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Topic: Space City Cover Society NASA Local Post

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Has anyone compiled a catalogue of the Space City Cover Society NASA Local Posts?

I have many in my collection including full sheets as well as NASA Local Post covers.

Does anyone have information on the number of sheets and or covers produced?

Currently looking for full sheets of the 35 Space Shuttle Astronaut Candidates (JAN 16 1978) - I have the 35 covers.

Anything in back issues of ASTROPHILE. If not it would be a good subject to cover again.

Woody
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Hello Woody:

There were two articles in the Astrophile about NASA Local Posts that gave some sort of listings of the various covers and sheets, for Mercury Gemini and Apollo but nothing on the Space Shuttle.
see Vol 45 no. 254, Jan/Feb. 2000 (part 1)
and Vol 45 no. 255, Mar/Apr. 2000 (part 2)

I wasn't aware of the sheets & covers for the 35 Space Shuttle Astronaut Candidates, but I stopped collecting these NASA Local Posts after the Apollo flights.

Joe
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Joe, that was before my time in ATA.

Will check the ATA Space Unit web site.

Does anyone have the back issues discussed?

Woody

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☐ posted June 07, 2007 04:58 AM

Woody- I can send you copies of the above articles.

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Woody:

While we are on the subject of NASA Local Post (LP) , I would like to mention that there is a fairly new CD catalog available on USA/Canada local posts, of which the NASA LP is included, covers and sheets are illustrated (but no quantities).

Information on this CD can be found at this URL
http://spacecovers.com/misc/lpcs_catalog_info1.htm
and if you need more info you can contact them at
enquiriesATpabay.org
(replace the AT with @)

Joe

micropooz
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☐ posted June 07, 2007 04:56 PM

Woody-

Harry Anderson, who did the Space City Cover Society covers is still with us. I don't know if he recorded numbers of covers that he made, but he might be your best bet. He's still making covers for the current private space launches and just ran an ad in Linn's this week. You can write him at:

Space Covers
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Best,
DD

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A big thank you to everyone who responded!!

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John, all smiles, I will email you and will return the issues if you need them back.

By the way, anyone else got the 35 new astronaut cover set. Just got them at NAPEX! Now to find the stamp sheetlets.

Woody

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Big thank you to John for sending me the ASPROPHILE pages.

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Dennis I will send a letter to Space covers.

The article stops at the end of Apollo, and I have all the sheets for Skylab.

Have seen NASA local posts up to 1981 on some STS flights. Last one is on for STS 1 April 12, 1981.

Anyone seen them past that date?

Woody

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Just an update that I received the CD set of local stamp issues from Island of Pabay Scotland and it lists all the sheetlets and FDC and covers for NASA Local post.

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It includes about 32 pages of photos and listings.

Found the sheetlets for the 35 Astronaut Candidates listed (actual four different sheetlets).

Looks like they ended in 1982.

Would be interesting to get the numbers produced (covers and sheetlets).

Any other information would be appreciated.

Looks like these intact sheetlets must be pretty scarce!

Thank you for all your help.

Woody