



# THE COLUMBIAN

January 2022



## Future Zoom meetings(Starting at 7:30):

Email Walt- [wbauer57@gmail.com](mailto:wbauer57@gmail.com) if you wish to receive invitations to our Zoom meetings. All members and friends are encouraged to participate.

01-10-2022	YouTube (Graham Beck)	Grenadier Guard St. Lucia Stamp (4:57) / Grenada Revolution Stamps (6:16) / Eiffel Tower Stamps (6:26)
02-14-2022	APS Stamp Chat	The Philately of the 1920 Antwerp Olympics" (1:04:31)

## First in person meeting since two years:

Open at 7 PM for talking & trading; Meeting begins at 7:30, FEB. 28

02-28-2022	Van Siegling	Eliminating the Mystique of Judging
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Van and Jason have made arrangements with the leadership of **THE COLUMBUS HISTORICAL SOCIETY** to meet at their headquarters  
**717 West Town Street**

It is easily accessed from the freeway as shown in this map (Town St. is labelled Rte. 62)  
Enter at the main entrance at the west side of the building. We expect one or two guests from the Historical Society at this meeting.

Message from President Siegling:

Hello, fellow Philatelists and Stamp Collectors!

The GOOD NEWS is that we have meeting space! It is in the headquarters building of the Columbus Historical Society, just off Rt. 315. The room is large enough to easily hold all of us plus a screen for presentations. At this moment it also contains a display of music memorabilia from the 70's. The current director is a "closet collector" who will be dragged into joining the club. There is plenty of parking around the building so no problem there.

Based on what Jason and I heard, we should be here for about a year. The Columbus Historical Society is starting to renovate the nearby Fire Station #5 on West Broad Street and plans to use it as their "new" headquarters. We can meet there once it is open.... all 7,000 square feet of meeting space! (And they would not mind having a few stamp and postal history exhibits in their lobby.)

We plan to start meeting at the HQ building on the 4th Monday of February. Once in to March we will meet there on the 2nd Monday of the month. We will continue the Zoom meetings on the other Monday so our out-of-town members can see and hear what is going on.

The BAD NEWS is that Stan Bednarczyk passed away last week. He was the previous owner of the Crown and Eagle stamp store on North High Street and a stalwart supporter of the Worthington Stamp Club. For many years he was the Keeper of the Cash for the WSC Pizza and Beer parties at Villa Nova. He will be missed.

I hope everyone stays safe and healthy over the holiday season.

Van Siegling  
President, Columbus Philatelic Club

COLOPEX 2022 IS Happening!

Our new Show Chair, Guy Purington has arranged to hold Colopex 2022 on 11-12 June 2022 at: Double Tree by Hilton Hotel Columbus – Worthington 175 Hutchinson Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43235, (This was the site of the 2015 AFDCS Convention in 2015)

**MUCH HELP is needed if Colopex is to be a success. Please contact either Van or Ken to volunteer. Your input is vital!**

Received by Walt:

The Stamp Collectors Club of Toledo will be holding our annual exhibition bourse on February 25 and 26th 2022 and we're looking for exhibits. Anyone interested in exhibiting can find a prospectus and entry form on our website at [toledostampclub.org](http://toledostampclub.org).

### **COLUMBUS PHILATELIC CLUB**

The Columbus Philatelic Club (CPC) was founded in Columbus, Ohio in 1925 to foster, develop and enhance the hobby of stamp collecting for the benefit of its members. The CPC is a chapter of the American Philatelic Society. Membership is open to all.

**MAILING ADDRESS:** Columbus Philatelic Club, PO Box 20582, Columbus, OH 43220-0582

**CPC OFFICERS:** President: Van Siegling; Vice-President: Rick Young; Secretary: Maureen Thacker; Treasurer: Walter Bauer; Immediate Past President: Jason Manchester; Columbian Editor: Jason Manchester. Board Members: Gary Eschelbach (2019-20), Ken Gilbert (2019-20), Ed Gosnell (2018-19) and David Gray (2018-19).

**DUES** In a normal year DUES would be \$10 per calendar year for regular members, \$15 for husband and spouse and \$5 for junior members (under 18 years of age). No dues for 2020 and 2021. Payments may be mailed to CPC, PO Box 20582, Columbus, OH 43220-0582, or given directly to the Treasurer.

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