



**PERF-DISPATCH**  
**GREATER MOUND CITY STAMP CLUB**

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Where Parkway Central High School  
 South end of the building  
 Woodsmill Road-(map on website)  
 When 4<sup>th</sup> Monday each month at 8 PM

*St Louis Stamp Expo*

Stamp Expo is fast approaching. This year, six British area groups and 2 other groups are having simultaneous conventions at the show. There will be at least five dealers coming that have never been in Saint Louis before.

[www.StLouisStampExpo.org](http://www.StLouisStampExpo.org)

Most committees need help for the show days; whether helping with the schoolchildren, the Scouts, security, or registration; there is something for everyone to do.

**Webster Groves Stamp Club** will have their regularly scheduled Friday night meeting at Expo. At that time, the speaker will be Steve McGill, the president of the Great Britain Collectors Club speaking on, "How the Machins Got Their (Phosphor) Stripes."



**CLUB STUFF**

There was a list of programs that had been approved but 6 other people were throwing stuff at me and it got bollixed up. The corrected list is to the left and on the website.

**DUES NOTICES**

Dues notices went out in January. Our records are not up to date since our treasurer has been traveling for a month.

**NATIONAL TOPICAL STAMP SHOW**

Our very own, **Gary Hendren** is the general chairman for the NTSS to be held at the Renaissance Airport Hotel in June.

**FIRST DAYS**

I heard there would be a First Day of Issue in Little Rock so rushed to get the Perf-Dispatch ready before I left. Check your envelope.

**2014 MEETINGS**

**Norb Wright's** program was scheduled in the fall but we had the projector but no computer. A long-time member, Norb collects China stuff.

**2014 SCHEDULE**

- February 24..... Norb Wright – Yangtze River
- March 10 ..... Breakfast Club
- March 21-23 ..... Saint Louis Stamp Expo
- March 24 . French Colonies – Katrina Whitaker
- April 28 ..... "But Is It Sound?" – Guy Gasser
- May 26 ..... Penguins – Alan Barasch
- June 23 ..... Dinner @ Sports Page
- July.....No meeting
- August 16-17 ..... GMC StampFest
- August 21-24 ..... APS StampShow, Hartford
- August 25 ... Show and Tell your Summer Finds
- September 22..... Marty or Wayne?
- Oct 27 ..... Philatelic Jeopardy - Guy Gasser, a chance at Auction Bux
- Nov 27 ..... Auction Bux Sale & Elections
- Dec 4.....Holiday Party

**BREAKFAST CLUB MEETING**

The Breakfast group meets the second Monday of the month. The next meeting is **March 10<sup>th</sup>** at **Roadhouse**, 11488 Dorsett Road in Maryland Heights near the intersection with Fee Fee Road at 8:30 AM.

**SHOWS**

**Gene Stewart** has a bourse the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month at the Stratford Inn from **10AM to 4PM** across from the former site of the Chrysler Plant in Fenton.

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## CLUB PROGRAMS

Do you have an idea for a program at the club meeting? Would you like to speak to us? Contact a member of our board with a suggested date and topic. We are always open to new ideas.

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## Coming in April

Everyone please bring their stamp collecting tools with them in April. The club will acquire tongs, watermark trays, etc before the meeting for those that forget their stuff.

