

Bridgwater & District Philatelic Society

Meetings are held on the 2nd & 4th Thursdays except for Auctions, at Westfield United Reform Church Hall, West St. Bridgwater TA6 7EU at 7.15pm for 7.30pm

Contact:- Mrs E Higgins, (01278 459378 phone & fax)

2018	
6 th Sep	“U” Evening, Members
20 th Sep	Jeremy Entertains (GS)
4 th Oct	Helicopter Flights (GS)
18 th Oct	Morocco (GS)
1 st Nov	Visit by Cheddar S.C.
16 th Nov	Bring & Buy (15 th Nov?)
6 th Dec	Christmas Team Quiz
2019	
10 th Jan	Members displays
24 th Jan	Serbia WW1 (GS)
7 th Feb	Competition Night
21 st Feb	Victoria Falls and Sweden (2 members)
7 th March	Members Evening - Postcards
21 st March	Censorship of Civil Mails (GS)
11 th Apr	History of Writing & Illustrating Manuscripts (GS)
26 th Apr	The Mapping of Somerset (GS)
10 th May	AGM

Bridport Stamp Club

Meetings are held at alternatively at St John Ambulance Hall, Rax Lane, Bridport & The Elms, The Street, Charmouth at 7:15pm for 7:30pm

Contact:- Mrs M Blackah (01308 423169)

2018		
7 th Sep	Informal, Members dealing, Bring, buy, swap and sell	Bridport
21 st Sep	Architecture and Fortifications	Charmouth
6 th Oct	Speaker: “The Channel Islands, 1850s to Postal Independence, incl Locals”	Bridport
19 th Oct	The Letter “M”	Charmouth
2 nd Nov	Postcard Competition	Bridport
16 th Nov	Women on stamps and postcards	Charmouth
7 th Dec	Annual Auction	Bridport
21 st Dec	Speaker: Gavin Fryer RDP “The Christmas Message WW” (How Servicemen were treated at Christmas) ... and mince pies	Charmouth
2019		
4 th Jan	Anything related to, issued or used in 1919	Bridport

18 th Jan	Lines of Communication: From Footpath to Satellite	Charmouth
1st Feb	Stamp Competition	Bridport
15 th Feb	Please choose your subject (12 sheets maximum)	Charmouth
1st March	Speaker: Gavin Fryer RDP “GB, Empire Air Mail Scheme, KGVI High Values	Bridport
15 th March	Anything on the number “TEN” (10p, ten people/ sheets/postcards/covers, etc)	Charmouth
5 th Apr	Speaker: Richard Moss “A Visit to Tristan da Cunha”	Bridport
12 th Apr	Annual Dinner (<i>Note this is the 2nd Friday as 19th is Good Friday</i>)	Bridport
3rd May	AGM plus refreshments	Bridport
17 th May	The Letter “N”	Charmouth
2nd June	Visit from Yeovil & District Philatelic Society	Bridport
21st June	Speaker: Nick Watton “Designing Stamps for the Channel Islands – from First Sketch to Final Image”	Charmouth

Bristol Philatelic Society

Secretary:- Mrs Arlene Powell (01173 823901). Meetings are held at Redland Park United Reform Church Hall, Redland Park, Whiteladies Road, Bristol BS6 6SA on 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 7.:30pm.

Contact:- Fed Rep Mike Breward (0117 956 7853) email mike.breward@btinternet.com

2018	
13 th Sep	1936 Siege of Paris (GS)
27 th Sep	Members letter “B”
11 th Oct	Liechtenstein (GS)
25 th Oct	Bristol (Federation) 9 sheet competition
8 th Nov	Visit from Newport Philatelic Society
22 nd Nov	The Travelling Post Office (GS)
13 th Dec	Philatelic Quiz and Raffle with Festive Fare
2019	
10 th Jan	Bourse and 1 sheet competition
24 th Jan	President’s Evening
14 th Feb	Reused Envelopes (GS)
28 th Feb	Carol’s ABC (GS)
14 th Mar	Wilts & Dist Federation, 9 sheet Competitions and Bourse
28 th Mar	SOKOL (GS)
11 th Apr	Eritrea – The Italian Years
17 th Apr	Visit to Newport
25 th Apr	What we showed at Newport
9 th May	AGM and Wilts & Dist Fed 16 sheet Competitions
13 th Jun	“And I still don’t know what to collect” (GS)

Burnham & Highbridge Philatelic Society

Meetings held at Burnham Community Hall, Berrow Road, Burnham on Sea at 7:20pm for 7.30pm
Contact:- Mr A J Batten, (01278 760258)

2018	
18 th Sep	New Acquisitions
16 th Oct	Letter 'C'
20 th Nov	Armistice 1914-1918 100 years
18 th Dec	Road Show
2019	
15 th Jan	Other Interests/Hobbies
19 th Feb	British Occupation of Italian Colonies (GS)
19 th Mar	Portishead and Edward VIII (two members)
16 th Apr	British Commonwealth 1945
21 st May	Portugal
18 th Jun	Spain and TBA
16 th Jul	AGM and Chairman's Choice

Cheddar Stamp Club

Meetings held at The Hannah Moore Cottage, Cheddar at 3:00pm on 3rd Thursday of the month.
Secretary Mr B Ladd, (01934 743710) E mail:- info@luxuryselfcatering.uk.com.

2018	
20 th Sep	Members old favourites or new acquisitions
25 th Oct	Satirical Postcards (GS) (note this is the 4th Thursday of the month)
1 st Nov	Visit to Bridgwater Stamp Club (7:30pm)
15 th Nov	Devon People and Places (GS)
20 th Dec	Ron van de Holt - New Material and Christmas Party
2019	
17 th Jan	Members to show something beginning with G or H
21 st Feb	Somerset and Dorset Roadshow
21 st March	Many aspects of Austria (GS)
18 th April	Bridgwater return visit
16 th May	Members thematic – suggest six sheets and there will be a prize for the best presentation
20 th June	Liberation of Europe (GS)

Minehead & District Stamp Club

Meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday in the month at The Quakers Meeting House, Bancks Street, Minehead at 7.30pm

Contact:- Secretary - Mr J Bayly, Tel 01398 324146 or email Carol Turner 4carol@tiscali.co.uk

2018	
9 th October	Boer War (GS)
13 th November	Letters postcards, etc. 1914-1918
11 th December	Bring & Buy, Silent Displays & Christmas Fayre
2019	
8 th January	Seychelles Part 2 (GS)
12 th February	Wessex Road Show
12 th March	Censored Mail, WWII
9 th April	Foreign POs in Shanghai (GS)
14 th May	Postcard Evening
1 st June	The Mapping of Somerset (GS)
9 th July	AGM; Bring & Buy; Silent Displays; Seasonal Fayre
13 th August	Satirical Postcards and Conflicts (GS)
19 th September	Letter Evening X, Y or Z

North Vale Coin & Stamp Club

Meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday in the month Sept – May at East Stour Village Hall, North Dorset at 7.30pm

Contact:- Secretary Mr L J Pitman, 1 St James Street, Shaftsbury, Dorset SP7 8HA (01747 825246)

2018	
2019	

Poole, Bournemouth & Districts Stamp & Postcard Club

Meetings held at the Upton Community Centre, Poole Rd, Upton BH16 5JA on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays in the month at 7.15 for 7.30pm

Contact:- Secretary - Mr Michael Mawdsley, 1 Heysham Road, Broadstone, BH18 8LB (01202 604741) email:- michael.p.mawdsley@gmail.com

2018	
6th Sep	Autumn Auction
8th Sep (Sat)	Annual Stamp Fair, 10am to 4pm
20th Sep	Members Displays: Emergency Services, Medicine and Health
4th Oct	Members Displays: Open Class Topics
18 th Oct	Guests: Blandford Club Visit us
1 st Nov	Guest Speaker: Graham Mark: "POWs in Britain in WWI"
15 th Nov	Winter Auction
6th Dec	No meeting
20th Dec	Christmas Event – Party Night: Members displays of "anything but stamps"
2019	
3rd Jan	Members – Women's Achievements + Bring and Buy/Bourse
17th Jan	Guest Speaker: Mike Houchen and Friends
7th Feb	Members displays - Postcards
21st Feb	Guest Speaker: "Collecting Postcards – Why do I and why did I start?"
7th Mar	Spring Auction
21st Mar	Competition Evening: Green, Novice, Barry Proctor (Postcard), John Hilton (Open) Cups, and Bill Way Shield Competitions
4th Apr	Guest Speakers: Brian Hunt "Falkland Isles"; Bernard Paull "Alpha Romeo"
6th Apr (Sat)??	Ferndown Society's Annual Fair and Inter-Club Competition
18th Apr	Competition entries displayed and awards.
9th May	Guest Speaker: David Muscroft: "English Provincial Banknotes"
23rd May	AGM followed by social. Members displays – single sheet from all
6th Jun	Guest Speaker: Claire Scott "Death by Post"
1st Jun (Sat)??	RINGPEX 10am to 4pm
20th Jun	Summer Auction
4th Jul	Members displays: Land, Sea and Sky
18th Jul	Members displays – Weapons, military
1st Aug	Members displays – Flora and Fauna
15 th Aug	Members displays – V and W are for ...
5 th Sep	Autumn Auction
7th Sep (Sat)	Annual Stamp Fair, 10am to 4pm

Taunton Stamp Club

Meetings are held on the 1st & 3rd Mondays 7pm for 7.30pm at Killkenny House, Clifton Terrace, Taunton TA2 7QL

Contact:- Mr C. Catley (01884 798370), email: shadow2004@tiscali.co.uk

2018	
3 rd Sep	Members Evening, letter "T"
17 th Sep	Banknotes Pt 1 1900-1945 (GS)
1 st Oct	Censored Mail WWII (GS)
15 th Oct	Visit from Yeovil PS
5 th Nov	Gunpowder, Treason and Plot (members)
10th Nov	Taunton Stamp Club Annual Fair
19 th Nov	WWI Miscellany (GS)
3 rd Dec	Annual Auction
17 th Dec	No meeting – Haooy Christmas
2019	
7 th Jan	Banknotes (Pt 2) (GS)
21 st Jan	Club Competitions
4 th Feb	Rhodesia and Leeward Islands (2 members)
18 th Feb	Member's Evening "Blue"
4 th Mar	9 sheets (no commentary) & Quiz
18 th Mar	Visit from Axe Vale Stamp Club
19 th Mar	Quiz Night and Mini-auction
1 st Apr	"1943" - Member
15 th Apr	AGM & Arberry Memorial Trophy
3 rd Jun	Informal
1 st Jul	Informal

City of Wells Philatelic Society

Meetings are held on 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month at The Town Hall, Market Place, Wells BA5 2RB at 7.30pm

Contact:- Secretary - Mr J Jeffery, Tel 01761 453258

2018	
10 th Sep	New Acquisitions
24 th Sep	Five Favourite Items
8 th Oct	North Borneo Part 1 (Carol Turner)
22 nd Oct	Airgraphs (E Williams)
12 th Nov	Hospice Evening
26 th Nov	Christmas Themes
10 th Dec	Members Bourse and Christmas Party

2019	
14 th Jan	Letters 'E' and 'F'
28 th Jan	World War I and II
11 th Feb	
25 th Feb	Thematic Wildlife
11 th Mar	Helimail (GS)
25 th Mar	Revenue Stamps (GS)
8 th Apr	Thematic Sports
29 th Apr	New Zealand (GS)
13 th May	Club Competitions and AGM

Weston –Super- Mare Philatelic Society

Meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays 6:45 (informal) for 7:15pm at the Conservative Club, 24-26 Alexandra Parade, Weston-Super-Mare

Contact:- Mr W Bredi (01934 647600) w.bredin@tesco.net

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Yeovil & District Philatelic Society

Meetings are held at St Marks Church Hall, Yeovil at 7-30 pm except for Jan & Feb when at 2-30pm
 Contact:- Secretary - Mr Dave Bryant 01460 74422 marg-dave.bryant@brsystems.co.uk

2018	
6 th Sep	Bring/Buy/Swap/Sell
4 th Oct	South Island New Zealand & Rhodesia (GS)

6 th Oct	Yeovil Society Stamp Fair
15 th Oct	Visit to Taunton
1 st Nov	Serbia WWI and Ionian Islands WWII (GS)
6 th Dec	Club Auction
2019	
3 rd Jan	Members Hobbies other than stamps
7 th Feb	Society Competitions
7 th Mar	The Letter 'R'
4 th Apr	Club Auction
2 nd May	Dealers Evening
6 th Jun	AGM and Postcards