



# 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 7:30 P.M. at the Clark Lane Middle School, Waterford, CT. All area philatelists are invited. Annual dues are \$10.00. The club's email is [tbbee@aol.com](mailto:tbbee@aol.com). The club's address is PO Box 624, E. Lyme, CT 06333 and on the web at <http://www.ThamesStampClub.org>.

## June Recap

**Jun. 12** Regular meeting at the Clark Lane Middle School Library with eleven members attending. We held The Club's annual stamp auction with approximately 100 lots of philatelic treasures to be sold. Due to time constraints, some lots were held over to the next meeting. Bidding was spirited and only a few lots were passed. Tony provided refreshments and door prizes were suspended to save time.

**Jun. 26** Open Meeting at the Waterford Public Library with eleven members attending. A sign-up sheet was passed around for the summer picnic (see below; directions on the sign-up sheet). It's included as a reminder; however, if you would like to bring something, use it as a reference. Door prizes and refreshments at Dunkin' Donuts concluded the evening.

## Summer Meetings

**Jul. 10** Summer meeting at the Waterford Public Library, conference room downstairs.

**Jul. 24 Annual Club Picnic at Brian Baldwin's house.** A sign-up sheet is included.

**Aug. 14** Summer meeting at the Waterford Public Library, conference room downstairs.

**Aug. 28** Summer meeting at the Waterford Public Library, conference room downstairs.

Except for the club cookout, we will adjourn to Dunkin' Donuts for refreshments after each meeting.

## July/Aug Stamp Shows

**14 Jul 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Show** @ Comfort Inn, Meriden. Free Food

**16 Jul 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday Show** @ WWII Club, 50 Conz St., Northampton, Ex 18 off I91.

**20-21 Jul 8<sup>th</sup> Annual NE Postal History Show** @ Polish CC, 225 Washington Ave. Ext, Albany, NY

**28 Jul 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday Show** @ The Annex Y.M.A. in East Haven

**11 Aug 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Show** @ Comfort Inn, Meriden. Free Food

**17 Aug Fall River Stamp Show** @ Knights of Columbus Hall, 28 Fish Rd, Tiverton, RI

**20 Aug 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday Show** @ WWII Club, 50 Conz St., Northampton, Ex 18 off I91.

**25 Aug 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday Show** @ The Annex Y.M.A. in East Haven

## Here and There

The annual club picnic has been scheduled for **Wednesday, 24 July at 5 PM**. Brian Baldwin will host the event at his house with the club providing hamburgers and hot dogs. All members and guests are welcome. Members are invited to bring their favorite appetizer or dessert. A sign-up sheet is included with the mailing. This event is always a fun time and we hope to see you there. Summer meetings will be held at the Waterford Public Library. Check at the desk as to which room we will be using. Summer meetings are designed as casual get-togethers to catch up on collecting interests. No formal business meetings are held. After each meeting, we will assemble at Dunkin' Donuts in Waterford (102 Boston Post Rd) for coffee and refreshments. The following link will take you to the APS Jun 19 Newsletter:

<https://aps.informz.net/informzdataservice/onlineversion/ind/bWFpbGluZ2luc3RhbmNlaWQ9ODY1MTI0OCZzdWJzY3JpYmVyaWQ9MTAwMzc2NjkxNg==>

Philatelically yours,

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