

## Minutes of the San Jose Stamp Club Meeting on 19 July 2017

Present: Brian Jones (President), David Occhipinti (Vice-President), Stanley Flowerdew (Secretary), Richard Clever (Treasurer), Jim Steinwinder, Jim Sauer, six other SJSC club members and guests Mike Ostrov and his wife.

Brian Jones called the meeting to order at 7:05pm.

### Announcements

Brian mentioned that there was an article in the July APS magazine regarding Ed Jarvis, Roger Skinner and Ed Lavoroni receiving special awards for their outstanding contributions over many years to philately in the San Francisco Bay area.

### Summer Picnic

Brian said that 25 post card invitations have been mailed to people on the Filatelic Fiesta mailing list who live near the location of the picnic (in the 95120 zip code) on Saturday, 5th August.

### Blog

George Leslie stated that he had emailed Greg Gioia with examples of material that could be included in the SJSC on-line blog. The suggested material was related to the subject of how to dispose of a stamp collection. George has not yet received a reply from Greg.

### Evening's Program (Stamps and Philatelic Materials for Sale)

Mike Ostrov (the club's guest for the evening) brought numerous binders and manila folders containing country collections of stamps and philatelic materials to the meeting for possible sale to club members. The remainder of the meeting was taken up by club members perusing these materials and making some purchases.

The meeting adjourned at 7:35pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Stanley J. Flowerdew, Secretary