



Council of Northern California Philatelic Societies

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COALPEX 2007 TO BE HELD JUNE 9-10

COALPEX is coming up soon:

June 9-10

Walnut Creek Civic Center
1375 Civic Drive
Walnut Creek

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CNCPS MEETING AT COALPEX

The Council of Northern California Philatelic Societies will meet during COALPEX 2007 at:

Saturday, June 9
12:00 PM
COALPEX

SCANDINAVIAN COLLECTORS CLUB MEETING AT COALPEX

The Golden Gate Chapter of the Scandinavian Collectors Club will meet at COALPEX at 11:00 AM on Saturday, June 9.

GREATER RENO STAMP AND COVER SHOW TO BE HELD JULY 28-29

This year's dates and location for the Greater Reno Stamp and Cover Show are:

July 28-29, 2007

National Bowling Stadium
300 North Center Street
Reno, Nevada

The show will be held in the NBS Squad Room, which is located behind the bowling alleys. It is a short walk from the elevators and escalator. Look for the banner and signage showing the way.

The show is sponsored by the Nevada Stamp Study Society. Show hours will be Saturday 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM and Sunday 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM. The show will feature 60 frames of exhibits and 15 dealers, as well as a USPS booth.

For detailed information on the show, please visit the show website at:

<http://home.earthlink.net/~renostamp>

Contact J. Panquin at (775)885-7768
(paquinj@sbcglobal.net) for more information on the exhibits.

NOVAPEX 2007 PALMARES

The NOVAPEX 2007 show, which was held on March 3-4 in Redding, featured a number of outstanding exhibits. Here is a list of the Palmares awards.

GRAND AND GOLD AWARD

Classic Mongolia

Richard Clever

COURT OF HONOR

The One Penny Perforated Stars of Great Britain 1848-1864

Timothy Bryan Burgess

GOLD RIBBONS

- Union Postal Stationery, Including Some Interprovisionals
- The First Seventy Years of German Related Postal Stationery Cards
- Classic Mongolia
- California Express Covers 1849-1895
- The Semi-Postal Stamps of Ethiopia
- Patente De Rodados

Anonymous
James Bowman
Richard Clever
Dennis Hassler
Daryl Reiber
Joseph Ross

VERMEIL RIBBON

F.A.M. 14 - The Route to Calcutta

Donald Cramer

SILVER RIBBONS

- The Ship Penny 1926-1954
- The Good Old Days
- The Red Cross Booklets of France

Anonymous
Dennis Hassler
Charles Kasdorf

SINGLE FRAME AWARDS

GOLD AWARDS

- The First Issue of Latvia: Stamps Printed on Maps
- Japan's Medicine Stamps

Vesma Grinfelds
Joseph Ross

VERMEIL AWARDS

- A Brief Story of Plate Varieties of U.S. Engraved Issues
- The Poezd and Pochta Postmarks of the "Little Railroads" of St. Petersburg
- Tasmania Registered Postal Stationery

Robert Grosch
Dr. Edward Laveroni
David McNamee

NOVAPEX PALMARES (continued)

SILVER AWARDS

- Angel Island
- Lawn Bowling
- Ethiopia: The Obelisk Issue of 1943

Dennis Hassler
Jim Leatherberry
Daryl Reiber

SILVER/BRONZE AWARD

Old Ironsides Covers to Guantanamo, Cuba

Allan Kline

BRONZE AWARD

Glastonbury

Miriam Thurston

MOST POPULAR EXHIBIT

The Good Old Days

Dennis Hassler

2007 JURY MEMBERS:

William Willis
Wallace Craig

SOPEX 2007 PALMARES

The 2007 Southern Oregon Philatelic Exhibition (SOPEX) show, which was held on March 31-April 1 at the Jackson County Fairgrounds in Central Point, OR, featured many interesting exhibits. Here is a list of the Palmares awards.

GRAND AEROPHILATELY TROPHY AND GOLD AWARD

Wings Over Oregon
Leonard Lukens

PRESIDENT'S AWARD AND GOLD

Aerogramme Freaks, Errors & Oddities
Jerry Kasper

CARLEY CUP, U.S.S.S. MEDAL, AND GOLD AWARD

Discontinued Post Offices of Maine
Don Cramer

SMITH FOUNDERS TROPHY AND GOLD AWARD

Insured Letter Stamps of Tolima
Nick Follansbee

PATTERSON CUP FOR POSTAL HISTORY AND GOLD AWARD

Autographed Covers by Pilots of Interrupted Flights
Don Cramer

APS CERTIFICATE AND GOLD

Tanna Tuva, 1921-1923
Richard Clever

NW FEDERATION MEDAL AND GOLD AWARD

Brief Study of Plate Varieties on U.S. Engraved Issues
Bob Grosch

GOLD

Australia's Official Aerogrammes
Jerry Kasper

AAPE PIN AND VERMEIL

Moving the Mail - Jackson and Josephine County, 19th Century
Larry Maddux

VERMEIL

Pre-Philatelic Cancels of Colombia
Larry Crain

STERTON MEMORIAL, AMERICANA CERTIFICATE, AND SILVER

Post Card Portraits of Native Americans
Roy Bailey

HERBERT MEMORIAL AND SILVER

The Diamond - from Carbon to Cartier
Nancy L. Swan

NOVICE RIBBON AND BRONZE

Iceland
Warren Champagne

ATA CERTIFICATE AND BRONZE

Firefighters are Everyday Heroes
Jim Gandee

BRONZE AWARDS

The Great War
Roy Bailey

Overrun Countries, 1943-44
Roy Bailey

Wish You Were Here
Nick Follansbee

JUNIORS

APFELBAUM NOVICE MEDAL AND SILVER

Horses
Jackie Keating

BRONZE

Selected Artists and Paintings
Lisa Lion

MOST POPULAR EXHIBIT

Firefighters Are Everyday Heroes
Jim Gandee

PEAR BLOSSOM COMMITTEE PLAQUE

(Im)perfect Pairs
Darrell Teel

2007 JURY MEMBERS:

Kenneth Wood
Amy Hopkins

HISTORY OF THE SACRAMENTO PHILATELIC SOCIETY

By Bill Oliver

In 1914 Mr. A. W. Spanton placed an advertisement in the Sacramento Bee, asking all interested in stamp collecting to meet for the purpose of forming a stamp club. Twelve responded with the result that the Sacramento Stamp Society was founded, and in 1961 was incorporated as the Sacramento Philatelic Society.

The Sacramento Stamp Society held their meetings at the YMCA, but the membership grew rapidly and they moved to larger quarters at the Chamber of Commerce then to the Travelers Hotel, where a meeting room was provided by the management.

Since that time, the Sacramento Philatelic Society has held their meetings at churches, schools; and is currently meeting at the Easter Seal Society Center, 3205 Hurley Way, Sacramento, CA every Wednesday evening with the doors opening at 7:00 PM, and the meeting at 8:00 PM. Currently there are over 250 members.

1941 saw the Council of Northern California Philatelic Societies hold their First Annual Exhibit at the Sacramento Hotel with the Sacramento Stamp Society as host.

The Sacramento Stamp Society has held many stamp exhibitions, and in 1969 began their annual stamp exhibition, SACAPEX (Sacramento Camellia City Philatelic Exhibition). This was a combined effort by the Sacramento Philatelic Society and the Camellia City Stamp Club of Sacramento for the first exhibition, but was produced solely by the Sacramento Philatelic Society the following years.

The name SACAPEX (Sacramento California Philatelic Exhibition) was continued and scheduled every two years until 1974 when it became an annual event.

In 1973, the Sacramento Philatelic Society started their Easter Seal Stamp Show as a communality project with all proceeds going to the Easter Seal Society. The first year began with a donation to the Easter Seal Society of \$200.00 and the donations have increased every year to about \$5,000.00 for the past twelve years, or more.

The Sacramento Philatelic Society celebrated their ninetieth anniversary in 2004 when the American Philatelic Society held their annual Champion of Champions exhibition at Sacramento.

The Sacramento Philatelic Society is an active club with many active members, and a number of activities by members for members. If you are in Sacramento on a Wednesday evening please come and say hello. Visitors are always welcome.

The Mystery Of Henry Chaloner Unraveled

By Hank Washauer
Communications Chairman, CNCPS

Many of us have wondered who Henry Chaloner was and why an award is named after him. To unravel the mystery, I took a trip to the Western Philatelic Library and was greeted by Roger Skinner, who pointed to the fact sheet, which I copied. The result is an article gleaned from an edition of the *Council Courier* done on a mimeograph machine and copied on a state of the art Canon copier.

“Members of the Berkeley Philatelic Society, APS Chapter No. 27, gathered in executive session yesterday to honor the memory of one who has earned the title “Dean of Philatelists” in the West--- Henry Chaloner---who passed away November 30, 1963.

For over 60 years, Mr. Chaloner, as Secretary-Treasurer of the Berkeley Philatelic Society, had served the group in such a faithful manner that the membership dues remained the same since its organization of the Society in April 1900.

It was his effort that held the Society together through many years, and as a memorial to his services and outstanding leadership it was unanimously voted to perpetuate the name “Berkeley Philatelic Society.” To this end the meeting was adjourned sine die with any surviving member empowered to convene the assembly again for the sole purpose of perpetuating the name.

Those attending were: Mrs. Nina S. Thomas, President, Arnold W. Chapman, Vice-President; Executive Committee members Mrs. Ethel Ott Egleston, the only surviving charter member; Robert A. Hanson of the American Philatelic Society; and Miss Ruth Chaloner, daughter of the deceased, who closely supported her father’s many philatelic and fraternal activities. The Philatelic Research Society, of which Mr. Chaloner was a trustee, shall be the custodian of the Berkeley Philatelic Society records.”

UPCOMING STAMP SHOWS

COALPEX 2007

June 9-10, 2007

Walnut Creek Stamp Club
Walnut Creek Community Center
Civic Center Assembly Hall,
1375 Civic Dr
Walnut Creek

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GREATER RENO STAMP SHOW 2006

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HUMBOLDT STAMP SHOW

September 29-30, 2007

Red Lion Hotel, Redwood Ballroom,
1929 Fourth Street,
Eureka, CA

Contact: Norm Allen
(707) 442-3205

WINEPEX 2007

(Redwood Empire Collector's Club Show)

October 5-7, 2007

Marin Civic Center Exhibit Hall
Avenue of the Flags, San Rafael, CA
San Rafael

Contact: Kurt Schau (707) 778-6453
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(707) 887-7380

COMMERCIAL BOURSES:

ASDA SUMMER POSTAGE STAMP SHOW

June 22-24, 2007

Santa Clara Convention Center
5001 Great America Parkway
Santa Clara, CA
Contact: (516) 759-7000
(Asda@erols.com)

Website: www.asdaonline.com

SAN FRANCISCO STAMP FAIR

July 13-15, 2007

Holiday Inn
1500 Van Ness Ave, San Francisco, CA

Contact: Chris Clemens
Phone: (707)322-8483
(stampshows@hotmail.com)

GREAT AMERICAN STAMP EXPO

Sept 1-2, 2007

Napredak Hall
770 Montague Expressway
San Jose, CA

Contact: Chris Clemens
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CLUB LISTINGS

For a complete listing of the CNCPS member clubs, please visit the club page on the CNCPS website at:

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NEXT COUNCIL MEETING:

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Saturday, June 9 at 12:00 PM

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