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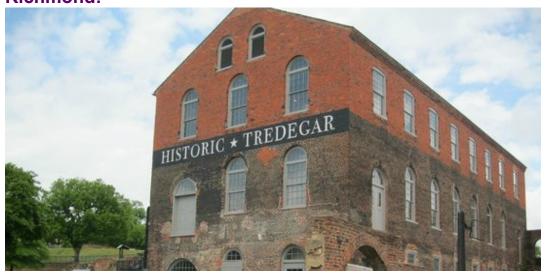
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CONFEDERATE STAMP ALLIANCE RICHMOND ANNUAL MEETING AUGUST 3 - 6, 2017

Book you room now! For those new members or ones that have never attended a CSA function, these events are a great deal of fun! This is great way to meet your fellow members and add a some choice items to your collection from APS Stamp Show Dealers. We look forward to seeing y'all in hostoric Richmond!





The Pattern Building (Crenshaw Woolen Mills) at Tredegar Iron Works.

LOCATION:

Greater Richmond Convention Center, 403 N 3rd St., Richmond VA 23219

SHOW HOURS: NOTE: THIS IS A FOUR DAY SHOW!!

Thursday, Friday & Saturday: 10 am - 6 pp

Sunday: 10 am - 4 pm

HOTEL:

Marriott Hotel 500 E. Broad St. Richmond VA 23219. This hotel is located adjacent to the Richmond Convention Center and is easily accessible via an attached skywalk. A special room rate of \$129 is available for Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings. The code for this special rate is APS 2017. For reservations, please call 800-228-9290 or visit stamps.org/stampshow for information. There is a daily valet parking fee at the hotel; self-parking is available at several nearby parking lots and garages. The hotel does not provide an airport shuttle.

ALLIANCE Registration:

Registration for this event is \$100/person including Southern Supper at The Commonwealth Club. Supper choices: beef or vegetarian pasta, two drinks included. Please mail registration to Rick Calhoun, 131 St. Annes, Williamsburg, VA 23188 757-345-2501 r.calhoun@cox.net make checks payable CSA. Please include names (need for name badges) and choice of entrees. Transportation to the Commonwealth Club will not be provided, it is a pleasant 7 block walk from the hotel. For those driving the Club has valet parking and taxis are available. Please note there is a DRESS CODE at The Commonwealth Club, Gentlemen must wear tie and suit or sport coat and ladies must be appropriately dressed.

LOCAL HOSTS: Peter Powell pwwp5502@gmail.com and Rick Calhoun r.calhoun@cox.net

APS Show Exhibits:

All members, we want a good showing of Confederate exhibits at this year's event, please get your applications in (deadline is May 15th, 2017). Forms are available on the APS Richmond show website.

ALLIANCE Schedule:

Wednesday:

Alliance members to pick up their event packet at registration

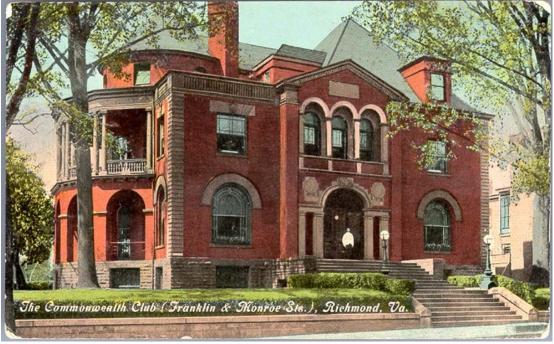
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Thursday:

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Trustee Meeting 6:30 pm, location to be determined.

Hospitality room hours and location to be determined.



The Commonwealth Club (Franklin & Monroe Sts.), Richmond Va.

Friday: 6 pm "Mint Julep Hour", 7 pm Southern Supper; The Commonwealth Club, 401 W. Franklin St. Richmond VA 23220. The Commonwealth Club is considered one of the finest architectural landmarks in Richmond, being built in 1891 in the Italian Renaissance Revival style. Please note the dress code.

Hospitality Room hours and location to be determined.

Saturday: 9 pm Annual Meeting, location to be determined

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Sunday: APS show open, otherwise have a safe return home!

Presentations: time, location and day to be determined.

Leonard H Hartmann: "The De la Rue Stamps for the Confederate States of America"

Larry Baum: "Advertising Covers of Richmond VA Through the Civil War"

Wayne Farley: "A Study of Confederate West Virginia Postal History"

Randy Smith: "The Role of Patriotic Envelopes in Creating Confederate Unity"

Gene Lightfoot: "Antebellum Virginia - The 1851-1861 Period"

Tours: Our Hosts and Kathy Staples are arranging several exciting tours. Schedules and tours to be finalized at a later date.

Registration form

Name of CSA Member:			
Companion:			
Address:	City:	State:Zip:	_
Email Address:			
Dinner choice:	beef,	vegetarian	

Enclose Check for Reservation: \$100 per person

Send checks payable to the Confederate Stamp Alliance with this form to: Rick Calhoun 131 St. Annes Williamsburg, VA 23188

OTHER NEWS:

Mid-Year event Tallahassee FL Dec. 8-9 2017, mark your calendars and book your room!

Dietz and Haydn Myer awards: Please send your nomination for these awards to Wayne Farley 105 Allison Ave. Brigeport, WV 26330 or email cwfarley@aol.com.

For those exhibiting at Richmond: Please be sure it is included in the Confederate Stamp Alliance Competition. Do this by sending your name, exhibit title, and a short synopsis to Frank Crown. Contact him by email at fcrown@knology.net or mail to Frank Crown POB 278 Capshaw, AL 35742.

Notice for CSA exhibitors