# LINCOLN STAMP CLUB

SOUVENIR SHEET July 2019

#### OFFICERS

President: Dale Niebuhr (2019) Vice President: LaVonne Uffelman (2019) Secretary: Mark Sellhorn (2019) Treasurer: Dave Wallman (2019) Board Member: Joel Johnson (2019)

#### EXCHANGES

Manager: Dale Niebuhr

**A P S A M B A S S A D O R** Dale Niebuhr

#### MEETINGS

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

#### LOCATION

St. Paul U.M. Church 1144 M St. Lincoln, Neb.

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#### A F F I L I ATION

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

# **CLUB HAPPENINGS LAST MONTH:** June 6: BUSINESS MEETING:

We talked about the APS show in August and passed around a guide to register for the stamp show and sign up for volunteer work. By volunteering to work at least 8 hours, each person will receive a free ticket to the awards banquet (a \$50 value). We will need to man our booth to welcome people to the show, sell show covers and possibly recruit members to our club.

**Joel Johnson** showed a *LINN'S* article on the cost of buying all of the U.S. stamps in 2018, not counting the cost of buying sheets or coils, and passed around two 1987 covers commemorating the 2/22/21 first night airmail flight.

**LaVonne Uffelman** showed *Keleher's Quarterly* with articles on the 1898 Trans -Mississippi Exposition in Omaha and the upcoming APS show in August.

**Sam Wesley** showed a 1971 Japanese cover marking the 13<sup>th</sup> annual World Scout Jamboree.

**Mark Sellhorn** showed two 1937 The covers with identical cachets marking first flights from Hong Kong to Honolulu and from Honolulu to Macao.

The meeting was followed by members looking through donated items for sale.

### **June 20:**

We talked about the APS show in August and picked up a guide to register for the stamp show and sign up for volunteer work. We have 6 people signed up to volunteer, but we need to have 6 more. If you volunteer for 4 or more hours in a day, they will pay for your parking. By volunteering to work at least 8 hours, you will receive a free ticket to the awards banquet. We will need to man our booth as well to welcome people to the show, sell show covers and possibly recruit members to our club. A sign-up sheet was passed around for manning our table.

Meetings coming up: no meeting July 4 for the holiday; July 18 will a scavenger hunt; no meeting on August 1 for the opening of the APS show in Omaha; and the August 15 program will be a DVD on doctoring postage stamps.

**Mark Sellhorn** passed around a 1935 registered, insured cover from France to England with 5 wax seals on the back sealing the four corners and the flap..

**Bob Ferguson** presented the program on *"Engraved Stamps of West Africa"*. Through images of engraved stamps, Bob led us through the history of each west Africa colony, its history and current national name. In 1870 it was estimated that 10% of Africa was colonized by European nations, but by 1914 it had become 90%. France, Great Britain, and Germany all produced engraved stamps for their colonies, however Portugal did not. The printing of engraved stamps continued until the late 1960's and early 1970's when other printing methods became more cost effective. Bob's use of enlarged digital images of each stamp impressed us all with the beauty, color and fine detail of these engraved stamps. Some of those stamps are shown on the next page.

# **Engraved Stamps of West Africa**



# **APS StampShow / National Topical Stamp Show**

### WHEN:

August 1-4, 2019 Thurs. - Sat. 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. • Sun. 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

# LOCATION:

**CHI Health Center Omaha** 455 N. 10th St. • Omaha, NE 68102 <u>See Hotel & Parking information</u>

## SHOW HIGHLIGHTS:

\* Military Dogs U.S. First Day - Special Show Cachet & Cancel

\* 75+ Dealers - Public Auction - Cachetmakers Bourse\* 800+ Frames of Exhibits & Three of America's Rarest Postal Items

United States Postal Service Military Dogs

> Thursday, Aug. 1st. **Time/room:** TBA



# July 29—International Day of the Tiger































North Korea



# **July 2019 Scavenger Hunt**

# Bring your finds to the July 18 meeting to share with fellow collectors. Club gift certificates will be awarded to those with the most items found.

- 1. Stamp with a shape other than circle, square, rectangle, or triangle.
- 2. A Stamp from the 1930's.
- 3. A 3-dimensional stamp (raised surface area, etc.)
- 4. Coil stamps with at least 3 different objects on them.
- 5. Overprint with a country or state on it.
- 6. Stamp from a country starting with the letter "B".
- 7. A migratory Bird or State Conservation Stamp.
- 8. An insect.
- 9. A stamp promoting organ donation.
- 10. A coin.
- 11. A stamp with a mask
- 12. A Post Card stamp.
- 13. Baby.
- 14. Grave stone.
- 15. Actor or Actress
- 16. Famous American on a Black Heritage Stamp
- 17. Hot Air Balloon
- 18. A Perfin
- 19. Hologram
- 20. A sporting device. Something used to play the sport.
- 21. Message on the stamp.
- 22. Stamp from an island in the Indian Ocean
- 23. An unusual fruit or vegetable.
- 24. Trump or Obama
- 25. Youth Organization other than Boy Scouts or Girl Scouts.

# Club Notes

In July we will have a scavenger hunt and the list is in this newsletter. See what you can find or already have and bring to the meeting to share with your fellow collectors. Club gift certificates will be awarded to those with the most finds.

#### 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: <sup>©</sup> Membership: www. lincolnstampclub.org/membership/. StampClub.

#### Facebook

The Lincoln Stamp Club is on Facebook. Please "like" the Club and share its updates with your circle of friends. Placebook: www.facebook.com/Lincoln

#### Meetings

### HOLIDAY: Thursday, July 4: NO MEETING

**Program:** Thursday, July 18: **Scavenger hunt**—club gift certificates will be given for those who find the most items.

### 2 : APS show opens: August 1: NO MEETING

Program: Thursday, August 15: DVD "Doctoring of Postage Stamsp"

# **COMING UP THIS YEAR**

APS National Stamp Show in Omaha August 1 to 4

Lincoln's Stamp Collecting Day October 19th



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