

PSWA PHILATELIC FORUM

Record of meeting of the PSWA Philatelic Forum, 1 April 2019 held at Philatelic House, Wellington Fair, Unit 18, 40 Lord Street, East Perth.

Meeting opened at 7.55pm with Bruce Haynes in the Chair. Six people in attendance: Bruce Haynes, Brian Pope, John DiBiase, Mike Kouwen, Trevor Spencer, George Morris.

Apologies:

Rod Kantor, Anna Friis, Ross Duberal, Penny Wells, David Lee.

Visitors:

Nil

Business Arising:

Nil

Corrections:

Nil

Correspondence:

WAPC Minutes for 5 March 2019 and Agenda for 2 April 2019.

Publications:

Fremantle & Districts PS Auction catalogue – 10 Apr;

Stamp Lover (2) Feb & Apr;

Royal Sydney PC, Journal – Dec-Feb;

FIAP News – Feb;

FIAP GP Communication No.5;

Flash – Mar;

Australian Journal of Philately – Mar;

WASG, Black Swan Journal – Mar.

Ask The Forum:

Nil

Display Tips: Trevor Spencer:

Trevor presented a very large envelope and requested suggestions on how best to display without damaging same. Some suggestions included – cutting down, windowing, folding, show in full but selecting middle or bottom row of display frame.

Book Reviews:

Mike Kouwen reviewed a new publication titled “New Zealand Postcard Rates & Regulations to 1939” by Alan Jackson. The information in the publication commences in 1876 – useful for postal and postcard historians. Available at around \$20 per copy.

Exhibitions / Showtime:

Essen 2019, May;

Sydney Stamp & Coin Expo 2019, 13-16 June;

CHINA, Wuhan, 11-17 June 2019 FIP;

Bunbury 2019, National One Frame, 20-21 July; SRSS 2019, 5-6 Oct;

Aeropex, Adelaide, 6-8 Dec;
New Zealand 2020 (FIAP) Exhibition.

Topic for the Evening: Plans and Outlines – Mike Kouwen.

Mike discussed the topic in detail and supported his presentation with a 3 page handout for each member. Mike asked that members bring some Title Pages to the meeting for discussion and review.

The following members presented various plans:

- (1) Mike Kouwen:
 - (a) The timber Industry in WA;
 - (b) Timber and Transport;
 - (c) Australia London Custom Duty; (d) Aboriginal People.
- (2) Brian Pope:
 - (a) Halfpenny Stamp of WA;
 - (b) Certified Mail System in WA;
 - (c) Airmails of WA; (d) KLM 1931.
- (3) Bruce Haynes:
 - (a) Mauritius Postal markings;
 - (b) Ceylon POW Mail;
 - (c) Trans Indian Ocean Airmails.
- (4) George Morris:

Germany Hosts Olympic Games (One frame – Thematic).

Bruce Haynes tendered a vote of thanks.

General Business: Nil.

Next Meetings: 6 May
Sydney 2019 and Singapore entries - 3 June
Wuhan China and Sydney entries

Agenda for: 6 May 2019:

Apologies / Visitors / Corrections / Business Arising / Correspondence / Publications / Ask the Forum / Display Tips / Book Reviews / Exhibitions / Topic for the Evening / General Business / Next Meeting.

Meeting Closed at 9.07pm.

John DiBiase,
Hon. Scribe,
30 April 2019