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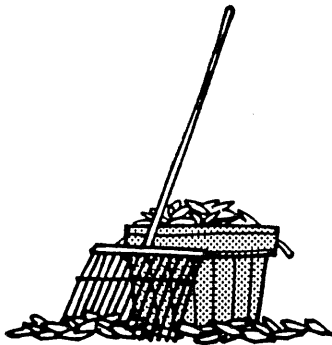
MEETINGS, 2ND WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH  
TIME: 7:00 P.M.  
LANCASTER TOWNSHIP COMMUNITY CENTER  
Columbia Ave., Lancaster, PA

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19 Circle Rd.  
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Next Meeting - Wed., NOVEMBER 14, 2001

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NOVEMBER HOSTESS



The hostess for the evening will be **LESLEY BOTTE**. LESLEY is furiously checking all her cookbooks for a special treat for the club -- so don't miss the meeting!

It seems everyone is in the yard raking leaves, trimming bushes, getting ready for fall clean-up in general. Somehow we seem to be amiss in sending information into the newsletter staff.

Therefore, this newsletter will be brief, but informative. We **WILL** be having a stamp club meeting on Wednesday, at 7:00 P.M. at the usual meeting place -- Lancaster County Community Center.

## NOVEMBER PROGRAM

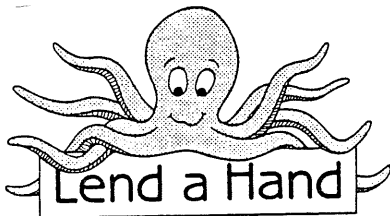
The program for the evening has been listed as a "Open" program. So, just in case it is still open, be prepared to share your own story of how you got involved in stamp collecting. Please bring along any ideas you have for next year's programs. We are very interested in any programs we have had in the past that you really enjoyed. This meeting may just turn out to be a "Pick your brain" meeting.

\*\*\* ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS \*\*\*

This month we will be electing a new slate of officers. We will be focusing on the office of Vice-President only; as the Secretary and Treasurer serve for two-year terms.

Our club has many members that are very capable of leading the group in the hobby of philately. Won't you please step forward and offer your services. You will find everyone in the club contributes to making our organization interesting and active.

Are you truly an L.C.P.S (Lively Candidate Promoting Stamps) or just another receiver of others efforts. We are looking for some L.C.P.S. Candidates!



#### THAT'S A LONG POSTAL ROUTE .....

The longest recorded distance covered by foot post is found in Asia. Messengers took 189 days to deliver mail between the cities of Lhasa, Tibet and Peking, China. It took that long to walk the 1,988 miles between the two cities.



#### PHILATELIST'S PSALM

Stamp collecting is my hobby,  
I shall not be bored.  
It maketh me to do research on far  
places.  
It causeth me to correspond with odd  
people.  
It keepeth me alert.  
It leadeth me into areas of under  
standing,  
For curiosity's sake.  
Yea, though I live through a winter  
Of inclement weather,  
I will fear no boredom,  
For my stamps are with me.  
Their beauty and their history  
They intrigue me.  
They provideth me a means of escap-  
ing  
From the tensions of my responsi-  
bilities.  
They filleth my house with books.  
My cash runneth lower.  
Surely interest and knowledge  
Shall follow me all the days of my  
life  
And I shall be listed in the ranks  
Of the philatelists, forever!

by Erma V. Berkley

WE ABBREVIATE EVERYTHING.

There are many abbreviations used in Stamp Collecting. The following are a few every collector should know. For proper working and spelling, look up the stamp referred to and give the Scott Catalogue Number. Come to the November club meeting and get your answers.....

	<u>Stamp</u>	<u>Cat. No.</u>
1.	N.R.A.	_____
2.	G.A.R.	_____
3.	U.Y.C.	_____
4.	4-H	_____
5.	AAA	_____
6.	NATO	_____
7.	SEATO	_____
8.	CARE	_____
9.	P.T.A.	_____
10.	RX	_____
11.	ZIP CODE	_____
12.	VFW	_____
13.	P.S.	_____
14.	VA	_____
15.	FIPEX	_____

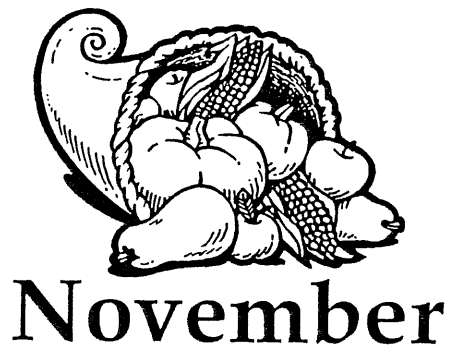
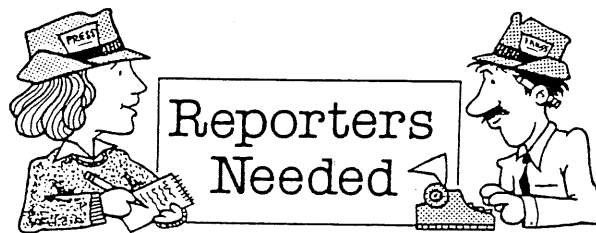


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