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## **June 2024 Meeting.**

The meeting on June 19<sup>th</sup> was very well attended with 35 members in the room and 5 on Zoom. The main event was the Club Auction which included some very desirable and attractive items. Our auctioneer Bob Reynolds was kept busy with bids coming from the room and on Zoom as well as pre-registered bids "on the books". Over 50 of the 75 lots on offer were sold for a total of \$1683 - a very impressive sum for the club. Seven of the successful bids came from members on Zoom.

Raffle tickets also sold well raising another \$78 for club funds.

Treasurer Alan Maul reported that the club is in good financial shape and that our membership roster now stands at a healthy **100**. This number may be reduced when he reviews the list for members that have not paid dues. Please contact Alan if you have not paid dues for 2024 and wish to retain membership.

Our latest new member **John Brown** from Tigard was at the meeting.

**George Larson** had details of an

APS registered dealer offering stamps on paper in 1oz—1 pound lot sizes. Please contact him at the next meeting for details.

## **July 17<sup>th</sup> Meeting.**

Club members have submitted a very good number of varied and interesting lots for the Members' Auction. The full list is included in this newsletter together with images of selected lots. You can also view these on our web site. If you cannot attend in person or on Zoom you can enter bids remotely with Bob (503 580 6574 or by email at [ren-roost@aol.com](mailto:ren-roost@aol.com)).

**N.B.** You must be a fully paid up member to take part in the auction. **Steve Staton** is giving a short "Show and Tell" talk on the subject of Bosnia.

## **Volunteers Needed!**

**Lisa Janz** is preparing the Program Calendar for 2024/5. She is looking for volunteers to present both full Programs and for short "Show & Tell" talks. Programs will earn you paid membership for the year!

Please let Lisa Janz know if you would like to do this.

**Mike Braet** is resurrecting our

"Frame of the Month" feature for future club meetings. This is a great opportunity to show some of your interesting items from your collections and also for beginners to start exhibiting in a friendly and non-competitive environment. If you are interested in putting together a frame (6 or 8 pages) for a meeting or for our Fall Stampex (see overleaf) then please talk to Mike at the next meeting.

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## Club News, Shows & Meetings.

The **Salem Stamp Society Fall STAMPEX** takes place on **Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> September** at our usual venue—the Scottish Rite Masonic Temple located at 4090 Commercial St. SE, Salem. Doors open at 10 am and admission and parking are **FREE**.

Gary Tiffin, our show director has organized a full complement of 10 dealers. Tell your friends and family to come along and make the event a great success.

## Members' Directory.

Our thanks to Pete McCallum for preparing and sending out the 2024-2026 Members' Directory. Members should have received their copy in the mail by now, please let Pete know if your copy has not arrived.

## Astrophilately Space Camp.

Club member and Executive Director of the First Stamps organization Phil Kumler is running a hands-on workshop on Astrophilately at the Evergreen Aviation and Space Museum in McMinnville, OR. On **August 6<sup>th</sup>** the workshop is open to the general public (see flyer on next page) and on the next day there will be a separate session for the Scouts Merit Badge.

The first 30 people to register will receive a free copy of David Ball's book "American Astrophilately—The First 50 Years". David Ball is the US Delegate on Astrophilately to the FIP and is the only nationally accredited philatelic judge on this subject. David was a member of the NASA family and he may be available to answer questions at the workshop on Zoom. Phil came from a NASA employed family background and completed aerospace training in 1978 and was a Navy Officer and pilot.

The workshop runs from 10am to 3pm and entrance is free but you need to register for the event (see the flyer for details or contact Phil Kumler on 503 939 0544).

## Salem Stamp Society AGM in November.

During our AGM on November 20<sup>th</sup> we will hold elections of some Board Members for the next two years. If you are interested in standing for election or helping in the running of the club in other ways please contact Danny Bisgaard at the next meeting.

## Salem Stamp Society 2024/5 Program Calendar

<u>Month</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Program</u>
July 17	Member Auction	S & T: Steve Staton "Bosnia"
Aug 21	Bid Board	Steve Staton "History of Buffalo Soldiers"
Sept 18	Bid Board	Tony Port "The Color of Stamps"
Oct 16	Swap Night/Small Bid Board	S & T
Nov 20	Club Auction & AGM	No Program
Dec ?	Christmas Party	
Jan 18 2025	Members' Auction	
Feb 15	Bid Board	Gary Tiffin "Reflections of a Retired Stamp Dealer"
Mar 19	Bid Board	
April 16	Bid Board	
May 21	Swap Night	
June 18	Club Auction	
July 16	Members' Auction	
Aug 20	Bid Board	
Sept 17	Bid Board	
Oct 15	Swap Night	
Nov 22	AGM & Club auction	
Dec ?	Christmas Party	

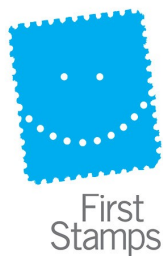
*Save the Date!*

# SEAPEX Dealer Bourse

**SEPTEMBER 13-14th, 2024**  
**Friday 10am-6pm**  
**Saturday 10am-5pm**

**Tukwila Community Center**  
**12424 42nd Avenue S**  
**Tukwila, WA 98168**

**Over 15 Stamp & Cover Dealers**  
[seapexshow.org](http://seapexshow.org)



Free!

# Astrophilately Space Camp

## Hands-on Workshop, Ages 9-18

August 6th, 2024 10am-3pm

**EVERGREEN  
AVIATION & SPACE  
MUSEUM**

500 NE Captain Michael King Smith Way  
McMinnville, OR 97128

In person and video with NASA team.



David S. Ball



Capt. Phil Kumer  
USN (Ret)

TO SIGN UP Group text your name and date to  
503/434-4180 and 503/939-0544.



# Salem Stamp Society July 2024 Members Auction

6/24/24 5:16 PM

LOT #	COUNTRY	DESCRIPTION	SCOTT #	CAT VALUE	MIN BID	NOTES
1	United States	10"x14" box Filled with First Day Covers			\$5.00	
2	United States	1890 10 cent Webster Unused, no gum	226	\$160.00	\$35.00	
3	United States	1893 5 cent Columbian, MNH	234	\$140.00	\$35.00	
4	United States	1898 4 cent Trans-Mississippi, MNH	287	\$330.00	\$70.00	
5	United States	1911 5 cent Registration Stamp, Unused no gum	F1	\$75.00	\$18.00	
6	Great Britain	2012 Airmail Set, MNH	C8-9	\$35.00	\$20.00	
7	Jersey	1969 Postage Due Set, MNH	J1-6	\$50.65	\$22.00	
8	Southern Rhodesia	5 high value revenue stamps			\$12.00	
9	Bermuda	1951 1pd King George Used	128	\$62.50	\$20.00	
10	Bermuda	1950 2sh King George, Used	123	\$12.00	\$8.00	
11	France	1950 1000f Airmail, Used	C27	\$25.00	\$12.00	
12	France	1956 1000f Airmail, Used	C36	\$19.00	\$9.00	
13	Argentina	Box with Albums several hundred stamps			\$5.00	
14	Canada	2007 Annual Yearbook w/stamps			\$35.00	Orig cost \$56.95
15	Great Britain	1840 2p Blue Used, Faulty	2	\$800.00	\$50.00	Faults, Spacefiller
16	Great Britain	1884 5p Green Victoria, Used	104	\$200.00	\$40.00	
17	Great Britain	1887 4 1/2p Victoria Used	117	\$47.50	\$10.00	
18	Great Britain	1887 1sh Victoria, Used	122	\$65.00	\$15.00	
19	Liechtenstein	1920 - 34 Different mint, a few MNH		\$17.00	\$5.00	
20	United States	1992 Set of 6 Columbian Sheets, MNH	2624-9	\$30.50	\$15.00	Face \$16.34
21	Turkey	1957 Views Set MNH - 134 Stamps!	1290-1423	\$33.50	\$10.00	
22	United States	Centenary Collection of Commemorative Panels			\$5.00	
23	United States	1924 2 cent Huguenot Walloon Full sheet of 50, MNH	615	\$400.00	\$100.00	
24	United States	1928 2 cent Washington in Prayer Full sheet of 100, MNH	645	\$187.50	\$45.00	
25	United States	1929 2 cent Edison, Full sheet of 100, MNH	655	\$136.50	\$35.00	
26	United States	1932 3 cent Olympic, Full sheet of 100, MNH	719	\$303.50	\$75.00	
27	United States	1903 Louisiana Purchase Set, Mint HR	323-7	\$305.00	\$75.00	Nice Set!
28	United States	1938 Full Set of Prexies 1 cent to \$5 MNH	803-34	\$130.85	\$40.00	Nice Set!
29	United States	Misc Columbians lot of 16: 1 cent - 10 cent, Used	230-239	\$178.00	\$25.00	A few faults
30	Confederate States	Lot of 3: #7 & #11 Used, #13 Unused	7,11,13	\$87.00	\$20.00	
31	United States	2001 Pan Am invert Souvenir Sheet First Day Cover	3505	\$6.00	\$2.00	
32	United States	1893 30 cent Columbian, Used, Several Thins	239	\$90.00	\$10.00	
33	Australia	1934 Merino Sheep Set, MNH	147-9	\$102.00	\$20.00	
34	France	1939 2.25f Statue of Liberty Issue, MNH	372	\$ 17.00	\$2.00	
35	Italy	1922 Mazzini Set, MNH	140-2	\$145.00	\$10.00	
36	United States	(2) 2016 Inverted Jenny Sheets, Used on piece & MNH	4806	\$ 24.00+	\$12.00	
37	United States	1898 5 cent Grant, Mint LH	281	\$32.50	\$3.00	
38	United States	3 First Issue Revenues		\$167.50	\$10.00	Some tiny faults
39	Ascension	1948 Silver Wedding Pair MNH	53	\$110.00	\$20.00	
40	United States	(5) Spec Delivery Issues MNH, E18 Mint LH	E14-E18	\$10.75	\$3.00	
41	United States	1985 Federal Duck Stamp, MNH	RW52	\$15.00	\$7.00	
42	US/Canada	Large Wood Box filled with 100's Used, \$18 face, covers, coins			\$25.00	Dennison Hinges!
43	Worldwide	1000 Worldwide on Paper			\$5.00	
44	Supplies	Showgard Cover Album - holds 100 covers			\$5.00	
45	Duck Stamp	California 2022-23 Duck Stamp, MNH			\$20.00	
46	United States	Used Back of the Book selection, Used, some faults		\$139.50	\$15.00	
47	Misc	8 Vintage or Antique Post Office Uniform Buttons			\$5.00	
48	United States	1934 National Parks Imperf Set, No gum as issued	756-65		\$5.00	
49	US/Worldwide	Hundreds of US and Foreign on Album Pages			\$5.00	
50	United States	1940 Famous Americans Set, MNH	859-93		\$10.00	
51	Worldwide	Around 2000 Worldwide Stamps plus a few covers			\$15.00	
52	Misc	3 framed stamps. 22c love, 13c flag, 8c Christmas			\$8.00	Face \$20+
53	Worldwide	3 Binders w/worldwide 100's			\$10.00	
54	United States	Misc Modern Face Sheets - Face \$85+			\$45.00	
55	United States	7 Elvis Mint Sheets, MNH			\$40.00	Face \$81.20
56	United States	Small box with many better, mostly used			\$40.00	
57	Postcards	448 Postcards, many from the 1940's			\$20.00	
58	Misc	Large Plastic bag loaded with misc seals			\$5.00	
59	Supplies	4 binders with custom US Album pages 1900's-1940's			\$15.00	A few stamps
60	Supplies	Box with mounts, glassines etc			\$10.00	
61	Topical Collection	Lucille Ball Collection in small binder looks all MNH		\$ 70.00	\$15.00	
62	Topical Collection	Flowers, plants, coffee, tea collection in small binder MNH		\$ 187.00	\$30.00	
63	Topical Collection	W/W collection of Breast Cancer Awareness stamps, MNH		\$ 55.00	\$15.00	
64	Topical Collection	W/W collection of 1963 Freedom of Hunger looks all MNH		\$ 125.00	\$20.00	
65	United Nations	2007,2008 2010 United Nations NY, Geneva, Vienna Sets			\$40.00	



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## July 2024 Members' Auction



Lot 2



Lot 3



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Lot 5



Lot 6



Lot 7



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## July 2024 Members' Auction



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Lot 30



Lot 36



Lot 33



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## **Meetings**

**All meetings held at the Scottish Rite  
Masonic Temple,  
4090 Commercial St. SE, Salem, OR.**

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2024.**  
**7pm Start, Doors open at 6pm**  
**Members' Auction and Show & Tell on**  
**Bosnia by Steve Staton .**

**Wednesday 21st August 2024.**  
**7pm Start, Doors open at 6pm**  
**Program: "History of Buffalo Soldiers" by**  
**Steve Staton ; Bid Board**

## **Pacific NW Stamp Shows and Bourses 2024**

### **Local Events**

**Salem STAMPEX Sunday 22nd September at the  
Scottish Rite Centre, 10am—4.30pm.**

**SEAPEX Dealer Bourse, September 13—14th 2024 at the  
Tukwila Community Centre, 12424 42nd Ave S, Tukwila,  
WA 98168.**

### **Repetitive Events:**

**Oregon Stamp Society: Rose City Stamp Fair -  
2nd Saturday of the month at OSS clubhouse  
4828 NE 33rd Ave., Portland 9:00am-3:00 pm**  
**Collectors Corner - 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month  
at OSS clubhouse 9:00 am.- 3:00 pm**

### **2023-4 Major Shows:**

**GASS, August 15-18 at Connecticut Conv. Cent. Hartford, CT**