

President's Report

"Well done!" South Australian Philatelists Abroad

Since the last issue of SAPC News a good number of local philatelists have participated in exhibitions with exceptional results. With military commemorations being the order of the day a number of philatelists and deltiologists rallied to the call of the Australian Philatelic Federation to send military themed exhibits to Turkey for the Canakkale Wars Centenary Exhibition in March.

and Interstate ...

The Sydney Stamp Expo was timed to coincide with the centenary of the Gallipoli Landing and a contingent of local exhibitors was led by Commissioner David Figg. I'm proud to report we had the second highest participation in the country. The results were just as impressive as the participation with everything from Large Gold to Silver Bronze medals in the awards lists appearing elsewhere in this edition. Just prior to the Sydney exhibition the Australian Philatelic Federation conducted a Philatelic Judge's Training Course with a particular emphasis on the Picture Postcard Class. I'm pleased to report that most of the South Australian judges made the effort to attend and participate in the two day course. During the course a number of accredited judges from around the country were invited to sign the official register including our own John Bodnar and Clyde Ziegeler.

but "Not so Well Done!" locally.

The last issue of the SAPC news featured an appeal for a Congress Co-ordinator and Hosts for Congresses beyond this year. Sadly I have not received an expression of interest for either. Not one! The Congress has been the annual show-piece of philately in this state since 1974 and a good opportunity for individual societies to promote their wares, host a good show, generate interest in the hobby in their own backyard, gain new members and probably make a few dollars for their society funds as a bonus.

Will 2015 be the last Philatelic Congress?

In keeping with the military connections from a century ago I feel it's appropriate to paraphrase Lord Kitchener by saying **"Your Hobby Needs YOU!"** and repeating my appeal from the last issue – "Another role to be filled in the Council at the moment is that of Congress Co-ordinator. This involves exactly what the role suggests – co-ordinating the various aspects of conducting a successful Congress involving the Council, the Host Society, the Congress Competition, and the Philatelic Trade. If you feel you can contribute to South Australian Philately in this voluntary role please contact me at the Council or email saphilatelist@gmail.com or phone 0418 800 132."

Martin Walker, SAPC President, May 2015

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2015 PHILATELIC EVENTS

May 17 Sunday, PSSA OPEN DAY Saphil House
 July 14 Super Auction, Postal Stat & History
 July 24 Super Auction, Phillumeny Club
 July 20 Monster Auction, Salisbury PS
 August 23 PSSA AUCTION DAY Saphil House
OCTOBER Sat-Sun 10-11 DRILL HALL ADELAIDE
 November 20 Community PS SUPER AUCTION
 6.30pm onwards at Saphil House

ASA Auctions (Ph: 8223 2951)

May 17 June 21
 July 19 August 16
 September 20 October 18
 November 22 December 20

Regular Sunday sales at ASA Auctions, First floor, 140 Rundle Mall, Adelaide.
 Viewing on weekend of each sale - Friday (Noon to 8pm); Saturday (8am to 1.30pm) and Sunday (10.30am to 1.30pm).
 Sale at 2pm. .

NZ BAYPEX RESULTS 2014 Correction

Unfortunately a Large Gold and Special Prize winner at Baypex 2014 slid off the bottom of the page in many of the March Issues of the SAPC NEWS.
 Our missing hero was.....

David Figg (5 Frames) Strike a light LG & S.P.

DISPLAY FRAMES FOR SALE

(Ex Community PS)

6 two sided fold out board frames—joined at the top
 And 6 Canite single sided Display boards with metal shelves and frames.
 Contact P Scott—0429672115
 Or G Brown—82964697 Or 0407609716

CANAKKALE RESULTS 18-25 March 2015

The Canakkale Philatelic Exhibition in Turkey was to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Çanakkale Wars (Gallipoli Campaign)

South Australian Exhibitors

Michael Blake	Postal History	L.G.
Michel Roland	Postal History	L.V.
L.Giardello	Postcards	Gold & Special Prize
L.G iardiello	Postcards	Gold
M. Roland	Postcards	Gold & Special Prize
M Walker	Postcards	Gold

Numismatic Society 3rd Thursday, 7.45pm—(08) 8362 1167
 Meet Royal Soc. Room, behind Library, Lane off Kintore Av.
Their newsletter may be read at Saphil House. Or a PDF copy sent on request.

Para Hills PS 1st Sunday Meeting 8pm
 7 June Club Competition
 5 July Postcards - Paris 1900 Exhibition

Port Pirie 4th Monday
 24 May Display (Letter X)
 28 June Presidents Night (Letter Y)
 26 July Display (Letter Z)

***Postal Stat & Postal History** 2nd Tuesday at 7.45pm
 12 May Aust Forces WW11
 9 June AGM & Other Collectables
 14 July **SUPER AUCTION**

Phillumeny Club 4th Friday every ODD month at 8pm
 6-7 June AHBC Collectors Fair
24 July SUPER AUCTION

PS of South Australia 1st & 3rd Tuesdays 7.45pm
17 May SUNDAY OPEN DAY
 19 May Sid Boyce Trophy 2 June Books, Auction, displays
 16 June Study Group 7 July Books, Auction, displays

PS of SA Daytime Club 1st & 3rd Thursday Mornings 10.30 to noon
17 May SUNDAY OPEN DAY
 4 June Train/Tram tickets 18 June Red Cross
 2 July Turkey

PSSA SA Study Group 4th Tuesday at 8pm
 16 June Display Evening Meeting
 23 June TBA 28 July

PSSA SA Commonwealth Study Group 4th Tuesday at 8pm
 23 June Roo Varieties 28 July Marine/Gemstones

Printed Collectables Club Last Tuesday of month at 8pm
 26 May Open Meeting Collectables
 30 June TBA 28 July Antarctic QSL Cards

Riverland PS 3rd Friday 10am at Whitmore Hall, Baramera Village
 19 June Swaps 20-21 June Mildura Stamp Fair
 17 July Impressions

Salisbury PS 1st & 3rd Mondays
 18 May Austrian Emergency Money
 1 June Macau & Timor 15 June St Helens (Tas)
 6 July Joe Duif's Balloon Flights

Strathalbyn PS 2nd Monday at 8pm
 8 June President's Night 13 July AGM

Stirling PS 4th Friday
 22 May AGM—Tunisia 26 June TBA

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN CLUB CALENDAR - Also Available as a PDF File.

Australian Airmail Society				1st Wednesday at 7.45pm
3 June	One Frame			
1 July	Gold Medal Collection	British Guiana		
Australian Postcard Society				Fourth Thursday each month 7.45pm
28 May	Alma's Queen Houses	25 June	Radio Times	
Barossa Stamp Collectors Club				1st Tues 7.30pm from Feb - Nov
2 June	Gallipoli	7 July	TBA Martin W	
Blackwood PC				3rd Thursday, 7.30pm
21 May	Visit from Noarlunga PS	18 Jun	Omnibus display	
16 Jul	AGM—Presidents Display			
City of Noarlunga				Every Alternate Thursday 7.45pm
14 May	Anzac Day	11 June	Visit to Blackwood	
Community PS				1st & 3rd Fridays 7.30pm
15 May	Tony O	5 June	Books and Auction	
19 June	British Asia & Malaysia			
3 July	Books and Auction			
Eastern Districts PS				2nd Thursday at 7.30pm
14 May	Malta	11 June	KGV 1d	
9 July	Railway Postcards			
Elizabeth PS				2nd & 4th Fridays 7.30pm
22 May	Anything Goes	12 June	Railways	
26 June	Newspaper Stamps (Members)	10 July	Postage Dues	
Encounter Bay SC				1st Wednesday - 7.30pm
3 June	Peter's Ad Covers	1 July	Eric's Night	
"SA Power Networks Club" (Was the ETSA Club)- 1st Monday at 7.45pm				
1 June	Perfs on Aust stamps	6 July	Members Display	
German Stamp Club				2nd & 4th Monday 7pm (Except Public Holidays)
Glenside PS				1st Wednesday at 7.30 and & 3rd Saturday 1.30pm
16 May	Antarctic Bases	3 June	San Marino	
20 June	President's Display	1 July	DF Other Collectables	
18 July	GVE 6 Sheet competition			
Lower Murray PS				3rd Thursday, 7.30pm - 2nd Saturday 10am-2pm
Mt Gambier PS				3rd Tuesday at 8pm 1st Sunday 1pm—3.30pm
19 May	Pot Pourri	16 June	Replica Cards	
				21 July MONSTER AUCTION



Leslie John Csongei - August 4th 1951—April 4th 2015

Sadly the PS of SA have lost their long serving Treasurer. Les died on Easter Saturday after a long battle with a debilitating disease . Les served as Treasurer for the Society for more years that most care to remember and his careful management of the funds ensured the financial security of the Society. Les collected the Kangaroo and Map series and the King George V heads and was one of the main drivers behind the Commonwealth Study Group. He also had a collection of Hungary that few members knew about.

SYDNEY STAMP SHOW SOUTH AUSTRALIAN RESULTS

Barbara Bartsch	Pressure Sensitive Stamps	V
Eric Hurrell	Kang and Map Series	S
Harry Lower	SA 'postage' LONG stamps	LG & SP
Linda Welden	Lundy Island	LS
Alex Nuijten	Netherlands Fur Collar	S
Linda Welden	Aust Aerograms	S
Clyde Ziegeler	Bohemia & Moravia	LS
Anthony Presgrave	<i>Cinderella</i> Back of the Book	SB
Martin Walker	<i>Cinderella</i> Air Mail Labels Aust Post	G & SP
Martin Walker	<i>Polar</i> 1933-35 Byrd Antarctic Exp.	LG & Trophy
<i>Postcards</i>		
Alma Downes	Edinburgh Castle	LS
Anthony Presgrave	Bridging the Gap	V
Jennifer Roland	1900 Paris Exhibition	G & SP
Michel Roland	The Caves of Han	G
PS of SA	<i>Literature</i> Hand Postmarks SA & NT	G
Martin Walker	<i>Literature</i> Aust Replica Cards	V

AUSTRALIA 2013 SOUVENIR PRODUCTS

The APF Archival Office has had several enquiries about the availability of Australia 2013 Exhibition products. The following items are still available:

POST CARDS:

Exhibition Building	\$7.50
Kangaroo & Map set 18	\$45
Kangaroo & Map set 18 numbered	\$75
Genesis of Kangaroo set 3	\$9
Genesis of Kangaroo set 3 numbered	\$15

COLONIAL HERITAGE IMPERF MINI SHEETS:

Emerging Identity	\$15
Empire	\$15
Visualising Australia	\$15
Visualising Australia O/Printed	\$30

OTHER MINI SHEETS:

AAT Mountains	\$15
Christmas Is. Year of Snake	\$10

P – SHEETS:

Genesis of Kangaroo and Map	\$25
George V Unissued designs	\$25

IMPERF BOOKLETS:

Gardens	\$50
Rail Journeys	\$50

PNC's

Anniv. of Powered Flight	\$45
Year of the Dragon	\$45

Orders for any of the above can now be made through the APF Archival Office, 22 Gray Ct., Adelaide 5000 or Mike Kovaleff, PO Box 506 Victor Harbor 5211 (email mikekov@bigpond.com) or through the APF website. Items will be sent by registered post so please add \$6 for postage within Australia

STAMPS and STUFF Club

At the Thorndon Park primary School "Stamps and Stuff" Club There are so many excited new faces to fill the seats. This year we are not meeting in the library, but in a special meeting room next to the school office. This is very good, because there are no interruptions and we don't interrupt anyone else.

Because of the limited time and so much to do the club number is kept down to 10. Everyone received a big bag with—How to get stamps. How to wash off stamps, small packets of stamps and other information.

The lesson was Australian capital cities with their cancellation postmarks.

Everyone has a map of Australia and Tassie with a black dot where a capital city should be. Around the map are cancellations of all Australian Capitals with a number and the quest was to place that number on the right black dot. Everyone received a prize but those who finished first got first choice of prizes then they helped others to finish too. The hardest one to find was Canberra.

The lesson finished with a "Stamp Scramble"

Jeff Newman Turns 80

From Peter Humby

Jeff, our longest serving and youngest recipient of the Briskham Award turned 80 in Sydney on 10th April this year.

Born in Orroroo in 1935 where his father was a stock agent. Shortly after they moved to Bordertown where he attended primary school, later attending the Unley High School for secondary education, He gained a Commonwealth Scholarship to Adelaide University, graduating with a Bachelor of Electrical engineering in 1956.

In 1957 he went to work for Phillips at Hendon . Then transferred to Sydney in 1978 becoming their property manager. Jeff retired in 1997 after 40 years of service and still lives in Sydney. Married Dorothy McClelland in Geelong in September 1963. Their children are twin sons Robert and Richard, Ian and Fiona . Jeff's stamp collecting began when a class mate Brian Harradine gave him a "Globe" stamp album for his 8th birthday just 72 years ago. When at University and living at the Methodist Students Hostel on South Terrace, Adelaide, he met Asian students who were studying under the Colombo plan. This started the collecting of Asian stamps. Ted Miller, Vern Stalley and Bill Stewart were the stamp dealers of the day, all strategically placed halfway between the Uni and South Terrace.

His first stamp club was the Southern Districts in 1957. He became the secretary for 10 years, then president for 3 years and also a life member. In 1958 he joined the P.S. of S.A. , and in 1959 joined the Malay study group in the USA now UK, member 77 now number 2. In 1960 he joined the Brighton P.S.

(Victoria) as they had an active Malay study group. Jeff was The Southern District representative on the Philatelic Advisory Council and President 1972-73, and gained the Briskham award in 1971. (His medal was mis-engraved 1970 and then over stamped 1971)

In Sydney he is secretary and life member of the Turrumurra Stamp club. He also holds office and is a life member of the Philatelic Society of Australia, and a member of P.S of NSW and Northern Suburbs P.S. In retirement he became a volunteer at Philas House and a member of that house committee.

Jeff has exhibited in State and National exhibitions from 1962 until 2009. This year he displayed 200 pages entitled "Malaya before I was born" at Philas House to celebrate his 80th birthday. His current interests still lay in Malaya, Siam, Japan and the post cards of Singapore.

We wish Jeff and Dorothy many more years of continuing happiness and stamp collecting.

