

The Kicking Mule

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Indiana Stamp Club's Scheduled Programs for 2018 April - Clothes Line Exhibit



Meetings of the Indiana Stamp Club are held on the first Monday of each Month at the Lawrence Community Center located at 5301 N. Franklin Road, Lawrence, IN. The clubhouse is approximately ¼ mile south of 56th Street, on the east side of the road. The parking lot is well lit at night.

Doors open about 6:00 P.M. with dealer set-up, selling, and social hour from 6:30 P.M. until 7:30 P.M. The club meetings begin at 7:30 P.M., followed by refreshments and the program of the evening.

Meetings are highlighted by door prize drawings, a mini-auction consisting of about ten philatelic items, a brief show-and-tell segment, discussion of upcoming stamp exhibitions in the area, and introduction of visiting collectors and guests. Come check us out.

ISC Meeting Courtesy

Dealers at meetings are respectfully requested to close their tables when the meeting starts. Conversations on the side have become quite disruptive to the membership.

Folks placing items up for bids for the mini-auction are asked to limit their lots to only one per member. After seven o'clock, when all lots have been placed on the table, with no more apparent additions, members may place a second item in the mini-auction.

Submit news items to win Indy Bucks

We are currently asking for members to submit an article pertaining to some phase of philately to be included in the Kicking Mule.

Next July the ISC Board will choose as the best article which will win the 25 Indy Bucks prize.

Theme for Indypex 2018 Design of the US flag legislated.

"13 stripes, alternating white and red, one for each of the original 13 colonies that became states and a field of blue in the upper left corner with a star for every state in the Union."

We are having an open competition for designing the cachet. The winning design will be decided at the May club meeting, by popular vote.

Entries will be displayed on our clothesline.

Time to put on your creative hat and begin working on ideas.

Members may submit more than one entry.

Mini-Auction Reminder

Lots are entered without reserve. Please save such lots for our big auctions. Members are limited to one mini-auction lot before 7:00 PM and may enter a second lot only IF space is available.

Spring Stamp Fair

April 14 -15



Saturday 10 AM - 5 PM Sunday 10 AM - 3 PM

Lawrence Community Center

5301 North Franklin Road

Indianapolis, IN 46226

We'll have 15+ dealers, all club members.

Club Table

Youth Table

Exhibits

All your philatelic needs, from the beginner to the specialist.

Come, join the fun, find something for your collection and visit with fellow members & collectors.

Officers and board members of the Indiana Stamp Club, Inc. for 2017

President – Mike Schweitzer	Secretary - Bill	Director – Chuck Slagle
Vice President – Tom Chastang	Treasurer - Bob Strantz	Director – John Schowengerdt
Appointed Directors and/or Special Responsibilities for 2018		
John Becker - INDYPEX	Randy Marcy - INDYPEX, webmaster	Tony and Shirley Brooks - INDYPEX, Asst. Treas.
Sharon Newby - INDYPEX	Richard Butters - Boy Scouts	Denny Peoples - INDYPEX
Tom Chastang - INDYPEX, Spring Stamp Fair, Club Auctions	Vince Ross - Indiana Postal History Society Liaison	John Schowengerdt -INDYPEX
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Jim Lawler - The Kicking Mule editor, INDYPEX	Michelle Stahl - INDYPEX, Youth Services and 4-H	Chuck Jordan - INDYPEX Bourse, Board Meetings
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**Look close.
Can you tell the difference?**

It's not in the envelope's boarder.

The plane's tail touches one "A" in "Postage" and not the other.



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The board is working on the details for a group trip to the A. P. S. show in Columbus this August. We'll include more information, as it becomes available.



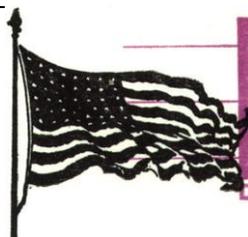
April program - Close Line exhibits

Members prepare a 4-page display which is hung on our clothesline. Top three, by popular vote, win Indybucks.

Upcoming programs

May - Dealer's bourse & Indypex Cachet voting
Bring a want list or set up to sell your extras.

June - World War II Navy Submarine mail by Dick Butters
July - Big Auction. We usually have around different 80 lots.



**Plenty of room for your article.
We can print two more pages.**

