



Thames Stamp Club Newsletter

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The Thames Stamp Club meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month, Sept. through June, at 7:00 P.M. First meeting of each month at the Waterford Public Library, 49 Rope Ferry Rd, Waterford, CT and second meeting of the month at the Groton Public Library, 52 Newtown Rd, Groton, CT. All area philatelists are invited. Annual dues are \$10.00. The club's email is tbbee@aol.com. The club's address is PO Box 624, E. Lyme, CT 06333 and on the web at <http://www.ThamesStampClub.org>.

July/August Recap

Summer meetings were held on Jul 9, Jul 23, Aug 13 and Aug 27. Much thanks to Charles, Sue, Bill and Dee for providing refreshments at our summer meetings. No formal business was conducted during these meetings just fun stamp discussion and auctions.

September Meetings

10 Sept – In person meeting at Waterford Public Library + Zoom for those who cannot make it. Obie H. has refreshments.

24 Sept – In person meeting at the Groton Public Library + Zoom meeting for those who cannot make it. Marilyn H. has refreshments.

September Stamp Shows

26 – 28 Sept NOJEX @ Hilton Hasbrouck Heights, 650 Terrace Avenue Hasbrouck Heights, NJ

27 Sept CHELMPEX @ Trinity Lutheran Church, 170 Old Westford Rd, Chelmsford, MA

28 Sept 4th Sunday Show @ The Annex YMA, 554 Woodward Ave, New Haven

Here and There

Thamespex'25 is fast approaching, and we need your support to help make Thamespex'25 a success. There are only three meetings left to prepare for the show. Please consider attending one of these meetings to help with our Thamespex planning. I have enclosed a copy of our Thamespex'25 Show Flyer. Please copy and post in your local library or post office. USS Iowa SSN 797 commissioning covers are still available. There are 10 cancelled, signed and numbered covers left. If you want one, contact Obie to reserve your cover. They are \$2.50 each and Self Addressed Stamped Envelope (SASE) please if ordering by mail. I am circulating the stamp-circuit boxes; if you want to check out the box in your home for a few days, let me know. Everyone, please stay healthy and safe. The following link will take you to the APS Newsletter:

<https://stamps.org/news/c/news/p/1>

Philatelically yours,

Tony

Tony Bruno

Thamespex'25 Show Flyer

THAMES STAMP CLUB
PRESENTS
THAMESPEX 2025
STAMP SHOW
OCT. 18, 2025

9 AM TO 3 PM

WATERFORD COMMUNITY CENTER
24 ROPE FERRY ROAD, WATERFORD, CT



Cachet Cover

“First Strategic Missile Patrol USS George Washington (SSBN 598)”

FREE ADMISSION
FREE PARKING
DOOR PRIZES
FREE STAMPS FOR KIDS

FREE STAMP APPRAISAL
DEALER BOURSE
STAMP AUCTION
US POST OFFICE

**FIRST STRATEGIC MISSILE PATROL USS GEORGE WASHINGTON (SSBN 598)
CACHET COVERS, INCLUDES INSERT'S
\$3.00 EACH SASE APPRECIATED, CHECK PAYABLE TO THAMES STAMP CLUB
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GALES FERRY, CT 06335-1839**