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Quote of the Month

"One tequila,
Two tequila,
Three tequila,
Floor."

George Carlin



Have fun this summer, but not too much.

Where we've been.

May 5

Atomic stamps was the topic for tonight's program. It consisted of early nuclear physicists/scientists, development of nuclear weapons, the First Nuclear War, nuclear weapon proliferation—who has them and who could readily develop them. Also touched on was countries that have nuclear weapons and the conflicts they have with other countries that also have nukes. Remember entangling alliances (think World War I)? We have tin pot dictators, knuckleheads that have atomic bombs. Another topic was the effects of nucle-

ar weapons, including the thermal pulse, the overpressure blast wave and radiation poisoning. One key effect was EMP, electromagnetic pulse. That wipes out microchips, which effectively kills most of us, as everything uses them. Think about it! Program by John M.

May 19

Weather conditions (first really nice day) curtailed our last regular meeting of the season. However, the 150-lot plus auction went on as planned, with the club making a nice profit, which goes to club operations.

Where we're going

June 2

The Picnic

The picnic will be held at Woodlands Park, E. Boundary St. & SR 795, Perrysburg. It will be held rain or shine, as we are at the covered pavilion. Festivities begin at 6:00.

The Club will supply the chicken, drinks (soda pop & water), eating utensils and paper plates/napkins.

You supply: a dish or two to pass, sides or deserts, picnic-type food. This will be our first picnic since the virus goofed us.

A picnic tradition is for our mem-

bers to clean out the stamp closet and bring unneeded supplies, albums, literature and duplicate stamps for door prizes. It is always fun to see who draws last and gets whatever is left at the end.

September 1

Put the date on your calendar, first meeting of the

SCCT after a great summer.

Look for your August newsletter. The SCCT Board of Directors will meet this summer to generate a program calendar for the 2022-23 stamp collecting season. It promises to be another fun year.



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
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Topic of the Month: Boating

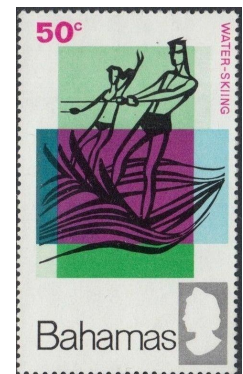
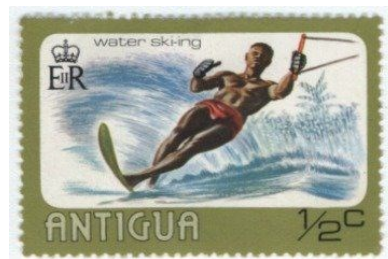
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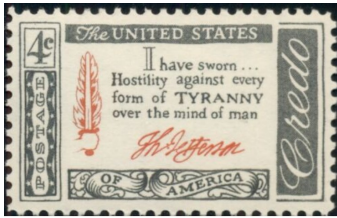
Boating is the leisurely activity of travelling by boat, or the recreational use of a boat whether powerboats, sailboats, or man-powered vessels (such as rowing and paddle boats), focused on the travel itself, as well as sports activities, such as fishing or waterskiing. It is a popular activity, and there are millions of boaters worldwide.



If you have a watercraft, be sure to get out your *Chapman's Piloting, Seamanship and Small Boat Handling*. Bone up on water safety rules and boat handling as well. Most boat accidents are due to carelessness and not being aware of what's around you. Not to mention use of alcohol. Remember that alcohol laws related to motor vehicles includes boats.



June 2, 1774



In 1774 the Intolerable Acts Amendment to the original Quartering Act were enacted, allows governors in colonial America to house British soldiers in uninhabited houses, outhouses, barns, or other buildings if suitable quarters not provided.

These were punitive laws passed by the British Parliament in 1774 after the Boston Tea Party. The laws were meant to punish the Massachusetts colonists

for their defiance in the Tea Party protest in reaction to changes in taxation by the British Government. In Great Britain, these laws were referred to as the Coercive Acts.



The acts took away self-governance and rights that Massachusetts had enjoyed since its founding, triggering outrage and indignation in the Thirteen Colonies. They were key developments in the outbreak of the American

Revolutionary War in April 1775. Many colonists saw the Coercive Acts (Intolerable Acts) as a violation of their constitutional rights, their natural rights, and their colonial charters. They, therefore, viewed the acts as a threat to the liberties of all of British America, not just Massachusetts. Richard Henry Lee of Virginia, for example, described the acts as "a most wicked System for destroying the liberty of America."

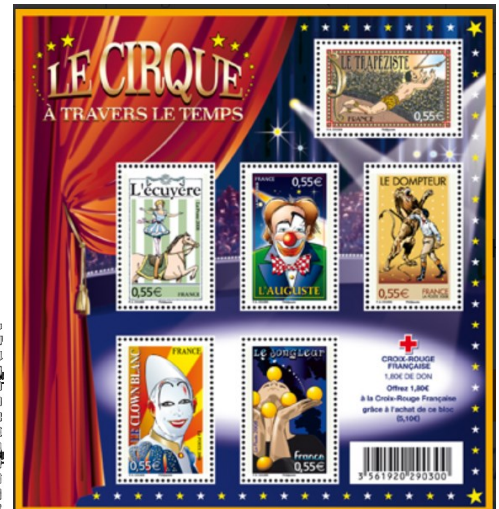


June 2, 1835

June 2, 1835 P. T. Barnum & his circus begin 1st tour of US.

Phineas Taylor Barnum (July 5, 1810 - April 7, 1891) was an American showman, businessman, and politician, remembered for promoting celebrated hoaxes and founding the Barnum & Bailey Circus (1871 -2017) with James Anthony Bailey. He was also an author, publisher, and philanthropist, though he said of himself: "I am a showman by profession ... and all the

gilding shall make nothing else of me". According to his critics, his personal aim was "to put money in his own coffers." He is widely credited with coining the adage "There's a sucker born every minute", although no evidence has been collected of him saying this.



Stamp Collector's Club of Toledo

All meetings are held at the Perrysburg Masonic Building, 590 E. South Boundary, Perrysburg, OH 43551. Members begin to gather at about 6:30, with the business meeting to begin at 7:00. Programs or activities follow the business meeting. Guests are always welcome to attend.

Internet Links

Linn's www.linns.com
 OPHS www.ohiopostalhistory.com
 APS www.stamps.org
 ATA www.americantopical.org
 USSS www.usstamps.org
 WOPA www.wopa-plus.com
www.hipstamp.com
www.ebay.com (search for anything/what you are looking for, category/drop down to stamps). Click search.

USPS has a website, just Google it. (Like all things government, it isn't all that easy to navigate.)

Local Shows

Blue Ribbon Show, Third Sunday, 9:30-3:30. St. Clement's Hall, 3030 Tremainsville Rd., Toledo. Check your current issue of Linn's for any summer stamp shows in the area. Also look on the internet as well.

There is an August show in the Detroit area put on by the Birmingham/Ferndale club.



STAMP
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The 99th ANNUAL
EXHIBITION & BOURSE OF
THE STAMP COLLECTORS CLUB OF TOLEDO

FRIDAY & SATURDAY
24 February 2023 - 25 February 2023
Friday 10am - 5PM - Saturday 10AM - 4PM

Graystone Banquet Hall & Conference Center
29101 Hufford Road, Perrysburg, OH 43551

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GO 6/10 MI west toward Perrysburg
Turn Right at Hufford Road
6/10 MI NORTH TO Graystone on left.

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Friday & Saturday 12-3PM

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 THE STAMP COLLECTORS CLUB OF TOLEDO IS A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION CHARTERED BY THE STATE OF OHIO.
 Meetings are 7:00 pm the 1st and 3rd Thursday, September through May (COVID PERMITTING - CHECK OUR WEBSITE)
 At the Perrysburg Masonic Hall, 590 East South Boundary, Perrysburg, Ohio
 FOR INFORMATION OR QUESTIONS ABOUT THE SCTC or TOLEDO STAMP EXPO '99: PO BOX 2, MAUMEE OH 43537 OR
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The Back Page

There are no mailboxes in the country, as all mail is left either at post offices or at one's place of work for pickup. I always take pictures of mailboxes during my travels, and I am disappointed that I will not find any on my trip this time.



Those who write postcards in obscure languages or in their own code find that their mail does not get delivered. If the officials can't read it, they toss it. You now have an idea what I'm going to write about. I just hope there is a decent selec-

Democratic People's Republic (NOT!) of North Korea

tion of postcards to choose from. Let's hope everyone doesn't receive the same card!

From other traveler web logs I have learned that mail from the North does get to its destinations, a bit slower than what one might be used to in international mail delivery, but delivered all the same. There are rules to follow (in day-to-day North Korean life, there are rules for *everything*) to ensure that any mail I send gets to you.

All mail leaving North Korea is monitored. In other words, it's read before it goes out, and anything that doesn't meet with official approval is simply thrown away. Postcards are favored over letters, but I won't have to worry about that since I only write postcards anyway. If I want any of my correspondence to get through, I must ensure that it is: in a language that officials can translate easily (English, Russian, Chinese), so no postcards writ-

ten in Finnish or Romansch; glorifying the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and her Great Eternal Leader Kim Il Sung and Dear Leader Kim Jong Il.

Article taken from the internet. North Korea "smash down the USA stamp."

