirs 11am-6pm Fri-sat. 10am-6pm Sun. 10am-4pm

Host Hotel: Double Tree by Hilton Portland

Pre-Register: NEW

Only APS Members who Pre- register can access the show floor at 10am 1 hour before the

show floor at 10am Thur.

Free Gift: Anyone who pre-register will

receive a free gift

To Pre-register web-site

Stamps.org/STAMPSHOW-SS

The last APS Stamp show was in Portland, Org. at the Portland convention center 2006, ten years ago on the lower floor of the convention center goner to special meetings
Plus did a program for the Christopher
Columbus stamp society.

Purchased a lot of stamps and history covers and viewed loads of exhibits till I was really wore out Met a lot of old collecting friends along the way. The next APS show will not be for another 10 years in the northwest

