



PERF-DISPATCH

GREATER MOUND CITY STAMP CLUB

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Where Parkway Central Middle School
East side of the building
471 N. Woodsmill Road

When 4th Monday each month at 7:30 PM

Membership \$5 for Regular members
\$6 for the family

APRIL MEETING

Jerry Schultz is our speaker this month, telling us about Stanislaw Part 2. Jerry's exhibit at Expo was a winner, so this should be good.

2018 SCHEDULE

May.....Roses Part 2.....Phil Schorr
June.....TBD.....Tom Minor
July.....TBD.....Nathan Esbeck
August.....TBD.....TBD
September..Hands-On Program..Katrina Whitaker
October.....Philatelic Jeopardy.....Guy Gasser
November.....Annual Auction Bux Auction
December.....Annual Christmas Party

BREAKFAST CLUB MEETING

The Breakfast group meets the second Monday of the month. The next meeting is **May 14** at **Hilary's Roadhouse**, 11488 Dorsett Road in Maryland Heights near the intersection with Fee Fee Road at **8:30 AM**. The Breakfast group meets year round.



WORDS FROM EL PRESIDENTÉ

Hello to everyone from the land of the big sky, God's country, where the winter just won't quit. Snow anyone? There's plenty to go around if anyone wants any. The folks up here are all too happy to send some your way. Still it's beautiful country and it's home.

I've been out of the net for what will be a month by the time of this month's meeting due to an unfortunate family situation that I will not go into here. As such I am just a little behind. I hope to be somewhat caught up for this month's meeting, but no promises. I hope everyone understands.

Last month's meeting was the end of the voting period for the proposed by-law changes. I'll let everyone know the results this month. I haven't counted the ballots yet, but a quick scan indicates that they will pass with an over whelming majority. Once official, I will publish a change to the by-laws incorporating the approved changes. I'll have a copy posted to our web site and a hard copy for everyone. If anyone would like an electronic copy, just let me know and I'll email it to whoever wants it.

It's almost here! Well, not really, but it's closer than one thinks. And that would be Stampfest. While it's 4 months away on the calendar, it's only four more club meetings until show time. We will once again need volunteers to help with several aspects of the show. I think Tom Minor has once again stated that he would be the show chairman, but I need to confirm with him first before I throw him to the wolves! If I am mistaken, and that wouldn't be the first time, I'll be asking for a volunteer for that. We will also need someone to volunteer to take over as bourse chairman as this will be Gary's last year. This ideally will be the transition year for that person to work with Gary and capture all the pertinent information needed for next year and beyond. The

other big thing for Stampfest is who will run the concession stand this year? Now that Dave Marsh has departed, the concession stand is in need of someone to take that over. Who would like to take this on this year and beyond?

Last month the club said goodbye to Dave Marsh as he and his wife embarked to the great white north, near Green Bay, WI, to their new retirement home. I'm sorry I missed being able to give him a nice farewell. I want to personally thank Dave for all he did for the GMCSC. Not only was he the club secretary the past 3 or so years, he also ran a great concession stand for Stampfest. He is the consummate volunteer, always ready to help out in any capacity whenever needed. Dave, so long, good luck, and a big thank you for all you did for the club. You will be missed! We hope to see you somewhere around the philatelic playground in the future.

I look forward to seeing everyone for another club meeting with plenty of fun and frolic! Vice President, Secretary, where are you!!!?

Guy

Did you know: Martin Miller took over as the new editor of *The American Philatelist* this past December.

EDITOR'S NOTES

Newsletters and meeting minutes are posted on the website below.

If your Perf-Dispatch fails to arrive in a timely manner, pick up the newsletter from the web so you do not miss the meeting. If you move, please let the Secretary know immediately; it takes USPS a couple months to send us a correction notice.

www.GreaterMoundCity.org

SHOWS

Gene Stewart has a bourse the 2nd Saturday of each month from **9AM to 3PM**. It is now located at Holiday Inn South County on the northeast corner of I-55 and Lindbergh, behind The Mattress Firm. Don't miss out.

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CLUB LIBRARY

The library list for the club library is now available. To access it simply go to the club website listed above and click on the Library tab at the top of the page. It is a PDF file, so you will need the ability to open pdf files, but beyond that is should be easy. Let me know if you have any questions or would like to check out a book. You can either come to my home to take a look at them, or ask me to bring a specific book to the next meeting of the club. I can be reached at (314) 843-8493 or at pschorr@att.net.