

CONNECTICUT POSTCARD CLUB NEWSLETTER

September 2013

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The club meets 8 times a year on the 3rd Sunday of the month at the K of C Hall, 2630 Whitney Avenue in Hamden from 10am – 3pm. **The Remaining Meetings for 2013 are September 15, October 20, November 17, and December 15 – Annual Christmas luncheon/Meeting**

DIRECTIONS TO THE MEETINGS

Merrit/Wilbur Cross Parkway (Rt. 15) Exit 61 – North on Whitney Ave (Rt. 10) about 1 mile to K of C hall on the left.

I-91 to Exit 10 (Mt. Carmel/Whitney Ave.). Left (south) on Whitney Ave. (Rt. 10) about 1/2 mile to K of C hall on the right.

I-95 to either I-91 or Merritt/Wilbur Cross Parkway and then follow above directions.

Club fees were due on January 1st.

\$12.00 per person / \$18.00 for Family membership at the same address.

Your mailing label will indicate the year you are paid up through.

Send dues to: Joanne Coykendall / 344 Tollgate Rd./ Berlin, CT 06037.

Your prompt payments help to keep our costs down therefore anyone renewing before March 31st will be given a discount of \$2.00 making individual renewals \$10.00 and family renewals \$16.00. Thank you in advance for being a good customer

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT:

Fall is just around the corner and the Connecticut Postcard Club's first meeting of the season is quickly approaching. On **Sunday, September 15th**, we will once again gather to get reacquainted with old friends and hopefully make new ones --- with our passion for postcard collecting the glue that keeps us together. After our club's three month summer hiatus, this will be the perfect time to share our summer stories and get back to the rhythm of our monthly meetings.

A recent gathering of the CPCC's Board of Directors was filled with an energetic exchange of ideas and excited anticipation for the upcoming months when plans are in the works for more guest speakers and special meeting programs in addition to the buying and selling of postcards. It promises to be a fun-filled season, so please mark your calendars now and we hope to see you there.

Morgan Hassenmayer
CPCC President

Recently, I attended a gala-like evening at The New Haven Museum which featured a new exhibit called [Beyond the New Township: Wooster Square](#).

It is a wonderful presentation in the same professional stature that the Museum has become known for.

The walls of the exhibit hall were lined with enlarged pictures showing the architecture, history and cultural significance of the Wooster Square neighborhood in New Haven, CT, many of them from the collection of our own [CPCC Vice President Joe Taylor](#).

Joe is becoming quite a celebrity in that city. In fact he is now affectionately known as "[Mr. New Haven](#)".

Joe was also spotlighted that evening at a table in the rotunda area on which he had displayed many albums filled with old photographs, postcards, letterheads and documents from companies in Wooster Square, some dating back to the 1800's.

While Joe was busy showing his collection and explaining the history of New Haven, the wait staff was scurrying around with trays of wine and canapes and the photographers were snapping away with their cameras. A truly beautiful evening!

.....Look who was captured on film peeking in at an exhibit of old New Haven-made silver!



If you haven't yet seen [Beyond the New Township: Wooster Square](#). it is still on exhibit through February 28, 2014. ***Pam Hutchinson***

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Save these Dates for the Remaining 2013 Meetings

October 20 - **Special Presentation by Norman Brouwer on The Steamboats of Long Island Sound**

November 17 - **Special Presentation by Bob Berthelson**

December 15 – **Annual Holiday Luncheon/Meeting**

DIRECTIONS KofC Hall, 2630 Whitney Ave, Hamden 10am-3pm

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Sign up for our email notifications and items of interest. Pam.Hutchinson@sbcglobal.net. Email changes should also be sent to Pam.

From time to time the Newsletter Editor will reprint an article from one of our Almanacs that were produced annually for a number of years. This reprint is from the 1969 Almanac and was submitted by Howard V. Lounsbury, member #22.

SONG FOR CONNECTICUT

Tune, "America, the Beautiful"

By May C. Bassett

Connecticut, the glorious,
We pay homage to thee,
Thy wooded hills and rippling rills
Are wonderful to see,
Tho' small in size, thy heart is great,
Thy spirit staunch and true,
You gave "your best" for freedom's cause
And our "Red, White and Blue."

Connecticut, the Patriot's State,
The State of the true and brave,
When o'er your hills the war call came,
Ten thousand men you gave,
Connecticut, Connecticut,
We pledge our best to thee.
You firmly stand for truth and right,
Our Flag and Liberty.

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Our 59Th year

2013 CPCC MTG. DATES

Oct. 20 - Club Meet at K of C

Nov. 17 – Club Meet at K of C

Dec. 15 - Christmas Meet at K of C

We're looking forward to seeing you on **Sept. 15th** at the K of C.

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