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## Press Release

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2025 proved a great success for the GBPS, which continues as the leading Society for collectors of GB stamps and postal history with over 850 members in the UK and across the world.

As usual the season kicked off in September with a display of County Postal History with Stephen Teuma leading the way with an excellent collection of Suffolk. September continued with a display at Stampex of Machins by Nigel Perrins. October saw a joint meeting with the Channel Islands Philatelic Society which was well attended with a wide range of material on show. The year concluded with the usual Christmas Reception at Stanley Gibbons in December where members showed parts of their diverse collections .

Maurice Buxton also provided a display of the Pools and the Post by Zoom in December. Meetings are held each month at the Royal Philatelic Society London and full details of the Great Britain Philatelic Society programme can be found at <a href="https://www.gbps.org.uk/join">www.gbps.org.uk/join</a> For more information about membership, go to: <a href="http://www.gbps.org.uk/join">http://www.gbps.org.uk/join</a>

The Great Britain Philatelic Society was founded in 1955 by a small but enthusiastic group of collectors in order to promote, encourage, and contribute to the advancement of the philately of Great Britain. Since then, it has grown steadily, and now has more than 850 members in the UK and abroad. The Society deals with all aspects of GB philately, and has contributed much to the field; this is certain to continue as new members with fresh ideas join.

The GBPS is the UK's leading Society for anyone interested in GB philately including stamps, postal history, booklets, postcards and more. It meets monthly in London (dependent on Covid restrictions at the moment) at the Royal Philatelic Society and there are also regional and Zoom meetings.

The GBPS produces a colour Journal, accompanied by a Newsletter, six times each year. Additionally, a number of philatelic publications are sponsored by the Society. Their extensive website provides the latest news and information and resources for collectors such as historical information on postal rates, copies of award-winning exhibits and much more. In addition, consultants are available to help collectors with any queries they might have.



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