

Sheffield Philatelic Society

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NEWSLETTER

July 2026

Meetings in July

- 2nd** 1st Thursday [Zoom](#), 7.30pm
Members; Postcards
addressed to self - or not?
- 8th** 2nd Wednesday, 2.00pm
David Hemmingway;
Poisonous fungi & snakes
- 22nd** 4th Wednesday, 2.00pm
Members; Southern
hemisphere countries etc

PLEASE NOTE the Thursday Zoom
meeting codes are as follows:
Meeting ID: 673 358 1237
Passcode: 78kTY0 (NB 0=zero)

Coming events in July

I'm afraid I was unable to make the ABPS
website work today!

No Newsletter for August

September's issue will be with you in mid-
August.

Stamp fairs in the local area

- 2nd Sunday** **Chesterfield**
Chester St Club, Ashgate Rd, Chesterfield
- 2nd Saturday** **Derby**
Nunsfield Ho., 33 Boulton Rd,
Alvaston DE24 0FD
- 3rd Sunday** **Coal Aston**
of alternate months:
(Feb, Apr, June, Aug, Oct, Dec)
Village Hall, Coal Aston, S18 3AY
- 4th Sunday** **Doncaster**
Park Social Club, Eden Grove Rd, DN3 2LS
- Last Saturday** **Wakefield**
Outwood Memorial hall, 1-2 Victoria St,
Outwood, Wakefield WF1 2NE
- 1st Sunday (July, Oct, Jan, Apr)** **Teesside**
Norton Methodist Church Hall
High Street, Norton, Teesside TS20 2QQ

You may also find this website useful

<https://www.stampfairsdiary.co.uk/>

Corny corner

A woman goes to the post office and
asks to buy some Hanukkah stamps.
The clerk asks: "What denomination
would you like?" The woman thinks for
a moment and says: "6 Orthodox, 4
Conservative, and 2 Reform."

New issues from Royal Mail

No information available

Media mention

The Guardian

14th June

“...the island nation (Cape Verde) has issued a commemorative stamp for the World Cup, which feels delightfully old school ...”

(My emphasis!)

Any small-ads welcome

ADVANCE NOTICE !

This year's Annual Dinner will be held on Monday 12 October at 6 PM (eating from 6:30) at the University Arms.

For those of you who are new or have not been before, the University Arms is the pub for the University of Sheffield located near the University roundabout. It is accessible by both bus and tram. There is limited parking nearby.

CROSSPOOL OPEN GARDENS

Saturday 27th June

Tickets £5.00 from Crosspool Pet Supplies or from Ken Rutter.
Proceeds to charity.

Auction Houses

Cavendish

Cavendish House, 153/7 London Road, Derby
DE1 2SY. 01332 250970
www.cavendish-auctions.com

Warwick & Warwick

Chalon House, Scar Bank, Millers Road,
Warwick CV34 5DB
www.warwickandwarwick.com

Sheffield Auction Gallery

Windsor Road, Sheffield S8 8UB.
0114 281 6161
www.sheffieldauctiongallery.com

Also, you may like:

<https://www.stampfairsdiary.co.uk/>

Society News

Michael Sefi, the Keeper of the Royal Philatelic Collection from 2003-2026, died on 9 May, 2026 aged 82.



New for the library

Yet more thanks to Dennis Jolly.

The library now has 30 more modern Stanley Gibbons catalogues.

They cover most of the world, except some of the most popular countries. They are all available to borrow - contact Ken Rutter.

Catalogue links

I will post here info about upcoming auctions etc. If you receive an email you think might be of interest to members, please pass it to me for inclusion.