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Exhibitor prospectus available for Garfield-Perry March Party 2025

CLEVELAND -- The Garfield-Perry Stamp Club, a chapter of the American Philatelic Society, will host its 135th March Party stamp exhibition and bourse from Friday, March 14 through Sunday, March 16, 2025.

The exhibitor prospectus for the three-day event is available online at www.garfieldperry.org. Interested parties also can contact Greg Shoults at coilcollector@hotmail.com.

Shoults advises exhibitors to complete their application as early as possible because the show tends to oversubscribe.

Judging at this year's show will include an option for exhibitors interested in exhibiting internationally under Fédération Internationale de Philatélie (FIP) rules. FIP-qualified judges will be at the show to judge those exhibits.

March Party 2025 is one of four national level shows that will host FIP judges throughout the year.

The show will host 170 frames of exhibits including 10 one-frame exhibits.

March Party 2025 also will welcome gatherings of the Civil War Philatelic Society and the United States Stamp Society.

"Having the Civil War Philatelic Society and the U.S. Stamp Society with us will make March Party 2025 one of the 'must see' shows in the country," show Chairman Rocco Caponi said. "We're sure to see impressive exhibits at our show."

In addition, the March Party will feature a 38-dealer bourse and an area for beginning and youth collectors to learn more about stamp collecting. Educational programs also are being planned. Show hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Friday and Saturday, and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Sunday.

The show site is the Best Western Plus, 15471 Royalton Rd., Strongsville, Ohio. March Party attendees can take advantage of a special show rate of \$114 per night as long as reservations are made no later than Feb. 22 by calling the hotel at 440-238-8800.

The March Party is an APS World Series of Philately show. The multi-frame and single-frame grand award winners, respectively, qualify for the APS Champion of Champions competition to be held at the Great American Stamp Show 2025, scheduled for Aug. 14-17 in Schaumburg, Illinois, and Chicagopex, set for Nov. 21-23 in the Windy City.

The March Party accepts all classes of exhibits, and exhibitors are invited to a complimentary luncheon in addition to other show events and the show's hospitality suite. The award dinner is set for Saturday evening.