

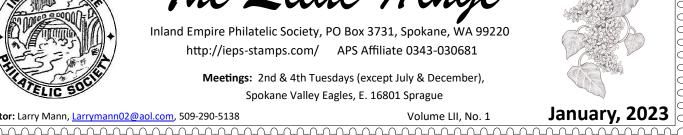
The Lilac Hinge

Inland Empire Philatelic Society, PO Box 3731, Spokane, WA 99220 http://ieps-stamps.com/ APS Affiliate 0343-030681

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

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January 24, Clothesline Exhibit

Program

Bring a favorite philatelic item, mounted on a page, and briefly talk about it for five minutes or less. It can be a philatelic item that is new, unusual, or a lucky find. Anything will do. (Please contact President J Palmer to let him know that you are bringing an item to talk about: 509-710-3553 or ickyburg@comcast.net)

Auctions

We will have both silent and live auctions with lots of new material. Please come early if you are bringing items for sale in the live auction.

2023 Dues

Dues are now past due. Pay in person or send them to Ken Rehfeld at 17208 E 3rd Ave, Spokane Valley WA 99016. The cost is \$10 per year for an individual membership or \$15 for a family. Make checks payable to IEPS.

- Closed Album: Milt Maas
- Welcome to New Member Steve Peterson. Steve collects first day covers.

February 14 Board Meeting and Stamp Mixture Night

Purchase stamps from mixtures and worldwide collections that the club continues to buy. This includes a new batch of albums and other new material each month to sort through, some starting at only 8 cents each.

Congratulations to Steve Corker, 2022 Philatelist of the Year!



Left: Steve receiving the 2022 Philatelist of the Year award from Ken Rehfeld at the December 2022 meeting.

Steve has been a great supporter of club activities at Wallace, Moses Lake, Ritzville, the club picnic, and as a regular attender at club meetings.

Steve collects Russia, U.S., U.S. presidents, and a lot of other philatelic material.

Congratulations, Steve, and thanks for your service to the club!

Scenes from our December 13 Christmas Dinner Meeting



Enjoying a great dinner of prime rib or chicken cordon bleu, baked potato, green beans, salad, roll, and dessert.



President J Palmer, as Santa Claus, and Treasurer Ken Rehfeld led the festivities for the lively "steal a gift" exchange.





Opening the great variety of gifts.

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