

Button Gwinnett Stamp News

August 2007

July Meeting

Elections are coming up so the first thing on the agenda was the formation of a nomination committee. Towards this end, Don and Rick were named as the nomination committee. This year the offices of vice-president and secretary are up for election. John Zeigler agreed to run for vice-president again and John Newman said he would run for club secretary. This does fill the need for candidates for the two slots, but that doesn't mean that closes the nominations. If you want to run for office or know someone who does and you think they would make a good officer they can be nominated also. The elections will be held at our November meeting and the officers will assume their posts in December.

We discussed the upcoming stamp shows, especially the Southeast Stamp Show, mainly for the member's information. We need help at the hospitality table on the 28th and 29th of September. REMEMBER that the show will be held ONLY on Friday and Saturday this year. We also need exhibitors. It isn't easy filling all those frames. The SDAG will be holding a show in November. Details will follow in subsequent newsletters. And finally, the APS Winter Show will be held Jan, 11-13, 2008. More on that in later newsletters.

We ended the meeting with one of our small auctions. There were sheets, albums of covers and plate blocks, Australia, new issues and more. Most of the lots sold and several of our members went home with new items to add to their collections.

August Meeting

At our August meeting we will have the first official announcement of the candidates up for election this year (even though you read it here first), conduct other business pertaining to the club and have one of our larger auctions.

Another item that we'll have to start considering is what we want to do for a Christmas party and where we want to hold it. Think about what you'd like to do for that event and come to the meeting to let your feelings be known. This may seem early to start planning that event, but it will be upon us in no time.

Roster Update

We're updating our club roster and we want to include the APS numbers of our members. The response to previous requests for this information has been poor. Mail your APS number to the club secretary at P O Box 2066, Lilburn, Ga. 30048 or send it by email to uknowus@bellsouth.net. Of course you can always come to the meeting and give it in person (the preferred method).

UPCOMING EVENTS

Aug. 15,2007	7 p.m.	Auction
Sept. 19,2007	7 p.m.	TBA
Oct. 17,2007	7 p.m.	Joint Meeting

All meetings to be held at Lilburn City Hall unless otherwise noted in this newsletter.

