

# LINCOLN STAMP CLUB

## SOUVENIR SHEET

September 2017

### OFFICERS

President:

*Mark Sellhorn (2017)*

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*Bob Ferguson (2017)*

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*Dale Niebuhr (2017)*

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*Dave Wallman (2017)*

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*Joel Johnson (2017)*

### EXCHANGES

Manager: *John Schultz*

### APS AMBASSADOR

*Dale Niebuhr*

### MEETINGS

The Club meets the first and third Thursdays, 7:00–8:30 p.m.

### LOCATION

St. Paul U.M. Church  
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Lincoln, Neb.

### CONTACT

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### AFFILIATION

An American Philatelic Society  
affiliate: **APS #0799-064882.**

## CLUB HAPPENINGS LAST MONTH:

### August 3 Business Meeting:

We discussed arrangements for the Fall Stamp Day October 21 including an updated poster. Dave Wallman is checking with Country Inn Suites to reserve a room for LINPEX 2018. The September program will be Black Heritage FDC's by Gene Crump. We are looking for volunteers to do more programs in the coming months.

**Keith Riese** brought in an article from the local newspaper about a mystery stamp collector.

**George Wagner** brought in books on postal history, catalogs, stamps, binders, and album pages as a donation to the club for future auctions and LINPEX beginners table.

### August 17 PROGRAM: **BLUE** theme member show and tell:

**Keith Riese** showed his collection of blue Hungary and DDR stamps.

**Dave Hamilton** presented a variety of Tonga covers and gave a history of tin can mail.

**Geoff Duncombe** presented his Great Britain 2 pence blue stamp and a history of Rowland Hill, its creator.

**Dave Wallman** showed blue post office uniform badges, a sheet of the July 1, 1971 USPS stamp and a first day presentation of the Nebraska Territory stamp with a variety of cancellations.

**Larry Spreeman** showed a collection of Seagram's Cinderella stamps with interesting information on each of the first 48 states.

**Joel Johnson** brought in a blue 2c revenue stamp used on an 1877 Claremont NH cancelled check.

**Gene Crump** showed a collection of Black History postcards; a multi-autographed FDC of the new Nebraska stamp; and 1975 US commemoratives.

**Mike Ley** showed his collection of blue Finland stamps on cover 1924-54, and presented a history of their usage, especially postwar 1945.

**Dale Niebuhr** showed his collection of colorful post-1990 German semi-postal stamps.

**Mark Sellhorn** presented his collection of Great Britain 2-penny blues and a history of the different printing varieties.

# OTHER STAMP NEWS:

## OMAHA STAMP SHOW :

The 2017 Omaha Stamp Show will be held September 9-10 at Metro Community College, 2909 Edward "Babe" Gomez Ave in Omaha. The judges will be APS Chief Operating Officer Ken Martin from Pennsylvania, Dr. Edwin Andrews from North Carolina, and Henry Sweets from Missouri.

Fort Hardstuff dinner in conjunction with the Omaha Stamp Show will be held on Friday September 8 at Johnny's Cafe at 4702 S 72nd St. The dinner will be served at 7:00 pm but we will have access to our room by 6:00 pm for a social hour. This is quite close to the show site and the show set up for exhibitors and helpers runs from 3:00 to 6:00. All are invited. There will be no post card invitations. The menu choices are:

Top Sirloin, 10 oz.	\$29.30
Fresh Salmon	\$24.19
Fried Chicken (4 pcs)	\$21.07
Chicken Parmesan	\$22.92

All dinners include baked potato, house salad with Johnny's dressing, rolls and butter, coffee and tea. **Price includes tax and tip.**

All are welcome, this is your invitation. Judges and many out of town exhibitors will be there. People will not be able to pay by credit card. They will only take one check from me so people need to bring cash or a check made out to Omaha Stamp Show. We have to know who is coming and what their meal choices are before Tuesday September 5, RSVP to:

Mike Ley

[giscougar@aol.com](mailto:giscougar@aol.com)

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It would be helpful if I could receive as many payments in advance as possible.

Also: Presentation at the Omaha Stamp Show: On Sunday September 10 at 1:00 pm there will be a presentation called "What the Rs Are" which will be a guide to the R (revenue) listings in the Scott Catalog. It will be given by Bob Hohertz of Northfield, MN who is a regular visitor to our show and is president of the American Revenue Association.. It should be very interesting whether or not you collect revenue stamps.



World's biggest postage stamp currently is Mother of Emirates postage stamp issued by UAE in 2013. It also holds the Guinness World Records for the largest postage stamp.

It is 1.36 X 1.77 meters!



The world's smallest stamp measures 8 mm by 9.55 mm or .315 inches by .376 inches.

It was issued by Bolivar, a province of Columbia, in 1863 and is called the Bolivar 10c green.



**Bolivar 10c Green Sc #2**

**Actual size**

## Club Notes

### Exchange Lots

This month a list of exchange lots and items for auction will be handed out at the meeting.

### Welcome

The Lincoln Stamp Club welcomes guests to every meeting of the Club. Dues are only \$12/year and can be mailed to the Club at its address on the front page or brought to a meeting. Membership forms are on the Web: [Membership: www.lincolnstampclub.org/membership/](http://www.lincolnstampclub.org/membership/). StampClub.

### Meetings

- 📅 **Business Meeting, Exchange and Show & Tell:** Thursday, September 7
- 📅 **Program:** Thursday, September 21: *Black History on FDC's* by Gene Crump.
- 📅 **Business Meeting, Exchange and Show & Tell:** Thursday, October 5.
- 📅 **Program:** Thursday, October 19: *The Life and Work of Czeslaw Slania, Part 1* by Bob Ferguson.
- 📅 **Business Meeting, Exchange and Show & Tell:** Thursday, November 2
- 📅 **Program:** Thursday, November 16: *The Life and Work of Czeslaw Slania, Part 2* by Bob Ferguson

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