

The Lilac Hinge

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Meetings: 2nd & 4th Tuesdays (except July & December),
Spokane Valley Eagles, E. 16801 Sprague



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2016 DUES ARE NOW PAYABLE:

Check your address label. If it still says 2015, you have not yet paid. Members with unpaid dues will be dropped on 3/31.

New meeting location: Spokane Valley Eagles, E. 16801 Sprague (across from URM)

After some 30 years at Riverview Retirement Center, the club was told that we could no longer use their meeting room. The Eagles are providing us a free meeting room, but we will also continue to explore other meeting options.

- **Directions from Spokane:** I-90 east to Sullivan exit, south to Sprague, and east on Sprague
- **Directions from Post Falls & Coeur d'Alene:** I-90 west to Barker exit, south to Appleway, and west on Sprague

Tuesday, March 22 meeting: "Member dealer" night

This is your opportunity to be a stamp dealer. Bring your duplicate philatelic material priced to sell. There are no fees and you can just set up a table and sell your wares. This is also a great opportunity for all of us to buy new material at an affordable cost. Whether you buy or sell, this should be a fun event!

There will be no auction this month.

Goodies will be provided by Kevin Dixon and Steve Corker.

6:15 Seminar: Chuck Jones will lead a discussion on precancels. Bring what you have to share or come prepared to ask questions about this Interesting subject.

Tuesday, April 12 meeting:

6:15 Board meeting

7:00 Stamp mixture meeting

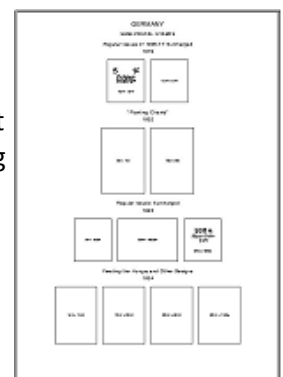
Purchase stamps from worldwide collections that the club purchased in the past year. Many of the stamps are in Scott International albums and there are also many covers. Good deals abound! There will also be a new mixture every month.

Want this newsletter faster?

Contact the editor to receive the emailed newsletter, which is faster and saves on postage.

Print your own stamp album pages

The club owns two disks that you can use to print off stamp album pages from any country that produces stamps. The pages look very professional and are an economical alternative to buying albums because they allow you to print just the countries that you collect. (For example, if you collect a few British colonies, but not all of them, you can print just the ones that interest you.) Pages can be printed on 8 1/2" x 11" paper (cardstock works great). Club members can borrow disks for free from Ken Rehfeld, but they must be returned by the next meeting.



APPLE BLOSSOM 2016

APRIL 2-3

Hilton Garden Inn

Airway Heights

Saturday, 10-5; Sunday, 10-4

6 dealers and a newcomers' table

Free stamps, free parking

Buy, sell, or trade

(Volunteers are needed for the newcomers' table.
Contact Ken Rehfeld at 924-6375.)

Other events

- **April 29-May 1**—WESTPEX in San Francisco, CA
- **April 29-May 1**—Calgary Philatelic Society Spring Bourse, Calgary, AB
- **May 28-June 4** — World Stamp Show in New York City
- **August 4-7** — APS Stamp Show in Portland, OR
- **September 9-11** — SEAPEX (Seattle Philatelic Exposition) in Tukwila, WA

Note: No PIPEX show this year because of APS Stamp Show in Portland.

For information about other shows:

<http://www.nwfedstamps.org/shows.html>

Weekend in Wallace

May 7, 2016

Speakers (to be announced later),
live auction, silent auction, and dinner

12:30 registration and the program starts at 1:30

Plan on coming to this fun event and meet other collectors
from the **Garden City Stamp Club of Missoula, MT.**

A sign up list will be at the March and April meetings.

We need a head count

26th annual

John Arn Day

Moses Lake, WA

April 9, 2016

Speakers, live auction,
silent auction, and dinner

Contact David Harris
at 299-7543.

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