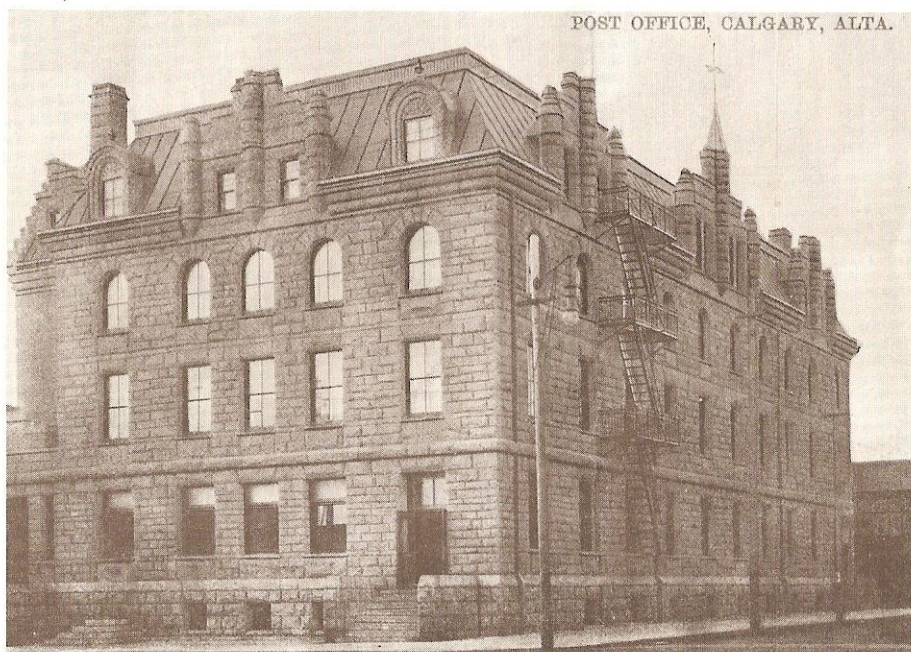




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- PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE -

With Summer and all the distractions that are a part of the sunny season just about behind us, it is time to get down to the more sober aspects of life like stamp collecting and the 'Calgary Philatelic Society'.

While most of us have been soaking up the sunshine and cold beers in some languid surroundings, if not in Calgary, your executive has been planning and discussing the coming philatelic season.

From a quick review of this "New Look" bulletin you can see that there have been some changes already. The most significant being our relocation of meeting place and realignment of the meeting dates.

For convenient reference, all important dates are listed on the inside back cover of the bulletin and will appear on subsequent issues.

For those who missed the wrap-up meeting last June, we no longer have the Fort Calgary Centre as costs have become prohibitive. Therefore, we look forward to holding all functions at the C.U.P.E. Hall, 104-13th Ave., S.E.. Parking is just as handy - right next to the hall.

All of your favourite club functions will continue including wall auctions, private treaty, circuit books, super guest speakers and refreshments.

As President of the 'Calgary Philatelic Society' one needs to reflect on what that role means in terms of responsibility. Our club has been fortunate to have a long history of hard working people who for many years have taken a more than casual interest in the affairs of C.P.S. and these people have established a structure that doesn't require much in the way of leadership or special guidance.

If I was to try to reduce the many reasons that people join a stamp club to about two or three, they would probably be 1) to learn more about the hobby, 2) to acquire and dispose of material and 3) fellowship among other collector who have similar interests.

Collectors can, I suppose, manage the first two without necessarily joining a club but the third benefit only comes to collectors who are joiners! Perhaps if there is one area that we, your executive, can give some direction would be to encourage more enjoyment from fellowship amongst members especially at the club's regular meetings, held on the first Wednesday of the month, where opportunity for expanded contact with other collectors is appropriate.

Another tool, to help us to meet this objective, is the bulletin which we hope will contain several sections for your direct participation. There will be a trading column, a place for members to express their views about the club, either critical or complimentary. Members are encouraged to write articles of general interest about how they collect or interesting philatelic stories. In fact, we even have a ghost writer on the executive who will put the words together in story structure form for you if you are a bit out of practise in writing up a complete article. So please give some thought to offering at least one item for publication in the bulletin. There will be five more issues this season.

Part of the programme for the next meeting will be the presentation of the "Founder's Award". You will be asked to vote for the club member who you think did the most and worked the hardest for the club in the 1981-82 season.

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If you haven't been too active in the past, then this is the year to start. Your executive is very enthusiastic but they need to be matched in enthusiasm. Get involved, be a contributor and get much more out of the club. Right now we need someone to assist Keith Brown compile material for the bulletin which will be issued bi-monthly.

If you would be willing to help, contact either Keith or myself. We also need two assistants for Steve Davis who looks after the circuit books.

During the month of September I will be in Australia so will miss the regular meeting and the September auctions. The meeting will be left in the capable hands of Greg Sereida, Vice-President. If you know any collectors who are not members or any of the old timers who haven't been out for a while, give them a call and bring them along on September the First.

Don Fraser, President

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- Secretary's Message -

Re: Trading Rules and Regulations

To help you, we need your help in responding and giving your opinions to what follows. We need to know if anyone is interested.

For security reasons, it is impossible to agree on having membership lists with collecting interests circulated in an open and unrestricted manner. As an alternative, we suggest, for interested people that an appointed council member take names and areas of interest for trading purposes and people within the club can find out who would like to trade what for what on this centralized method. The appointed council member, upon getting a request from a member to see someone on the trading list, would call the second party and ask if he had any objection to trading with the first party. If there is no objection, the first party would be given the second party's phone number. After initial contact, members are left on their own for future trading.

These are only ideas aimed at helping members to get the most out of the hobby we have all chosen. We look forward to hearing what you have to say on this subject. Please write down any comments you may have and leave them with me. Come to our first September meeting!

Guy Boissonneault, Secretary

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An Australasian Stamp Club or better said, a study group within our Calgary Philatelic Society, was started in February by a few members of our club who are keenly interested in acquiring more knowledge of philately of Australia primarily. The wording Australasia was used as it comprises the continent of Australia and its territories such as the Antarctic section of Australia, Norfolk Island, Cocos (Keeling) Islands and the Christmas Island, these both in the Indian Ocean and Nauru. Nauru was dependant on Australia until 1968 but today still has strong ties with Australia. Papua New Guinea is also included but independant now as from 1975. This country too has strong ties with Australia.

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New Zealand and its few territories has been included too although we, as a group, have not gone into this country deeply.

We, as a small group, meet in homes once a month every third Wednesday with about 7 or 8 people present. Our meetings are very informal and start at 8 p.m. We introduced a "frame of fame". This is a frame on which a member has volunteered to display his or her favourite stamp issue or cover and then give a short talk on the subject. After that, we share the latest news on stamps, etc. This is followed by exchanging and selling surplus stamps we have made available. It is a good time of learning about stamps from this part of the world. We do have some contact with a club in Australia of which one member is associated.

Further information may be had from Mr. M. Teekens. Telephone 281-9662.

Michael Teekens

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Private Treaty Sales - Information to Sellers

1. All lots are to be mounted on 5 1/2 x 8 1/2 sheets provided by the Calgary Philatelic Society at a cost of \$2.50 per pad of 50 sheets. All information is to be completed by the seller, except lot number.
2. Prior to sale of lots, sellers shall enter the lot descriptions and prices, as well as their membership number onto a summary sheet provided by the Calgary Philatelic Society. NOTE: Lot numbers will be entered by the Calgary Philatelic Society.
3. Submit all material to the Private Treaty Chairman.
4. Lots will be sold to buyers at the price marked. Fifteen percent of this figure will be consigned to the Calgary Philatelic Society.
5. Payment received from private treaty sales will be distributed to sellers at the last meeting of the season. Individuals requiring other arrangements are welcome to contact the Private Treaty Chairman.
6. Lots remain the property of sellers until sold, and may be withdrawn at any time. Submissions are retained by the Calgary Philatelic Society as a service to members, and individuals desiring to hold their lots between meetings may do so at any time.

Al Munro 273-6133

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"Caltapex Rides Again - Oct. 16-17, 1982"

-Jim Taylor-

The annual stamp exhibition and dealer bourse sponsored by the Calgary Philatelic Society, Caltapex '82, will be held October 16th (Saturday) and October 17th (Sunday) at the Marlborough Inn, 1316-33rd Street, N.E. in Calgary. A public auction of rare (and not so rare) stamps will be conducted by the Calgary Stamp Shop at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, October 15th, at the same location. Admission to the exhibition, bourse and auction is free of charge.

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The exhibition, as in previous years, will be competitive and all entry forms should be in before October 1st, 1982. Exhibit space or further information can be secured by phoning Philip Wolf at (403) 253-3819. The awards will be presented at the Saturday evening banquet. Banquet tickets are \$25.00 each and should be purchased in advance. The guest speaker at the banquet will be Dr. Norman Wagner, stamp collector and president of the University of Calg:

Several seminars of interest to philatelic specialists are planned to run continuously on Saturday. Philatelic author, Glenn Hansen, of Winnipeg, will be in attendance to autograph copies of his well known handbooks on Canadian philately and answer collectors' queries. Seminars will cover beginning collecting, perkins, Australasia, Canada, postal history and other topics.

The public stamp auction to be conducted by the Calgary Stamp Shop will be held at 7:00 p.m. Friday, October 15th, 1982 at the Marlborough Inn. The sale will be strong in Canada. A local consignment of high value British Commonwealth from Queen Victoria to the George V era will be featured. A number of valuable "floor bid only" lots will be offered without mail bid competition. All lots can be viewed at the Calgary Stamp Shop, 613 Centre Street, S., Calgary, in advance of the sale date.

Remind your stamp collecting friends and acquaintances that "Caltapex Rides Again" October 16th and 17th (Auction only on October 15th at 7:00 p.m.). Admission (for the first time) is free and all collectors and interested members of the public are invited.

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SUNDAY BOURSE

The dates for the Sunday Bourse for the 1982/83 season are as follows:

October	3, 1982	January	30, 1983
December	5, 1982	April	3, 1983

All Sunday Bourses will be held at C.U.P.E. Hall from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information contact Keith Brown at 252-9267.

Guest Speaker

The guest speaker for the September meeting will be Steve Davis. Mr. Davis's topic will be "Whales on Stamps".

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The 1982 Red Deer Stamp Show will be held on Sunday, September 26th, at the North Hill Inn. Accommodation for those who wish to arrive on the Saturday will be \$35 - \$40 single or double.

The Banquet on Sunday evening will be @\$12.50 per person.

Show will compromise of a 300 lot estate auction, dealer tables, Canada Post, junior table and circuit books.

MEETING DATES

1982

September	1	General Meeting
	21	Deluxe Auction
	22	Auction
October	6	General Meeting
	19	Deluxe Auction
	27	Auction
November	3	General Meeting
	16	Deluxe Auction
	24	Auction
December	1	General Meeting
	21	Deluxe Auction
	22	Auction

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January	5	General Meeting
	18	Deluxe Auction
	26	Auction
February	2	General Meeting
	15	Deluxe Auction
	23	Auction
March	2	General Meeting
	15	Deluxe Auction
	23	Auction
April	6	General Meeting
	19	Deluxe Auction
	27	Auction
May	4	General Meeting
	17	Deluxe Auction
	25	Auction
June	1	General Meeting
	21	Deluxe Auction
	22	Auction

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