

## CENTRAL FLORIDA STAMP CLUB, INC.

Member, Florida Federation of Stamp Clubs

c/o John Young Museum and Planetarium 810 East Rollins Street Orlando, Florida 32803 30 November 1987

Fellow members,

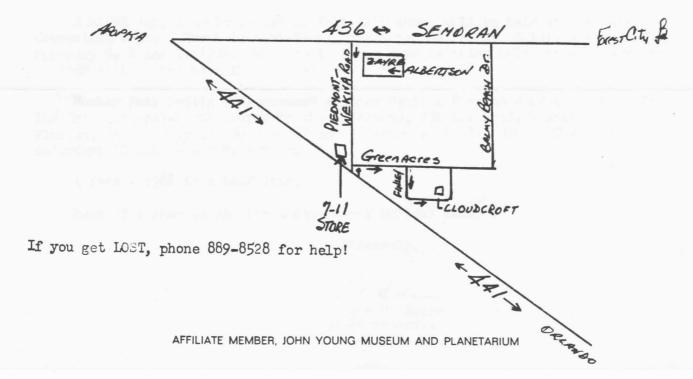
This is our fourth letter of 1987.

Our meeting on Thursday, 3 December 1987 - AUCTION! Heavenly material at very earthly prices. This is Member's Auction, and lots will be accepted at the rate of 3 per member until a total of 60 lots is received. Donation lots always accepted and in addition to the 60 lots. The limit of 3 lots per member will be maintained until about 10 minutes before cut off time for receipt of material, at which time additional lots may be accepted to reach a maximum of 60 lots for the auction.

The HOLIDAY PARTY, our Annual Family Affair, will be held at the home of Steve and Linda Patrick, on December 17, 1987. The co-host will be John Shirley. You should plan to arrive at 7:00 P.M. as the meal will be served at 7:00 P.M. John will be preparing turkey again this year, and beverages will be provided. If you would like to assist, please bring a plate of your favorite salad or dessert to complement the meal. As our Secretary says, "Bring your favorite fat pill".

The Patrick's live at 2729 Cloudcroft Drive, Apopka. From Orlando, drive north on U.S. h41 to Piedmont-Wekiva Road. Turn right on Piedmont-Wekiva Road, and then immediately turn right onto Greenacres Road (its almost like making a U-turn). Go a quarter mile to Finley and turn right. Finley bends to the left and becomes Cloudcroft. 2729 is the next-to-last house on the left. Drive over the sidewalk and park perpendicular to the road. If you come by way of Route 436, go west on 136 to Piedmont-Wekiva Road and turn left on P-W Road. Piedmont Square shop ing center occupies the Southeast corner of the intersection. Go south until just before you reach 141, where you turn left onto Greenacres and follow the directions as above.

Please come even if you aren't able to bring any food. There will be ample for all.



Meeting, 7 January 1988, will feature Veep Steve Patrick with U.S. Postal Cards, Stationery and Back of Book. Bring examples from your collections and suplicates to swap, sell, trade, etc.

Meeting, 21 January 1988. ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING, and election of Officers and Birectors for 1988-1989.

DUES for 1988 NOW DUE - \$20.00 per year. This with a proviso that if our search for a less expensive meeting facility is successful, a pro-rata refund will be made to all members who pay their dues at the \$20.00 rate. We have a list of four places to contact and check for suitability. Our rent is paid through March 1988 (and it is somewhat doubtful that we can obtain a refund of any unused portion of the rental we have paid).

Our many thanks to each and every one of you who worked in any capacity at the 1987 FLOREX. Needless to say, we will be counting on ALL for the 1988 FLOREX here in Orlando. The 1987 FLOREX was a marvelous exhibition and bourse—used my two crying towels through the first 98 frames on Friday and had to take time out to dry them so I could continue to examine the balance of the exhibits on Saturday and Sunday.

At the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Federation, the cost of printing and mailing one issue of The Florida Philatelist to every member of each member club was announced. After a lengthy discussion, the Board recommended to the General Assembly that each Member Club (whose dues are paid, of course) be provided six copies of The Florida Philatelist and that "Bulk Subscriptions" (as in years past) be reinstituted. This recommendation was passed without dissent by the General Assembly. There will be no further mailing of The Florida Philatelist to individuals, and it is understood that the mailing list which was on disk for computer production will be destroyed.

We have received our annual invitation from Mr. Larry Liebowitz, AALL Enterprises, to utilize a free club table at the Annual Greater Orlando Stamp and Postcard Show to be held Saturday and Sunday, February 6 and 7, 1988, at the Quality Inn, High Q Hotel, 5905 International Drive, Orlando. We will need volunteers to work at the table. Hours are 10 A.M. to 5 P.M. both days.

SARAPEX 188, a World Series of Philately show, will be held at the Sarasota Convention Center, North Tamiami Trail, Sarasota, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, February 5, 6 and 7, 1988. We note that the show is being held one week earlier in 1988 that it has been in the past.

Member Phil Fettig will present another Central Florida Bourse at the Park Inn International-North (formerly the Sheraton), 736 Lee Road, Winter Fark, Florida, on Saturday and Sunday, 27 and 28 February 1988. Hours 10 A.M. - 6 P.M. Saturday; 10 A.M. - 4 P.M. Sunday.

A fact - 1988 is a LEAP Year.

Best of wishes to ALL for a most happy Holiday Season.

Sincerely

Wade H. Beery Secretary...