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Next Meeting: November 21, 2022, Farm & Home Center, Buy, Sell & Trade from 5:00. Meeting - 7 PM

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### **OCTOBER MEETING**

The 34 members opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. Vice President Jean Schopf read the minutes, and they were approved as read. The treasurer's report showed a balance of \$4,960.44.

From the Club Table, Ruth Frankhouser reported that a pair of black glasses and case had been left behind. She thanked President Glass for bringing in candy.

President Glass continued the discussion that had started at the Board Meeting about the bylaws for the club. This discussion will continue as the bylaws need to be updated to reflect the changing membership.

The postcard competition subject was "Farm Animals."

The 50-50 drawing of \$17 was won by Gordon S. Smith. The Door Prizes went to Bob Kramer - \$3 voucher; Dede Schaeffer \$2 voucher; Annetta Buettner – a pack of Rocky Springs postcards; Mark Arbogast – a pack of Rocky Springs postcards. The postcard packs were donated by Ray and Carol Dennis.

Dede Schaeffer gave the program about "Krampus" and brought in masks, postcards, and various other examples for the club to enjoy.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, **Betty Beck Club Secretary** 

# **OFFICERS & BOARD MEMBERS**



Happy Thanksgiving! I hope that everyone enjoyed the warm temperatures of the last week because it looks like the weather is changing. Don't you think The fall leaves were beautiful this year?

The year is coming to a close and soon we will be thinking about how the club will move forward in 2023. Many of the current Officers and Board are willing to continue in their roles but now is the time to volunteer to help. Volunteering will not take up much of your time. For example, you can help at the club table or help with the Postcard competition. Any help is appreciated.

Hope to see you on November 21. Susan Glass

#### **NOVEMBER MEETING**

The program for the evening - "History in the Mail" will be presented by LCPC member Don Wert. The image here and the ones on page two will be noted in the presentation, but the discussion will be of the messages on the reverse - You will have to attend to see them.



### **2022 PROGRAMS**

**December** – Holiday Party

# OCTOBER POSTCARD COMPETITION

First: Brian Frankhouser "3-Hd Steer" Second: Annetta Buettner "Skating Pigs" Third: Gordon S. Smith "Spotty and Her Calf" Honorable Mention: Bob Kramer "Horse at the Vet";

Don Wert "One of the Family"; Renata Sachse "PA Dutch Gem";

Jeanne Schopf "Cows"

# **2022 POSTCARD COMPETITION SUBJECTS**

November - Foreign

#### **FUTURE SHOWS**

November 18-19: York International Postcard Expo, York Fairgrounds, York, PA, Friday 9AM-6PM, Saturday 9 AM-5PM. Admission \$5.00 - good for both days.

November 25-26: Lancaster Fall Post Card Show, Farm& Home Center, Lancaster, PA, Friday 10AM-5PM, Saturday 10AM-3PM, Admission \$2.50.





# **Postcard Stories**

By Don Wert

Searching the backs of postcards can be as exciting and satisfying as searching for vanished scenes or rare images.

During the first decades of the twentieth century, postcards recorded the progress of individual lives in all parts of the country.

With electronic databases accessible from any computer, one can find romance, tragedy, drama, scandal, heartbreak, and happiness in the lives of postcard correspondents. This program is the telling of stories introduced on the backs of postcards.

Many of the postcards were purchased at meetings and exhibitions of the Lancaster Postcard Club. A brief introduction to creating an on-line catalog of postcard collections will also be made.









# **Boy Scouts of America Official Postcards**

By Ed Close

The Boy Scouts of America were organized in 1911. The first activity cards were released - 1913 through 1916. There were 30 cards in the series and they were printed by Schlesinger Brother and Company, NYC> The cars were printed using the photo offset method and there were three printings during this timeframe. All were printed with same obverse with slightly differing reverse, thereby allowing one to determine each printing. The order of printing is not known.



#### **Scout Oath**

"On my honor I will do my best to do my duty to God and my country and to obey the Scout Law; to help other people at all times; to keep myself physically strong, mentally awake, and morally straight."



Scout's Motto "Be Prepared"





# **Scout Law**

A Scout is trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent.



Each patrol collects fuel, builds a fire, and tries to be first to burn through a string suspended over the fire. A fast, hot fire is needed for string burning, while a hot, sustained fire is needed to boil water.

Boy Scouts WATER BOILING CONTEST. 19

OFFICIAL BOY SCOUT POST CARD



BOY SCOUTS DRUM CORPS.



Boy Scouts First Ain".



OFFICIAL BOY SCOUT POST CARD 28

CAMP & SIGNAL TOWER - Boy Scouts.





for each new morning
with its light
for rest and shelter
of the night
for health and food
for friends and love
For Everything
thy goodness sends

ralph waldo emerson



# LANCASTER FALL POST CARD SHOW

# NEW THIS YEAR - PAPER, ADV., & BOOK DEALERS

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2022 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2022 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

FARM + HOME CENTER 1383 ARCADIA ROAD, LANCASTER, PA, 17601 (OFF MANHEIM PIKE RTE. 72)

For More Information Call: Dede Schaeffer (717) 392-3955 Admission: \$2.50

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