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Zoom Meetings

Alberta Regional Group

October 8, Wednesday, 7:00pm (Mountain Time)

Program to be announced

Postal History Society of Canada (Under the Covers) October 21, Tuesday, 6:00pm (Eastern Time)

Chris Ellis – Unusual uses of Victorian and Edwardian Advertising Covers

Canadian Stamp News – Philatelic Events

BNAPEX 2025 (La version française suit)

BNAPEX 2025 VERNON BC is now history. Members, guests, dealers and volunteers are now home, after 4 days of philately. From early reports, everyone had an enjoyable weekend. 102 members were registered and traveled from as far as Dartmouth, Nova Scotia, West Chester, Penn USA, Banchory, Scotland and Arnhem, the Netherlands.

74 guests attended the Gray Monk evening dinner at the winery. A warm summer evening with a beautiful sunset over Lake Okanagan. Fine wine was enjoyed, but even better company.

The past president's reception and banquet dinner enjoyed a turnout of 84 attendees. Following canapes, and after a lovely dinner, we learned of the award winners for the exhibition. We had 102 exhibit frames of which 75 were juried, 5 frames of mini exhibits, 15 frames Court of Honour and 7 frames of non-competitive exhibits. The Palmares of award winners will be provided at BNAPS.org

The Horace Harrison Grand and Allan Steinhart Reserve prizes of original photographic artwork of our own Frauds and Forgery expert, Ken Pugh, went to Brian Dunne for his exhibit "British Columbia and Vancouver Island fakes, forgeries and bogus stamps" and Bob Stock for his "A study of postmarks from Oxford County U.C./C.W."

We also hosted 73 walk-in guests from the Okanagan Valley who came to see what all the fuss was about. They were suitably impressed, and we hope they will choose to join BNAPS as members.

Thank you to our organizing committee and volunteers and in particular thanks to Tom Watkins, Dealer Liaison, our exhibit frame set-up team led by Mike Sagar and our registration team led by Christine Oakley and photographer, Chris Sowden and Carol for her patience and support through the event. Thanks to Anne Gray for many hours spent at the souvenir table. Hopefully everyone obtained a copy of our souvenir cover and event cancels. (Dave Bartlet still has inventory if you want to order anything).

The success of the event is attributable to a philatelic community of members, guests, dealers, sponsors, advertisers and volunteers. Thank you to each and every one of you for your contributions and participation.

Dave Bartlet
BNAPEX 2025 Co-Chair

Mark Oakley
BNAPEX 2025 Co-Chair

BNAPEX 2025 VERNON BC appartient désormais au passé.

Les membres, invités, marchands et bénévoles sont maintenant rentrés chez eux après quatre jours consacrés à la philatélie. D'après les premiers témoignages, tout le monde a passé un excellent week-

end. 102 membres se sont inscrits et sont venus de loin, notamment de Dartmouth en Nouvelle-Écosse, de West Chester en Pennsylvanie aux États-Unis, de Banchory en Écosse et d'Arnhem aux Pays-Bas.

74 invités ont assisté au dîner Gray Monk à la cave. Une chaude soirée d'été avec un magnifique coucher de soleil sur le lac Okanagan. Le vin était excellent, mais la compagnie encore meilleure.

La réception et le dîner de gala organisés par l'ancien président ont réuni 84 participants. Après les canapés et un délicieux dîner, nous avons découvert les lauréats du concours. Nous avons 102 cadres d'exposition, dont 75 ont été jugés, 5 cadres de mini-expositions, 15 cadres de la Cour d'honneur et 7 cadres d'expositions non compétitives. Le palmarès des lauréats sera disponible sur BNAPS.org

Les prix Horace Harrison Grand Reserve et Allan Steinhart Reserve, qui consistent en des œuvres photographiques originales de notre expert en fraudes et contrefaçons, Ken Pugh, ont été décernés à Brian Dunne pour son exposition « British Columbia and Vancouver Island fakes, forgeries and bogus stamps » (Contrefaçons, faux et timbres frauduleux de la Colombie-Britannique et de l'île de Vancouver) et à Bob Stock pour son « A study of postmarks from Oxford County U.C./C.W. » (Étude des cachets postaux du comté d'Oxford, U.C./C.W.).

Nous avons également accueilli 73 visiteurs de la vallée de l'Okanagan qui sont venus voir de quoi il retournait. Ils ont été très impressionnés et nous espérons qu'ils choisiront de devenir membres de la BNAPS.

Merci à notre comité organisateur et à nos bénévoles, et en particulier à Tom Watkins, responsable des relations avec les marchands, à notre équipe chargée de l'installation des cadres d'exposition, dirigée par Mike Sagar, à notre équipe d'inscription, dirigée par Christine Oakley, ainsi qu'au photographe Chris Sowden et à Carol pour sa patience et son soutien tout au long de l'événement. Merci à Anne Gray pour les nombreuses heures passées à la table des souvenirs. Nous espérons que tout le monde a pu obtenir un exemplaire de notre enveloppe souvenir et des cachets de l'événement. (Dave Bartlet a encore des stocks si vous souhaitez commander quelque chose).

Le succès de l'événement est attribuable à la communauté philatélique composée de membres, d'invités, de marchands, de sponsors, d'annonceurs et de bénévoles. Merci à chacun d'entre vous pour votre contribution et votre participation.

Dave Bartlet Mark Oakley
Coprésident de BNAPEX 2025 Coprésident de BNAPEX 2025
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BNAPEX Vernon Convention 19-21 September 2025

(La version française suit)

Our wonderful convention hosted by Mark Oakley and the Pacific Northwest Regional Group is now over and those attending should have fond memories of the event. We had a fun evening with food and wine at the Gray Monk Winery overlooking Lake Okanagan and an awarding banquet. The bourse area was filled with 100 frames of various exhibits and 14 dealers pleasing attendees with philatelic item to warm the cockles of their hearts. The study group attendees both in person and on Zoom had the opportunity to interact with other people with similar collecting interests. One item on the downside is that we did experience the arrival of Covid with over 6 known cases (generally mild) showing up on Monday and Tuesday, so this is something that is still out there and we must all be wary of it.

Congratulations to all exhibitors for their efforts and to those winning the various non-exhibit awards. The Horace Harrison Grand multiframe award was won by Bryan Dunne with his exhibit titled British Columbia

Forgeries, and the Allan Steinhart Reserve Grand by Robert Stock with his exhibit Oxford County U.C./C.W. Postmarks. The Herbert L. McNaught One Frame award was tied with Bryan Dunne winning for his exhibit on Sperati BNA Forgeries and Gary Steel with Dead Letter Office Wax Seals & Boxed Registration Handstamps. The Palmares including Exhibit and Member awards can be found on the BNAPS website in the BNAPEX pages for Exhibits. A link to that page is:

<https://bnaps.org/bnapex/bnapex2025-Vernon/documents/BNAPEX2025Vernon-Palmares.pdf>

Your board met on the Thursday and reviewed the previous year of events and discussed items of interest for the coming year. We will be further exploring the option of Electronic Membership and the changes required to implement this – eg membership forms both printed and on the website, changes needed to be done on the website to implement this. These will be worked on in the coming months. For those of you who no longer want a paper copy of Topics, we will implement a selection you can make in your Profile on the website to disable the mailing of Topics. Until this is ready, our Secretary Chris Ellis has the ability to do this on your behalf by contacting him.

We also reviewed steps to take to make our website more accessible to both official languages in Canada. Believe it or not, this is not just a matter of translating pages but requires various page links to be adjusted and other back end work on the website. To begin we are working to provide bilingual membership forms both printed and on the website, and to have our 2026 BNAPEX web pages done in both languages.

Our project to digitize the Postal Guides from 1900 on is progressing as the options for completing the task are being evaluated. There is considerable effort to do this to completion, and it needs to be done correctly when we start the actual work.

We still have souvenir covers and stamps from the convention available (many shown in the last eLetter). If you are interested contact me at dave.bartlet@shaw.ca.

Canadian Philatelic Society of Great Britain Convention 2025

CPS of GB will hold a virtual convention on Zoom 5-12 October which you can participate in. Many of the sessions will take place in the afternoon Eastern time so that many of you will be able to participate. The convention information and Zoom links for the convention meetings are located within this newsletter, and on the BNAPS website and the CPS of GB website.

Convention BNAPEX Vernon, du 19 au 21 septembre 2025

Notre merveilleuse convention organisée par Mark Oakley et le Pacific Northwest Regional Group est désormais terminée et les participants devraient en garder un excellent souvenir. Nous avons passé une soirée agréable autour d'un repas et de vin à la Gray Monk Winery, avec vue sur le lac Okanagan, et avons assisté à un banquet de remise des prix. La bourse comptait 100 cadres présentant diverses expositions et 14 marchands qui ont ravi les participants avec des articles philatéliques qui leur ont réchauffé le cœur. Les participants au groupe d'étude, tant en personne que sur Zoom, ont eu l'occasion d'échanger avec d'autres personnes partageant les mêmes intérêts en matière de collection. Le seul bémol est que nous avons été confrontés à l'arrivée du Covid, avec plus de 6 cas connus (généralement bénins) apparus lundi et mardi. Il s'agit donc d'un problème qui persiste et dont nous devons tous nous méfier.

Félicitations à tous les exposants pour leurs efforts et à ceux qui ont remporté les différents prix hors exposition. Le prix Horace Harrison Grand a été remporté par Bryan Dunne avec son exposition intitulée British Columbia Forgeries, et le prix Allan Steinhart Reserve Grand par Robert Stock avec son exposition Oxford County

U.C./C.W. Postmarks. Le prix Herbert L. McNaught One Frame a été remporté ex aequo par Bryan Dunne pour son exposition sur les faux timbres Sperati BNA et Gary Steel pour son exposition Dead Letter Office Wax Seals & Boxed Registration Handstamps. Le palmarès, y compris les prix d'exposition et les prix des membres, est disponible sur le site web de la BNAPS, dans les pages BNAPEX consacrées aux expositions. Le lien vers cette page est le suivant :

<https://bnaps.org/bnapex/bnapex2025-Vernon/documents/BNAPEX2025Vernon-Palmares.pdf>

Votre conseil d'administration s'est réuni jeudi et a passé en revue les événements de l'année précédente et discuté des points d'intérêt pour l'année à venir. Nous allons explorer plus en détail l'option de l'adhésion électronique et les changements nécessaires à sa mise en œuvre, par exemple les formulaires d'adhésion imprimés et sur le site web, les modifications à apporter au site web pour la mettre en œuvre. Ces questions seront traitées dans les mois à venir. Pour ceux d'entre vous qui ne souhaitent plus recevoir de copie papier de Topics, nous mettrons en place une option dans votre profil sur le site Web qui vous permettra de désactiver l'envoi postal de Topics. En attendant que cette option soit disponible, notre secrétaire Chris Ellis peut le faire pour vous. Il suffit de le contacter.

Nous avons également examiné les mesures à prendre pour rendre notre site web plus accessible dans les deux langues officielles du Canada. Croyez-le ou non, il ne s'agit pas seulement de traduire les pages, mais aussi d'ajuster divers liens et d'effectuer d'autres travaux en arrière-plan sur le site web. Pour commencer, nous nous efforçons de fournir des formulaires d'adhésion bilingues, à la fois imprimés et sur le site web, et de faire en sorte que nos pages web BNAPEX 2026 soient disponibles dans les deux langues.

Notre projet de numérisation des guides postaux à partir de 1900 progresse, les options pour mener à bien cette tâche étant en cours d'évaluation. La réalisation de ce projet demande des efforts considérables et doit être effectuée correctement lorsque nous commencerons le travail proprement dit.

Nous avons encore des enveloppes et des timbres souvenirs du congrès (dont beaucoup sont présentés dans la dernière eLetter). Si vous êtes intéressé, contactez-moi à l'adresse dave.bartlet@shaw.ca.

Congrès 2025 de la Canadian Philatelic Society of Great Britain

La CPS of GB organisera un congrès virtuel sur Zoom du 5 au 12 octobre, auquel vous pouvez participer. La plupart des sessions auront lieu l'après-midi, heure de l'Est, afin que vous puissiez y participer en grand nombre. Les informations relatives au congrès et les liens Zoom pour les réunions du congrès se trouvent dans cette newsletter, ainsi que sur le site web de la BNAPS et celui de la CPS of GB.

BNAPS Virtual Meetings and Exhibits 31 January 2026

We will run our virtual event on Saturday January 31, 2026. Watch the website and this eLetter for updates on this event. The format will be similar to our 2025 meeting. Another chance to show your new exhibits, and to meet with your favourite Study Group.

BNAPS réunions et expositions virtuelles 31 janvier 2026

Nous organiserons notre événement virtuel le samedi 31 janvier 2026. Consultez le site web et cette lettre électronique pour obtenir des informations actualisées sur cet événement. Le format sera similaire à celui de notre réunion de 2025. Ce sera une nouvelle occasion de présenter vos nouvelles expositions et de rencontrer votre groupe d'étude préféré.

Boston World Show 23-30 May 2026

CORRECTION Notice for Exhibitors. The cutoff date for exhibit submissions to the World show has been extended to 31 October – meaning if you qualify at CANPEX October 18-19 you will still be able to enter the exhibit in the world show.

The world convention will be held in Boston 23-30 May 2026. There will not be another in North America until maybe 2036 so visit this spectacle this time around. The main hotel is full; however, there are surrounding hotels with availability with rates in the \$230 range (but research may find you cheaper accommodations). The convention site is close to the Boston Airport and local transportation to the city is readily available. BNAPS will have a table in the Society area jointly with other Canadian societies at the show. Ron Majors is heading this up and he is looking for people who will be attending the convention to help be at the table a couple of hours during the 8-day show. Ron can be contacted at ronald.e.majors@gmail.com

Salon mondial de Boston, du 23 au 30 mai 2026

CORRECTION Avis aux exposants. La date limite pour les soumissions d'expositions au salon mondial a été reportée au 31 octobre, ce qui signifie que si vous vous qualifiez au CANPEX les 18 et 19 octobre, vous pourrez toujours participer au salon mondial.

Le congrès mondial se tiendra à Boston du 23 au 30 mai 2026. Il n'y en aura pas d'autre en Amérique du Nord avant 2036, alors ne manquez pas cet événement exceptionnel. L'hôtel principal est complet, mais il existe d'autres hôtels dans les environs proposant des chambres à environ 230 dollars (vous trouverez peut-être des hébergements moins chers en cherchant bien). Le site du congrès est proche de l'aéroport de Boston et les transports locaux vers la ville sont facilement accessibles. La BNAPS disposera d'une table dans la zone réservée aux associations, conjointement avec d'autres associations canadiennes présentes au salon. Ron Majors est responsable de cette initiative et recherche des personnes qui assisteront au congrès pour aider à tenir la table pendant quelques heures au cours des 8 jours du salon. Vous pouvez contacter Ron à l'adresse ronald.e.majors@gmail.com

BNAPLEX Valleyfield Convention 18-20 September 2026

It is never too late to start thinking about our next convention which will be held at the MOCO hotel in Valleyfield, Quebec. It is a 30 minute drive south of the Montreal airport. Transportation to the hotel is being looked into by the committee co-chairs, Sebastien Crete and Gregoire Teyssier. You will see much more information coming out in the coming months regarding events at the convention with information in this newsletter and on the BNAPS website. While BNAPS was in Quebec City 7 years ago, it has not been in Montreal since the 1950s. Stay some extra days and explore the sites and sounds of Montreal.

Congrès BNAPLEX Valleyfield, du 18 au 20 septembre 2026

Il n'est jamais trop tôt pour commencer à penser à notre prochain congrès, qui se tiendra à l'hôtel MOCO à Valleyfield, au Québec. Il se trouve à 30 minutes en voiture au sud de l'aéroport de Montréal. Le transport vers l'hôtel est actuellement étudié par les coprésidents du comité, Sébastien Crête et Grégoire Teyssier. Vous trouverez dans les prochains mois de plus amples informations sur les événements prévus lors de la convention dans cette newsletter et sur le site web de la BNAPS. Si la BNAPS s'est déjà rendue à Québec il y a 7 ans, elle n'est pas revenue à Montréal depuis les années 1950. Prolongez votre séjour de quelques jours et découvrez les sites et les sons de Montréal.

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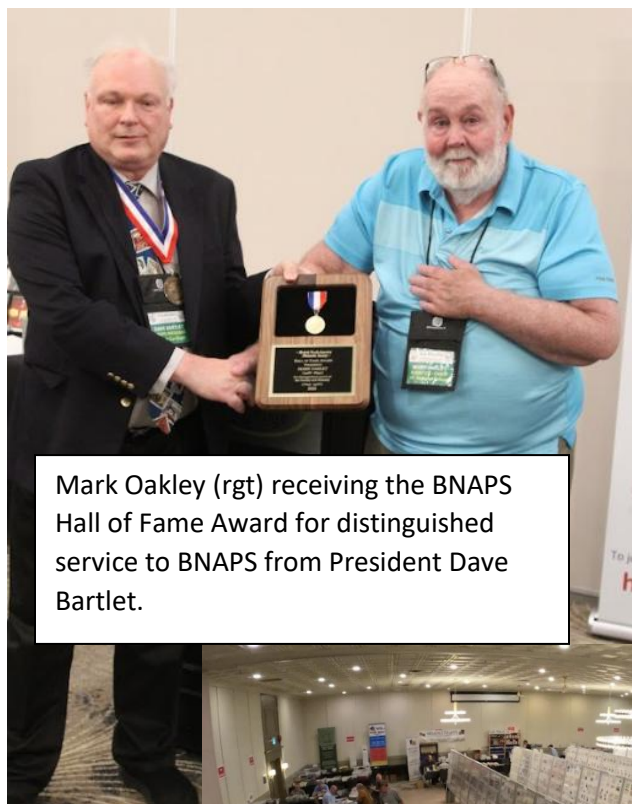
BNAPEX 2025 – Photos by Christopher Sowden



Gray Monk Winery



A trip to the maul

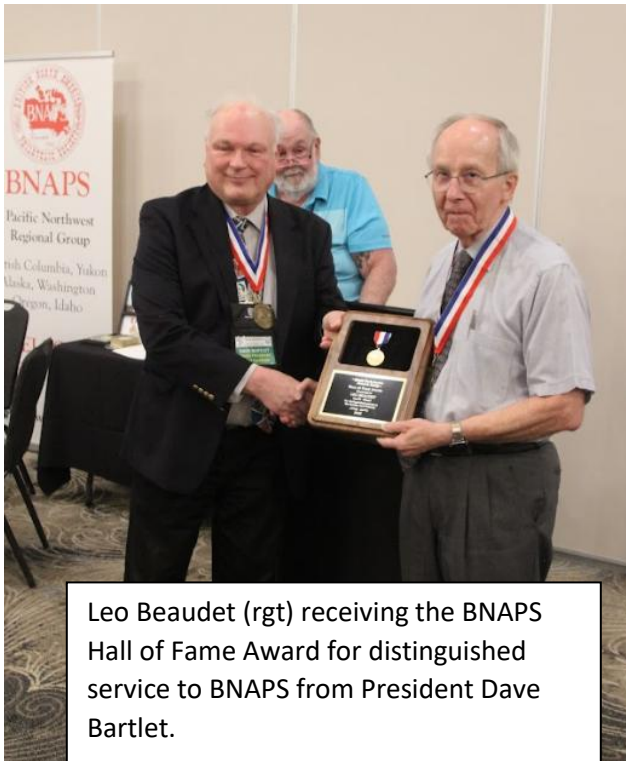


Mark Oakley (rgt) receiving the BNAPS Hall of Fame Award for distinguished service to BNAPS from President Dave Bartlet.



Dave and Mark open the bourse and exhibits





Leo Beaudet (rgt) receiving the BNAPS Hall of Fame Award for distinguished service to BNAPS from President Dave Bartlet.



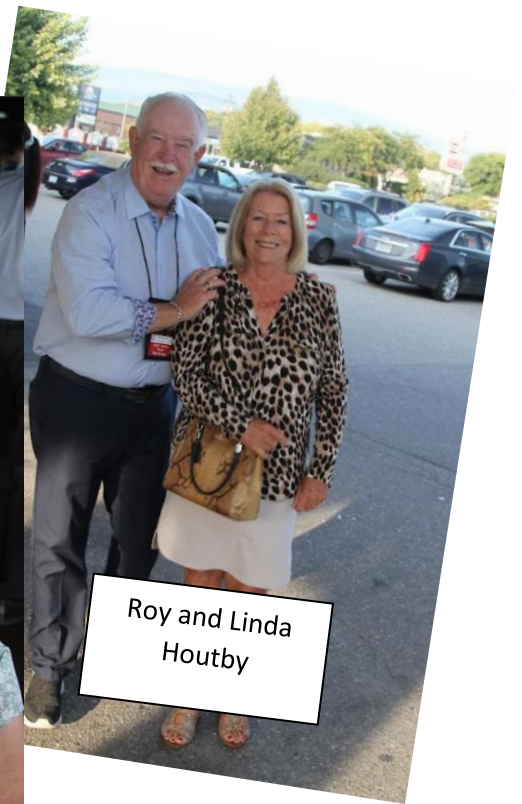
Graham Searle (rgt), President of the Canadian Philatelic Society of Great Britian receiving the OTB Lifetime Achivement Award from OTB member Charlie Livermore



Bill Radcliff (rgt) newly inducted into the Order of the Beaver, having just received his award from OTB member Charlie Livermore



Jim Andre



Roy and Linda
Houtby



Peter MacDonald

Study and regional group contributions to the BNAPS website

September saw five newsletters and a 125-page monograph for our philatelic reading.

- British Columbia Postal History Study Group: Sept. newsletter, No. 135 Link: <https://bnaps.org/hhl/n-bcr.htm>
- Pence-Cents Era Study Group: Sept. newsletter, Vol. 14, No. 3 Link: <https://bnaps.org/studygroups/PenceCents/newsletters.htm>
- Elizabethan II Study Group: Sept.-Oct. newsletter, Corgi Times, No. 200 Link: <https://bnaps.org/studygroups/Elizabethan/newsletters-eliz.php>
- Re-entries and Constant Plate Varieties Study Group: Sept. newsletter, Dots and Scratches, No. 39 Link: <https://bnaps.org/studygroups/re-entry/newsletters-reentry.php>
- First Day Cover Study Group: Oct.-Dec. newsletter, First Impressions, No. 57 Link: <https://bnaps.org/studygroups/FDC/newsletters-fdc.htm>

And here's the monograph, published by the British Columbia Postal History Study Group:

- Landscapes of Injustice and Postal History by Gray Scrimgeour Link: <https://bnaps.org/hhl/n>

CPSGB Virtual Convention Oct 5-12

Schedule of Events



SUNDAY 5 OCTOBER

2:45pm Eastern Time CONVENTION OPENING - GRAHAM SEARLE

3:00pm Eastern Time CANADA CENTS PERIOD 1859 TO 1868 – POSTAL HISTORY (INCLUDING SELECTIONS FROM THE CAMELLIA PLC HOLDINGS).

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85861292369?pwd=fjDP7s04QVV68wLuJ799VIFjTWvx95.1>

MONDAY 6 OCTOBER

3:00pm Eastern Time - PHILATELIC SCENE DURING THE ADMIRAL ERA – LEO BEAUDET

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82517853688?pwd=BskrGBxKDL9a3oNS4NtInqMm5XdANP.1>

TUESDAY 7 OCTOBER

11:00am Eastern Time FELLOWS MEETING (closed meeting)

3:00pm Eastern Time FANCY CANCELS – RON SMITH

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89161501476?pwd=FEhtbbvGSp91NaG9Of3Hv2cqzTZEtI.1>

WEDNESDAY 8 OCTOBER

2:30pm Eastern Time - COMPETITION RESULTS - revealed by the judges COLIN LEWIS AND SUE SPRING

3:00pm Eastern Time - MILITARY MAIL MARKINGS OF WW2 – NEW DISCOVERIES – MIKE

**STREET FOLLOWED BY – THE DEVELOPMENT OF PHOSPHOR TAGGING ON CANADIAN STAMPS
– MIRKO ZATKA**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84622610514?pwd=2qK4abCPCHvESR1R4fAvZeP8i3SoPb.1>

THURSDAY 9 OCTOBER

3:00pm Eastern Time - 'MORE TO PAY' – JOHN WATSON

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88968691036?pwd=RsPGmMNJ5CHlhmGRbI7k2wIx3i7bI1.1>

FRIDAY 10 OCTOBER

2:30pm Eastern Time - COMMITTEE MEETING (closed meeting)

**3:45pm Eastern Time - THE TORONTO HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN'S EARLY CHRISTMAS
APPEALS – JEAN WANG**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87012249705?pwd=bWmNqMkZRSvcYczry43NhogSV17Ife.1>

SATURDAY 11 OCTOBER

2:30pm Eastern Time - ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**3:30pm Eastern Time - MEMBERS AND OTHERS SHORT PRESENTATIONS (1 TO 16 SLIDES):
INCLUDING CONTRIBUTIONS FROM: RON SMITH, DOUGLAS HILL, SIMON CLAUGHTON,
RICHARD THOMPSON, CHARLES LIVERMORE AND OTHERS**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82045975937?pwd=IwHPPajuP3gXvxH8p0r0vSO0GuwOOL.1>

SUNDAY 12 OCTOBER

3:00pm Eastern Time - THE CANADIAN PENCE PERIOD 1847 TO 1859 - GRAHAM SEARLE

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87249354140?pwd=i4tP0rVHFiiVZCePqFLRoU0ZsaeJbW.1>

Note that the Zoom links for Sunday 5th, Wednesday 8th and Saturday 11th cover all of the listed items on those times.

BNA Topics – Articles needed

WANTED: Articles of one to four pages in length for *BNA Topics*. As always, longer articles are very welcome any time, but right now the pantry is particularly lacking in shorter articles. For example, do you have a cover or a few covers that are just itching to tell their own special story, or that illustrate some aspect of mail processing, postal routes, postal markings, or anything else that readers would find interesting? Please send your articles or ideas to the *BNA Topics* editor at wjfwilso@ucalgary.ca.

WANTED: Circulation Manager

BNAPS is looking for someone to take over the Circulation Manager position. The position can be fulfilled from anywhere in the country, but southern Ontario through Ottawa are the best locations to perform the functions from. Please contact me (dave.bartlet@shaw.ca) for further information, or if you are willing to help out the society. Below are listed the functions our current manager does:

1. Provide a physical space for all of the back issues of *Topics*. There are about 30 files boxes. Most are very heavy and would require very sturdy shelving to hold them. Currently, they are in a 10' x 10' storage unit, which BNAPS pays for on a quarterly basis. A larger unit may be required. Some boxes are indexed and others are not as some older boxes are in poor shape and need gentle handling. They can be stored at a home if you were to have space.

2. When Topics are returned by Canada Post, the Secretary (Chris Ellis) is advised. Usually there is a notice on the envelope like "Passed Away", "No such Address", or just "Return to Sender". If Chris finds the proper address, he will often ask to send out a new copy.
3. Replacement Topics are sent to members who complain of damage, or in rare cases, a misprinting.
4. The secretary Chris is sent about 20 copies of Topics through the mail, so that he can send new members the latest issues for the year.
5. We often are asked if we would accept a donation of old Topics. This is usually turned down as we have more than enough.
6. In relation to the above, the mgr is supposed to be sending out back copies for members who request them. In the last three years, there has never been a request. When a request is made the mgr first refers them to the website where all the journals are and that normally satisfies the request.
7. All costs for storage unit, mailing Topics, envelopes, etc. are itemized on a quarterly basis and submitted to Treasurer Luc Freve who then does a bank transfer. The mgr submits an expense report to Luc at the end of each quarter.
8. When people request sample copies for shows, they can be shipped to the requestor. Often though there is not a high demand for older issues at shows.

Canada Post on Strike ... Again!!!

Canada Post is on strike again. *Canadian Stamp News* has reported that Canada Post has announced major changes to the future of its organization. Here is a link to the full story. [Canada Post shake-up ends door-to-door service - Canadian Stamp News](#)



20TH ANNUAL OTTAWA FALL STAMP FAIR

RA Centre, 2451 Riverside Dr., Ottawa, Ontario, in the "Courtside Rooms"

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Roy's Stamps	5
John Beddows	6
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Gary Coates Philatelist	8
William Coates Philatelist Inc.....	9
Lee Stamp Sales.....	10

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October 18-19, 2025

The Hellenic Community Centre
133 Southdale Rd. West, London, Ontario
Saturday 10-5, Sunday 10-4
Free Admission, free parking, lunch counter.

Hosted by the The London-Middlesex Stamp Club
(Chapter 9 of the Royal Philatelic Society of Canada)

The theme of the 2025 exhibition is the 200th anniversary of postal service in London, Ontario. On March 26, 1825, Lawrence Lawanson was appointed Deputy Postmaster of London, County of Middlesex, in the Province of Upper Canada.

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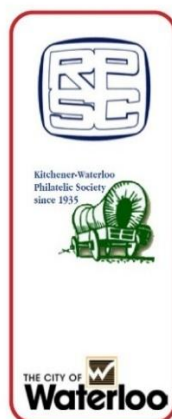
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Thursday 17th and Friday 18th Tapers
Friday night out (dinner)
Saturday reception & awards banquet
Admission: \$5 / Day
***Free admission for members attending one of the events**

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Friday 10:00 AM - 5:30 PM
Saturday 10:00 AM - 5:30 PM
Sunday 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

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