

# LINCOLN STAMP CLUB

SOUVENIR SHEET  
February 2024

## Club Happenings Last Month

### January 11 Meeting

#### OFFICERS

President:

*Brad Shay (2024)*

Vice President:

*Tom Johnson (2024)*

Secretary:

*Mark Sellhorn (2024)*

Treasurer:

*Dave Wallman (2024)*

Board Members:

*Curtis Peacock (2024)*

*Larry Spreeman (2024)*

#### EXCHANGES

Manager: *Dale Niebuhr*

#### APS AMBASSADOR

*Dale Niebuhr*

#### MEETINGS

The Club meets the second  
Thursday, 7:00–8:30 p.m.

#### LOCATION

College View Adventist Church  
48th & Prescott St.  
Lincoln, Neb.

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#### AFFILIATION

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

#### ANNIVERSARY

**1964—2024**

**Sixty Years**

#### NEWSLETTER

Editor: Mark Sellhorn

We met with 11 members and two guests—Jim and Joan Meyer (**Kurt's** parents). **Brad** repeated that the showrooms at Country Inn have been reserved for LINPEX 2024 on February 24-25. We also have a block of rooms reserved through January 24. The show cachet is being worked on and the cancel designed by club member, **David Frye**, is ready to go to the PO. A copy of the cancel showing the word “Love” in 13 different languages was passed around. We are trying to fill 20 frames of exhibits, so **Brad** encouraged anyone who might want to show what they collect, to put one together. We still need volunteers for security at the show and help setting up and tearing down.

In 2004, the Club established the **Lynn R. Casey** (former club member) award to recognize volunteers for their outstanding service to the club with the winner's name inscribed on a crystal vase. This year the award was presented to **LaVonne Uffelman** for the tireless and enthusiastic work that she has done for the club this year and many years in the past. Congratulations **LaVonne**. Well deserved.

The door prizes were won by these folks:

**Kurt Meyer** won a set of the 1976 souvenir sheets and posters.

**Fay Scott** also won a set of the 1976 souvenir sheets and posters.

**Mark Sellhorn** also won a set of the 1976 souvenir sheets and poster.

**LaVonne Uffelman** passed around an ornament with the 33c Barbie stamp..

**Brad Shay** passed around an FDC of the 36¢ Halley's comet postal airmail cover with Mark Twain's quote about coming in and going out with the comet..

**Tom Johnson** showed 3 postal stationery covers mailed with fractional franking..

**Mark Sellhorn** passed around a 6” wooden “Fisherman's Ruler” marked at 12” and mailed using a 1¢ prexie (Sc. 804).

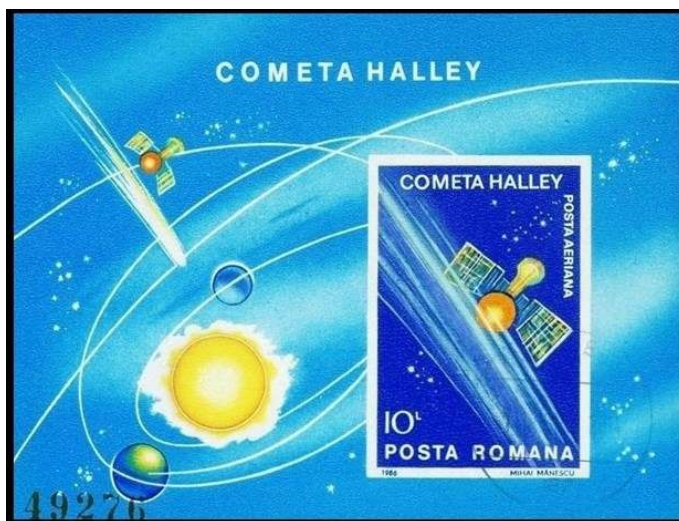
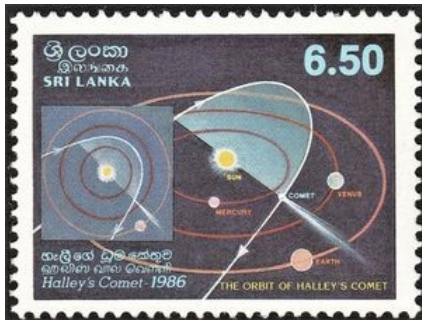
PROGRAM: *What does Halley's comet possibly have anything to do with Charlie Brown & the meaning of Christmas ?”*

By: **Kurt Meyer**

Kurt related the similarities between the Charlie Brown Christmas special and Halley's comet. In the Christmas special, Charlie Brown bemoans the commercialization of Christmas. However, Linus reminds him that all is well because of the order and predictability in the heavens. Kurt compares that order and predictability to that of Halley's observation of his comet and his prediction of its return. In Halley's time, comets were considered random and chaotic. Through scientific means, Halley determined that the comet would return every 77 years plus or minus 2 years. He was correct and established that, just like with Charlie Brown, there is order and predictability in the heavens.



# Halley's Comet



## Stamp Quiz answers

1. RSA = Republic South Africa
2. URA = United Arab Republic (Egypt)
3. Togo = Tonga
4. Nippon = Japan
5. Hellas = Greece
6. C or Ch = China, Chile, Columbia, Cochin China
7. NSW = New South Wales
8. NSB = Nassi-Be (Madagascar)
9. DDR = German Democratic Republic
10. Helvetia = Switzerland
11. R = Jind (1 of 2 British Indian States)
12. NZ = New Zealand
13. SPM = St. Pierre and Miquelon
14. SWA = South West Africa
15. YAR = Yemen Arab Republic
16. UAE = United Arab Emirates
17. BCA = British Central Africa (Malawi)
18. Hrvatska = Croatia
19. KSA = Saudi Arabia
20. Magyar = Hungary
21. Rayon = Switzerland
22. EEF = Egyptian Expeditionary Force (Palestine)
23. SHS = Yugoslavia
24. UG = Uganda
25. Eesti = Estonia
26. RH = Haiti

# **LINPEX 2024**

## **STAMP SHOW**



**Saturday, February 24, 10 am– 6 pm**

**Sunday, February 25, 10 am– 4 pm**

**Country Inn & Suites, 5353 N. 27th St., Lincoln**

**Free Parking and Entry • Barrier-free Access**

**9 Stamp Dealers • Free Evaluations • Exhibits**

**US Postal Service Booth—Saturday**

**Boy Scout Merit Badge Support**

**Beginners' Table—Stamps 1¢ for Youth and 5¢ for Adults**

**Stamps by the bucket- \$1 for Youth and \$5 for Adults**

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## Meetings

### Club Notes

We meet in person at our location, College View Adventist Church, 48th and Prescott. Please join us in the company of other philatelists.

#### Welcome

The Lincoln Stamp Club welcomes guests to every meeting of the Club. Dues are only \$12/year. Membership forms are on the Web: [www.lincolnstampclub.org/membership/.StampClub](http://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.

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[?](#) : Meeting: Thursday, February 8  
LINPEX preparations  
Sale of donated material

[?](#) : Program: Thursday, March 14  
*The Hidden Images of Indicia Stamps*  
By LaVonne Uffelman

## Coming Up

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February 24— 10:00 am—6 pm.

February 25— 10:00 am—4 pm.

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