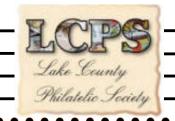
Newsletter of the Lake County (IL)

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Last meeting was a sell/trade/ swap event that saw a few items change hands. We also received one collection that will go a long ways in providing postage for the club's newsletter.

Another collection was brought in for a initial evaluation. Chuck later went out to the site and went through that and material that was not brought in.





This month's presentation will be "Collecting Malay States Stamps" by Dave Stueckemann and Tom Willer.

The Malay States were (a large segment of the Straits Settlements) a former British crown colony comprising parts of the southern and western Malay Peninsula and adjacent islands, including Singapore. Formed in 1826, it was under Indian control until 1867, when the British assumed direct authority. Singapore became a separate colony in 1946; the remaining area was granted to Australia and the Federation of Malaya (later Malaysia) in the 1950s.





This 129<sup>th</sup> CHICAGOPEX event will be Friday-Sunday, November 20-22 at the Westin Chicago Northwest, 400 Park Blvd, Itasca, IL 60143 (same place as the last five years). This is the largest 'local' stamp show in the area and one of the largest in the nation with many national stamp and supply dealers making an appearance.

Besides the 80+ dealers, The Society of Australasian Specialists/Oceania, The India Study Circle, The Eire Philatelic Association and The Institute for Analytical Philately will be holding their annual conventions at this year's stamp show.

## Treasures' Report: Total - \$3,278.81

Local Stamp Shows Chicagopex 2015

Westin Chicago Northwest 400 Park Boulevard Itasca IL

November 20, 21 and 22

**MSDA Show Milwaukee** St Aloysius' Gonzaga Hall 1435 S 92nd Street West Allis, WI December 5 and 6

**MSDA Show West Lindner Conference Center** 610 E Butterfield RD Lombard IL December 12 and 13

MSDA SPRING STAMP SHOW **Country Inn and Suites** 600 Milwaukee Ave

Prospect Heights IL April 23 and 24



Next meeting: 7-PM on Tuesday, 27 October 2015

at the Grayslake Library 100 Library Lane - Grayslake, IL 60030



Officers:

Dr Tom Willer - President Bill Schultz - Vice President Dave Sadler - Secretary Ed Pieklo - Treasurer



**The American Philatelic Society** was founded to support the stamp collector. Given that few hobbies match the flexibility of stamp collecting — suitable for nearly all ages all tear round regardless of the climate where you are located and does not require any special skills or great wealth. One of the major benifits of belonging to the society are the Member Services.

Membership, Whether you are a beginning collector or have collected for years, provides the tools and educational opportunities to broaden your interests and enhance your collecting enjoyment!

## Briefly, they include:

- 1) StampStore Purchase stamps online. No bidding, watching or waiting you see it, you like it, you buy it!
- 2) *Mail Sales Circuits* Buy and sell stamps from the comfort of your home.
- 3) *Expertizing* Obtain guaranteed opinions on the genuineness of stamps and covers.
- 4) Quick I.D. Get help identifying that troubling stamp.
- 5) *The American Philatelist* Full-color, 100-page monthly magazine.
- 6) *Insurance* Protect your collection with the most comprehensive stamp coverage available.
- 7) **Online Members Only Area** Log-in and update your membership profile and view your account status. Also take advantage of online specials articles, discounts, online exhibits, and more...
- 8) *Library* Our expert staff and vast collection of print and digital resources are ready to assist you with your research. Access online resources, request scans, and borrow books or obtain photocopies by mail.
- 9) **Exhibitions** Buy and sell stamps, attend seminars, view exhibits, and expose young people to collection at our two annual shows.
- 10) *Learning Opportunities* Learn more about collecting at APS seminars, through online courses, or receive one-on-one help through the Mentor Program.
- 11) **Publications** Take advantage of the 20% member discount. Our book list offers titles covering a wide range of topics for all levels of collectors.
- 12) *Translations* Request a translation of philatelic-related material.
- 13) *Member Disputes* Deal confidently with fellow members. The dispute process provides a means of enforcing the APS Code of Ethics.
- 14) **Stamp Theft** Tips on what to do if your collection is stolen.
- 15) Fraud Watch Timely alerts on scams and dealing aimed at defrauding a collector.
- 16) **Book Publishing** The APS provides members/non-members with a very complete go-by that will assist those authors interested in having their work published by the society.

## The United States 2015 Stamp Program (only 38 different coil, pane and booklet items):

Scott	Description	SCOTT	Description
4953	\$1.00 Patriotic Wave	4989	(22c) Forever Emperor Pinguins
4954	\$2.00 Patriotic Wave	4990	(22c) Forever Emperor Pinguins (Coil)
4956a	(49c) Forever Love: Hearts	4994b	(35c) Forever Coastal Birds
4957	(49c) Forever Year of the Ram	4998a	(35c) Forever Coastal Birds (Coil)
4958	(49c) Forever Robert Robinson Taylor	4999	(71c) Forever Eastern Tiger Swallowtail Butterfly
4959	(49c) Forever Wedding: Vintage Rose	5000	(71c) Forever 2oz Wedding Cake
4960	70c Wedding: Vintage Tulip	5001	(71c) Forever 2oz Flowers - Yes I Do
4963a	(10c) Stars and Stripes	5002	(71c) Forever 2oz Tulip and Heart
4967a	(49c) Forever Water Lilies	5003	(93c) Forever 3oz Flannery O'Connor
4972a	(49c) Forever Martin Ramirez	5007b	(49c) Forever Summer Harvest
4977ba	(49c) Forever Ferns (2014)	5008	(49c) Forever Coast Guard —150th Anniversary
4977c	(49c) Forever Ferns (2015)	5009	(49c) Forever Elvis Presley
4978	(49c) Forever From Me To You	5011a	(49c) Forever World Stamp Show NY 2016
4979	(49c) Forever Maya Angelou	5012	(49c) Forever Ingrid Bergman
4981a	(49c) Forever Civil War Centennial	5018a	(25c) Forever Spectrum Eagle (2015)
4985a	(49c) Forever Gifts of Friendship	5019	(49c) Forever Neon Clelebrate (2015)
4986	(49c) Forever Special Olympic World Games	5020	(49c) Forever Paul Newman
4987	(49c) Forever Help Find Missing Children	5029b	(49c) Forever A Charlie Brown Christmas
4988a	(49c) Forever Medal of Honor (2015)	5034b	(49c) Forever Geometric Snowflakes