

MILWAUKEE PHILATELIC SOCIETY, INC.

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The Milwaukee Philatelic Society, Inc. (MPS) is one of the oldest stamp collecting organizations in the nation. MPS was registered with four charter members on November 5, 1889 and four more members joined later that same year. Early meetings were held at the member's homes or in the Trustee's Room of the Milwaukee Public Museum.

From those humble beginnings, the club has grown to where we are today: over 80 members, sponsorship of MILCOPEX (a World Series of Philately stamp show) each September, and STAMPFEST (a bourse only stamp show) in early spring. The club is also a 501(c)3 organization, so any donation to the club is tax deductible to the full extent of the law.

Mini auctions held at most meetings, with the exception of the two annual major club auctions, one in spring and one in fall. At the mini auctions, there are usually some philatelic items that can be purchased with "stamp bucks", which can be earned by volunteering for various club duties.

The club meets at 6:30 on the second Tuesday of the month in the Firefly Room at the Wauwatosa Public Library located at the intersection of 76th street and North Avenue in Wauwatosa, WI. Dues are \$10.00 per year for those 18 and older. An adult can also sign up for three years for \$30. For those 17 and under, the dues are only \$5.00 per year. All members receive the monthly club newsletter. Come join us. We are confident that you will enjoy your membership in one of the oldest stamp collecting organizations in the nation.

MILWAUKEE PHILATELIC SOCIETY, INC. MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

I HEREBY APPLY FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE MILWAUKEE PHILATELIC SOCIETY, INC. and agree to comply with its constitution and by-laws. Enclosed are my dues payment (persons 18 and over \$10 or \$30; persons 17 and younger \$5).

NAME				
ADDRESS				
				ZIP CODE
CITY				
PHONE #	EMAIL _			
REFERRED BY (current member):			(optional)	DONATION: \$
SIGNATURE:				DATE
Will you be willing to receive the monthly newsletter via email? (The emailed newsletter will be in color, sometimes with hyperlinks, and will save the club most of the membership dues.)			YES	NO

Send the application and a check payable to the Milwaukee Philatelic Society, Inc. to: Robert Mather s56 w29562 Roanoke Drive Waukesha, WI 53189-9035