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## CENTRAL FLORIDA STAMP CLUB, INC. c/o John Young Museum and Planetarium

Member, Florida Federation of Stamp Clubs

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Fellow Members,

This is our second Newsletter of 1987. There are several items to be mentioned, and also a preview of the forthcoming FLOREX in November; as well as "to put the touch" on many of you to give us your help during FLOREX (as well as on other occasions).

Our meetings for the 20th of August and the 17th of September have been "flip flopped": Bob Ward giving his program on Philatelic Potpourri on 8/20 and Charlie Janosi his Philatelic Quiz - "How well do YOU know U.S. stamps?" on 9/17.

The THIRD auction of the year will be held on September 3. As is usual, the auction is limited to 60 lots, with a limit of 3 lots per member until some few minutes before "close out", allowing you to enter additional lots until we reach the limit of 60. Any DONATION lots will be accepted in addition to the 60 lots noted. We also will continued with the "want list auction". That is, any member seeking fine quality stamps with an opening bid of 1/3 catalog can turn their list over to Treasurer John D. Shirley. John will make an all out attempt to obtain these items for you for our auctions. The last page of this newsletter is one "want list". See the paragraph on list for full information.

A recent article in the Orlando SENTINEL indicated that perhaps many of our members will be vastly inconvenienced by the massive changes in ZIP codes in the Orlando area. Please let us know your new ZIF code if you are a changee.

Recently, Mr. Henry M. Gobie, President, Florida Federation of Stamp Clubs, Inc., requested that all clubs in the Federation provide a mailing list of their members to the Editor, THE FLORIDA PHILATELIST, for purpose of mailing each issue of THE FLORIDA PHILATELIST directly to individuals. I do not know if this will be mailed by Second Class (NEWSPAPER) Rate, Bulk (Non-profit) Rate, or however, but you will be receiving this at your home address. If you do not want this to go to your home, please let us know, and we can have your copy sent to you c/o Central Florida Stamp Club, Inc., at our regular mailing address. You can then pick up your copy at a meeting.

Member Phillip Fettig has advised that the next Winter Park Stamp Bourse will be held on Saturday and Sunday, September 12 and 13, 1987, with hours on Saturday being 10:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M., and on Sunday from 10:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. The Bourse will be held at the former Winter Park SHERATON, former Winter Park Resorts, and now maybe named Park Inn International. Whatever the name of the hotel, it is the same physical location: 736 Lee Road, Winter Park, Fl.

Plans for the 1987 FLOREX are moving along. A second series of dealer letters has gone out and the bourse will soon be full. Speakers for the seminars are being lined up. So far invitations have gone to Pat Herst, Clyde Jennings, and others. Richard Champagne has agreed to talk about "Something U.S." (sound familiar? See club program for 19 November. The exhibit frames have not yet been sold out; however, it is anticipated that the exhibit will be over subscribed. Steve Patrick has been hard at work on the cachet and cancels. As usual, we will need plenty of volunteers! Raymond Weill will be the speaker at the FLOREX banquet. (P.F.)

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There will be a Florida Federation of Stamp Clubs, Inc, BILLBOARD EXHIBIT. Why such an Exhibit? The National Association of Philatelic Federations will be holding their FIRST Annual Meeting at the FLOREX (This organization became a reality at VAPEX '86) and the Florida Federation would like to take this opportunity to showcase our State Organization, its membership and their show! The required information form concerning the Central Florida Stamp Club, Inc., has been submitted to Mr. Carl Burnett who is putting this exhibit together. The Confederate Stamp Alliance (C.S.A.) will also be holding their annual meeting this year at FLOREX '87 - so we know you can look forward to seeing a great group of Confederate exhibits in the show. (C.B.)

Time is nearing for FLOREX '87. We hope you are planning on helping some young person get ready for the youth section. As we all know, without our encouragement and help, the youths can become discouraged very easily. We hope to have a large display this year from all over the state and it will take the help of everyone to assure that this will become a reality. The youngsters that have been talked with seem to be excited about having at least something entered to exhibit. We do need stamps to give to the young people visiting the FLOREX. Please bring many, many of your duplicate materials for donations to the Children's Program. The Club will have a large box to accept your donations of stamps for the kids. Lets have a great turnout on this. A large model of the space shuttle will be on display to introduce the young people to the idea of collecting a topic, such as space. There will be a table of exhibits on different topics so the young folk will understand the different ways of making a collection. If you have a topic collection that the Committee can use, please let Lewis Etherton (221 Tollgate Trail, Longwood, FL 32750) know. We hope to make this the best Children's section ever. (L.E.)

Member Steve Patrick is in charge of the cachet/souvenir card for FLOREX this year. The show theme will be a <u>Salute to Florida's Wildlife</u>. What a natural with the recently issued Animals pane of 50 stamps. The animals to be featured are the Manatee, the Alligator, and the Wood Stork. There will be three show cancels, one for each day of the show, with one of the animals featured in each day's cancel. The art work was superb, and hopefully all will be approved by our Most Friendly Postal Service.

At this date, we still have a lot of members who have not paid their 1987 dues. If you are numbered among those, a self-addressed envelope to the club is enclosed for your convenience in sending in your \$10.00 right now.

I realize that parking has been a problem at the Orlando Science Center due to the complete "remodeling" of the park, relocation of Princeton Street, and all that. My last trip by the Science Center revealed that work was proceeding on the area adjacent to Rollins Street, but that the Rollins Street entrance was still blocked off, and the parking lot word has decimated the numbers of available spaces until all work is completed. However, there are two usable entrances to the Science Center. From Princeton Street take the turn into the Edyth Bush theater and at end of the short drive, make a hard left turn and go around the complete semi-circle drive to the one-way short drive into the Science Center/Art Museum parking lot; this entrance was not appropriately marked to use to get into the Science Center Parking lot but can be used - I dood it. As an alternative, you can proceed to the street immediately behind the Science Center and turn south to the blocked end of the street and then turn left into the Science Center complex, and join up with the semi-circular drive noted above; and follow the balance of the instructions. As far as I can tell at this time, we will be in the ALPHA room for the remainder of the year, having been somewhat disrupted due to the summer school schedule at the Science Center.

Other "good" news. As most of you know, Orlando is the threes of an almost complete renewal of the downtown area with construction of the DuPont Center (The First, F.A.), Sun Bank Building and Olympia Flace. Soon we will have enough skyscrapers to completely block out the sun. With all of this major construction, there is a lot of other stuff going on - making a "Street-Scape" on Magnolia Avenue; replacement of virtually all of the railroad crossings with the new rubberized crossing mats by whoever it is that does those sort of things; running new water, electric, sewer, and what not, lines to accommodate the growth. And lets not forget the Arena for the Orlando Magic. This is the one that affects us. The arena is being built sort of southwest of the Carr Auditorium, and has encroached on the parking lot across the street from the EXPO CENTRE. There have been rumors that our Most Friendly Mayor has more ideas of grandeur in that he wants a fountain in front of the arena which will further decimate the parking. And horrors of horrors, he wants to make a "metered" parking area of that lot. It is believed, however, that this last catastrophe will not come to pass until early next year, you can never tell! However, with all the constructions taking place, it will be somewhat difficult to get to the EXPO CENTRE with all the detours. I will not indicate what those are at the present because by the time of FLOREX they will probably change. However, all the detours in downtown are well marked "Detour to Bob Carr Auditorium", or similar wording. Just follow the orange-red and black signs - as the Omni Hotel and EXPO CENTRE are directly across the street from the Bob Carr Auditorium. For those coming in from the West or South on I-4, get off at the Robinson Street Exit and follow Garland and all the signs to the Bob Carr Auditorium. For those coming in from the North or the East on I-4, get off at the Colonial Drive Exit (Florida Route 50), and at the base of the ramp (stop light) proceed directly ahead down Hughey to the Bob Carr Auditorium and then turn right into the EXPO CENTRE area. OUCH & OOPS! See Page D1, Orlando SENTINEL, Tuesday, 18 August '87!

As is usual, we do need a lot of volunteers to work at the FLOREX table this year. There will be the registration to take care of, sale of Cachets (and souvenir cards if available), passing out of "freebies" that may be available, and of course taking care of the stamp packets for the kids. Would you believe that a member who will be on vacation until the end of September has already volunteered his time on two days? How about getting on the bandwagon? We will have many Confederate Generals and Colonels present for the C.S.A. affair, and more than likely, many individuals attending the FIRST National Association of Philatelic Federations meeting. The load falls squarely on Central Florida Stamp Club, Inc., to make a significant showing - and we do know that we can count on your help. Our next letter will contain a form for you to fill in and return.

REPEAT. At this date we still have a lot of members who have not paid their 1987 dues. If you a numbered among those, a self-addressed envelope to the club is enclosed for your convenience in sending in your \$10.00 right NOW.

The vacation and summer season is almost over. TEMPUS FUGIT! Lets get ready to get back into full force for the forthcoming stamping season.

Sincerely,

Wade H. Beery Secretary This is a list of postal stamps on which the club has an opening bid of 1/3 Scott's catalog. All stamps are used unless otherwise noted. It is suggested that you make a packet of the lower value stamps, with the catalog value not to excede \$30.00. Stamps cataloging \$15.00 or more should be put in the sale as individual items in order to leave the bidding open to more club members. All stamps must be of good quality to receive the opening bid of 1/3 catalog.

- USA 7, 92, 97, 350, 351, 357, 392 Mint Pair: 348, 349, 352, 353, 385, 390, 391, 394, 396, 448, 452, 455, 457, 486, 487, 488, 494, 495
- GREAT BRITIAN 10, 21, 126, 165, 167, 203, 304, 275, 268, 289, 305, 308, 312, 335, 336, 337, 339, 340. 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 382, 384, 385, 386, 387, 389, 390, 392, 394, 397, 399, 400, 401, 406, 410, 411, 412, 413, 415, 416, 417, 419, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 453, 455, 456, 457, 459, 460, 461, 463, 464, 455, 467, 468, 469, 470, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 479, 481, 488, 491, 492, 493, 494, 500, 510, 511, 512, 515, 516, 519, 520, 521, 525, 526, 527, 528, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 567, 571, 576, 577, 578, 578, 580, 583
- CANADA 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 28, 30, 50, 56, 57, 71, 72, 73, 81, 95, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 160, 161, 184, 205, 229, 279, 407, 408, 466, 582, 584, 585, 600, 617, 624, 653, 657, 686, 687, 688, 761, 790, 791, 814, 865, 867, 868, 869, 879, 880, 881, 882, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 899, 900, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 910, 912, 913, 915 Souviner Sheet mint 756a, 913a Miniature Sheet mint 966a Booklet pane 992a
- AUSTRIA 40, 45, 51, 58, 59, 60, 62, 66, 67, 80, 81, 84, 102, 103, 126, 147, 198, 224, 298, 322, 324, 332, 333, 339, 342, 347, 352, 376, 377, 380, 382, 384, 386, 387, 388, 503, 517, 518, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562
- BELGIUM 45, 46, 56, 58, 115, 120, 143, 154, 185, 196, 199, 229, 230, 245, 252, 253, 289, 290, 296, 355, 362, 365, 368, 369, 371, 372, 375, 382, 383, 435, 445, 450, 451, 453, 456, 458, 459, 461, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 478, 479, 484, 486, 487, 488, 492
- DENMARK 25, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 48, 49, 53, 54, 55, 56 66, 67, 76, 77, 78, 99, 123, 211, 212, 215, 217, 218, 222, 253, 370, 373, 375, 382, 386, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 398, 400, 412, 415, 432, 435, 437A, 441A, 443, 444, 444D, 452, 455, 458, 475, 476, 489, 499, 516, 525, 527555, 558
- FINLAND 70, 93, 97, 104, 106, 123, 124, 142, 143, 146, 151, 152, 165, 170B, 176C, 180, 181, 182, 183, 195, 196, 197, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 221, 223, 253, 254, 259, 271
- TTALY 32, 34, 52, 56, 73, 90, 97, 108, 110, 113, 157, 194, 195, 201, 203, 205, 243, 245, 248, 271, 280, 282, 285, 298, 306, 307, 309, 323, 343, 422, 424, 426, 444, 445, 459, 489, 490, 492, 497, 501, 509, 510, 511, 516, 517, 608, 612, 616, 617, 618, 621, 625, 634, 664, 666, 701, 711, 712, 716, 723, 727, 733, 738, 747, 749, 754, 758, 759, 762, 764, 773, 774, 781, 783, 790, 794, 795, 796, 798, 808, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834 Mint 233, 234, 235, 240, 241, 275, 276, 277, 287, 303, 304, 305, 314, 385, 386, 408, 409.