## **SOPEX 2018 PALMARES**

GRAND AWARD, Gold, and A.P.S. Certificate
Nick Follansbee "India Refugee Relief Postage Stamps, 1971 - 73"

PRESIDENT'S AWARD & Gold Richard Clever "Tannu Tuva, 1921 - 1943"

Gold, the S.O.P.S. Swan Display Trophy and the Lighthouse Award John Hart "New Zealand Life Insurance Stamps"

Gold & the A.T.A. Topical Medal Laurie Anderson "Go for the Gold"

Gold and the S.O.P.S. Smith Trophy for Foreign Nick Follansbee "The "1310" Issue of Afghanistan"

Gold and the S.O.P.S. Herbert Topical Trophy
Nancy Swan "Birthstones"

Vermeil, the AAPE Award and the S.O.P.S. Sterton Postcard Trophy
Nancy Swan "Postcards of Crater Lake"

Vermeil and Popular Choice
Dennis Hasler "Eight Centuries of Mail"

Silver, the U.S. Stamp Society medal, and the S.O.P.S. Carley Cup for U.S. postage Larry Crain "El Dorado"

Silver and the S.O.P.S. Bryan Cachet Cover Trophy Larry Crain "Champions of Liberty, 1957-1961"

Silver & Northwest Federation Thunderbird Ribbon Larry Crain "Not Square: Stamp Shapes"

Silver

Eric Knapp "The Baden Powell Portrait"

Larry Crain "Use 'em or Lose 'em: Stamps with Limited Validity"

Bronze and Novice Award Rick Aubin "Railroad Depots and Dead Post Offices"

Bronze & the WE medal George Struble "The Wedgewood Booklets"

Bronze and ATA single frame topical award Cathie Osborne "Bellflowers"

## **Bronze**

John Swenson "Coronation: Celebrating Elizabeth II"

Appreciation for non-competitive exhibits: Brad Fritts, Vesma Grinfelds, Anne Harris & Mark

Woodward and Pear Blossom entrants:
Jim Bryan, Brad Fritts, Nancy Swan, & the winner, Darrell Teel.