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July is the month we will have a meeting, election, inauguration, picnic and a bourse all in one. Be ready.

First, the elections. On page two is the ballot with a complete slate. The election will be held at the second meeting on July 23rd. You can bring your ballots in to this coming meeting or save it for the next one that will take place at the **Silverada Estates** community building (map on page 3). If you can't come to the meetings, you may send your ballot to

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Be sure it arrives before the second meeting on the 23rd. If you bring the ballot with you, pass it on to Mike Potter.

The program for June was given by **Donna Withers**, whom you may know as the Duck Stamp Lady. We have seen her many times at our Stamp Shows with the winners of the Nevada Junior Duck Stamp contest. The subject, of course, was duck stamps. They are sold to duck hunters and stamp collectors to generate funds for the protection of wildlife. Junior duck stamp sales go directly back into the Junior Duck Stamp program. You can learn more about Duck Stamps by going to duckstamp.com.

At the **Club Picnic** there will be a Blue Sheet auction. This one will involve some of the more upscale

material that has been donated to the club. There are several of the hard to find Australian kangaroos and some early US stamps. They will be auctioned by our favorite auctioneer, Mike Potter. The sheets are being set up by John Walter. You can see some of the stamps by going to John's website at; www.walter-us.net/stamps/. Not all of the stamps are up yet but John will be adding more as time permits. When you come to this meeting make sure to have a want list or your albums so you can fill some holes in your collection.

The **Stamp Show** will be taking place this year. We are short by at least five dealers (we have 11 but planned for 16) which will leave us short of the income we need to pay for the show expenses. The club will make up the difference. Fortunately two of our members have stepped forward offering to make up part of the shortfall. Those members shall remain anonymous and I say, "Hooray for them!"

The Greater Reno Stamp and Cover Show; August 20-21 at the Reno National Bowling Stadium at 300 North Center street in downtown Reno. Hours 10 to 6, Sun., 10-4.

WINEPEX Sept 30-Oct 2 at the Marin Civic Center San Rafael. Hours 10-5 and 10-3 on Sun. E-mail Bob Rawlins at rawlins@sonic.net to exhibit.

2011 Nevada Stamp Study Society Ballot

This ballot is to be executed on the 23th day of July, 2011 at the second club meeting. Absentee ballots must be received by the day of voting. Ballots will be counted at the meeting. Installation of the elected officers will take place at that meeting. Write-in candidates must agree to candidacy before the election.

For the office of PRESIDENT of the club (vote for one only);

Stan Cronwall ☐

Write-in _____ ☐

For the office of TREASURER (vote for one only)

Terri Edwards ☐

Write-in _____ ☐

For the office of BOARD OF DIRECTORS (vote for three only);

Harvey Edwards ☐

John Walter ☐

Paul Glass ☐

Robert Martin ☐

Write-in _____ ☐

When you have made your selections, please fold the ballot and return it to Mike Potter, head of the Election Committee.

Silverada Estates

In case you missed it in the last issue, here is the map to Silverada estates clubhouse. It is just down the street from our regular meeting place at the NNMC towards the freeway (west). And, here is the official agenda for the day;

8:45 am - Set-up bourse, meeting and picnic tables and chairs

9:00 am - Bourse opens

10:00 am - Bourse closes and NSSS meeting begins

Raffle / Blue sheet auction

No consignment sales

11:30 am - Start picnic food set-up & cooking fires

11:30 am - Election committee collects and counts ballots

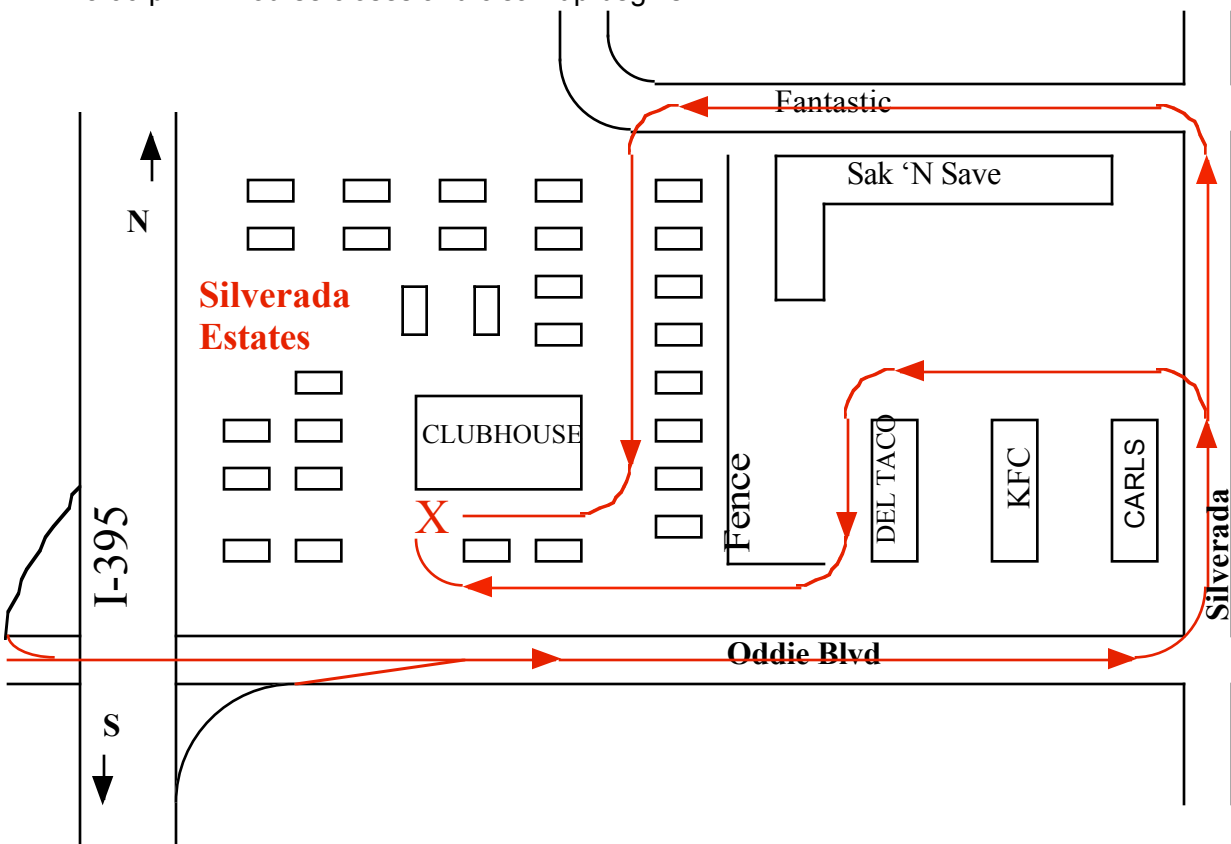
11:30 am - Re-open the bourse

12:00 noon - Lunch begins

12:30 pm - Announce election results

1:00 pm - Installation of new Officers and Board members

3:00 pm - Bourse closes and clean-up begins



This meeting and the sales involved are for members and the meeting will not be advertised. Of course you may bring guests with you and neighborhood people may wander through and may buy from the sellers. Be sure to sign up for a side dish to bring to the picnic.

http://www.fact-index.com/li/list_of_people_on_stamps_of_the_united_states.html

List of people on stamps of the United States

I have had this site on my computer for several years and have been meaning to pass it on to you whenever there is nothing better to put on this page. Today I looked at it and decided to explore a little. Turns out there is more to this site than meets the eye. This site isn't just about stamps.

I went to the page you'll find if you use the link at the top of the page. It is a small part of the whole site. There is a search engine that searches only within this site. I tried "stamps" and got seventy results. Three of them were for William Stamps Farish, one for Rubber Stamps and the other sixty-six were for "People on the Stamps of _____", pick your country, and more for "The Stamps and Postal History of _____". There were also a few other assorted links for postage stamps.

There are no pictures on this site, at least, none I could find but there are a lot of links. It looks very much like a page in Wikipedia where every third or fourth word is a link to another page. I went to "Stamps and Postal History of Afghanistan" and copied the first sentence. "The story of [postage stamps](#) and [postal history](#) of [Afghanistan](#) begins with Sher Ali, who established a [postal service](#) in the [1860s](#) as part of a program of modernization in the "Kingdom of Kabul". All of the underlined words link to a page about that word, though not in the same context. For instance, click on "1860" and you will see a page that is about that year but not about stamps or Afghanistan.

The site may be a bore to some people but it is a good site for research or just exploration. I thought, at first, it was about stamps and the people on them. I have seen the books in some libraries that tell about people on stamps. They're found right next to the Scott catalogs. This site seems to be an encyclopedia and its called a "Fact Index". Sounds like encyclopedia to me.



In any case, whether it's an encyclopedia or not, its an excellent source of knowledge. Especially about stamps and the people on them. From any country. There is also a source of information about postal history or just history in general. By erasing all the letters (of the address) after ".com" you can use that to go to the Fact index home page and start to delve into this site as an encyclopedia rather than a stamp page.

By the way, William Stamp Farish owned Standard Oil and his father was almost accused of treason after WWII.

The Philippine Islands have been near and dear to our hearts ever since a famous general said, "I shall return." and did! It was also a good democracy until Mr. Marcos found a way to get around that. The Filipinos were finally able to get rid of him and Imelda and return to a democratic way of life. When Bill Olcheski wrote this quiz, the Marcos' were still in power

1. In what year did the Philippines become independent?
A) 1946 B) 1948 C) 1950
2. How did Jose Rizal die?
A) Old age B) Teberculosis C) Execution
3. What Philippine president is shown on a 1947 souvenir sheet?
A) Manuel Quezon B) Manuel Roxas C) Ferdinand Marcos
4. What American president appears on a 1960 stamp?
A) J. F. Kennedy B) F. D. Roosevelt C) D. D. Eisenhower
5. What Mexican president is shown on a 1963 stamp?
A) Mateos B) Iturbide C) Carranza
6. In what year did Ferdinand E. Marcos become president?
A) 1956 B) 1966 C) 1976
7. The 25th anniversary of the landing of U. S. forces on what Philippine Island was marked by a set of stamps in 1969?
A) Corregidor B) Leyte C) Luzon
8. What aircraft appears on the 1977 stamp marking the fiftieth anniversary of airmail service between Havana and Key West?
A) C47 (Gooney bird) B) Fairchild FD-2 C) Hennig 467D
9. What animal is shown on a 1977 airmail marking a philatelic exhibition;
A) Camel B) Bull C) Cat
10. What means of transportation appears on the 1947 special delivery stamp?
A) Bicycle B) Motorcycle C) Delivery truck

Bonus question: Willam Stamp Farish was the owner of Sears and Roebuck? True or False?

I would like to spend time in the Philippines, lazing in a hammock in the afternoon while sipping on my coconut milk and being fed grapes by a local lady. And I may as well have a million dollars and be fifty years younger while I'm at it!

Norway is also known as the “Land of the Midnight Sun” and rightly so since a third of it is above the Arctic Circle and in the summer, the sun never sets.

1. C. Nordic countries acting in cooperation for environmental protection met in Helsinki in February that year. The stamps (#688-689), picturing water lilies, were issued for that meeting.

2. B. Two values were issued for the first census in Norway. The high value pictured people while the low value showed a punched card (#s 547-548).

3. C. Issued for the tercentenary of postal service between northern and southern Norway the set of two shows a two-man riverboat.

4. A. In Switzerland the flag shows a white cross on a red background. Henri Dunant reversed the colors and used it to name the Red Cross which he founded in 1863 in Geneva Switzerland. He was a winner of the first Nobel Peace Prize. (#s 399-400)

5. A. A is for “Admunsen”. He was the Norwegian explorer who was first to find the way to the bottom of the earth fifty years before. He is honored on #399 & 400.

6. B. The Scott numbers are 361-374. It's a definitive issue and the king is Olav V. Haakon. Kloster is on #401, he was the founder of the Norwegian Temperance movement.

7. A. Well we know you're not likely to find the University of Miami on a Norwegian stamp unless they lost a bet. The 150th anniversary of the University of Oslo was celebrated on #395 and 396

8. C. #255-258 was issued on June 15, 1943, the hundredth anniversary of the birth of Edvard Grieg. He wrote “The Morning” from the Peer Gynt Suite. You may be more familiar with it from the many cartoons that have used the music to portray a morning scene.

9. B. In April, 1940 Germany invaded Norway and though the Norwegians fought bravely, with the help of the British and Poles, the country was occupied by Germany until May 8, 1945. Twenty years later B67-68 was issued to celebrate their freedom from the Germans.

10. A. After the separation of Norway from Sweden in 1905 Haakon was selected by the parliament and the people of Norway to be their king. #590 & 591 was issued to celebrate the centenary of his birth in 1872.

Bonus question. The original plates were used to print the imperforate Standing Helvetias but the printing of these stamps was not ordered nor authorized by the Swiss government. Their value is very low. This one is false.

Stamp Crossword Solution

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I hope you enjoyed this crossword puzzle as much as I did. I tend to be partial to them. They keep my brain alive, and it really needs the help.



This might be a good place to show you some of the stamps John Walter plans to offer on the blue sheets at the picnic next month. The descriptions are pretty good and the prices are right.



#117, used. Perfs. cut into the design on right. Pulled perfs. top and bottom left.

SCV: \$150.00

MB: \$10.00

Or, maybe
you'd prefer



#163, used. Perf. cuts into the design on right. Pulled perf. top center. Short perfs. on the right side.

SCV: \$160.00

MB: \$6.00

More Stamps for Your Approval

These stamps were also donated to the club and will be for sale at the picnic meeting. Keep in mind that these stamps belong to all the members of the club. All proceeds will help to support your Stamp Show.



#163, used. Perf. cuts into the design on right. Pulled perf. top center. Short perfs. on the right side.

SCV: \$160.00

MB: \$6.00



#151, used. Perfs. barely cut into design on left. Pulled perf. on top, bottom and lower left.

SCV: \$220.00

MB: \$10.00



These two haven't been valued yet but are #150 and 179. Can you use them?



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Wanted; the 1949 Silver Wedding issue. Have you seen this stamp? There are several like it from various British colonies. I need about half of them to complete my collection.

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ERROR!

In the Early Viet Minh stamps, French Indo-Chinese stamps were overprinted to be used outside the French postal system. The rebels, sometime inexperienced in printing, made mistakes. Quality control wasn't as good as it could be. Errors were not terribly common but more common than, say, the inverted Jenny. Common enough that I can afford them.

