### SALEM STAMP SOCIETY ORGANIZED 1933

#### ADVANTAGES AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR STAMP COLLECTING

Salem Stamp Society serves many philatelic purposes, but none more central that the fun and fellowship provided for Salem area collectors. This brochure provides basic information about the club.



The club welcomes all kinds of collectors.... the novice and experienced collector, the topical collector, the mint or used stamp collector, the postal stationary or postal history collector, or any other facet of stamp collecting. Whatever your interests, our club will be glad to welcome you to membership and participation. Annual dues are a modest \$10 per individual, \$15 per family.

### **CLUB MEETINGS**

During this time of COVID-19 our club cares for the safety and health of our membership so at this time we are unable the gather for our monthly meeting at the Cordon Rd Fire Station. We do however host a general forum, discussion, or show and tell monthly on ZOOM the 2nd Wednesday of the month. Please e-mail Bob Reynolds at renroost@aol.com or Call Bob at 503-580-6574 for Zoom link info.



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## History

Founded in 1933, Salem Stamp Society has promoted the hobby of Stamp and postal history collecting. Our Club is a member of the Northwestern Federation of Stamp Clubs and is affiliated with the American Philatelic Society and the American Topical Association.

# Networking

Stamp collecting is often a solitary hobby, this is why gathering together with other collectors at club meeting is so en oyable. Come and meet people of all ages and collecting interests, comaraderie and refreshments provided.

## STAMP SHOWS

Salem Stamp Society Sponsors a Spring Stamp show and Willamette Valley Stamp Exhibition, and in Fall a Stamp Show. We Also Support and participate in PIPEX.

# Membership Benefits

# Monthly Newsletter

Members receive our monthly newsletter either by post or by e-mail. Newsletter contain interesting articles, complete listing of offerings on monthly bid boards and current and future stamps shows throughout the Pacific Northwest.

## BID BOARD & AUCTIONS

Seven months a year the Salem Stamp Society presents a bid board for members to peruse and bid on philatelic material to enhance their collections. The bid board

showcases approximately seventy items which includes single stamps or sets both US and worldwide. A minimum bid is listed and a silent auction continues until the bid is closed.

Twice a year the club holds an exciting oral auction of club owned material which includes stamps, covers, albums, collections and other philatelic material.

Additionally, the club sponsors 2 member auctions a yea. Members may auction any philatelic material they choose.

Frequent auction help members with their collections at a substantial savings. The club regularly buys stamps and collections to put up for auction to our members.

### ------ PHILATELIC LIBRARY

Our library has an extensive collection of philatelic material spanning more than seventy years which is available for all members to use, including a complete set of Scott catalogs. Books can be checked out for up to one month.

### HOLIDAY DINNER

Our annual Holiday Dinner in December is a special social occasion for members and their spouses and includes a philatelic and non philatelic drawing.

### SALEM STAMP SOCIETY Membership Application

Please prine NAME
ADDRESS
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STATEZIP
PHONE
Collecting Interests(List all that apply)
Circle Membership choice INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP \$10,00 FAMILY MEMBERSHIP \$15.00

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