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Saluting America’s Favorite Pastime

Stamp & Cover Show July 21-22, 2012

Welcomes You to the

Greater Reno

Nevada Stamp Study Society

Saluting America’s Favorite Pastime

Contrary to long held folklore, Abner Doubleday did not “invent” baseball in 1839. Baseball likely originated from variations in the old English and Irish “rounders” and Dutch “, stool ball.” The earliest known American reference to baseball was from Pittsfield, Massachusetts. The reference is in the form of a 1791 local statute that prohibited the playing of baseball within 80 yards of the town meeting house.

The modern rules of baseball known as the “Knickerbocker Rules” were codified in 1845 and defined the size of the baseball and prohibited the “putting out” of a runner by hitting him with a thrown ball. The first game played under the rules was in 1846. It was between the New York Knickerbockers and New York Nine, with the Knickerbockers losing 23-1.

Awards

This year’s show increases its diversity of exhibits while maintaining a “safe” environment for the exhibiting styles often found at local shows. Exhibits that have received vermeil or higher awards at a World Series of Philately (WSP) show compete in the Silver State Challenge and are judged at the WSP level of exhibiting.

Greater Reno Stamp & Cover Show Grand Award — Best Adult Exhibit Novice Award — Best exhibit by a novice exhibitor
People’s Choice Award — Awarded by vote of the visitors

Award Levels: Gold, Vermeil, Silver, Silver-Bronze, and Bronze

Judge’s Bio

My aunt started me collecting in the early 1950s. I was fascinated shortly after by the geysers in Yellowstone and thus with Icelandic stamps. Still I was a general collector, taking what I could get. After serving in the Peace Corps in Colombia, South America, I added Colombia to my special collections. Finally deciding in the 80s I couldn’t collect the whole word, I decided on one country per continent and a few topical. Pulling from childhood interests, I started accumulating Mozambique Company, Tanna Tuva, New Zealand, New World archeology and astronomy. I developed an interest in covers and lots of mini-collections have developed from that. I first exhibited in 1980 and most recently at PIPEX in May.

I am a retired high school teacher -- English, Spanish, math and other things on occasions. I have two kids and five grandkids.

Facebook! Just search groups for “Reno Stamp”.

Blvd. in Sparks.

Everyone who collects, buys and/or sells postage stamps or materials is invited to visit the Nevada Stamp Study Society (NSSS); we’re far more casual and interactive than our name may imply. We have over 60 active members and meet at 10 am on the second and fourth Saturday of every month. Meetings are currently held at the NNM&C building at 1855 Oddie

Visit our Welcome Table for information on becoming a member of the NSSS. It's only \$20 per year (\$25 for the whole family) & more fun than you can imagine.



welcome table. Welcome and enjoy the show.

presentation. Our thanks go out to Larry for his contribution to the show.

I invite you to Larry Crain’s presentation on fun collecting on Saturday at 2pm (room location TBD). Larry will be very busy on Saturday with judging and providing exhibit feedback as well as making the presentation. The Bourse includes a variety of dealers plus the United States Postal Service. Please, take time to view our 40 frames of exhibits then cast your vote for the “People’s Choice Award.” Ballots are located at the welcome desk.

This year we have a special show cover saluting baseball – America’s favorite pastime. We are also pleased to salute the 2012 Junior Duck Stamp competition with a stamp based on the artwork of this year’s winning entry. You can view all of the 2012 Nevada Junior Duck Stamp entries at the Junior Duck Stamp Display. Souvenir covers and stamps are available at the

an Artown event again this year.

With over 60 members, the Nevada Stamp Study Society welcomes

A Note from the Show Chair

Schedule of Events			
Saturday, July 21		Sunday, July 22	
10:00 am	Show opens	10:00 am	Show opens
2:00 pm	Seminar “Fun Collecting”	4:00 pm	Show closes
3:00 pm	Exhibit Feedback		
6:00 pm	Show closes		
7:00 pm	Show Banquet at the Siena Hotel Spa Casino Charlton Heston Room		

List of Exhibits

Frame #	Title	Exhibitor
1 - 5	The Chinese New Year	Jean Johnson
6 - 8	The Condor Legion and the Blue Division	Stan Cronwall
9 - 10	USPO and USPS Stamps and Souvenir Sheets Commemorating Philatelic Exhibitions	Robert Martin
11 - 14	The Penguin - Fact and Fiction	Terri Edwards
15	The Race to the Moon	Dick Dreiling
16 - 18	German Third Reich Kinder Kartes	Stan Cronwall
19	Atlantic Flights	Frank Fey
20	The First Residents of Northwest Nevada	Dick Dreiling
21 - 24	Reno, Nevada	Dick Dreiling
25 - 26	DDR (Deutsche Democratic Republic) World War II Remembrance and Memorial Issues	Stan Cronwall
27	Stamp Shapes: Arcs and Curves	Larry Crain
28 - 29	An Engineering Victory of the First Order - Hoover Dam	Terri Edwards
30	Post Offices named El Dorado	Larry Crain
31	Integrating the US Navy	Harvey Edwards
32 - 34	Pictorial Cancellations in Thematic Collections and Exhibits Illustrated on Celebrate the Century Stamps	Harvey Edwards
35	The Fruit of Heaven	Terri Edwards
36 - 40	My Favorite Things	Nevada Stamp Study Society



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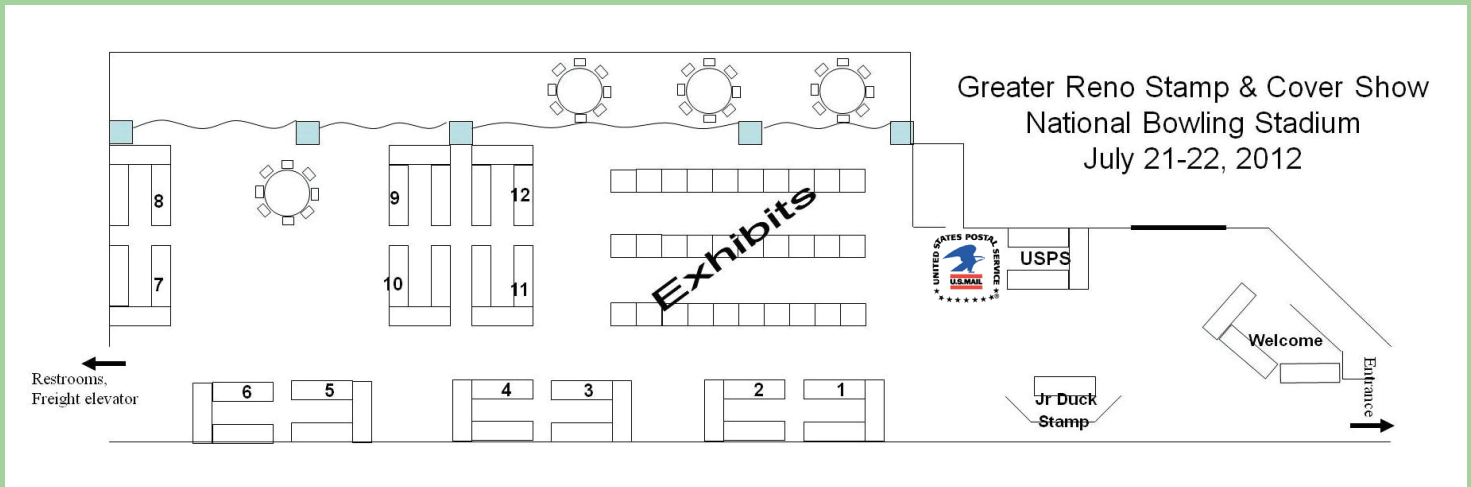


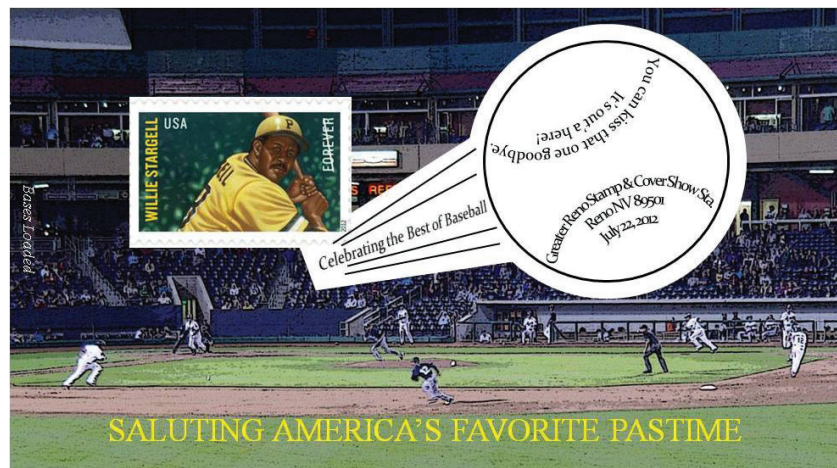
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| 1 Stamp Center of Texas | 5 Ed Dimmick | 9 Classic Nevada Stamps |
| 2 RG Stamps & Postcards | 6 JHM Stamps & Collectibles | 10 Classic Nevada Stamps |
| 3 Kyle Nybo Stamps | 7 Youth Table | 11 Sherry Straley |
| 4 Mark Baker Enterprises | 8 Dick Dreiling | 12 John Klein |

About the Show Covers

This year's show cover salutes America's favorite pastime with Bases Loaded and incorporates the Post Office's "Celebrating the Best of Baseball" postage stamps issued July 20, 2012. The cachet and pictorial cancellation were designed by Harvey Edwards.

Show covers are available for \$2.00 each at our welcome table.



The annual Junior Duck Stamp educational program culminates with a national design contest. After studying waterfowl anatomy and habitat, students may draw, paint or sketch an eligible North American waterfowl species.

Nevada's 2012 winner is Haley Einstoss of the Coral Academy of Science in Reno. The NSSS created a special stamp to recognize Ms. Einstoss' accomplishment. In April 2012, her fulvous whistling duck artwork competed nationally against 52 other state, territory and district competition "Best of Show" winners.

This year's "Best of Show" stamp is available in limited quantity at our welcome table for \$10.00 for a half sheet of 10.

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Some exhibits are highly valued so please look carefully at each and vote for your favorite.