

New Member

Larry Crain joined our stamp club at the Reno stamp show. Larry has been coming to the Reno stamp show for 7 or 8 years. He came first as an apprentice judge and now comes every year with an exhibit. This year he brought a new 3-frame exhibit on "Transportation Number Coils 1981-1999."

Larry started to collect from about 10 years of age. His aunt served as mentor in those early years. He is a prolific exhibitor with between 30 to 40 exhibits displayed over the years. Currently he is working on exhibits dealing with Friday the 13th and Feb. 29 cancels. He also wants to add more numbered registration labels (0-15) in another exhibit.



Larry served in the Peace Corps in the country of Colombia. His profession was teaching high school students. He mentioned an interest in geysers visiting Iceland a few times and Yellowstone National Park for close-up viewing. He is a regional philatelic judge, past president of the Council of Northern California Philatelic Societies, currently President of the Colombia Panama Philatelic Society and Executive Secretary of the Northwest Federation of Stamp Clubs.

Philatelic memberships include: American Philatelic Society, American Topical Association, American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors, and COPAPHIL (Colombia Panama Philatelic Society).

He is wonderful friend of the NSSS and we enjoy seeing him at our stamp shows. Larry lives in Medford, Oregon.

His membership was recommended by Erik Fields.