



Philatelic Society of Lancaster County

PRESENTS

2018 LANCOPEX

our 33rd Annual Stamp Show

Friday, April 27
10:00AM-5:00PM

*James Buchanan Chapter
(#173) of the American
Philatelic Society*

Saturday, April 28
10:00AM-4:00PM



Lancaster Farm & Home Center
1383 Arcadia Road
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LANCOPEX 2018 - The President's Message



On behalf of the Philatelic Society of Lancaster County (PSLC), I would like to take this opportunity to welcome each and every one of you to our 33rd Annual Stamp Show and Exhibition. The Planning Committee and volunteers have worked tirelessly these past months to make this Show an exciting and fruitful experience for all.

The Stamp Show is broken down into numerous areas of interest. Upon entering the Farm and Home Center you will be greeted by our volunteers at the Registration Table, please sign in and take a raffle ticket, which is good for the multiple daily prizes we will be giving away. Don't forget to obtain your free Wi-Fi password that will be good for both days. We also have our Youth Tables set up with boxes of U.S. and Worldwide stamps – hours of fun for the kids to pore over to build their burgeoning collection. Another PSLC program available at our Registration Table is our Stamp Buddies program - where trusted club members will be glad to assist visitors with old and inherited collections and make unbiased opinions and recommendations.

Once you enter the double doors of the main Show Hall, you will be greeted at our Society and Affiliates tables – please support the PSLC and pick up a souvenir Lancopex Show Cover with special Cachet and Cancel, or find out about the other Societies that our members belong to - such as the APS, ATA, BNAPS, ESPHS, and USPCS. We will also have sample Journals, Newsletters, Brochures, membership Forms and other literature for your reading pleasure.

Within the Show Hall you will find nearly 20 philatelic Dealers catering to all collecting areas at over 55 tables, as well as a Food and Beverage Concession to whet your appetite when you need a break from your search for new items. The Dealers in attendance are among the finest in the region with a large variety of material for your collecting desires. They also bring a depth of philatelic knowledge and are more than happy to answer any questions and give sound advice. We are indebted to many of these dealers who have been with the PSLC and attending Lancopex for many, many years – please support them.

We are also delighted to have at our Show again this year the crew from the Lancaster County U.S. Post Office Department, who will have on sale both days of the show modern day stamp releases, commemorative panes, philatelic ephemera and souvenirs, from T-shirts, ties, stuffed animals and pins. Maybe you'll find the elusive un-inverted Jenny?

Finally, let us not forget our non-competitive Exhibition Area with numerous frames devoted to Stamp and Postal History of all types, levels, countries and eras. The Exhibitors have put many hours of work into their displays and their depth of philatelic knowledge is evident. Stop by and ask them questions – I know they will want to share their story. We hope you find the Exhibits educational and entertaining.

See you at Lancopex 2018 and enjoy the Show,

Dr. Charles J. DiComo

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2018 Show Cachet

2018 marks the 125th Anniversary of the Columbian Exposition in Chicago (1 May – 30 October 1893). In honor of the Chicago Fair, the Society's Design Team is creating a Chicago Fair-themed cachet, an 1893 Exposition Station Circular Date Stamp (CDS), and a 33rd Annual Lancopex Stamp Show 2018 hand stamp. The limited edition cover will also include a genuine Scott #230 1 Cent Columbian canceled with the CDS. While at the show, please sure to stop by our Society table and purchase one of these postal history gems.

125th Anniversary: Columbian Expo

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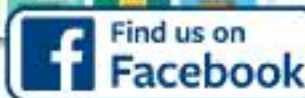
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*The APS has called the Philatelic Society of Lancaster County
"... one of the leaders in the philatelic community today".*