



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 Waterford Public Library, 49 Rope Ferry Rd, Waterford, CT. All area philatelists are invited. Annual dues are \$10.00. The club's email is tbbee@aol.com. The club's address is PO Box 624, E. Lyme, CT 06333 and on the web at <http://www.ThamesStampClub.org>.

April Recap

10 Apr – Open meeting at the Waterford Public Library with nine members attending. John reported that he will have a selection of Mike's ship covers for sale at Boxborough. The member contact list is available for members. We received a note from the AP thanking the TSC for our contribution to the Mighty Bucks Club (APRL). Our Thamespex dealer contract is ready for distribution. We discussed potential free-show advertisement in the local newspapers. A short auction and refreshments by Charles N concluded the evening.
24 Apr – The in-person meeting was cancelled and a zoom meeting was held by those who could make it. Only three members attended the zoom meeting so there were no minutes.

May Meetings

8 May – In-person meeting at Waterford Public Library plus Zoom for those who cannot make it. There will be a short auction. Sue F. has refreshments
22 May – In-person meeting at Waterford Public Library plus Zoom for those who cannot make it. Obie H. has refreshments.

May Stamp Shows

26 May 4th Sunday Show @ The Annex Y.M.A. in East Haven

Here and There

Closed albums, members were saddened to learn of the passing of longtime member Mike Gilbert. This month's "cover-of-the-month" is cancelled and a collection of photos remembering Mike Gilbert is included. If you have a candidate for cover-of-the-month, please send me a scan plus a short write-up. If you have not paid your 2024 dues, please consider doing so today. Dues are \$10/yr. Please mail \$10 to TSC, PO Box 624, E. Lyme, CT 06333. I am circulating the stamp-circuit boxes; if you want to check out the box in your home for a few days, let me know. Everyone, please stay healthy and safe. The following link will take you to the APS Newsletter: <https://stamps.org/news/c/news/p/1>

Philatelically yours,

Tony

Tony Bruno

Remembering Mike Gilbert



Thamespex '21



Thamespex '22



Thamespex 2015



Thamespex 2018