SASKATOON STAMP CLUB NEWSLETTER Volume 13 No. 2, June 2013

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SSC NEW MEETING PLACE:

All meetings are on Tuesday nights, from 6:30 pm to 8:45 pm at ST.JOHN'S ANGLICAN CATHEDRAL HALL, 816 SPADINA CRESCENT EAST, SASKATOON, SK

2013 May 14 May 28

June 11 July 16 August 13

September 10 September 24
October 8 October 22
November 12 November 26

December 10

Note: All meetings include the regular business meeting with reports from officers and committees, the usual time for members with items of interest, and a chance for questions and comments regarding the hobby. Circuit books are available from Edmonton and the Royal Philatelic Society.

WEBSITE: www.saskatoonstampclub.ca See the meeting agenda now on the website!

PHILATELIC JAVA GROUP MEETINGS: The Philatelic Java Club meets over coffee in the Market Mall Food Court, usually every two weeks on Thursdays from 9:00 am to 11:00a.m. Meetings resumed to Thursdays before the regular meeting. *Check the Website for further dates*. Bring an item for discussion, 'show and tell'...

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It has been an interesting first half of our stamp year. Two minor changes were made to the Constitution and we updated and added a few new By-Laws.

The major change was finding a new place to hold our stamp club meetings but we won't go into details that prompted our move. I believe most or all members know the reasons.

St. John's Anglican Church, our new meeting place on Spadina Crescent, is very co-operative in accommodating us with any requests we had. This new meeting place will no doubt be our new venue for many years.

We commenced earlier this year to put our meeting agenda on our internet site. This has been well received by our members, so this will be continued. Check our web page a day before meeting dates or during the day of the meeting. This will assist you in coming prepared for the meeting.

We also have had a few inquiries from people with collections to sell or donate. We have had four donations and one collection was sold with a commission fee.

Our filing cabinet has been "jam packed" for the past few years. Anyone that goes into it for items will agree. We approached the staff at St. John's and they gave us permission for a second filing cabinet - more co-operation. Within days we recieved word that our secretary's company AMEC has donated a filing cabinet to the club. Thank you Doug for having the arrangements made and having it delivered.

Before we know it our stamp show will be upon us. We require stamps off paper to pass out to the young children at the show. Bring in what you may have so we can make up ziploc bags of about 50 stamps per pack.

From the recent donations that members went through and bought stamps for 10 cents each, the remainder was made up into packages of 50. We made 31 bags. That's only a small start as we should have 200 to satisfy our needs for the stamp show and historic days at the museum. With the second filing cabinet we will have ample space to store the stamps.

We are constantly looking at ways to improve our information to club members. We have now included on the web site page under the "News Letter Link" the dates of our news letters and cut-off dates for submitting articles to our editor. Don't wait to the last minute but give our editor Martin ample notice.

STAMPS! WE LOVE THEM!

Ernie Wlock President

51st Saskatoon Coin & Stamp Show

October 26 & 27th, 2013 at the Ramada Hotel, 806 Idylwyld Drive North.

Hours are 10 am to 5 pm Saturday and 11 am to 4 pm Sunday. Admission \$4 for adults, free for children 12 and under. Numerous dealers, exhibits, restaurant on site, free stamps for kids, draws, free parking. Contact Ernie Wlock at emwlock@shaw.ca or Martin Schofield at

DID YOU KNOW.....

The first Canadian stamp with fluorescent ink was Scott # 53. It is the three cent Rose value in the 1897 Jubilee issue. Under ultra violet light the ink glows orange. courtesy of J. C. Rogers



On Tuesday's, I Collect Stamps!!! Submitted by: Ernie Wock

After 35 years of marriage, a husband and wife came for counseling. When asked what the problem was, the wife went into a tirade listing every problem they ever had in the years they had been married. On and on and on: neglect, lack of intimacy, emptiness, loneliness, feeling unloved, an entire laundry list of unmet needs she had endured.

Finally, after allowing this for a sufficient length of time, the therapist got up, walked around the desk and after asking the wife to stand, he embraced and kissed her long and passionately as her husband watched with a raised eyebrow. The woman shut up and quietly sat down as though in a daze.

The therapist turned to the husband and said "This is what your wife needs at least 3 times a week".

The husband replies, "Well, I can drop her off here on Thursday's and Friday's, But on Tuesday's I have a stamp Meeting".

Molanosa, Saskatchewan

BY: Ernie Wlock

Molanosa is a small isolated community located in Northern Saskatchewan, It is the approximate geographical centre of the province.

It is located on highway number two 70 kilometers south of La Ronge,

close to the north end of Montreal Lake.

