

## 2017-18 Kawartha Stamp Club Program

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Meetings are held at "The Mount", 1545 Monaghan Road, Peterborough

**Spring / Summer / Fall** - 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

**Winter** - 12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m.

**September to June** - the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month, 6:00-8:30 pm,  
except **both meetings in January** and **1st meeting in February** when  
the club meets during the day, from 12:30-3:00 pm.

**July and August** KSC meets the 2nd Tuesday only from 6:00 to 8:30 pm.

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**September 12: Guest Dealer Jim Allen;** Topical Collecting (club members provide insight into their thematic collections with an introduction on the subject by Marie Olver; (Happy Bucks awarded to all presenters); Bill Crins provides an overview of the guidelines for the Members' Sales Circuit Books

**September 26: Guest Dealer Nigel MacKay;** John Ross talks on his interest in and collecting of U.S. pre-cancels

**October 10: Guest Dealer Stanley Doktor;** Name Tag Contest (members vote for the best name tags with the criteria of being easy to read, creative design and clear communication of the member's collecting interests); **"Stamps of Colour"** (members assemble stamps that meet specific criteria, e.g. issued before 1950, with the additional caveat that the stamp colour must be predominantly orange; Happy Bucks awarded to all participants)

**October 24: Fall Auction and Pizza Party** (unlimited lots for sale per person; minimum reserve value per item \$3; 10% of sale price goes to the club; unsold items must be reclaimed by those who submitted them); Free Membership Draw (only members who have paid are eligible to win)

**November 14: Stamp Lottery** (good quality donations sought from members with Happy Bucks awarded for each donation; members pay \$5 for 20 'lottery' tickets and place one or more tickets in containers in front of each item they want to win; one winning ticket drawn from each container; unsold lots auctioned off at draw's end)

**November 28: Guest Dealer Joe Than;** Karl Wysotski and Malcolm Pacey provide an overview of stamp exhibiting and what works and what doesn't as well as share their enjoyment of the activity and encourage members' exhibits for KAPEX 2018

**December 12 (winter hours): Annual Christmas Party, Auction and Elimination Draw**  
Complete turkey dinner served (paid ticket event); members and their guests asked to each donate at least one gift with a value of \$10 for auction; all auction proceeds to the Salvation Army; elimination draw held for excellent prizes (to be announced)

**January 9 (winter hours): Guest Dealer Bob Bomhof;** Oliver Pastinak talks on his interest in and collecting of perfins

**January 23 (winter hours): Guest Dealer Steve Anderson;** Toonie Day (Members display unlimited items that cost \$2 with all sale proceeds going to the member)

**February 13 (winter hours): Guest Dealer Larry Friend;** “Stamps We Love” (members display favourite stamps with a love theme; Happy Bucks awarded to all participants)

**February 27: Premium Auction** (unlimited lots for sale per person; minimum reserve value per item \$5; 10% of sale price goes to the club; unsold items must be reclaimed by those who submitted them)

**March 13: Free Table Mini Dealer Night** (members allotted tables to display stamps and related items for sale)

**March 27: Guest Dealer Wes Eardley;** Freebie Night (members invited to display stamp-related items they're willing to part with for free)

**April 10: Dutch Auction** (unlimited lots for sale per person at starting price of \$10 per item; during auction price of each item drops in \$1 increments until item is sold; judging of members' “One Page” and “Anything Goes” exhibits; final KAPEX preparations)

**April 21: KAPEX 2018,** Evinrude Centre

**April 24: Guest Dealer James McKenzie;** KAPEX Exhibit Awards Presentation and Pizza Party; KAPEX co-chairs Sue Scott and Peter Evelyn provide a summary of KAPEX 2018 and solicit input as to what worked and what didn't and solicit suggestions for next year

**May 8: Spring Auction** (unlimited lots for sale per person; minimum reserve value per item \$3; 10% of sale price goes to the club; unsold items must be reclaimed by those who submitted them); Nomination Night for the 2018-19 Executive

**May 22: “People On Stamps”** (club members provide insight into their collecting of stamps featuring personalities. Happy Bucks awarded to all presenters)

**June 12: Happy Dollar Auction** (members donate at least one tin of stamps of good quality with Happy Bucks given for each donated tin; one of the tins will contain an especially desirable item; only Happy Dollars are accepted as payment)

**June 26: Guest Dealer Larry Friend;** Bill Crins talks on his interest in and collecting of stamps with a flora and fauna theme)

**July 10: Silent Auction** (same guidelines as regular auctions except no live bidding)

**August 14: Summer Auction** (unlimited lots for sale per person; minimum reserve value per item \$3; 10% of sale price goes to the club; unsold items must be reclaimed by those who submitted them)