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President's Message



Welcome to all,

Once again it has been a busy threemonths since our last delegates meeting. I would like to thank everyone who has been involved in any event that has occurred since August.

Congratulations to all those who were involved with ANPEX; the volunteers, the North East Radio Club, and convenor Martin Walker, on a successful exhibition.

My report for the SAPC AGM is enclosed.

I hope everyone has a safe and happy Christmas and New Year, and look forward to seeing you supporting our philatelic community events in 2023.

Cheers, Jenny



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W	hat's on in Adelaide
Nov	
13	COMMUNITY Live Auction
10	Viewing from 9.30am Auction from 1pm
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	SAPHIL House, 22 Gray Court, Adelaide
Dec	
9	Circuit Book Office & APF Store
	Closed over Christmas
Jan	
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16	Circuit Book Office & APF Store
	Open for business in 2023
Feb	
25—26	SAPC Auction
	Viewing 10.00am - 4pm Saturday
	Viewing 10.00am—2.30 pm Sunday
	SAPHIL House, 22 Gray Court, Adelaide
Mar	SATTIL House, 22 Gray court, Adelaide
Mar	
25	Briskham Butler Dinner
	Prince Albert Hotel
Apr	
16	SAPC Workshop
	SAPHIL House, 22 Gray Court, Adelaide
	SALTE HOUSE, 22 Gray Court, Adelaide



Vale Queen Elizabeth II

21 April 1926 – 8 September 2022

We mourn the death of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

We are grateful for her devoted service and loyalty to the people of South Australia.

May she rest in peace.

President's Annual Report 2021/2022

SAPC Membership

The council membership is 19 metropolitan and 9 country societies and allows for delegates from all 28 affiliated South Australian and Northern Territory societies, one from the local trade and one from Australia Post.

SAPHIL House

The Council owns a property at 22 Gray Court, Adelaide, which houses the Australian Philatelic Federation Store, an office for the Circuit Book Scheme, storage facilities, the SAPC Archive and a meeting hall.

SAPC Management

The present Council Management Committee consists of positions for eleven members-

President	Jennifer Roland
Vice President	Nigel Carter
Secretary	Linda Welden
Treasurer	David Figg
Publicity Officer	Di Shaw
Philatelic Development Officer	Vacant
Property Officer	Vacant
Circuit Book Manager	Peter Wilson
Judges Registrar	Anthony Presgrave
Committee (2)	Gordon Oates and Di James

The SAPC also has positions for an Archives Officer (Anthony Presgrave) Souvenir Product Sales (Vacant), Congress Co-Ordinator (Linda Welden) and a SAPC News editor (Linda Welden with the assistance of Dianne Shaw and Dianne James).

The South Australian Philatelic Council would like to welcome Di Shaw to the Management committee. Di is a member of Community Philatelic Society and has the role of their delegate. At the November AGM it was proposed that Di take on the role of Publicity Officer. Her first priority is the setting up of a website for the Council.

SAPHIL House

The Council owns a property at 22 Gray Court, Adelaide, it is the home of the Philatelic Society of South

Australia, including their Commonwealth and SA Study Groups, The Australian Airmail Society, Postal Stationery & Postal History Society of Australia, the Australian Postcard Society the SA Branch of the Australian Match Cover Collectors Society, The Printed Collectables Club and Glenside Philatelic Society.

SAPC Awards

The Council makes available a number of awards each year:

- The Briskham Award, for meritorious service to Philately in South Australia, was awarded to Geoff Edwards from the Port Pirie Philatelic Society in 2021.
- The Harry Butler Award, for services to a particular society, was awarded to Frank Chester from City of Noarlunga in 2021.
- The Maria Mincoff Award for Youth was not presented in 2021.
- These awards are presented in October.

The Year's Events

- We have once again been able to celebrate holding a one day Bourse at SAPHIL House with dealers in attendance, The purpose of these fairs is to assist our Philatelic members in purchasing material, to get the Philatelic members and public together socially and for the different members of each club to get to know each other. Many clubs have taken the opportunity to use the facilities at SAPHIL to run these one and two day events during 2021/2022.
- The SAPC has conducted further Saturday and Sunday auctions at SAPHIL House, and they are still proving to be popular. With catalogues being produced and circulated not only within SA but to other States.
- Eastern Districts in October 2021 held another very successful Congress, with 4 clubs and 10 individual, plus 2 youth, 3 State, 1 Literature and 1 non-competitive entry. Para Hills won the Arnold Keller Trophy for Best Club entry.
- In February 2022 the Committee organised a High Tea to thank all the volunteers who took part in organising and supporting events in Saphil House during 2021 and 2022. Without the support of all the volunteers we would not have been able to keep the Philatelic members and the Treasurer happy. They not only kept the Circuit book office functioning, they also kept The SAPC Stamp auctions possible and they supported the SAPC during events being run in Saphil house during the last twelve months. We also took the opportunity to ask David Figg the Treasurer of the APF to present Alma Downes with her SPAN Award. Alma won the award in 2021 but due to COVID the presentation night did not take place, so we took great pleasure in presenting her with her award at the High Tea.

President's Annual Report cont'd

- February 2022 the SAPC Committee held the annual dinner to honour the winners of the Briskham and Harry Butler awards, also invited were the previous APF APO winners of the MAP, Research Award and SPAN. The Briskham and Butler Award dinner was held at the Prince Albert Hotel. 25 people attended this year; 10 Briskham winners, 4 Butler winners, as well as Partners and the management committee. It was a lovely evening and great to see so many familiar faces attending the dinner
- March 2022 Martin Walker (Past President SAPC) and Committee member Gordan Oates were invited to attend on behalf of the SAPC the Campbelltown University of the Third Age. Gordon and Martin gave a philatelic presentation to the members. They gave a general talk on philately that covered the general forms of collecting from simple stamp collecting to the more specialised aspects of postal history, aerophilately and thematics. Also discussed was a review of the Adelaide club scene giving details of societies located in the north-eastern suburbs of Adelaide. Gordon gave a demonstration of the Morse Telegraph Code and spoke on the anniversary of the Overland Telegraph in August and the philatelic exhibition celebrating that occasion. A display of various philatelic collections was presented by both Gordon and Martin with the members of the campus taking a good interest. The committee of that campus are quite keen to see philately added to their curriculum and invite any local members of the philatelic community to help them.
- The SAPC committee have been working towards developing an internet and social media presence to encourage retirees and youth interested in philately. With the help of Diane Shaw (Publicity Officer) and Alex Littlewood (consultant) we have taken a step forward by establishing a website for the SAPC and its affiliated clubs.
- The APF Virtual exhibition has shown us how we can take the next step to engage the collector into keeping up their exhibiting interest as our Philatelic members are aging and with COVID exhibition have been cancelled all over the world we have been looking at new ways to encourage our members to take an active part in collecting.
- The APF (Australian Philatelic Federation) executive held a meeting at SAPHIL House in June. The SAPC Workshop and the Australian Postcard Society Open day, all have proved very popular with our members. My thanks to all for organizing these events, and to everyone for attending.
- In June Community Philatelic Society ran a live Auction at SAPHIL house it was the first face to face auction since the beginning of COVID. They had a good turn out and members were happy to take part in a live Auction again.
- To keep up our commitment to assist club members and judges to explore new areas of collecting and rules and regulations of judging the SAPC committee ran a workshop in July on Thematics, Open and Topical collection. The workshop was run for Novices and beginners. David Figg did the presentation with notes and a powerpoint presentation supplied by Stephanie Bromser. Next years workshop topics are Traditional, Cinderellas, Revenues and Frugal. The workshops are free and educational and entertaining.

Other events which took place at Saphil were the Matchbox Exhibition which was a new event and proved very popular. The 150th Anniversary of the Adelaide GPO was very informative thanks to Martin Walker for holding and organising the event.

ANPEX Exhibition

Congratulations to the organizing committee of ANPEX. Once again South Australia has put on another outstanding exhibition. Judging was held at SAPHIL House on the Thursday and Friday, set up on the Friday and the exhibition was held over two days with the pull down on the Sunday night. Thank you to all the volunteers who helped with set up and pull down. ANPEX celebrated the 150th Amiversary of the Overland Telegraph and this was the theme of the show. The presence of the North East Radio Club allowed for a Morse telegraph link from the foyer to the receiving area on the stage of the exhibition. Once again congratulations to all.

Philatelic Journals Published in South Australia & Northern Territory

The SAPC produce a quarterly newsletter "SAPC News" which reports on current news and the events in the local clubs, philatelic world in South Australia and the Northern Territory. Several societies produce journals. These include:

- 'Stamp Talk' (Philatelic Society of South Australia)
- 'Shilling Violet' (SA Study Group of the Philatelic Society of South Australia)
- 'Perforated Points' (Salisbury Philatelic Society)
- 'NSSA Newsletter (Numismatic Society of South Australia)
- The APF Journal Support scheme assists the publication of these journals.
- 'Observer (SA Match Cover Collector's Society)
- Postcard Society Bulletin' (Australian Postcard Society)
- 'The Australian Aerophilatelist' (Australian Airmail Society)

Plans for 2022-23

The SAPC has the following goals for the coming twelve months.

- Continue to work with and assist societies to promote the hobby to the South Australian collecting public in both Adelaide and country districts through one day bourses and club visits.
- Continue to maximize the potential of the re-furbished SAPHIL House by increasing its use for meetings, fairs, auctions, workshops, open days, Anniversaries and celebrations.
- Continue to encourage training days to encourage both collectors and judges to keep up with the latest rules and regulation in their collecting field.
- Continue to encourage SAPC committee to attend local clubs to keep their members up to date with information on what's happening in the bigger Philatelic world.

President's Annual Report cont'd

Congress 2021

The 4 clubs were Para Hills, Lower Murray, Eastern Districts and The City of Noarlunga





Frank Chester with The Butler Trophy



Grace Hargroves with The Youth Trophy

Geoff Edwards with The Briskham Trophy

Alma Downes being presented with her SPAN Award by David Figg

Martin Walker and Gordon Oates attending the Campbelltown University of the Third Age









Briskham and Butler Award Dinner and awardees



SAPC Auction viewing

Postcard Open Day







Postal Stationery and Postal History Soc, Open Day for the 150th Anniversary of the Adelaide GPO.



President's Annual Report cont'd



The 1st Match Club Exhibition held at SAPHIL House



PSSA Open Day



2nd Postcard Open Day





ANPEX Exhibition



Community Philatelic Society holding the 1st LIVE Auction in SA since the start of COVID 19



Tony Shields (Dealer)



Di James and her Exhibit



Gordon Oates and North East Radio

From the Treasurer's desk

The SAPC Books are about to go to the Auditor for preparation of the Financial Report for the 2021/22 year for tabling at the AGM scheduled for Monday 14 November.

The cheque account is kept on a cash basis whereas the end-of-year financials are prepared on an accruals basis.

For the last financial year (and spilling over into the current financial year), the finances have been helped tremendously with the injection of significant funds from the postal bid auctions that were held. These generated a surplus of \$16,887.93 which will help towards the running of SAPHIL House.

The Council is indebted to the services of Mike Kovaleff, Peter Siggs and John Walker for making this happen.

Overall the year has been a much healthier one with a surplus of income over expenses.

SAPHIL House is now utilised most days of the month by the CBO, APF Store, and the regular clubs that meet there – Philatelic Society of SA, Australian Airmail Society, Glenside Philatelic Society, Postal Stationery & Postal History, Printed Collectables Club and the Australian Match Cover Collectors Society. In addition, Club Open Days and Fairs, Auctions, a National Match Exhibition, and a State Congress have all contributed to the income stream, helping to close the gap on the costs of keeping SAPHIL House running.

The Circuit Book Office (CBO) are separate to the SAPC. A separate report is given by the CBO Manager at the AGM and they also contribute their share of tax, which we have to pay to the ATO on any interest earned on investments.

David

Circuit Book Office (CBO)

The CBO is well staffed with volunteers and additional people are coming on board. We are currently seeking additional pages of material due to high turnover.

Sales are progressing well and results similar to the last two years are expected.

With increasing banking costs and lack of bank support for cheques the CBO will be forced to use direct deposits and internet banking.

The CBO is financially stable.

The Circuit Book Office (CBO) operates Monday to Friday during the day staffed by volunteers. Occasionally due to shortages the office is unstaffed. It is prudent to phone first to ensure the office is open. Vacancies exist for additional volunteers. Vendors are encouraged to forward more sheets of material as we are turning over hundreds of sheets per week. If you would like to become a vendor, please contact the CBO on 8212 3557. If your club has a request for specific books, please ring the office and ask for myself.

Thanks

Peter Wilson



SAPC Publicity Officer's Desk

Hello!

Well, the past few months have kept me on my toes scrambling to promote all the great activities and events of our Clubs and Societies, as well as ANPEX. I thought ANPEX

was fabulous. Did you go? Everyone I spoke to gave very positive Feedback, and I came home with telegrams and stamps!

I need to apologise to our web developer, Alex Smallwood, for typing his name incorrectly in the last News. Fortunately, Alex was able to correct the digital copy but printed copies had already been distributed. My apologies Alex! For more information about Alex and his services please visit: <u>https://www.aberfoyleparkpcrepairs.com.au/</u>

Our website, <u>www.sapc.org.au</u>, continues to improve, and I'm delighted to be able to report that it is being used as a point of contact (in emails) and as a source of information, especially for downloading club programmes. With this in mind, a reminder to all Clubs and Societies to please send your promo flyers to me at <u>sapcpublicity@gmail.com</u>. If I don't have your flyers, I can't promote your events.

As this is our last News for 2022, I would like to wish everyone a very happy and safe festive season.

Happy stamping! Di

Stamp Image: Australia, 1977. Christmas 1977 series. Surfing Santa.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor

I recently received a copy of the SAPC News from a friend. I am a new collector of stamps and was impressed with all the South Australian stamp collecting news. It was also heartening to see so many Clubs and Societies active in our State! The SAPC website was a great source of information too. Do you have a mailing list so that I can sign up for the News?

Lyn,

Morphett Vale.

28th September 2022

Dear Lyn

We do not currently have a mailing list to non members of Stamp clubs, but I can definitely start one. Thanks for your feedback and request for further copies of the SAPC News. We hope to see you at one of our events or club in the new year.

Linda

Editor SAPC News

APF Award

Anthony Presgrave - Member of the Australian Philatelic Order



Tony had a childhood collection but started specialised collecting in 1970 and formed collections of Australian Commonwealth, South Australian Departmentals and general issues, River Murray Shipping, Travelling Post Offices of South Australia, Picture Postcards and more recently the Slogan Cancellations of the Adelaide GPO and Postmarking Machines in South Australia. Many of these collections have been exhibited with some achieving Gold and Large Gold medals.

Being a member of over ten clubs and societies, Tony has been recognised with a Fellowship from three (RPSL, RPSV & ACCC) and Life Membership of the Philatelic Society of South Australia. Tony has served continuously on the SA Philatelic Council since 1995 with three separate stints as the Judges Registrar, his current position, amounting to 18 out of the 26 years served to date. In recognition of his services to philately in South Australia, Tony was awarded the Briskham Medal in 1995, the highest award bestowed by the SAPC.

In 2002, Tony received the Australian Philatelic Order Research Award. Author of three books – Albury Postal Services 1975, The Departmental Stamps of South Australia 1992 and The Travelling Post Offices of South Australia 1997, he was also joint author of a fourth, The Railway Parcel Stamps of Australia 1980. Currently editor of two journals, Tony was also Cinderella Corner columnist for Stamp News for 15 years.

Tony has been the APF Frames Project Officer for the last 15 years, Cinderella Class Convenor for the last 13 years and APF Research Officer for South Australia for the last 10 years.

Apprenticed in 1992, Tony's judging career spans almost thirty years during which time he has judged in every state of Australia except Tasmania. He is currently accredited to judge Traditional, Postal History, Literature, Open, Picture Postcards and One Frame. Tony has been a Team Leader on numerous occasions and was Jury Chair for Adelaide Stampex 2008.

An accredited Commissioner to National Exhibitions since 1992, Tony has also been the Australian Commissioner to overseas exhibitions.

Tony has promoted the hobby through numerous displays and talks at local service clubs, and a periodic display in his local post office culminating in his being instrumental in obtaining Australia Post approval for the issue of postage stamps in 2003 to commemorate the 150th anniversary of shipping on the River Murray system.

Tony Presgrave is well deserving of being recognised as a Member of the Australian Philatelic Order.

Congratulations Tony. A well deserved award.

City of Noarlunga

The City of Noarlunga Philatelic Society awarded Lifetime membership to Frank Chester at the AGM in August this year. The committee approved this due to his tireless dedication to our club over the years. He is currently the treasurer and has held this position for many years. His ongoing commitment to working for the club and the members is outstanding. Frank received The Harry Butler Award in 2021 with an outstanding recommendation from our club.



Larry Wakely presenting Frank his Lifetime Membership Certificate.

New membership drive for the City of Noarlunga Philatelic Society Inc.

The members of NPS all agreed that it would be good to attract new members for our club and to raise the awareness in the community about the hobby of stamp collecting. Members were asked to put forward some ideas at a general meeting on how this could be achieved. Many ideas were given, and some have already been put in place. Some of the members have volunteered their time to help in this ambitious undertaking.

Due to our "Not For -Profit " status, these ventures needed to be cost neutral, as much as possible .

One of our members, Vivian Michaelis, is a radio announcer on **Tribe FM** and checked with the station to see if it was possible to read out the club's meeting dates and times and a contact number for enquiries, on the Community listings. This was accepted and is ongoing, being broadcast quite often throughout the week.

Another member, Michelle Kelly, approached our local **Noarlunga Library** to see if a display could be placed there. Members were asked to supply one sheet each to help with this display. This request was accepted and now stamp pages are on display in glass lock-up cases in the library for an indefinite time.

Lorraine O'Brien, secretary, enquired about having a free table at the recent **Car Boot Sale** for Seaford Christian Churches, Frank Chester & Vivian Michaelis, volunteered to help with this. The idea was to hand out next year's programme, sheet information about our club, plus packets of stamps free, to interested persons. The members have painstakingly prepared these packets of postage stamps for the give-aways.

The next planned **static display** is on Saturday 21^{st} January 2023 **at Colonnades Shopping Centre** from 10.00am – 4.00pm. David Pettet has been organising on behalf of our members with Colonnades for this to happen. Members will be rostered to help on the day.



Vivian and Frank manning the tables.



Display cabinet at Woodcroft Library

Blackwood Super Auction

After a 2 year absence because of COVID, the Blackwood Philatelic Circle was able to hold their 5th Super Auction, in memory of long -time member Val Bould, on 10th September 2022. Approxiamately 41 people attended, and 17 vendors supplied 554 lots of good quality material at realistic prices.

The ladies, Jenny and Gail, did a magnificent job in preparing a nice afternoon tea of delicious sandwiches, slices and tea or coffee: they were in strong demand!.

Material sold at auction realized almost \$1800.00 with approx 200 lots sold. Everyone had an enjoyable afternoon, particularly the 31 bidders with their newly acquired acquisitions.

The club will be holding another Super Auction on the 9th September next year.

Community Philatelic Society

Thanks to everyone for attending our LIVE auction on the 13th November. It was great to see so many people attending, sales again were very good.

Thanks to Peter, Mike and John for organizing the lots. Thanks to the volunteers who assisted on the day including security staff, and kitchen staff. The scones again were exceptionally good. See you next year.

Philatelic Society of South Australia

The Philatelic Society of South Australia was founded in 1888 and has the distinction of being the oldest continuously operating society in Australia and is believed to one of the ten oldest in the world. For the first time in its long history a woman - Jennifer Mibus - was elected as President for 2022!



Congratulations Jennifer Mibus, The first woman elected President of the PSSA in 134 years.



Jennifer started in philately when she attended the SAPC Junior Stamp Club in 1988, which was also the 100th anniversary of PSSA. She joined PSSA as a junior in 1993. During her long membership, Jen has worked on the PSSA Committee in various capacities including membership secretary and she is also currently SAPC Delegate representing the PSSA at their quarterly meetings.

Jen has exhibited at many State Congresses and provided displays at the PSSA as well as for other clubs and societies. Jen is a regular volunteer at the set up and the pulldown at both State and National exhibitions and attends the SAPC auctions, volunteering her services at the main table. Jen was the recipient of The Butler Award in 2019.

Numismatic Society of SA (Coin and Bank Note Expo)

Due to the two previous annual events being cancelled due to Covid restrictions, South Australian collectors were keen to embrace collecting again and formed a very long queue for free entry on the first day of the expo.

There were a number of factors that probably contributed to the success of the show. The absence of an Adelaide coin show for the previous three years, the \$2 coin collecting craze, the death of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, the fine weather and the extensive advertising. Collectors were keen to buy and sell many of the scarcer \$2 commemorative coin varieties, and obtain coins with the effigy of the late Queen.

Two hundred specially overprinted PNCs were produced for the show with small quantities supplied to dealers with tables and the lowest two numbers allocated as the first prize in the raffle.

There were regular raffle draws throughout the three days with a lady winning the numbers 1 and 2 of the special show PNC's for 150 years of the Overland Telegraph, and David, in charge of the raffles, drawing his own winning ticket for a series of donated coin albums after purchasing only five tickets!

Richard is to be congratulated, along with his NSSA member helpers, for organizing and putting on such a good event. No doubt dealers and collectors will be eagerly looking forward to the next one. Thanks to Helen for the Expo images. (*Thanks to NSSA for permission to use their article.*)



It was estimated that over 2000 people attended the 3 day show!





Our Society invites coin and banknote collectors, interested members of the public and their friends to attend our meetings, which are held on the third Thursday of each month at 7.45pm. Every third month (November, May, February, August) a Numismatic Bourse is held before the meeting, commencing at 7pm.

An annual Coin Expo is held by the NSSA, usually in October where possible, with the dates for our sixth annual Coin Expo in 2023 to be announced.

Meetings are held at the rooms of the Royal Society of South Australia, ground floor, behind the State Library, Entry: off Kintore Avenue, via rear lane (Morgan Thomas Lane) immediately behind the State Library, walk along lane 60-70 metres, then turn left into Plane Tree Court. Take the first door on the left. If you are driving, use the intercom at the boom gate at the entrance to the lane, and advise that you are attending the Numismatic Society coin meeting and, on entry, you may proceed to park behind the Library, Museum or Art Gallery buildings.

Strathalbyn Stamp Club

The Strathalbyn Stamp Club held its' Annual General Meeting in July 2022 and as has been the situation for the last 2 to 3 years all current Office Bearers were re-elected without any hesitation. In his annual report, President Malcolm reported that the Club had had a successful year which had been enjoyed by all members. Whilst the Club gained one new member unfortunately we also lost long time member Phil Wise.

The Club's promotional display at the Strathalbyn Library has been well received and it is hoped that future displays will be able to be presented. A new programme for the coming year was discussed and several suggestions will be actively pursued including some guest speakers.

The annual Hallmark Trophy competition, sponsored by Nivek Stamps, auction was conducted at the August meeting with 2 members putting up interesting displays. The winner was Chris with his display of African stamps issued when he lived in Africa during the 1960s. which included African history and also stamps of many of the unique animals that Chris had been able see whilst living in Africa.



Malcolm Twartz congratulating Chris Dyson on his winning display



Terry Pannell, Bronwyn Holdwsorth, Kevin Battersby Malcolm Twartz, Chris Dyson (sitting) Geoff Poynter and Lloyd Deer.

Printed Collectables Club

The Printed Collectables Club of SA always hold their Annual one day Fair on the second Saturday in September each year at the Hectorville Community Centre, 47 Reid Avenue, Hectorville.

This years Fair, held from 9.00am to 3.00pm, again attracted a good crowd with brisk trading occurring in the first few hours.

Club President, Chris Hime, managed to squeeze in close on 20 dealers into the main hall and another 2 in the foyer, with about 50 tables being used, laden with all manner of collectables. SAPC President, Jenny Roland, provided the catering which also saw brisk patronage to the extent that a dash to Coles was done around mid-day to secure more supplies! The Club also held a fund-raiser raffle with purchased and donated prizes.

It will be on again next year, so put **Saturday 9 September 2023** in your diaries and plan to attend.





Salisbury Philatelic Society

Salisbury, again had a very well attended successful auction, with over 1300 lots spread over 2 auctions, with over 50 bidders and vendors alike, approximately 30% of all lots were sold (an excellent result). 5 dealers were in attendance.

Salisbury PS will again be holding an auction next year in **October**, **Saturday 28th**, please put into your calendar and we will see everyone their.



In Philately – Tributes to Friends

Yvonne Thompson

15/02/1943-10/10/2022



With great sadness we have learnt of the passing of Yvonne Thompson. Yvonne has been a wonderful supporter of philately in and beyond Salisbury Philatelic Society including Barossa Stamp Club. She was always prepared to encourage new members. She was a former treasurer and had been absolutely tireless in fund-raising for Salisbury. Her collecting interests included the history of medicine on stamps, hospital post cards, and had almost a complete set of date stamps of her birth year (1943).

Yvonne was an Enrolled Nurse, serving at Peterborough, Burra and the Julia Farr centre amongst other place. Yvonne ran a bookshop at Paddy's Market alongside of Ray's stamp shop.

Yvonne was also Secretary for the South Australian Philatelic Council Management Committee in 2006. Yvonne was always prepared to help out assisting at the catering for Congress's being held at the Drill Hall, as well as helping Ray at their Dealer table. Yvonne and Ray had been married for 36 years.

Please join me and the philatelic community in sending our condolences and sympathy to Ray and family.



Don't miss the

South Australian Philatelic Council

Postal Auction 2023

Saturday 25th February and Sunday 26th.

SAPHIL House, 22 Gray Court, Adelaide

Viewing will be Saturday 25th 10am to 4pm and Sunday 26th 10am to 2.30pm .

Credit card facilities will be available.

Free admission, wheel chair friendly, with ample non-metered parking (Sturt & Wright Streets).

Refreshments at reasonable prices will be available.

Auction lots for February's auction need to be delivered to SAPHIL House from Thursday 4th November to Friday 9th December, then either Tuesday 13th or Thursday 15th December. CBO office is open between the hours of 9am to 12 noon Monday to Friday or 9am to 2pm Tuesday and Thursday.

All enquiries to Peter Siggs on 0408 806 894 or psiggs@gmail.com

Message from the Editor

My thanks for the positive feedback that I have received from our members as well as from the APF. Without your articles and items the SAPC News would not be as successful as it has been. The change to the new format has been well received.

Once again any new programmes or club events that you have organized for 2023 forward to our email address and I will update for the February issue. My thanks to all who have sent in articles this year for the SAPC News, keep the information coming in.

Happy and safe Christmas and New Year. Linda

Member Contributions



Phil a member of the Australian Postcard Society discovered this very rare postmark of Winninowie while looking through a collection of postcards.

Winninowie is a locality in the Mid North of South Australia. It includes the intersection of Horrocks Pass Road, Winninowie is 21 kilometres southeast of Port Augusta on the plain between Spencer Gulf on the west and the southern Flinders Ranges on the east. Winninowie Post Office opened on 1 September 1880 and closed on 31 May 1928.

Community Philatelic Society: Memories

In 1986 on the 150th anniversary of South Australia, a re-enactment was held in Encounter Bay of the meeting between Matthew Flinders and Nicolas Baudin in 1802. To commemorate the anniversary, the Community Philatelic Society decided to organize a bus trip to coincide with the event.

It was also decided to produce a set of 3 special covers, one each for the ships taking part - the British ship HMS Amazon; the French Ship Commandant Blaison, and the Australian ship HMAS Flinders. There were 400 sets in total, each set with a printed number. The Captains of each ship personally signed all 400 covers for their ship!



Given the Royal family connection to the Navy, one of our members suggested that we offer set number 1 to Her Majesty the Queen. We wrote a letter to accompany the covers and sent them to Buckingham Palace. To our delight, we received a reply from the Queen's Assistant Private Secretary.

Community Philatelic Society Edwardstown * Noarlanga * Violor Harbor Correspondence: P.O. Dics 75, Clarence Gardene, South Australia 5009	BUCKINGHAM PALACE
October 29, 1986	
Her Host Gracious Majesty Quéen Elizabeth II, Buckinghum Pelace, LOMOCH, EMGLAND	5th November, 1986.
May it please your Majesty,	
We would be tonowined if you would accept the enclosed stamp covers which were issued to commenorate the me-enctment of the meating of Matthew Flinders and Micholas Baudin on Bith April, 1802, eleven miles wouth of the River Purryy Mouth.	Dear Mrs Quigley.
Organised by the Community Philatelic Society as a South Australia [†] Jubilee 150 Event, these covers were carried by H.M.S. Amazon, H.W.A.S. Flinders, and the Trench Ship Commandent Blaisen, and landed at Victor Harbor as Paquebot Mail on 18th October, 1986.	I am commanded by The Queen to thank you for your letter of 29th October, with which you enclosed the stamp covers issued to
Knowing the strong offiliation that members of the Royal Family have with the British Mary, we thought that these covers would be of particular interest to you.	commemorate the re-enactment of the meeting of Matthew Flinders and Nicholas Baudin on 8th April, 1802.
I have the honour to remain. Madam, Your Majesty's most humble and abedient servant.	
	Her Majesty was very touched to receive them and has much pleasure in accepting them for inclusion in the Royal Philatelic Collection.
J.M. OUIGLEY VICE-PRESIDENT	
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	J. M. Quigley.

We also sent a set to the then Prime Minister, Bob Hawke and received a reply. See the next page for the Prime Minister's response.

Member Contributions

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Community Philatelic Society Edwardstown * Nourlunga * Victor Harbor Correspondence: P.O. Box 75, Clarence Gardens, South Australia 508D	OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER CANEGRAG
October 29, 1986 Her Most Gracious Majosty Oveen Elizabeth II, Buckinghan Palace, LORDOV, ENGLAND	1 1 Uto 1986 Dear Mr Quigley
May it please your Majesty. We would be honoured if you would accept the enclosed stamp covers which were issued to commence the re-enactment of the meeting of Matthew Flinders and Nicholas Baudin on Bth April, 1802, eleven miles south of the River Nurway Mouth. Organised by the Community Philatelic Society as a South Australia Autice 180 Wordt, these covers were carrice by H.M.2. Awaron, H.M.A.S. Flinders, and the French Ship Communiant Blaison, and landed at Victor Harbor as Paquetot Mail on 18th October, 1986. Knowing the strong affiliation that members of the Royal Family have with the British Navy, we thought that these covers would be of particular interest to you. I have the honour to remain, Mañam, Your Majesty's nest humble and abadient servant.	The Prime Minister has asked me to thank you for your letter of 29 October, 1986, and to express to you and to the members of your Society his appreciation for your thoughtful gesture in presenting to him the enclosed stamp covers. Mr Hawke sends to you Season's Greetings and his best wishes. Yours sincerely Jean Sinclair Phivate Secretary
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Nick Yelland, our current Patron, was awaiting the mail bags from the ships containing all 1200 covers. He was standing on the end of the landing when the sky suddenly opened up!! Nick was absolutely drenched but miraculously the covers survived undamaged.

It was a busy weekend. We held a gathering in the evening where the 3 Captains were invited as special guests, and we also visited several places including the Rose Garden and Miniature Village, Glacier Rock and Urimbirra Fauna Park and enjoyed an evening meal with our own personalized menu!



It was a great weekend, thoroughly enjoyed by all!

Phil Scott

CPS DINNER - VICTOR	HARBOUR TRIP - 18-19/10/86
SOUPS :	(Vic's Victory)
Vegetable Cream of Pumpkin	(Phil's Pep-me-up
ENTREE :	
Pork Spare Ribs Chicken Wings	(Nick's Nosh)
Sweet & Sour Prawns	(Pete's Piece de resistance)
MAIN COURSE : Roast Pork & Apple : Roast Chicken Curried Beef & Rice	(Rosalie's Ribaldry)
Lemon Chicken Grilled Mulloway VEGETABLES :	(Ellie's Excellence)
Roast Potatoes Cauliflower	(Jim's Jig) (Lance's Lust)
Carrots	(Ken's Kick) (Basil's Butane)
DESSERTS :	
Pavlova Cheesecake	(Shirl's Sugar & Spice) (Jack & Jacqui's Jollity)
Mocca Mousse Chocolate Cake	(Mavis's Mouse) (Sheila's Speciality)
CUOCOTACE Cake	(Sherra's Speciality)

Maximaphily Exhibition Class

What is Maximaphily?.

The expression *carte-maximum* (maximum card or maxicard) was first used in 1932, when a collector named Lecestre published an article on *Le Libre Échange* detailing the design of this philatelic item.





The study, creation and collection of maximum cards is called maximaphily.

Maximaphily did not become organised until after the Second World War. Before then maximum cards were created as novelties, often by tourists.

Maximaphily is closely associated with thematic or topical stamp collecting and many thematic collections are enhanced with appropriate maximum cards.



A maximum card (maxicard, maxi-card, MC) is made up of three elements: the postcard, the stamp and the postmark. The object of maximaphily is to obtain a card where the stamp and picture are in close concordance, ideally with an appropriate cancellation too. If all three elements are concordant, then that card truly is a maximum [concordance] card (hence the name maximaphily). Preferably, the image on the postcard should not be simply an enlargement of the image on the stamp. There are exceptions. For example: a work of art, like a painting (not a detail of it), is often shown

in its entirety, both on the postcard and on the stamp of the maxicard.



A maximum card for the birth bicentenary of <u>Nikolai</u> <u>Gogol</u> where the card, stamp and first day of issue postmark are in concordance. As are the birds on the right.



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NEWSLETTER DEADLINE for the February issue is January 20th 2023.

ANPEX President's Report

150th Anniversary of the completion of the Overland Telegraph Line and 50th Anniversary of ANPEX 1972.

The SA Philatelic Council presented the year's only National One-Frame Exhibition at the Hectorville Community Centre on 20-21 August 2022.

To commemorate the telegraph anniversary the organising committee encouraged exhibits of telegram forms and stamps and exhibits in the usual philatelic classes with a connection to the telegraph service. Ten exhibitors took up this challenge with material from the Australian Colonies and Commonwealth and from Ecuador being shown.

The organisers also arranged for larger exhibits to tell the story of the Telegraph in Australia (Patricia Wood) and Telecommunications (Marilyn Syme).

To strengthen the telegraph connections the exhibition was a part of the wider sesquicentenary commemorations, and the OTL-150 organisers are thanked for their support and promotion of ANPEX 2022.

Working demonstrations of morse code and amateur radio communications were provided by members of the North East Radio Club and provided fascinating displays. Their participation also allowed visitors to ANPEX to send and receive souvenir telegrams and 98 were sent during the weekend. Special forms and telegram message stamps were produced by the organisers.

The fiftieth anniversary of ANPEX 1972 was also celebrated at the exhibition with a reunion of people associated with the original exhibition and special displays by John Walker and Jeff Newman. Four exhibitors, Clyde Ziegler, Ben Clemmensen, Jeff Newman and Martin Walker formed a special group who exhibited at both the 1972 and 2022 exhibitions.

In total the exhibition displayed 84 frames of material plus more at the ANPEX reunion. Of these 61 one-frame exhibits were entered into the competition for judging by the APF appointed jury. This jury comprised Anthony Presgrave (Chairman), Glen Stafford (Secretary), Michael Blinman, Charles Bromser, Mohammed Islam and Philip Levine. They were assisted by Neville Solly (X-Aide operator).

The Best in Show was awarded to Mark Diserio for his Australia – Lettercards Stamped to Order and the Best Telegraph Exhibit was awarded to Dave Elsmore for his Electric Telegraph Queensland. In total the exhibits were awarded 8 Large Gold, 6 Gold, 14 Large Vermeil, 13 Vermeil, 8 Large Silver, 5 Silver, 5 Silver-Bronze and 1 Bronze. One 'no-show' was substituted by an exhibit on Cyclone Tracy.

One of the most pleasing aspects of the competition was the number of new exhibits. According to the entry form details, 39 exhibits had their debut showing. A quarter of these comprised the experimental Telegraph Class.

Apart from the fascinating exhibits on show, there was plenty to see and buy at the trade stands by Richard Juzwin, Tony Shields, Abacus Auctions, John Cornelius, David Figg and the Australian Philatelic Federation.

Finally, thank-yous are due to my fellow organising committee members – Gordon Oates, David Figg, Stuart Wattison, John Moore, Jenny Roland and her volunteer caterers, all of the volunteers who helped during the show and the general public who took time to visit and enjoy everything on offer.

Martin Walker, President Organising Committee, ANPEX 2022.

ANPEX 2022 Exhibition Reports cont'd

Congratulations to all who entered the Exhibition. South Australia has again been well represented.

Jury Report

ANPEX 2022 was organised by the South Australian Philatelic Council. The exhibition offered One Frame National Classes including Traditional, Postal History, Postal Stationery, Picture Post Cards as well as the Telegraph Class.

There were 61 entries including 39 first time exhibit. One exhibit was a 'no-show'.

The Jury noted the high quality of the exhibits with 9 Large Gold, 6 Gold, 14 Large Vermeil, 13 Vermeil, 6 Large Silver, 4 Silver, 5 Silver Bronze, and 1 Bronze medals awarded. No Certificate of Participation was awarded.

The Jury team comprised 6 jurors and Neville Solly as Exhibition-Aide Operator. I would like to thank all members of the Jury for the professional conduct of their work efforts.

I would also like to thank Martin Walker, Chair of the Organising Committee, and all other committee members for their help and support as well as the exhibitors for allowing us to judge their exhibits. Special thanks to all exhibitors from other states who brought other exhibits with them.

Anthony Presgrave, Jury Chair



Prizes Awarded to South Australian Exhibitors Award:

Best Traditional to Harry Lower Encouragement Award to Dianne James Best New Exhibit to MD Zahidui Islam

Invited Displays by South Australians

The Telegraph in Australia - Patricia Wood

A comprehensive study of the evolution of the telegraph in Australia highlighting its importance to an emerging nation and integration with the postal service.

Telecommunication - Marilyn Syme

The evolution of telecommunication (sending ideas and messages over a distance) was slow until the discovery of the electrical current in the 1700s. Pioneers of telegraph, telephone and radio invented a varity of apparatus to use for the personal, social and scientific communication that we all use today.

ANPEX 1972 - John Walker

Display of artwork, essays, proofs and varieties of the souvenir items and ephemera produced for the philatelic exhibition.



ANPEX 2022 Exhibition Results

	Entry Number	Frame Number	Medal Level
Bodnar, John Ukraine - The Third Vienna Issue	2	61	SB
Clemmensen, Bernhard Czeslaw Slania's Stamp Art	3	68	S
Giardiello, Lorenzo Nauru Progressive Colour Trials	5	60	SB
Hancy, Michael Postal Service in Morocco from 1891 to 1917	6	60	SB
Islam, MD Zahidui 1 Taka (Kamalapur Railway Station) & 2 Taka (Zia International Airport) Mezhduna Kniga Printed Definitives Stamps of Bangladesh	7 rodnaya	74	LS
Lower, Harry The 1891 Surcharges of South Australia	10	94	LG
Monk, Gordon Holey Problems Harris Scarfe & Co Die 4	11	79	V
Monk, Gordon A Study of the Australian KGV 1d NY Joined Variety	12	91	LG
Monk, Gordon A Study of the Australian KGV 1d Die 3 Issue	13	90	LG
Roland, Jenny At A Premium	17	70	LS
Roland, Jenny Belgica 82	18	77	V
Walker, Martin Half Penny GPO Definitive of South Australia	20	91	LG
Carter, Nigel Delivered in Island Time	25	62	SB
Howard, Jim Civil Censorship of Brunei Mail 1939 to 1941	28	76	V
Nuijten, Alex Fur Collar Letter Cards of The Netherlands 1906 - 1918	31	89	G
Groves, Angela The Weird, Wacky and The Wonderful	32	68	S
Islam, MD Zahidui Mahatma Gandhi's Major Iconic Movements in India	33	80	LV
Goodliffe, Paul French Paintings Through The Medium of Maximum Cards	34	68	S
Walker, Martin Australia's Radio Telegraph Services	40	81	LV
Walker, Martin South Australian Telegram Forms 1902 - 1917	42	83	LV
Bodnar, John The 1909 Challenge - Cross the English Channel by Aeroplane	44	82	LV
Bodnar, John The Russian Expeditionary Force and The Russian Legion in France 1916-1918	45	78	V
Downes, Alma A Short Holiday in Clovelly	47	84	LV
Figg, David Brookes Limited	48	80	LV

ANPEX 2022 Exhibition Results cont'd

	Entry Number	Frame Number	Medal Level
Figg, David The Independent Order of Rechabites	49	79	V
Figg, David Circular Quay, Hub of Sydney	50	81	LV
Figg, David Ted Ryko - Adelaide to Darwin by Bicycle	51	81	LV
Oates, Gordon QSL ICW	52	70	LS
Ritter, Ron Picture Postcards of Semaphone, South Australia	53	76	V
Roland, Jenny The 4th Dimension	54	83	LV
Roland, Jenny The House of The Vettii	55	78	V
Ziegeler, Clyde Lidice	56	75	V
James, Dianne Centenary of the Overland Telegraph - Anpex 72	57	72	LS
Walker, Martin Discount and Saving Stamps Issued by Australian Retail Stores	62	83	LV

Thank you to all ANPEX 2022 Volunteers

The President and Organising Committee extend a huge thankyou to the many volunteers that assisted at ANPEX 2022. Your help transporting and erecting display frames; putting up exhibits; manning information and souvenir stands; feeding everyone at the show and the Palmares; and then cleaning up afterwards was highly valued and appreciated.

Martin Walker



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ANPEX 2022 Exhibition Photos



Martin Walker, ANPEX President and Mac Benoy, Co-ordinator of the Overland Telegraph Line Sesquicentenary Commemorations



Winner of the Best in Show Award—Mark Diserio, in front of his exhibit



Zahidul Islam, "Mahatma Gandhi's Major Iconic Movements in India" Best New Exhibit



General view of the hall.



Mohammed Islam Judging one of the exhibits



Two of our visiting members from Mt Gambier



John Cornelieus "half-price" stamp sale was besieged with customers for most of the show.



Teaching the young ones to send telegram messages using the morse key



Gordon Oates , in period dress, tapping out one of the souvenir telegram messages on his morse key, with the equipment being used



Sally Hopton at ANPEX

Sally popped into ANPEX seeking information about her stamps as well as to share the story of her great-grandfather Edward Meade Bagot, Ned. Ned was involved in laying out a section of the Overland Telegraph!

This is an extract from Ned's story as told by Sally.

My great-grandfather Edward Meade Bagot—Ned Bagot—was born in Ireland in 1822. He was a son of Charles Hervey Bagot. In 1840 Ned accompanied his father and family to South Australia. He worked for his father at the Koonunga Station near Kapunda. When copper was

discovered, he helped run the mines. He later ran pastoral stations on the River Murray and at Beefacres.

When the Overland Telegraph was projected, Ned tendered for, and won, the contract for the southernmost section of the line; about 500 miles from Port Augusta to Mt Margaret near Oodnadatta. There were seven or eight other tenders. Ned's knowledge of the bush probably helped him win the contract. He tendered for varying amounts per mile depending on the distance from 'civilization', ranging from £20-70 per mile and averaging £41.

Ned had moved his men out of Adelaide to start the Southern Section on the 27th of September the remainder left on the Lubra for Port Augusta. They arrived on 30 September and immediately set up camp at Stirling, 5 miles away. The following day, Saturday 1st October, they planted their first pole. Superintendent Towler gave each man a glass of beer and that was the end of the ceremony. In fact, they had several more poles up by the end of the day. The work was now in progress at either end of the route. Ned had his section completed by the due date of 1st January 1872. He also ran the carting of materials and stores to the central section. On completion of his contract, he had received £38,000.

It has to be said that the southern section was considered the easiest, but Charles Todd was very pleased with the work and said so in a letter to Ned,

"...the 500 or more miles of telegraph constructed by you under contract formed a very important portion of the Port Darwin line...the services rendered in carting materials and stores to the central sections were most valuable. For undertaking these large contracts in the face of unknown, and really very great difficulties, you deserve great credit and have my cordial thanks."

Thanks for sharing Ned's story with us, Sally!

Antarctic Stamp and Postcard Exhibition

The 2020 COVID-postponed Antarctic Stamp and Postcard Exhibition was finally held from Fri 26/8 to Sun 28/8/2022 at Princes Wharf No. 1, Hobart Docks as part of the Antarctic Festival.

Held under the auspices of the Australian Philatelic Federation as a non-competitive specialised exhibition, it attracted 17 exhibits (52 frames) and 6 dealers, with Australia Post attending just on the Friday. Support was received from the Antarctic Festival, Australia Post, Tasmanian Philatelic Society, Australian Stamps Professional and the Adelaide Mint.

A special three course dinner was held on the opening night at Hadley's Orient Hotel. This was booked out well before the Show. Guests were treated to the same menu that Douglas Mawson and his crew had on the eve of their departure for the Antarctic back in 1911.

Antarctic displays were also on show at the Salamanca Arts Centre, Public Library and the Maritime Museum. Of course the full-scale replica of Mawson's Huts were also open to the public throughout the Festival, and the Salamanca Markets could also be visited on the Saturday.

All the above-mentioned attractions and events were within easy walking distance of Hadley's Orient Hotel where most visitors stayed. A good number of collectors and exhibitors attended from around Australia with one keen philatelist visiting from the UK.





The 'Free Stamps for Children Table' was very popular.



General view of the Exhibition at Princes Wharf No. 1 Hobart Docks.



The dinner was held at Hadley's. Tony Shields was the MC, and exhibitors who attended received their silver medal and certificate at the dinner.

International Exhibition Results 2022

Congratulations to our South Australian philatelists on entering and being awarded the following results.

Indonesia 22 World Stamp Championship

Eric Hurrell - Australia-The Kangaroo and Map Stamps (1913-1947), Large Silver

Liberec European Stamp Exhibition and Polar Salon

David Figg -	"A Childs Plea", Silver
David Figg -	Antarctic QSL Cards, Vermeil (Polar Salon)
Martin Walker -	US - 1933 - 35 Byrd Antarctic Exhibition, Vermeil
Martin Walker -	"Byrds First Antarctic Expedition, Bronze (Polar Salon)

2023 Exhibitions



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What is a One Frame Exhibit?

A One Frame exhibit fits in one display frame – 16 sheets – and only needs that amount of space to show all relevant aspects of the topic. One Frame exhibits can be in any of the international (<u>Federation Internationale de Philatelie -FIP</u>) classes except Literature and also any of the Australian National classes. See <u>https://apf.org.au/classes/</u> for more information.

There have been changes made to the One Frame Class rules to make it easier for new exhibitors. You can read about the changes. To assist new exhibitors to understand how to improve their exhibit, judges will be asked to provide constructive critiques and explain any issues with the scope of the exhibit. The National One Frame guidelines say "In all cases where a One-frame Exhibit could be shown in more than one frame, the exhibitor should be advised in feedback this is the case."

If you are interested entries must be in by Monday 27 February, 2023

South Australian Philatelic Council - Congress

14th and 15th October 2023



Next years Congress will be held at the Hectorville Community Centre, Reid Avenue, Hectorville.

Opening times Saturday 10 - 5pm, Sunday 10 - 4pm.

An auction will be held on the Saturday. Presentations will be held on the Sunday.

We will be looking to the clubs for One Frame entries in the Arnold Keller Interclub Trophy as well as individual One Frame entries. State entries (3—5 frames) also will be accepted.

We will be looking to have interstate as well as local dealers attending.

Make sure that your club has their competition early so that you can organize your entries, and also to ask the Judges Registrar for judges if needed.

We will be asking for volunteers closer to the event.

For further details contact Linda on 0421367665, or saphilhouse21@gmail.com

Don't forget to put the dates into your calendar for next year!

PERTH 2023 National Stamp Exhibition

2nd to 5th November 2023



PERTH 2023 is being organized by the *Western Australian Philatelic Council* and will be held at Gloucester Park, East Perth from Thursday 2nd to Sunday 5th November, 2023.

The organisers are looking for exhibitors, dealers, volunteers and sponsors to help with the promotion and success of the event.

A website is under development. Please visit **www.perth2023stampshow.com** for more details of the event.

The event is being supported by the Australasian Stamp Traders Association and the Australian Numismatic Dealers Association. Stamp and coin dealers will be in attendance, buying and selling.

Gawler Communications Exhibition 2023 - Appeal for Help

The Gawler Cultural Heritage Centre is planning a "Communications" themed exhibition next year. Martin Walker is assisting the centre with information and imagery relating to the post, telegraph and telephone services in the town but we need more to choose from.

We are particularly looking for...

Letters and telegrams from any period posted from Gawler, Gawler Railway, Gawler Blocks, Gawler Waterworks, Evanston Gardens or Willaston and the same items addressed to any of these places. No item will be considered too big or too small as we intend to include as wide a range of material as possible to appeal to the general public.

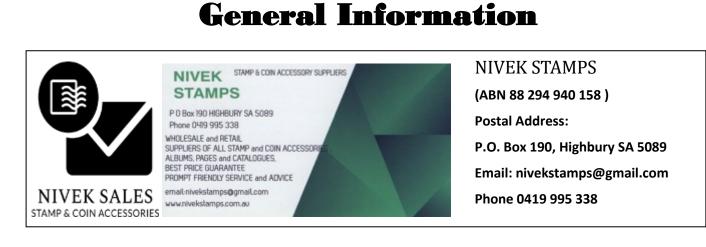
Photographs of any of the post offices and staff in these places.

At this stage images only are required as it is not intended to have original items on display as the exhibition will stand for twelve months.

We are also looking to loan some of the "hardware" used in the post office like handstamps, ink-pads, sorting rack, mailbags, letterboxes, letter and parcel scales, and we'll even consider a uniform, postie bike or scooter. For the telegraph and telephone portions of the display telegraph keys, recorders and sounders are desired along with vintage telephone handsets.

If you can assist with any of these items please contact

Martin Walker on 0418 800132 or email - saphilatelist@gmail.com



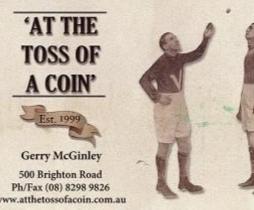
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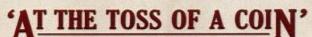
Where I will be in 2023

MURRAY BRIDGE STAMP CLUB	4TH March	Saturday
PSSA OPEN DAY—	28th May	Sunday
AUSTRALIAN POSTCARD SOCIETY -	25th June	Sunday
MURRAY BRIDGE STAMP CLUB	1st July	Saturday
BLACKWOOD Monster Auction	9th Sept	Saturday
CONGRESS (Hectorville Community Centre) -	14/15 October	Sat & Sunday
SALISBURY STAMP FAIR	ТВА	
MURRAY BRIDGE STAMP CLUB	4TH November	Saturday

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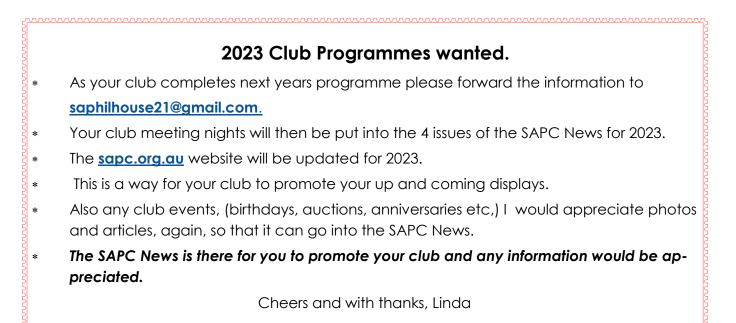
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Australian Airmail Society INC	Australian Postcard Society INC
Dec 7 SA Aviation Museum visit Jan No Meeting Feb 1 First Meeting	Nov 24 Xmas Meeting Jan 26 Broken Hill (Ray Garlick/Betty van Tenac) Feb 23 A's by Willy Stower (Janet Ingleton)
Blackwood Philatelic Circle	Eastern Districts Philatelic Society
Nov 12Display by David SDec 10Xmas celebrationsJanNo MeetingFeb 11Dsiplay by Jeff—Pichie Richie Train	Nov 10 Railways—GT Dec 8 Xmas party and Award Presentations Jan No Meeting Feb 9 A fondness for Beetles—Bret Robinson
Community Philatelic Society	Elizabeth Philatelic Society Nov 11 Military Stamps & Coins
Nov 18 Many and Varied—P Siggs Dec 2 Xmas meeting Jan No Meeting Feb 3 Books and Auction Feb 17 New Zealand Framas—L Welden	Nov 21Military stamps & coinsNov 25East GermanyDec 9Xmas breakupJan 7No MeetingJan 21First MeetingFeb 102nd MeetingFeb 243rd Meeting
City of Noarlunga Philatelic Society	Glenside Philatelic Society
Nov 24Members choice—Frank ChesterDec 8Xmas MeetingDec 22No MeetingFeb 2Members 5 pagesFeb 16Larry Wakely—UPU 75th AnniversaryMarClub to visit Blackwood (date to be advised)	Nov 5WWII Peace Issues—Peter SheilNov 15Dodecanese Islands—Peter GreenDec 3Xmas MeetingJanNo MeetingFeb 4Photography—Eddie KennedyFeb 18NZ Advertising Issues—Linda Welden
Denne Marrier Philade l'a Castata	Mount Gambier Philatelic Society Inc
Lower Murray Philatelic SocietyNov 5Numismatic Covers—Paul Dealer John Cornelius visitingNov 208 Page CompetitionDec 3Appreciation Luncheon	Nov 15 Andy Clifford Dec 5 Xmas Dinner Jan 17 Feb 21
Dec 18 No Meeting	Para Hills Philatelic Society Inc
Jan 7 No Meeting Jan 22 Display by Nigel Carter Feb 4 Display by Angela	Nov 4 Telegrams—Martin Walker Dec 4 Festive Display Jan No Meeting
Philluminy Club of South Australia	Feb 5 First Meeting
An official branch of the AMCCS Nov 25 Christmas Dinner Jan 27 Presidents Night Mar 24 Members Choice	Numismatic Society of South Australia Jan 19 Feb 16 and Bourse Mar 16

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Printed Collectables Club	Port Pirie Philatalic Society
of South Australia	Nov 29 Christmas Lunch
South Australia	Dec No Meeting
Nov 22 AGM & Christmas Social	Jan No Meeting
Dec No Meeting	Feb 27
Jan 24 First meeting	
Feb 28	Stirling Philatelic Society
	Nov 25 German Occupation of Poland (WWII) - Alan B
Philatelic Society of South Australia	Dec 9/16 Xmas Meeting
	Jan 27 All members SG1, 10 & 100 of one or more
Nov 15 Mystery topic—Martin Walker	Countries
Dec 6 Xmas Breakup	Feb 24 Visit from Blackwood
Jan No Meeting	
Feb 7 Circujit Books	Strathalbyn Philatelic Society
Feb 21 SAPC Archive Collection Display	
	Nov 14 T & W Johnson & LMPS
Postal Stationery & Postal History	Dec 12 Xmas BBQ
Society of Australia	Jan 9 T Presgrave & Encounter Bay Stamp Club
	Feb 13 John Bodnar—Pot Pourri Postcards
Nov 8 Giant Auction & Open night -	Mar 13 Terry Pannell—Poumanian Miniature Sheets
ALL WELCOME	Encounter Day Dhilatelia Society
Dec 13 Telegrams	Encounter Bay Philatelic Society
Jan No Meeting	Nov 2 Members Night
Feb 14 First Meeting	Dec 7 AGM and Christmas Meeting
	Jan No Meeting
Riverland Philatelic Society	Feb 1 Mar 1
Nov 28 AGM & Quiz	Salisbury Philatelic Society
Dec No Meeting	
Jan No Meeting	Nov 21 War related PNC's—Sandy Keepence
Feb 27	Dec 5 Xmas Breakup & Presentations
	Jan 16 Swap & Natter
	Feb 6 Zemstovs Display—Andy Kovaleff
	Feb 20 Australian Display — Merv Harriss



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PO Box 10159, Adelaide Business Hub,	PO Box 10159, Adelaide Business Hub,	
Gouger Street, Adelaide, S.A. 5000	Gouger Street, Adelaide, S.A. 5000	
saphilhouse21@gmail.com	saphilhouse21@gmail.com	
indaw3456@gmail.com	8212 3557 or 0438 670 711	
a 8212 3557 or 0421 367 665	Open 9.00am to 12 noon every day	
Australian Match Cover Collector Society	Australian Airmail Society	
Australian Match Cover Collector Society	SAPHIL House, 22 Gray Court, Adelaide, 5000	
SAPHIL House, 22 Gray Court, Adelaide, 5000	PO Box 395, Edwardstown, 5039	
PO Box 367, Daw Park, S.A 5041	bodnarjohn11@gmail.com	
<u>david.figg@internode.on.net</u>	■ 0412 655 729	
1 0450 073 311	Meets 1st Wednesday of every month (except Jan) from 7.45pm.	
www.users.on.net/~figg/amccs		
Meets bi-monthly on 4th Friday of each odd month from 8.00pm.	Glenside Philatelic Society	
Australian Destand Casista	SAPHIL House, 22 Gray Court, Adelaide, 5000	
Australian Postcard Society	1A Wilpena St, Eden Hills, S.A. 5050	
SAPHIL House, 22 Gray Court, Adelaide, 5000	pagoodie@ozemail.com.au	
PO Box 281, Edwardstown, S.A. 5039	a 0418 846 243	
Iindaw3456@gmail.com	Meets the 1st & 3rd Sat of every month (except Jan) from 1.30pm	
1 0421 367 665	Postal Stationery & Postal History Soc of S A	
www.australian-postcard-society.com		
Meets the 4th Thursday of each month (except Dec) from	SAPHIL House, 22 Gray Court, Adelaide, 5000	
7.30pm.	PO Box 10159, Adelaide Business Hub, Gouger Street, Adelaide, S.A. 5000	
	saphilatelist@gmail.com	
Philatelic Society of South Australia	a 0418 800 132	
SAPHIL House, 22 Gray Court, Adelaide, 5000	Meets on 2nd Tuesday of every month (except January) from 7.45pm	
PO Box 10159, Adelaide Business Hub,		
Gouger Street, Adelaide, S.A. 5000 anthony.presgrave@bigpond.com	Printed Collectibles Club	
(08) 8212 3557	SAPHIL House, 22 Gray Court, Adelaide, 5000	
Meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month	PO Box 624, Modbury, S.A. 5092	
(except for January) from 7.30pm	fredyboy1966@gmail.com	
	a 0428 265 739	
	Meets 4th Tuesday of each month (except December) from 8.00pm.	
Suburban and	d Country clubs	
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Bordertown & Districts Philatelic Society	Blackwood Philatelic Circle	
Bordertown Primary School	Blackwood Uniting Church, Main Rd, Blackwood	
C/- PO Bordertown, S.A.5268	6 Glenwood Dr, Bellevue Heights, S.A. 5050	
<u>cdhuntmundulla@yahoo.com.au</u>	🗺 teepeeandruth@gmail.com	
(08) 8753 4126	a 0437 050 831	
Meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month from 7.45pm.	Meets on 2nd Saturday of month (except January) from 1.30pm	
City of Noarlunga Philatelic Society	Community Philatelic Society	

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Community Health Centre, Grand Boulevard, Seaford

- \bowtie C/- PO Box 97, Seaford, S.A. 5169
- artist48@bigpond.net.au
- T 0419 675 376
 - Meets alternate Thursdays from 7.00pm

- Edwardstown Baptist Church Community Centre Cnr Rothesay St and Dorene ave, St Mary's PO Box 281, Edwardstown, S.A. 5039
- \bowtie ź lindaw3456@gmail.com
- T 0421 367 665
- Community Philatelic Society f
 - 1st & 3rd Fridays of month (except Jan & Dec) from 7.00pm

Suburban and Country clubs	
Darwin Philatelic Club Omega PO Box 1624, Palmerston. NT. 0831 Image: mevgabi@bigpond.net.au Image: mevgabi@b	Eastern Districts Philatelic Society Hectorville Community Centre C/- PO Box 62, Campbelltowm. S.A. 5074. m450603@gmail.com 10418 846 243 Meets the 2nd Thursday of month (except January) from 7.30pm
Elizabeth Philatelic Society Café Nova, Murray Street, Gawler. C/- 37, Andrews Rd, Elizabeth Downs, S.A. 5113 mhancy@picknowl.com.au (0414 998 267 Elizabeth Stamp Club EPC Meets 2nd & 4th Fridays of each month at 7.30pm (most)	Encounter Bay Stamp Club School Hall, Woolworths Shopping Ctr, Victor Harbour PO Box 317, Goolwa, S.A. 5214 anthony.presgrave@bigpond.com (08) 8555 3311 Meets the 1st Wednesday of each month (except January) 7.30pm
Lower Murray Philatelic Society White Park Centre, 19 Mulgundawah Rd, Murray Bridge MPS Secretary, PO Box 3, Purnong, via Mannum, S.A.	German Philatelic Club (08) 8358 2802 Contact club for meeting details
5239 Imphilsocsec@gmail.com www.lowermurrayphilatelicsociety.org.au (08) 8570 4074 Meets 1st Saturdays & 3rd Sundays of each month 10 to 2.00pm Para Hills Philatelic Society Inc	Mt Gambier Philatelic Society O'Halloran Community Centre, O'Halloran Terrace, Mt Gambier. O'Halloran Community Centre, O'Halloran Terrace, Mt Gambier. PO Box 2261, Mt Gambier, S.A. 5289 mgphilatelic@gmail.com O419 817 697 Meets 3rd Tuesday of each month from 8.00pm
Para Hills Uniting Church, cnr Liberman & Barcoo Rd, Para Hills □ PO Box 64, Para Hills, S.A. 5096 pbennison@adam.com.au ☎ (08) 8522 4345 Meets 1st Sunday each month from 8.00pm (except Jan) and 2nd Sunday in Sept.	Numismatic Society of South Australia Royal Soc rooms behind State Library of SA, off Kintore Ave, Adelaide PO Box 312, Magill, S.A. 5072 Secretary@sanumismatics.org.au www.sanumismatics.org.au (08) 8165 3446 Meets on 3rd Thursday of each month from 7.45pm
Riverland Philatelic Society Berri Library, Kay Ave, Berri PO Box 901, Berri, S.A. 5343 Saund-rp@bigpond.com.au (08) 8584 4716 or 0428 841 343 Meets 4th Monday, February to November from 10.00am	Port Pirie Philatelic Society BHAS Bowling Club, 1 Halley St, Risdon Park I 3 Fletcher Crt, Pt Pirie, S.A. 5540 Geoff-josie@bigpond.com 0429 858 856 Meets last Monday of each month (February - November) at 2.00pm
Salisbury Philatelic Society The Dutch Club, 21 Greenfield Drive, Green Fields PO Box 336, Salisbury, S.A. 5108 salisburyphilatelic@gmail.com (08) 8269 3883 Salisbury Philatelic Society Meets 1st Mon (Feb- Dec) & 3rd Mon (Jan-Nov) from 7.30pm	SA Power Networks Stamp Club Currently meeting in member homes PO Box 2076, Magill North, S.A. 5072 Image: state of the
Stirling Philatelic Society The Hut (Old Aldgate Railway Station) 12 Alderley Rd, Aldgate, SA 5154 stphilsoc@gmail.com '0413 742 976 Meets on the 4th Friday of each month from 7.30pm Yorke Peninsula Collectibles Club	Strathalbyn Philatelic Society Rosa Hoare room, Lutheran Church, cnr Commercial & North Parade, Strathalbyn C/- Lloyd Deer, PO Box, 686, Strathalbyn, S.A. 5255 Iloyd.deer1@bigpond.com 0428 596 119 Meets 2nd Monday each month from 8.00pm.
Senior Citizens Club, Taylor St, Kadina PO Box 178, Bute, S.A. 5560 Meets 3rd Wednesday of month (except January) from 7.30pm	Ukrainian Collectibles Club Ukrainian Museum, 6 George Street, Hindmarsh. PO Box 466, Woodville, S.A. 5011 (08) 8345 4033 Contact club for meeting details