

SCOUTS ON STAMPS OF THE WORLD



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FOREWORD

Stamp collecting is a universal hobby and because Scouting is found in almost every country in the world outside the Soviet bloc, it has been inevitable that Scouting and philately should be joined in creating the topical hobby of collecting stamps honouring the Scout Movement. Most countries recognize the postage stamp as the natural medium for paying tribute to people, to special events and to worth-while movements. During the more than fifty years since world Scouting came into existence, more than sixty stamp issuing postal administrations have honored Scouting in their own countries by issuing special stamps. This list of countries is growing each year.

This book "Scouts on Stamps of the World" has been prepared to meet the need for resource material for collectors who specialize in stamps relating to Scouting. The material has been assembled after considerable careful research, especially in compiling the facts about the earlier stamp issues. It gives not only the identifying philatelic information but also brief background material about each issue.

The two co-authors of the book are philatelists with many years of stamp collecting experience. Both have been active in the organization of the Scouts on Stamps Society International, Harry Thorsen as co-founder and first president of the society and Arthur McKinney as a charter member, editor and president. Both men are veteran members of the Scout Movement and Mr. McKinney is Stamp Editor of BOYS' LIFE magazine.

This Jamboree edition is being introduced on the occasion of the VIth National Jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America held at Valley Forge, Pennsylvania. The book is dedicated to the millions of young men and young women who have taken the Scout Promise in all countries throughout the world since the beginning of the Scout Movement.

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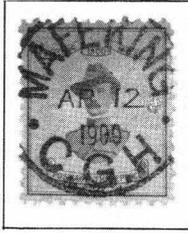
INTRODUCTION

Scouts on Stamps of the World was first written and published by Harry D. Thorsen, Jr., in 1949 at which time sixteen countries had issued stamps related to Scouting. The book was re-written under the same title and brought up-to-date in 1955 by co-authors Harry Thorsen and Arthur McKinney. The number of countries had grown to a modest twenty-four. As this Jamboree edition is written ten years later there has been a tremendous increase of countries which have honored Scouting philatelically so that they number sixty-four.

Stamp collecting is a hobby that does not offer any hard and fast rules over what or how one should collect. The authors make no claim to authority over what stamps should be classified in the category of Scouts on stamps. One condition is based on the fact that Scouting does not and cannot exist in the open in any communist country. It is obvious, therefore, that no communist country would issue a stamp honoring the Scout Movement. The general rule applied to Scouts on stamps in this volume is that they either depict Boy or Girl Scouts or pay honor to some person or event of a Scouting nature. As a reference, so that readers may determine in their own minds what to collect, a listing of countries affiliated with the two World Scout Bureaus is given at the close of this book.

Each stamp described in this volume is identified by its Scott's Catalogue number.

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Cape of Good Hope

APRIL 1900

(Mafeking Siege Issues)

- April 7: #179. Baden-Powell. 3 pence
 April 10: #178. Goodyear on Cycle.
 1 penny
 April 10: #180. Baden - Powell.
 3 pence

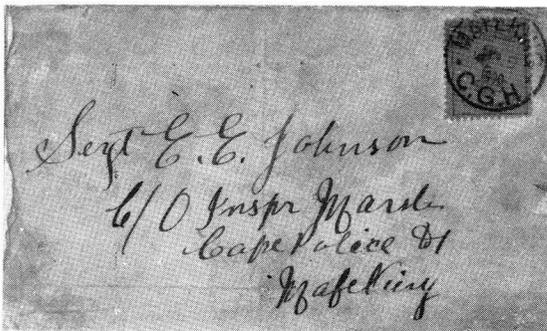
Seven years before the Boy Scouts program was originated by Sir Robert Baden-Powell of England, there took place in South Africa the Boer War. It was here that Col. Baden-Powell defended the town of Mafeking against great odds and many hardships, so that after a siege of 219 days he became the successful hero of Great Britain. Using boys in Mafeking for postal and messenger service, they were formed into a Cadet Corps led by a youth known as Cadet Sergeant-Major Warner Goodyear. Years later "B-P" referred to Goodyear as his first boy Scout. Here the founder of the Scout movement realized the ability and interest of youth in a program of camping skills, first aid and service to others.

The stamps were urgently needed in the besieged town for local mail, and

engraving was not available. Using the image of the commanding colonel was a matter of amusing the garrison. Captain Greener designed the Baden-Powell stamp from a photograph by D. Taylor who also was the official printer of the stamps using a "blue-print" method called the ferro-prussiate process. Exposing the glass plate negatives to sunlight caused various shades of blue in the sheets of twelve stamps. The first Baden-Powell 3d stamps measured 18½ mm. The 1d Cyclist stamp was somewhat larger. When the cyclist design for the 1d value was submitted by Dr. Will Hayes, he retouched the background of houses, and added the frame, scrolls, and inscription. The larger size cyclist stamp showed better detail than the original smaller Baden-Powell stamp, so production was stopped on the smaller BP stamp and the larger 21mm stamp replaced it.

	Quantity	Scott's No.
Small size	B-P 6,072	#179
Cyclist	9,476	#178
Large size	B-P 3,036	#180

While intended for local mail only, many of the stamps were used for mail outside when native runners could get through the enemy lines. Stamps still on the original envelopes are rare auction items today.





Czechoslovakia

NOVEMBER 7, 1918

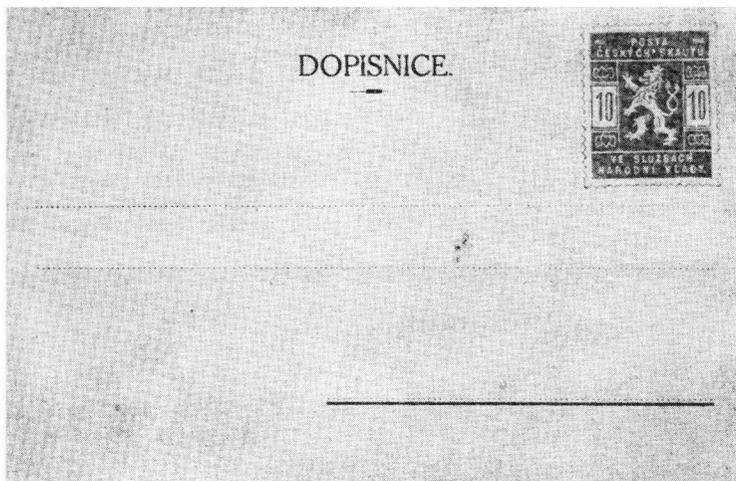
#1-4. (Zumstein)

10 haleru. Blue; 20 haleru. Red

The Sea Scouts provided postal service from November 7 to 25, 1918, for the National Committee of Liberation, while their country was having a new birth of freedom. Under the leadership of their Chief Scout, Roessler Orovsky, official mail was distributed between the city hall, police, parliament, and the railroad station in the capital city, Prague. An ingenious method of producing the stamps for this service involved printing from a typographed plate with the perforations and the embossing all made in the same impression. This accounts for the outline of color seen on the perforations. The top inscription means "Czech Scout Post"; the lower means "In the Service of the National Government." Cancellation "N. V." in a circle is "National Committee." Cancel "Posta Skautu" is "Scouts Post" in black, violet and red inks. Produced from single dies there are no genuine



pairs or blocks. The 10h was for post cards and the 20h for letters with the Scout collecting the fee upon delivery. Each letter was actually "registered" mail since the receiver was required to sign his own name in a rubber stamped space on the envelope, remove the contents, and return the envelope to the Scout as a receipt for delivery. Because of great intrigue and distrust of political enemies each of some 96 Sea Scouts had his signature on approved lists to be compared by the government officials before they accepted the mail and disclosed their identity. The Scouts, therefore, had to sign their names on the envelopes first, for this proof as official messengers. Forgeries of the stamps and envelopes are known and are crudely made. Post cards were printed from the 10 haleru plate and are very rare. Both stamps were overprinted on December 21, 1918 "Prijezd Presidenta Masaryk" for one day of postal use (means arrival of President Masaryk). Only 600 copies of each were unofficially printed and are questionable collectors items. (#3 and #4) These are also faked upon genuine stamps, as well as forged stamps. Some catalogs do not list these stamps since they were issued before the country was organized. Yet, they have seen more postal service than many listed stamps.





TYPE I



TYPE II



SCOUT'S FUND

TYPE III

Siam

FEBRUARY 1920

- #B12-17. Wild Tiger (Scout) overprint in black ink, type I
- #B18-23. Wild Tiger (Scout) overprint in black ink, type II

A visit by Baden-Powell to Siam prior to 1920, resulted in the most enthusiastic support of Scouting by King Rama VI who became the first president of the Siamese Boy Scouts Association. The public paid a tax to support Scouting when nineteen stamps and nine postal cards were overprinted on a supply of 1906-20 stamps and cards honoring their kings. Known as the "Wild Tiger Corps," the emblem of a tiger head and wording in Siamese and English of "Scouts Fund," appears in the rubber stamped surcharge:

Type I

- | | |
|------------------------------|------------------|
| B12 - 2s orange brown | + 3s for Scouts |
| B13 - 3s green | + 2s for Scouts |
| B14 - 15s blue | + 5s for Scouts |
| B15 - 1t blue, orange | + 25s for Scouts |
| B16 - 5s on 6s red | + 20s for Scouts |
| B17 - 10s on 12s gray, brown | + 5s for Scouts |

Type II

- | | |
|------------------------------|------------------|
| B18 - 2s orange brown | + 3s for Scouts |
| B19 - 3s green | + 2s for Scouts |
| B20 - 15s blue | + 5s for Scouts |
| B21 - 1t blue, orange | + 25s for Scouts |
| B22 - 10s on 12s gray, brown | + 5s for Scouts |
| B23 - 5s rose red | + 20s for Scouts |

DECEMBER 1921

- B24-30. Wild Tiger (Scout) overprint in blue/or red ink, type III

These stamps were all overprinted from metal type on the 1921 stamps showing King Vajiravudh:

	Color Stamp	Color Paper	Color Overprint
B24 - 2s brown		yellow	blue
B25 - 3s green		yellow	red
B26 - 5s red		pink	blue
B27 - 10s black & brown		white	red
B28 - 15s blue		blue	red
B29 - 25s brown		white	blue
B30 - 50s orange & black		white	red

There are fake overprints on genuine stamps and cards. Very few covers have ever been seen and are auction items.

B12-17 exists cancelled on sheets of telegraph forms.

B16 exists with an inverted overprint: auction priced.

B25 exists with the bottom line of the overprint missing that reads: "Scout's Fund" (bottom row of stamps on the sheet): auction priced.

Commercial mail and registered mail covers with other Siam stamps are more apt to be genuine.

Blocks of four can be found in all three types. The hand canceling of B12-23 shows the overprinting at different angles and shades of light and dark rubber stamp inking.

Post Cards

Plus (+) Amount for Scouts

- Stamp design of King Vajiravudh:
 - B12 2s+3s I and II Black overprint
 - B18 3s+2s I and II Black overprint
- Stamp design of King Chulalongkorn:
 - A14 4s+5s I and II Black overprint
- Stamp design of King Rama VI:
 - B24 2s+3s III Dark blue overprint
 - B25 3s+2s III Red overprint
 - B26 5s+20s III Dark blue overprint

The stock of all the cards is very brittle and breaks easily. Printer's name appears in the lower left corner of each card except A14 without name.



GENUINE
OVERPRINT



FAKE OVERPRINTS



Hungary

MAY 6, 1925

#B85. 1000 korona. Brown. Lithographed

Hungary has the honor of being the first country to picture a Boy Scout on a postage stamp. One of eight in a set of sport stamps, the others show athletes skiing, diving, fencing, soccer, skating and hurdling. The cost was double face value plus 10% and represented income for these activities as well as Scouting. A four line inscription on the reverse side, certifies this cost. There are interesting athletic cancellations including an elusive Scout badge cancel. First day covers are rare auctions items. Also imperforate.



Romania

JULY 9, 1931

#B26-30. Photogravure

	Color	+ for Scouts
B26	red	1-lei +1
B27	green	2-lei +2
B28	blue	3-lei +3
B29	gray	4-lei +4
B30	brown	6-lei +6

Romania issued the first set of stamps picturing Scout activities. Because of the interest of Prince Nicholas, Chief Scout of Romania, this set recognizes the Boy Scout Exposition (inscription at the bottom of each stamp). The tent scene shows Scouts cooking and camping, one pictures a Scout rescuing a child, and the 2 lei views a boy not in uniform being invested as a Tenderfoot Scout. The highest two values show Prince Nicholas and King Carol II both in Scout leaders' uniforms.

Fake cancellations known: Timisoara, and Bucurest. Siret-Bucovina believed to be genuine.

JUNE 8, 1932

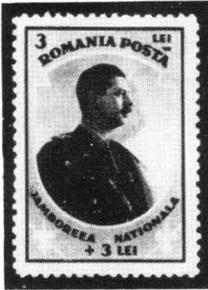
#B31-36. Photogravure

	Color	+ for Scouts
B31	green	25 bani + 25 bani
B32	blue	50 bani + 50 bani
B33	d. green	1 lei + 1 lei
B34	orange	2 lei + 2 lei
B35	blue	3 lei + 3 lei
B36	brown	6 lei + 6 lei

Sibiu was the location for the Romanian National Scout Jamboree in 1932, when a special set of stamps selling at double face value was issued for the benefit of Scouts. Their Scout badge appears in the lower corners of five values except for the 50b with a Scout signaling in Semaphore code. The other stamps show Scouts camping, cooking and on the 1 lei a Scout is stalking. King Carol II is shown on the two higher values, one with Prince Michael who became very interested in the Scout activities.

Fake cancellations are known: Timisoara and Bucurest.





MAMAIA
ps 1934

JULY 8, 1934

#B44-B49

Same as above except overprinted for the national Boy Scout Jamboree held at Brasov.

Black overprints: 25b, 1L, 2L
Gold overprints: 50b, 3L, 6L

Romania

JUNE 8, 1935

#B50-54. Photogravure

	Color	
B50	olive	25 bani
B51	purple	1 leu
B52	green	2 lei
		+ for Scouts
B53	brown	6 lei + 1
B54	blue	10 lei + 2

The first Girl Scout to be pictured on a postage stamp is included in this set. Also, the first Sea Scouts on stamps are shown here on two issues, the 25b and the boy on the left in the 2L value. These stamps celebrated the 5th anniversary of the accession of King Carol II to the throne as well as the national sports meeting held June 8. Each value shows the emblem of the Strajeri, the boy division of National Youth organization of which Scouting was a part, although at this time they still were an autonomous organization. The surtax on B53-4 benefited Scouting. The OETR (Office for the Education of Romanian Youth) merged Scouting with other groups, so that by 1937 the Romanian Boy Scouts could no longer be affiliated with the Boy Scouts International Bureau. Fake cancellations are known: Timisoara, and Bucarest. Commercial registered mail covers are believed to be genuine.



JUNE 9, 1936

#B63-65. Photogravure

	Color	+ for Scouts
B63	blue	1 leu + 1 leu
B64	olive	3 lei + 3 lei
B65	red	6 lei + 6 lei

These stamps commemorated the Romanian National Boy Scout Jamboree held in Brasov. Four Scout badges surround the circular design of the 1L value. In the 3L stamp the royal crown is centered on a large Scout badge, with a background of many smaller badges. In the higher value 6L a shield with an Eagle grasping two Scout badges can be seen.

Fake cancellations are known: Timisoara and Bucarest.



The Classics of Scout Stamps

On the preceding pages you have seen the earliest postage stamps that are of interest to Boy Scout collectors. Starting in Africa in 1900 with the first Baden-Powell stamps, there followed the first actual Scout stamps in Europe 1918, when the Czech Scouts served their country with messenger service. Next you saw how Siam in Asia overprinted in 1920 their nineteen stamps and nine post cards to raise money for their Scouting program. The Romanian sets from 1931 to 1936 pictorially showed the world many of Scouts' activities. From here on you shall see the parade of Scout stamps that advertise and promote the Scout movement. However, some issues serve no postal need, and are unfortunately priced to bring income to promoters.

BEWARE OF FORGERIES

Whenever stamps are in great demand and the supply is small, you can expect to find forgeries that are made for unwary collectors. Fake stamps and covers are known of the Mafeking issues, the Czech stamps (especially the overprints), the Romanian first day covers (cancelled "Timisoara"), and the Siam overprinted stamps and cards.

If any stamps are in poor condition, off center, heavily cancelled and less than perfect, the prices should be accordingly lower. F. D. C. means "first day covers" with the stamps cancelled on cards or envelopes the first day of issue. In the "classics" almost any genuinely used cover is rare, and difficult to locate except in auctions. Later Scout covers are preferred with "cachets" that are rubber stamped, printed or engraved on the envelopes to honor a Scout event in connection with the stamp. Souvenir sheets are usually sold at premium prices for collectors and serve no postal need.

Afghanistan

AUGUST 30, 1962

#578-9. Photogravure

#C15-16.

578. 25 pous. Violet, brown. Native dress

579. 50 pous. Green, brown. (same as 25p)

C15. 1.00 Rupee. Brown, tan. Girl Scout giving Scout sign

C16. 1.75 Rupee. Pale green, brown. (same as 1.00 Rupee)

Publicizing the Afghanistan Women's Day, the two air mail stamps picture Girl Scouts, not part of the international Girl Scout movement. Perforated souvenir sheets appeared showing all four stamps numbered, 1 to 15,000. 20,000 sets of stamps issued.



Afghanistan

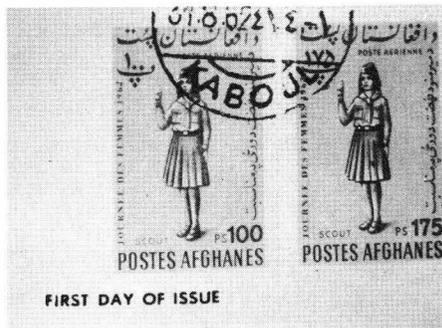
JULY 23, 1961

#510-511. Photogravure

50 Pous. Red, black

175 Pous. Green, brown

This set honored Afghanistan women and pictures a Girl Scout, although Girl Scouting in the country was not a part of the Girl Scout World Bureau in 1961. The word "Scout" appears in both values. Souvenir numbered sheets, perforate and imperforate, have both values on the same sheet.





Afghanistan

OCTOBER 25, 1962

#623-626. Regular postage: 1, 2, 3, 4 pous

#C32-35. Airmail postage: 25, 50, 75, 100p

Multi-Color Photogravure

These eight stamps of the same design, honoring the Afghanistan Boy Scouts, show one of them with his badge. Printed by the Austrian State Printing Office, each value has a different background color. A professional Scout leader was trained at Schiff National Training Center, USA, through scholarships granted by the World Friendship Fund of the Boy Scouts of America. Also imperforate.



Austria

AUGUST 3, 1951

#569. 1 schilling. Three colors:

Green — engraved (frame)

Pink — typography (shield)

Yellow — photogravure (badge)

Honoring the seventh world Jamboree held in Bad Ischl, upper Austria, from August 3-13, 1951. The Jews Harp was the Jamboree emblem and is shown below their Scout badge as well as on the Jamboree cancellations. Proof copies were issued in black only, imperforate, in special presentation folders that explained the purpose and history of Scouting as well as the details of the stamp design and production. Perfect registration of colors required expert printing in three different processes. One million copies were produced in sheets of fifty. Designed by Ernst Schrom, engraved by Maria Olinowitz and printed in the Austrian State Printing Works.



Argentina

JANUARY 17, 1961

#710. 1 peso. Carmine and Black

Honoring the international patrol encampment of Boy Scouts, held in Buenos Aires. Designed by Horacio Alvaraz. Three million copies were lithographed in sheets of 100 by the state mint. Various cancellations were used such as the Scout sign, another showing a bugle, and one with a bugle and a Scout badge.

Austria

OCTOBER 5, 1962

#684. 1.50 schilling. Green. Engraved-embossed

The left hand Scout handshake is featured on this stamp that honored the 50th anniversary of Scouting in Austria. Designed by Adalbert Pilch, and engraved by Georg Wimmer, there were three million copies printed in sheets of fifty by the Austrian State Printing Works. The first international Scout postage stamp exhibition was held in Vienna in connection with the first day of issue. Proofs in black ink embossed on enamel paper, and imperforate, were affixed to four page presentation folders that explain the stamp details as well as the history of Scouting in Austria.



Australia

NOVEMBER 15, 1948

#216. 2½ pence. Red Brown

Advertising the Pan-Pacific Jamboree Dec. 29, 1948 to Jan. 9, 1949 held in Wonga Park, Victoria. This event was attended by ten thousand Scouts from Australia, U. S. A., Canada, Great Britain, France, India, Lithuania, Pakistan, and the Philippines. The Scout pictured is Kenneth Courtney, a Rover Scout from Norwich, England. A eucalyptus tree is shown in the background. These stamps were demonetized January 9, 1949 when they were no longer good for postage. Engraved in sheets of 160, there is a marginal inscription: "Printed by the authority of the government of the Commonwealth of Australia." Constant flaws in the printing create minor varieties. Hexagonal Jamboree cancellations read "Yarra-Brae."



Australia

NOVEMBER 19, 1952

#249. 3½ pence. Dark red. Engraved-Embossed

Advertising the Pan-Pacific Jamboree held in Greystanes, twenty miles from Sidney. This is the same design as used in 1948, except the sheets did not contain marginal inscriptions. Fifteen thousand Scouts attended from the nations of the Pacific Ocean area. The six sided cancel reads: "Pan-Pacific Scout Jamboree, Greystanes," and was dated December 29, 1952.



Australia

AUGUST 18, 1960

#335. 5 pence. Blue. Engraved-embossed

This stamp recognized the founder of the Scout and Guide movements as well as the 50th anniversary of the Girl Guides in Australia. The Jubilee badge in the lower right corner reads 1910-1960. Produced and designed by the Note Printing Branch of the Reserve Bank of Australia in a quantity of 66,769,040. Official first day covers were serviced by the Australian Guide Association for fund raising.



Barbados

MARCH 9, 1962

- #254-6. Engraved-Embossed (sheets 50)
- #254. 4 cents. Black and Orange
- #255. 12 cents. Blue and Sepia
- #256. \$1.20. Red and Bronze Green

Honoring Baden-Powell's visit March 9, 1912 when Scouting was first started on the island, this marked the 50th anniversary. The Queen of England is shown from the Annigoni portrait. Their Scout badge of Barbados is shown on the map of the country, a West Indies colony of Great Britain. Printed by Bradbury, Wilkinson & Co., Ltd.



Belgium

JULY 29, 1957

- #457-8. Engraved-Embossed
- #457. 80 cents. Dark Gray
- #458. 4 francs. Green

Honoring the 50th year of Scouting and the 100th anniversary of Baden-Powell's birth. Printed in sheets of 30, by Atelier duTimbre, Malines, designed by M. Ebinger of Antwerp, and engraved by M. Janssens of Malines. Also, imperforate sets un gummed.



Brazil

AUGUST 2, 1954

- #802. 1.20 cruzeiros. Ultramarine

Commemorating the international encampment of Boy Scouts held at Interlagos, suburb of Sao Paulo, from July 27 to August 3, 1954. One million copies were printed by rotogravure from a photograph by Sgt. Macon, of a Scout statue in Rio de Janeiro. Designed by Orlando Maia. This was a gift given to the Scouts of Brazil in 1923 for their help after the earthquake in Chile. A special Scout cancellation depicts a Scout giving the Scout sign and the date August 2, 1954.

Brazil

AUGUST 1, 1957

- #C87. (airmail). 3.30 cruzeiros.
Rotogravure in Magenta color

Honoring the 100th birth anniversary of Baden-Powell and the 50th year of World Scouting. The official cancellation shows the Boy and Girl Scout badges of Brazil, used at their headquarters in Rio de Janeiro. The stamp was issued in connection with a national Jamboree on the Ilha do Governador (Governor's Island). Designed by Luiz Almeida Junior and Waldemiro Puntar; engraved by Gildasio Ferreira da Silva. Printed in sheets of fifty.



Brazil

JUNE 23, 1960

- #C101. (airmail). 3.30 cruzeiros
Rotogravure in Orange brown

Honoring the 50th year of Scouting in Brazil, this stamp was released on the same date as the unveiling of a monument to Lord Robert Baden-Powell. The ceremony was at Russel Beach in Rio de Janeiro with four hundred selected Scouts and by Governor Dr. Sette Camara. Cancellations show bugles used for the first day, while the anniversary cancel shows the Scout badge of Brazil.



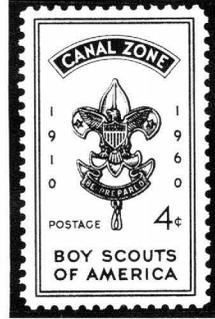


Canada

AUGUST 20, 1955

#356. 5 cents. Green and Orange

The 8th World Scout Jamboree held at Niagara - on - the - Lake, Ontario, was honored with this 5c stamp. The stamps are engraved in two colors and were designed by Laurence Hyde; printed by the Canadian Bank Note Co. Ottawa. This was the first time that a World Jamboree was held in the North American continent. 10,000 delegates from all the Scouting countries camped together from August 18 to August 28. The camp cancellation reads: "8th World Scout Jamboree" and the dates.



Canada

APRIL 20, 1960

#389. 5 cents. Blue, brown. Engraved-embossed

Honoring the 50th year of Girl Guides in Canada, this stamp depicts their badge and the motto "Be Prepared" in French and English. Organized in England in 1909, Canada began their Girl Guides in 1910 at St. Catharines, Ontario. Design by Helen Fitzgerald.

Canal Zone

FEBRUARY 8, 1960

Boy Scouts: #151. 4 cents. Red, yellow, blue
USA Scout badge. 1 million

MARCH 12, 1962

Girl Scouts: #156. 4 cents. Green, yellow
Badge of USA Girl Scouts, tents. 500,000

Both of these stamps honored their respective 50th anniversaries, and were engraved-embossed by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Washington, D. C. Both stamps had their first day of issue in Balboa, C. Z. "Honor the past, serve the future" appears on the Girl Scout value. 76,840 first day covers for the Boy Scout stamp set a new record for the Canal Zone, more than double any previous single stamp.



Ceylon

FEBRUARY 26, 1962

#363. 35 cents. Photogravure: Blue, Buff

Celebrating their Golden Jubilee of Scouting 1912-1962, this stamp was released in Colombo for Ceylon's national Jamboree. In Ceylonese and English the words in the cancellation reads: "Jamboree Ceylon Colombo." There are two different sizes of lettering altho both cancels have the wording within concentric circles of the same size. The stamps were printed in Switzerland, photogravure by Courvoisier, and designed by W. A. Ariyasena.



Colombia

JULY 26, 1962

Photogravure in multi-colors

#746. 10c blue, brown. 1,000,000 (boys) Reg.

#C435. 15c brown, pink. 500,000 (boys) Air

#C436. 40c maroon, pink. 1,000,000 (girls) Air

#C437. \$1.00 blue, tan. 1,000,000 (girls) Air

#C438. Spec. D. \$1.00 purple, yellow. 100,000 (boys) (100 centavos= 1 peso \$)

Thirty years of Scouting in Colombia was recognized 1932-1962 with three stamps showing Boy Scouts and two picturing Girl Guides. Three pay for airmail, one for regular postage, and one is special delivery. The first day of issue coincided with the Interamerican Council of Scouts in Bogata, July 26-28. A Scout badge cancel was used on first day covers, including mention of the Council event. The Boy Scout badge appears on their copies of three stamps with the Girl Guides badge on the two girls stamps.

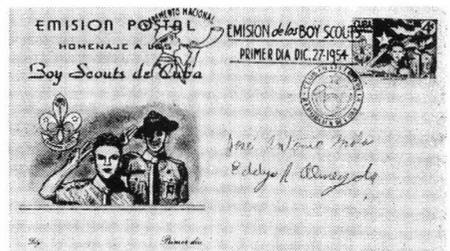


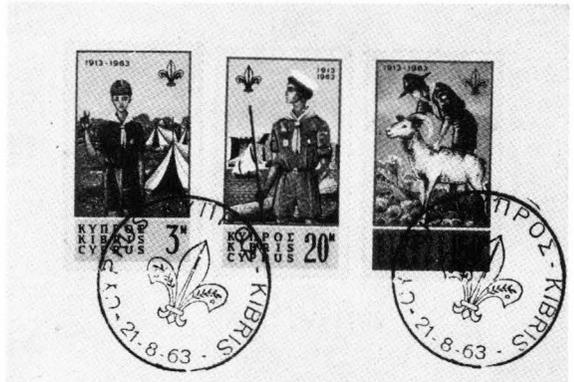
Cuba

DECEMBER 27, 1954

#535. 4 cents. Green. Engraved-embossed. 2,000,000

A Cub Scout, Eduardo R. Almeyd, and a Boy Scout Jose Antonio Mola, are shown on this issue commemorating the third National Patrol Camp held in Havana. The design was made by a well known Cuban artist Mr. Enrique Caravia. A special Scout, horn blowing, cancel appears on first day covers, some bearing serial numbers, the income helping finance the Scout movement.





Platres August 21-22, 1963 as well as the 50th year of Scouting in Cyprus. Miniature sheets were also sold for 250 mils with the three stamps appearing on one sheet. Printed by Aspioti Elka of Athens, Greece. A Scout badge cancel was used on first day covers. An advertising folder by the postal administration, pictures the stamps in full color and actual size with details in three languages. All three stamps also exist on a souvenir sheet.

Cuba

FEBRUARY 22, 1957

- #565. 4 centavos. Red, Green: Regular
- #C152. 12 centavos. Grey: Airmail. Engraved-embossed

Honoring the founder, Baden-Powell, and the 50th year of Scouting, these two stamps were part of a world wide recognition for the double anniversary since February 22 was also the 100th year since the birthday of "B-P" as he is affectionately known. Marginal inscriptions read: 1857-1957 4 CTVOS, and 1857-1957 12 CTVOS. On the stamps below the design appears the printer's name: Cia P. Fernandez, S. A. Habana.



Cyprus

AUGUST 21, 1963

- #224-6. Lithographed in sheets of 100
- 3 mils. Green, Brown, Black: Cub
- 20 mils. Blue, Purple, Black, Brown. Sea Scout
- 150 mils. Blue, Green, Black, Brown Boy Scout

Lithographed in sheets of 100

These stamps recognized the 3rd Commonwealth Scout Conference held in

Denmark

OCTOBER 25, 1960

- #B28. 30+10 ore. Red

Danish Queen Ingrid in her Girl Guide uniform is shown here on the event of her 25th anniversary in Scouting. Designed by Viggo Bang and engraved by Birger Ekholm of Finland.



Dominican Republic

SEPTEMBER 9, 1957

- #B6-10: 1c 2c 3c 5c 7c. Regular Postage
 #CB4-6: 11c 16c 17c. Airmail Postage
 Scout badge overprint in Red on the Melbourne Olympic Games stamps of July 18, 1957.

Baden-Powell was honored with this overprint surcharge of +2c on each stamp. The circular lettering reads "Centenario Lord Baden-Powell 1857-1957" with the Scout badge centered. Each set of eight stamps also appear on four souvenir sheets, two perforated and two imperforate. These have been most unpopular with Scout collectors and the issue is alleged to have been price manipulated.

Dubai

JANUARY 20, 1964

Lithographed, multiple colors:

Regular Postage—

- 1 NP dark brown, light brown: Scouts forming human tower.
- 2 NP brown, red: Scout bugler.
- 3 NP orange, blue: Cub Scouts.
- 4 NP red, blue: Scouts with staves and bugler.
- 5 NP dark green, light green: Scouts parading.

Airmail Postage:

(designs as above, except "airmail" wording added)

- 20 NP green, brown
 30 NP tan, violet
 40 NP green, blue
 70 NP gray, green
 1 R red, deep blue

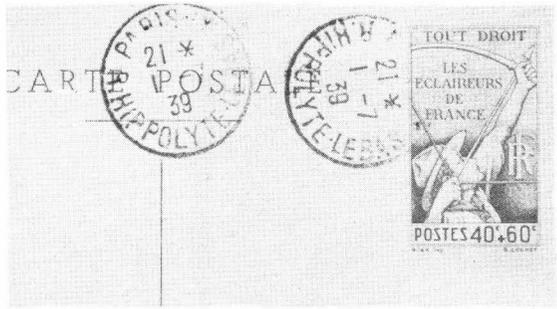
Dubai is one of the newly independent Trucial States in the Persian Gulf. All ten values contain the words "11th Jamboree Athens 1963" which event occurred eight months earlier. All of the stamps have identical border designs with the inscriptions bilingual.

The five airmail stamps are also issued in five different souvenir sheets of blocks of four stamps each: size 12cm x 10cm.

- 20 Naye Paise same colors as stamp
 30 Naye Paise same colors as stamp
 40 Naye Paise blue panels, brown orange design
 70 Naye Paise green panel, carmine colored design
 1 Rupee charcoal panels, greenish blue design

Dubai in English and Arabic at top; Athens 1963 at bottom; 11th Jamboree at left; Arabic characters at right.





France

1939 Government Postal Card
40+60 centimes. Blue
White Card Stock 5:11/16 x 4:3/16

“Les Eclaireurs de France” appearing in this Scout archer design, denotes one of the Scout national organizations within the country. “Tout Droit” means be prepared, the Scout motto. The artist name, R. Cochet, appears below the “stamp” while the printer’s name, Blondel la Rougery — Paris, is shown vertically in the center of the post card. As a semi-postal the +60 aided the Scout movement.

Dutch Indies

MAY 1, 1937

- #B30-31. Photogravure
- #B30. 7½ cents. Brown. Jacobs staff (Jamboree emblem), Scouts
- #B31. 12½ cents. Red (same as 7½c)

Issued to honor the 5th World Scout Jamboree in the Netherlands starting July 31. Scouts with arms linked, symbolize world Scouting friendships; design by A. Kreisler. The surtax of 2½ cents on each stamp, aided the Scouts.



Finland

FEBRUARY 22, 1957

- #346. 30 markka. Blue Engraved-embossed

Finland recognized the 50th year of Scouting with this stamp showing the Scout sign, globe and Finnish Scout badge. Designed by Olavi Vepsalainen, and engraved by Eero Paakkari. Two million copies were printed.



France

AUGUST 2, 1947

- #587. 5 francs. Brown. Engraved-embossed

Commemorating the 6th World Scout Jamboree held in Moisson, France, this event was attended by forty thousand Scouts from forty-eight countries. The design was the Jamboree insignia, the badge with the double carrick bend knot. Imperforate artists proofs are in various colors.

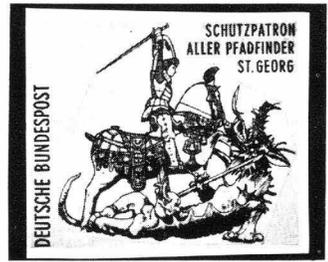


Germany

APRIL 22, 1961

#823. 10 pfennigs. Green

St. George Killing the dragon represents the battle against evil, so that Baden-Powell often used this as a symbol in the character building program of Scouting. This stamp is designed by Professor Ege although based on a drawing of St. George by "B-P". Engraved by Harold Braband of Berlin, there were thirty million stamps printed in sheets of fifty, with border numbers 1, — through 5, — appearing on each sheet and over each of the top row 5 stamps (aid to postal clerks in counting!) There are many different cancellations, some with St. George-dragon. Pfadfinder means pathfinder or Scout in English.



REJECTED DESIGNS:



Great Britain

AUGUST 1, 1957

- #334. 2½ pence. Red
- #335. 4 pence. Blue
- #336. 1 shilling, 3 pence. Green

Honoring the World Scout Jubilee Jamboree held in Sutton Coldfield, England, August 1-12, 1957, these stamps are among the few commemoratives issued in England. In addition to the Queen's image on each value, the designers were:

2½d Mary Adsit: rolling hitch rope around the Scout badge (British).
 4d Patrick Keely: swallows in flight signifying the migration of Scouts returning to the land where Scouting started. World Scout badge.

1'3d W. H. Brown: world encircled by a compass. B-P had said that the arrowhead of the compass pointed the way for Scouts. British badge.

Photographed by Messrs. Harrison & Sons Ltd.

Also, sets were overprinted for the Persian Gulf agencies of Great Britain:

- #115-117 BAHRAIN. Overprint plus values 15 NP, 25 NP, 75 NP
- #76-78 MUSCAT. (Agency word Muscat omitted). Values as above overprinted
- #16-18 QATAR. Overprint plus values as above overprinted



MARCH 16-24, 1962

POSTAL EXHIBITION SHEET,
 STAMPEX

#334. 2½d. Black ink

Included in an imperforate sheet of five stamps, one Boy Scout and the others of: Olympic Games, Postal Union, Silver Jubilee, Royal Anniversary 1923-1948. (No postal use permitted).



Greece

APRIL 23, 1960

- #669-676. Lithographed. Multicolor
 #669. 20 lepta. Scout as St. George, dragon. 2 million. Dark blue, light blue, brown, black
 #670. 30 lepta. Oath by Scout and ancient youth. 1 million. Brown, tan, grey, black
 #671. 40 lepta. Scout first aid during earthquake. 1 million. Brown, tan, blue, black, grey
 #672. 50 lepta. Reforestation by Scout and Cub Scout. 3½ million. Green, grey, brown, tan, black
 #673. 70 lepta. Scouts map reading, camping. 1 million. Dark green, light green, blue, black, tan
 #674. 1 drachma. Boy Scout, Sea Scout, Air Scout. 3,150,000. Blue, light blue, brown, tan, green, black

- #675. 2.50 drachmae. Prince Constantine in Chief Scout uniform. 3 million. Brown, tan, blue, light blue, black
 #676. 6 drachmae. Scout flag of Greece, Medal of Military merit. 350,000. Blue, light blue, brown, tan, black

The 50th anniversary of Greek Scouting was celebrated by this colorful set of eight stamps. The first day covers are government issued and show a cachet of Baden-Powell, the date of April 23 being also the day of St. George, patron saint of Scouting. Designed and engraved by A. Tassos, printed by Aspioti-Elka, Graphic Arts Co., Ltd., Athens. Only the 6 drachmae value was sold for postage, the others only sold in complete sets, and all valid for postage until October 22, 1960. A Scout badge cancel shows the dates 1910-1960.



Greece

AUGUST 1, 1963

#759-763. Lithographed, multicolor

#759. 1 drachma. Water color by Baden-Powell. 2½ million. Orange, brown, blue, light blue, black

#760. 1.50 drachma. 11th World Jamboree badge. 3 million. Brown, tan, blue, black

#761. 2.50 drachma. Prince Constantine, Chief Scout. 2½ million. Brown, tan, maroon, grey, black

#762. 3 drachma. Baden-Powell, Athanossios Lefkadites (Founder Greek Scouting) 2¼ million. Brown, tan, dark green, black

#763. 4.50 drachma. King's Scout of Greece blowing conch shell. 1½ million. Brown, tan, blue, light blue, black

From August 1-11, 1963, Greece was host to the 11th World Scout Jamboree at the site of the Battle of Marathon. The 1d value reproduces a painting "Athens at Dawn" made by Baden-Powell on his first visit in 1872. It was given to the Boy Scouts of Greece in 1960 when the World Scout Committee accepted the Greek invitation for the 1963 event. Only 1½ million complete sets were issued, the government providing the only first day cover envelopes (Jamboree emblem) and a Scout badge cancel.

Haiti

AUGUST 6, 1962

#491-495, C193-195. Photogravure
Haiti Scout badge

#491. 3c. Black, yellow, purple

#494. 25c. Maroon, blue, green

C194. 50c. Green, Ochre, red (air-Mail).

Scout giving Scout sign, tents, tree

#492. 5c. Yellow, brown, black

C193. 20c. Green, brown, maroon (airmail)

#495. 50c. Purple, green, red.

Sir Robert and Lady Baden-Powell

#493. 10c. Black, brown, green

C195. 1.50 gourde. Blue, brown, tan (airmail)

These stamps were issued to honor the 22nd anniversary of the Boy Scouts of Haiti. While Baden-Powell has appeared on many postage stamps, this is the first country to pay tribute to Lady Baden-Powell, Chief World Guide. #C194 and C195 both appear on the same imperforate souvenir sheet.

2¼" x 4" Souvenir Sheet. 3" x 4" souvenir sheet "Epreuves Deluxe" (in gold).





Haiti

SEPTEMBER 30, 1961

#CB32-34. Overprint on airmail set of 1960. Commemorating 18th World Scout Conference in Lisbon, Portugal held Sept. 19-24, 1961. +0.25 surcharge for benefit of new airport at Port-au-Prince. Also souvenir sheet of all three stamps.

Haiti

OCTOBER 26, 1962

#C196-199. August issue (C193-5 and 495) overprinted
"Aerpost International 1962"

Proceeds from the sale of these stamps were for the construction of a new airport at Port-au-Prince.



Hungary

JULY 10, 1933

- #481-485. Photogravure
- #481. 10 filler. Green
- #482. 16 filler. Maroon
- #483. 20 filler. Red
- #484. 32 filler. Yellow
- #485. 40 filler. Blue

Twenty-one thousand Scouts from forty six lands attended the 4th World Scout Jamboree when Hungary issued this set to honor the event. Held in Godollo, the Scout cancellations show the name of this town plus the word Jamboree and the date. A hand stamp cachet with the Scout badge was available to the Jamboree Scouts for their mail. All five values show the leaping stag and double cross with St. Stephan's crown. The stag was the Jamboree emblem. Also, imperforate.



Hungary

JULY 20, 1939

- #551-554. Photogravure
- #551. 2 filler. Orange. Scout Sign
- #552. 6 filler. Green. Lily, crown, shield and Girl Scout badge
- #553. 10 filler. Brown. Costumes: Scout and national dress
- #554. 20 filler. Rose. Dove of peace and Girl Scout badges

Commemorating the Girl Scout Jamboree held in Godollo. These were the first stamps from any country to honor a Girl Scout event. Designed by S. Le'Grady. Also imperforate.



Hungary

JANUARY 1, 1940

- #B110. 6+6 fillers. Green. Photogravure. (complete set #110-112)

A Boy Scout flying a kite is pictured on one stamp in this set that raised funds for the Horthy National Aviation Fund. The other stamps show planes and allegorical figures. Designed by S. Le'Grady.



Hungary

APRIL 24, 1941

#B132. 10+10 filler. Maroon. Photogravure (complete set #B131-134)

A Boy Scout with a model plane is one stamp in this set of four that raised funds for civilian and army pilot training through the Horthy Aviation Fund. The other values show a winged pilot, glider, and Madonna, patroness of pilots. Designed by S. Le'Grady. Also imperforate.



Iceland

APRIL 24, 1964

3,50 krona Blue
4,50 krona Green

The Icelandic Scouts were recognized by their government with two stamps of the same design showing their Scout badge and the Scout motto "Vertu Vidbuinn" (Be Prepared). The designer is Arni Sveinbjornsson. The heliogravure printing was by Courvoisier S. A., La Chaux-de-Fonds in sheets of fifty.



Indonesia

JUNE 27, 1955

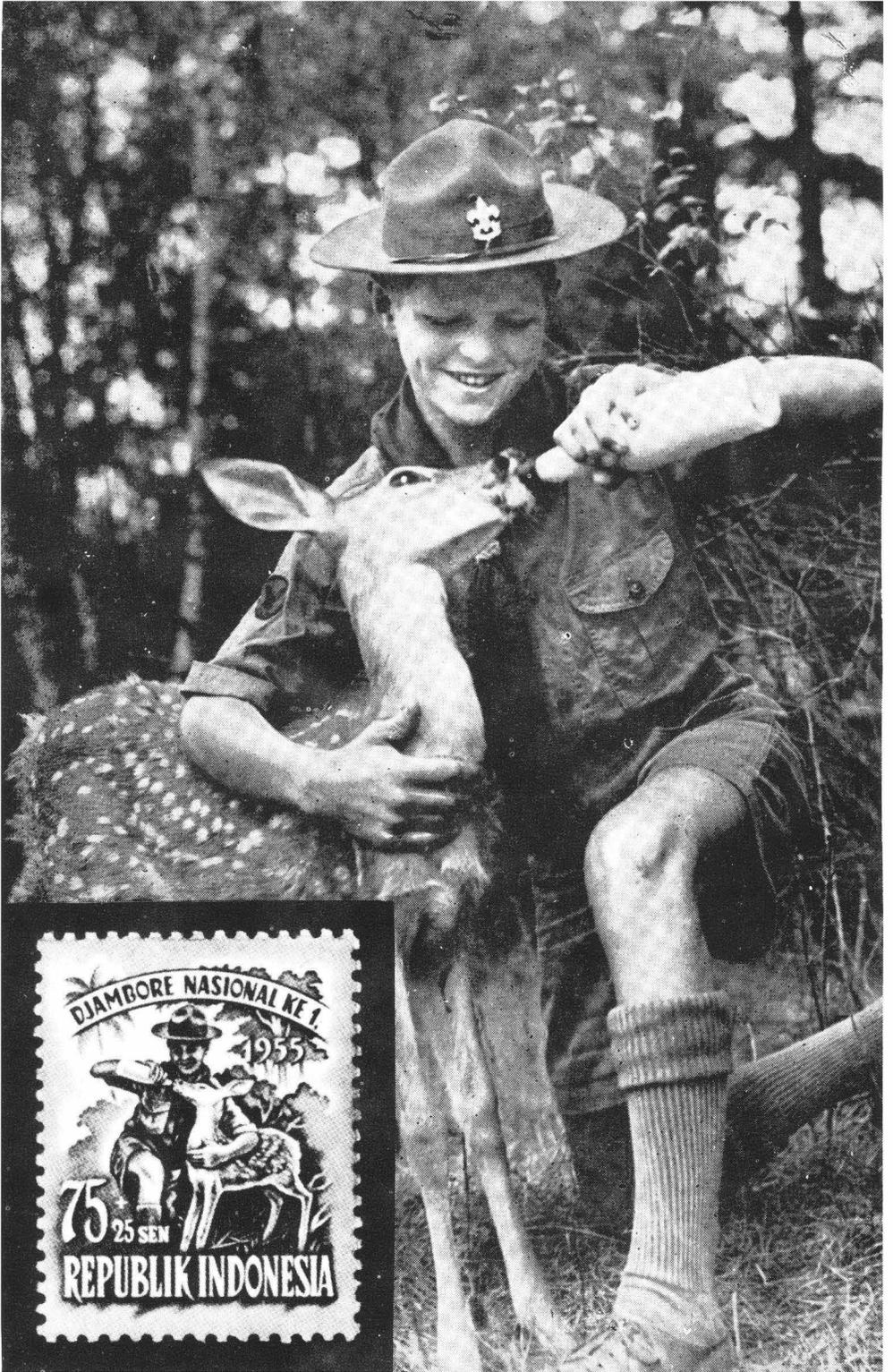
#B83-87. Photogravure

#B83 15+10 sen. green Scout badge
#B84 35+15 sen. blue Scout signaller
#B85 50+25 sen. red Scouts campfire
#B86 75+25 sen. brown Scout feeding doe
#B87 1rp+50 sen. purple Scout saluting

The Republic of Indonesia honored their 1st National Scout Jamboree, held in Djakarta, with these five stamps. Four values were designed from photographs in the 1948 U. S. A. "Scout Field Book:"

B84 Page 78. Charles Moeri, Troop #1. Mendham, N. J.
B85. Page 123, 165. Scout on right: Donald Day, Troop #1. Mendham, N. J.
B86. Page 240. Photo by Paul Parker. New York: Scout's name unknown
B87. Page 17. Robert Douglas, Troop #1. Mendham, N. J.
William Hillcourt, national staff, Boy Scouts of America was the photographer for pages 17, 78, 165.







Indonesia

JULY 17, 1959

#B115-120. Rotogravure. Scout badge and tents:

- #B115 10+5 sen. Red, tan
- #B117 20+10 sen. Red, grey
- #B119 75+35 sen. Red, brown Scout badge and Compass:
- #B116 15+10 sen. Green, red
- #B118 50+25 sen. Brown, red
- #B120 1 rupiah + 50 sen. Grey, red

The surtax from this semi-postal set was used to send the Indonesian Scout delegation to the 10th World Scout Jamboree in the Philippines. Very small Jamboree emblems appear in the upper right corners of each value. Designed by Risman Soeplanto. Scout badge cancellations in Bandung, Indonesia, altho additional wording is "Djamboree Internasional Ke. 10 Manila" and the date 17-7-1959.



Iran (Persia)

OCTOBER 26, 1950

- #935-940. Engraved-embossed
- #937. 75 dinars. Brown, black. Shah in Scouter's uniform

These six stamps portray Shah Mohammed Riza Pahlavi in various uniforms and at various ages. In each value the image is in black, with a different color border design. Engraved by Security Bank Note Co., Philadelphia, USA.

Iran (Persia)

AUGUST 5, 1956

- #1052-1053. Photogravure
- #1052. 2.50 rial. Blue. Camp scene
- #1053. 5 rial. Purple. Iranian Scout badge, Shah in Scouter uniform

These stamps honor the Iranian National Jamboree held in Tambory. Apparently the same picture as used on the 1950 stamp #937. Border inscriptions read "Impression d'Imprimerie Madjlesse Teheran - Iran." (Parliament Printing Office).



Iran (Persia)

FEBRUARY 22, 1957

- #1073. 10 rial. Photogravure. Green, Brown

Issued to honor the 50th anniversary of the Boy Scout movement and the 100th birthday of the founder Sir Robert Baden-Powell. On the margin of each sheet the printer's name reads: "Impression d'Imprimerie Madjlesse Teheran - Iran." The border design is a series of tiny Scout badges.



Iran (Persia)

JULY 18, 1960

#1162-1163. Lithographed
 1 rial. Green. Scout badge in flower
 6 rial. Blue, tan, brown, black;
 Winged Scout badge, tents, ancient
 columns

These two sets advertised the 3rd
 Iranian National Scout Jamboree held
 in Teheran.

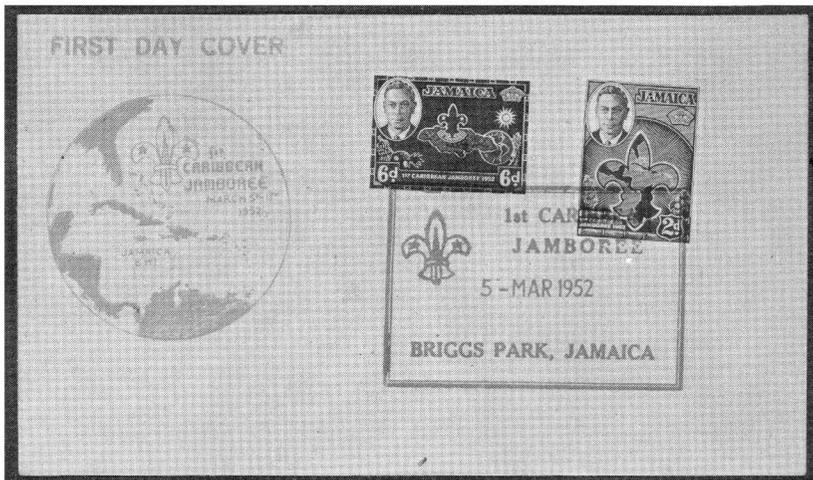


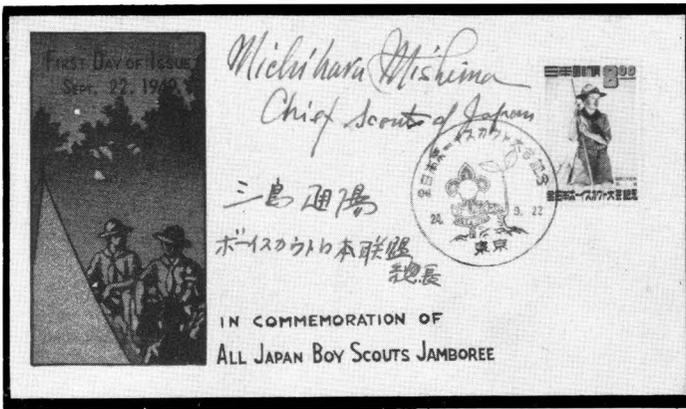
Jamaica

MARCH 5, 1952

#150-151. Typographed
 #150. 2 pence. Black, green, blue.
 King, crown, Scout badge
 #151. 6 pence. Black, red, green.
 King, crown, map of Island, globe,
 and the Scout badge

Advertising the March 5 - 17 First
 Caribbean Scout Jamboree in Briggs
 Park, these stamps include the image
 of their British King. Both 2d and 6d
 show bananas and oranges. 6d also
 shows pineapple and sugar cane. De-
 signed by C. DeSouza, Printed by Brad-
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Japan

SEPTEMBER 22, 1949

#467. 8 yen. Photogravure. Brown

Publicized the National Boy Scout Jamboree held in Tokyo. The origin of this design was from an illustration in the 1948 edition the U. S. A. Scout Field Book page 54. The photographer was William Hillcourt and the Scout was George Russell, Mendham, New Jersey, U. S. A. Retouching added the tents, and eliminated another Scout who was kneeling. A Scout badge cancel also shows a tree stump with a new twig growth symbolic of their new Scouting program.



Japan

AUGUST 3, 1962

#763. 10 yen. Photogravure. Brown, orange, tan, black

This Scout hat stamp shows the map of Southeast Asia where this Asian Jamboree was held at the foot of Mt. Fuji, Japan. 25,000 Scouts attended from 39 countries. Designed by Minoru Hisano and printed in a quantity of ten million. Sheets of twenty. Specimen copies are overprinted for distribution to schools, and on this stamp the imprint appears below the hat.



Japan

AUGUST 1, 1963

#794. 10 yen. Photogravure. Blue, yellow, brown

The Girl Scouts of Japan were recognized with this stamp for their first Asian Girl Scout Camp held on the Togakushi Heights in Nagano Prefecture August 1-7. The designer is Hitashi Otsuka. There were 13,500,000 copies printed in sheets of twenty. A special Scout camp cancel includes tents, their Asian camp badge, and outline of mountains. Copies overprinted "Mihon" (Specimen) for distribution to all schools in Japan.



Korea

FEBRUARY 27, 1957

#245-246. Lithographed
40 hwan. Purple
55 hwan. Maroon

This set honored the 50th year of World Boy Scouting. The designer, Kang Bak, of the Korean Government Printing Agency in Seoul, included a Boy Scout, his badge, and the circular symbol from the Korean flag. The Chief Scout Executive of Korea says "These stamps were first discussed and planned with Harry D. Thorsen Jr., during my visit in 1956 in Winnetka, Illinois." (USA). There is a Scout badge cancel reading "50th Anniversary of Establishment of Boy Scouts," (Seoul). A few covers from Pusan have Scouts misspelled "SCAUTS" before the correction was made. The stamps appear imperforate on souvenir sheets, the border inscriptions reading "50th Anniversary of the Foundation of Boy Scouts 1907-1957" in Korean and English.



Korea

MAY 10, 1961

#325. 40 hwan. Lithographed. Green

The 15th anniversary of the Girl Scouts of Korea was the occasion for this stamp. The design shows a Girl Scout saluting, the badge of the Korean Girl Scouts and a background of tents, flag, and a patrol of Scouts. Souvenir sheets, imperforate, have the anniversary announcement in Korean. A Girl Scout badge cancel was used on first day covers.



Korea

OCTOBER 5, 1962

#358-359. Lithographed. 300,000 sets
Both of these stamps are of 4 Hwan value and of identical design with only a change in the color plates:

- #358. Brown: Scout badge, ground, mountains and inscription at top
- #359. Green: Scout badge, ground, mountains and inscription at top

The red and blue colors are the same in both copies: Korean flag, sky, the tent roofs, and inscription at bottom. The four tents symbolize the 40th anniversary of the Korean Scouts. Designed by Kang Choon Whan. Each stamp appears on its own souvenir sheet imperforate, 150,000 sets with the anniversary wording on the borders in Korean. Saluting Scouts appear in the cancellations on the first day of issue.



Lebanon

MARCH 1, 1962

- #376-380. Regular postage (piasters)
 #376. ½p. Green, yellow, black. Scout bugler
 #377. 1p. Two greens, black, red. Scout flag bearer and Lebanon Scout badge
 #378. 2½p. Red, black, green, First aid stretcher bearers and badge
 #379. 6p. Blue, black, yellow, red. Founder, Baden-Powell
 #380. 10p. Blue, yellow, black. Scouts and campfire, tents
 #C331-333. Airmail.

- C331. 15p. Red, green, brown. Girl Scout badge
 C332. 20p. Purple, yellow, black. Scout sign
 C333. 25p. Red, tan, green, black. Boy Scout badge

There were 250,000 sets of these Scout stamps issued, and by presidential decree there could be no imperfs or special sheets for speculators. The inscriptions are in Arabic and French. This was the 50th year of Scouting in this country, 1912-1962.





Liberia

DECEMBER 4, 1961

- #399-400. Regular postage: 5 cents. Purple and black. Scout head 10 cents. Blue and tan. Scouts camping, badge
- #C135. Airmail postage: 25 cents. Green and brown. Scout head and badge
- #C136. Souvenir sheet. Airmail. 35 cents. Light blue and brown (same design as 5c above)

This set honoring Boy Scouts is unusual because it is printed on enamel coated paper. The tinted background for the 5c and 35c values show white outlines of boys playing tennis, baseball and soccer. The 10c stamp has the slogan "Scouts Today, Leaders Tomorrow." The 35c perforated airmail stamp has gold lettering "Strength in the Arm of Liberty," two Liberian Scout badges and "Boy Scouts of the Republic of Liberia" in the border of the sheet.

Libya

JULY 13, 1962

- #222-224. Typographed, perforated, imperforate
- 5 mills. Scout handclasp, badge. Yellow, red, black
- 10 mills. Blue, yellow, black. Foreign. Scouts, Libya Scout badge
- 15 mills. Yellow, blue, black. Tents and Scout badge

Imperforate copies on single souvenir sheet: Values inflated to 20, 30, 50 Border inscription "Libya Third Philia 1962" (Also in English). The yellow color is lighter than on the stamps. There were issued 50,000 sets of the stamps, and 50,000 sets of the sheets! Printed in Switzerland, this paper-work helped to publicize the "Third Philia" meeting of Mediterranean Boy Scouts.



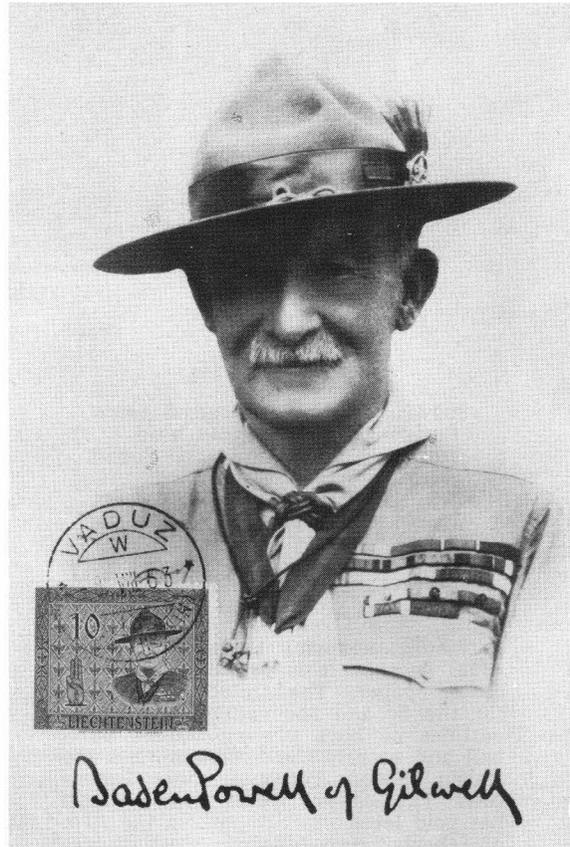


Liechtenstein

DECEMBER 21, 1932

- #B11-13. Photogravure. Green, Red, Blue
 #B13. 30+10 rappens. Blue. Prince Francis I (Chief Scout) and Boy Scouts with flag.

This set of three stamps aided their Child Welfare Fund, one value picturing two Boy Scouts with blanket rolls over their shoulders. The 10+5r shows a shield and an allegorical figure. The 20+5r with Princess Elsa was originally believed to be Girl Scouts, but now research finds these to be only girls in native costumes. The designer's name, H. C. Kosel, appears below the frame on each stamp.

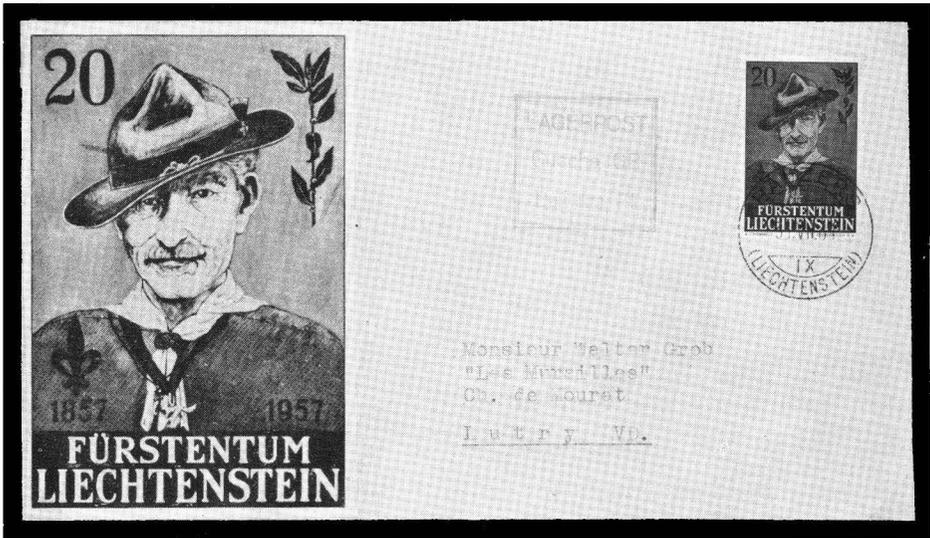


AUGUST 4, 1953

- #270-273. Engraved-embossed (rappens)
 10r green 20r brown 25r red
 40r blue

Sir Robert Baden-Powell of England was first honored Philatelically as the Chief Scout of the World, and the founder of Scouting, by this smallest country in the world, with these postage stamps. This was the occasion of the 14th International Boy Scout Conference in Vaduz August 8-13. Each stamp was printed twenty copies to the sheet with wide identical borders bearing the event inscription plus wonderful line drawings of the Scout sign, Scout hat, ropes, and wood badge beads and thongs. Designed by the Very Rev. Canon Frommelt, of Vaduz. Printed by Waterlow & Sons Ltd., London.





Liechtenstein

SEPTEMBER 10, 1957

#315-316. Photogravure (rappens)
 10r. Blue, black. Scouts with torches
 20r. Brown. Baden-Powell portrait

This set of two stamps was printed alternately, in three rows of four stamps in a row on the same sheet. This accounts for the "se tenent" pairs that can be variously shown, in vertical or horizontal pairs. The 100th birthday of

B-P and the 50th year of Scouting were represented with these designs by Very Rev. Canon A. Frommelt, of Vaduz, printed by Courvoisier S. A., La Chaux-de-Fonds, Switzerland.

Wide margins on the sheets include inscriptions, dates 1857-1957, 1907-1957, as well as Scout hat and badges, and royal crown.



BOY SCOUT
OVERPRINT



GIRL SCOUT
OVERPRINT

Lithuania

JULY 12, 1938

- #B47-50. Photogravure C = centai
With Boy Scout overprint:
- #B47 5+5c. Two greens; overprint
in Red
- #B50 60+15. Two browns; over-
print in Black
- With Girl Scout overprint:
- #B48 15+5c. Two orange colors;
overprint in Black
- #B49 30+10c. Two blues; overprint
in Red

On the Baltic Olympic stamps of 1938, designed by J. Burba, these Scout overprints gave the added values to Scouting and also commemorated the 20th year of Scouting in Lithuania. Issued during their National Jamboree held in Panemune July 12-14, the overprint reads "National Scouts Jamboree." Skautu means Boy Scouts. Skauciu means Girl Scouts. All covers are rare, especially those with the Scout cancel "Panemune Tautine Skautu Stovykla" dated during the Jamboree.

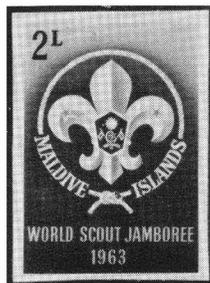


Luxembourg

JUNE 17, 1957

- #324-325. Engraved-embossed
2 francs. Green, brown. B-P and
Boy Scout badges
- 2.50 francs. Purple, maroon. B-P
and Girl Scout badges

With the profile of Baden-Powell these stamps recognize his 100th birthday and the 50th year of Scouting. Designed by Sam Hartz and printed by J. Enschede en Zonen, Netherlands. The two badges with cross represent the Catholic Scout Organization. Others represent Inter-Denominational Scout organization within the country.



Maldive Islands

DECEMBER 7, 1963

- 129 2 larees. Purple, green
- 130 3 larees. Brown, green
- 131 25 larees. Blue, green
- 132 1 rupee. Red, green

Issued five months after the World Scout Jamboree in Greece, these stamps mention the event, although Scouting has been represented with only a few troops in these sparsely settled islands in the Indian Ocean. Designed by M. Shamir of Israel, all values are the same design with their Scout badge circled with a rope and square knot. Printed by roto-gravure in the Netherlands by Enschede en Zonen of Haarlem in sheets of twelve with wide borders illustrating Scout activities and the Jamboree Boetian shield badge. Sheet size is 6 7/8 x 9 1/4 inches, with all the borders identical in dark and light green colors.



Morocco

AUGUST 8, 1962

#73. Brown, Blue. Typographed

Advertising the Fifth Arab Scout Jamboree, Rabat, Morocco, this stamp shows an Arab Scout with flag, public buildings and their Scout badge. Printed on

enamel coated paper by Zavod Za Izradv Novcanica in Jugoslavia. Scout badge cancellations. Also exists imperf-orate. Spurious Souvenir Sheet issued in very small quantity.



Nationalist China (Formosa)

AUGUST 11, 1957

#1165-7. Engraved-embossed
\$0.40. violet. #1165. 2,000,000
\$1.00. green. #1166. 500,000
\$1.60. blue. #1167. 500,000

This country honored the World Jamboree held in England August 1-12, 1957 as well as the centenary of the birth of Baden-Powell. The design is the work of Liang Li-yu, engraved by Pao Liang-yu. Issued in sheets of one hundred, all have the same design showing the Chinese Scout badge. The printing was done by CEPW in Taipei and the stamps are un gummed.

JULY 8, 1959

#1232-4. Engraved-embossed
\$0.40. red. #1232. 1,500,000
\$0.50. blue. #1233. 1,000,000
\$5.00. green. #1234. 500,000

This set of stamps recognized the participation of the National Chinese Scouts in the 10th World Scout Jamboree held in the Philippines July 17-26, 1959. All three values of the same design were the artistry of Wen Hsueh-ju, and engraved by Pao Liang - yu. Printer was CEPW of Taipei and the stamps were un gummed, in sheets of one hundred.



Netherlands

APRIL 1, 1937

- #206-208. Photogravure
- #206. 1½ cents. Green, black. Scout badge
- #207. 6 cents. Brown, black. Flags, drummer
- #208. 12½ cents. Blue, black. Hermes, Greek statue

The 5th World Scout Jamboree held in Vogelenzang, was honored with these stamps for the event from July 31 to Aug. 9. A special Scout badge cancel was used during the Jamboree. Below the frame of each value appears the printer's name "Geldig Tot En Met" and the date "31 December 1937" after which time the stamps were no longer valid for postage. Designed by Pijke Koch. The Dutch Indies, a Netherlands colony, also had a set of two stamps showing Scouts for this Jamboree.



MAY 2, 1949

- #B194-198. Photogravure
- Picturing Scouts.
- #B195 5+3c. Blue, yellow. Girl, Boy Scout hiking
- #B196 6+4c Green. Tents, Boy Scouts camping
- Picturing other activities.
- #B194 2+4c Blue and yellow. Seashore scene
- #B197 10+5c Blue and yellow. Girl harvesting wheat
- #B198 20+5c Blue. Sailboats

These stamps pictured youth and other activities and altho not mentioning Scouts, the Scout hats and neckerchiefs denote the popular Scout movement.





Netherlands Antilles

(Curacao)

FEBRUARY 22, 1957

#B28-30 Photogravure c=cents

#B28 6+7½ Yellow

#B29 7½+2½c Green

#B30 15+5c Red

Baden-Powell appears in these identical designs, recognizing his 100th birthday and the 50th year of Scouting. Small badges appear in each of the four corners. The dates 1907-1957 appear below the central wreath. Printed by John Enschede, Haarlem.



New Zealand

OCTOBER 9, 1944

#B24-25. Engraved-embossed

1d+½d Green; 2d+1d Blue

Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret are both shown in their Girl Guide uniforms (Guides are British Girl Scouts). This set is one of the annual "Health Stamps" aided by the surtax.

OCTOBER 7, 1953

#B42-43. Photogravure. d = penny
½d Blue. Girl Scouts, flag, parad-
ing

2d. Green. Boy Scouts, cooking,
camping

These are perhaps the only stamps in the world having a border of dots and dashes of international Morse code, and one of the Scout skill requirements (signaling). Designed by James B. Wellington, the word HEALTH is in code at the top of the ½d value. "NEW ZEALAND HEALTH" is in code on the 2d border. Each year there are different health stamp issues by this country with the 1953 set honoring Scouting.



JANUARY 5, 1959

#326. 3 pence. Red. Engraved -
embossed

The Kiwi bird of Australia was used in the Pan - Pacific Scout Jamboree badge, and adapted to the stamp design by R. J. G. Collins. The special cancel has a Scout hat and signal flags in its design. The event was held January 3-10 in Auckland where 8,200 Scouts from fourteen countries camped together. Printed by Bradbury, Wilkinson & Co., Ltd., New Malden, Surrey, England.



Nicaragua

JULY 15, 1949

- #717-729. Photogravure. Sports Issue
- #718. Boy Scout 2 cents. Blue. (Regular postage)
- #C296-308. Photogravure. Sports Issue
- #C307. Boy Scout. 2 cordobas. Brown (Airmail postage)

These twenty-six stamps were issued to raise funds for a modern national sports stadium, and honors the 10th World Series of Amateur Baseball 1948. Altho dated on the stamps 1948, they were not issued until 1949. The design of both Scout values are the same except the size of the stamp. There are 26 souvenir sheets, four identical stamps to the sheet.

APRIL 9, 1957

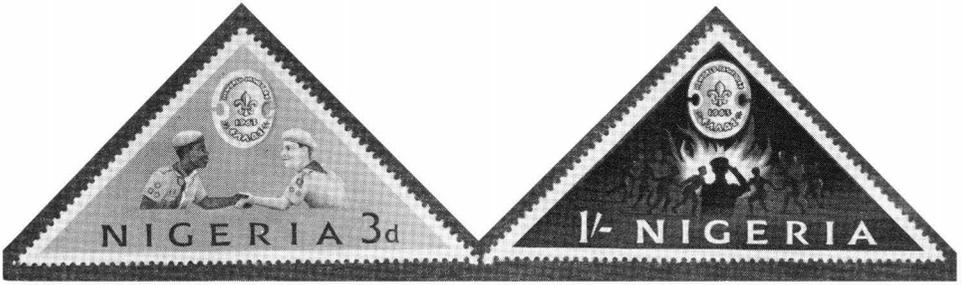
Photogravure

#778-782. Regular Postage. (100,000)
 C377-C386. Airmail Postage (100,000)

Souvenir Sheets:

- #778-782. Five stamps on one imperforate sheet with border inscription. (25,000)
- #C382-C386. Five stamps on one imperforate sheet, same border inscription as above. (25,000)

Commemorates Jubilee Year of Scouting and the 100th year of B-P's birth. Baden-Powell appears on the 25 cents maroon and blue regular postage, and two airmail: 4 cents, brown and blue; 1 cordoba maroon and olive. Portraits of a Cub are on 15c and 5c airmail; Boy Scouts on 10c, 20c, and 85c airmail; Explorer on 75c airmail. Their Scout founder Joseph A. Harrison is shown on the 50c regular, and 30c airmail. Other airmail show 6c flags, 8c axe, rope, 40c President's award (Inter-American Executive Commissioner of World Scout Bureau, Salvadore Fernandez, at left).



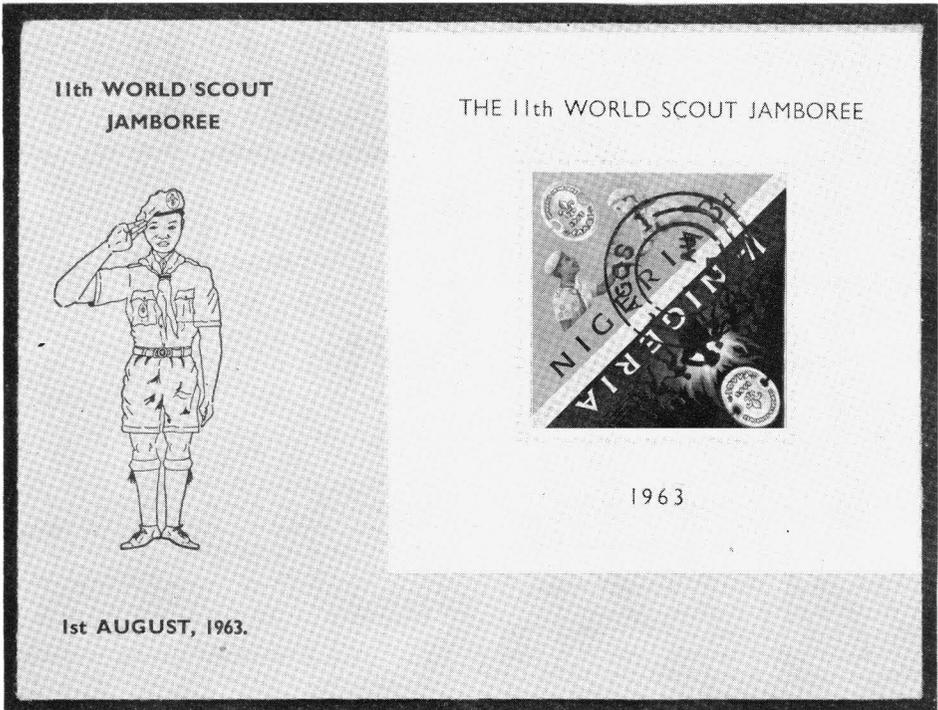
Nigeria

AUGUST 1, 1963

#145-6. Photogravure
 3 pence. Green, red. Jamboree badge, Scouts giving Scout hand-clasp (Greek and Nigerian)
 1 shilling. Red, black. Jamboree badge, Scout game around camp-fire

The first triangle Scout stamps ever

issued. Honoring the 11th World Scout Jamboree held in Greece August 1-11, 1963. 3d designed by Stephanos Apotolou, the 1s by G. A. Okiki. Printed in sheets of 60 by Harrison & Sons Ltd. Both values appear on the same souvenir sheet perforated, with a wide border and inscription. "The 11th World Scout Jamboree 1963."





Pakistan

DECEMBER 28, 1958

- #101-102. Scout Overprint, Black ink
6 pies. on 1954 Kaghan Valley, Violet
8 annas. on 1955 Jute Mill. Purple

This overprint reads "Pakistan Boy Scout 2nd National Jamboree Chittagong Dec. 58 - Jan. 59." There are variations in the type such as a short letter P in the first word, and extra space between the A and N in Pakistan, which occur on the same stamps in each full sheet.



Panama

FEBRUARY 7, 1964

- Panama Boy Scout RA52 to 56.
Girl Scout RA57 to 61.

Postal Tax Stamps, 1c values: Lithographed.

- 5 Boy Scout, colors: blue, gray, red, olive, purple.
5 Girl Scout, colors: orange, green, deep purple, yellow, brown.

These ten stamps, five showing the same Scout saluting, and five of a Girl Scout giving the Scout sign, are part of a charity tax system started in 1939 as an aid to cancer research, physical education, and youth rehabilitation. The Girl Scout program here is not a recognized part of the Girl Scout World Bureau.

Also exist imperforate.



Pakistan

DECEMBER 24, 1960

- #121. 2 annas. Green, red, yellow.
Engraved-embossed

The 3rd National Jamboree, Lahore was from December 24-31, 1960. This stamp pictures "Kim's Gun" which Rudyard Kipling immortalized, in his story "Kim" which has become a part of Scout lore. It was also the emblem for this Jamboree. Scout camp cancels also show the cannon.



Paraguay

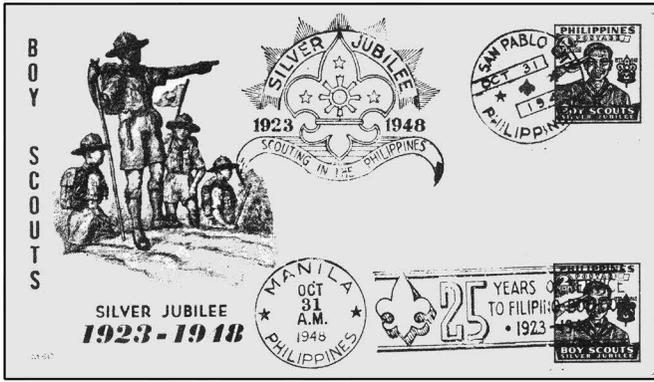
FEBRUARY 6, 1962

- Regular Postage: Scout Bugler, Tents, Badge
#627 0.10 purple, green
#628 0.20 orange, green
#629 0.25 purple, green
#630 0.30 two greens
#631 0.50 purple, green, (also Souv. Sht.)
Airmail Postage: Baden-Powell, Badge
#C314 12.45 purple, red
#C315 36. green, red
#C316 50. brown, red

Stamps and souvenir sheet also issued imperforate in colors different from the perforated stamps and in limited quantities. Number reported:

	Stamps	Souv. Sheets
Perforated	10,000	5,000
Imperforate	5,000	3,000

The limited number issued, especially of the imperforate variety, and some circumstances surrounding the issue create a lack of acceptance of the validity of these stamps. First Day Covers have Scout badge cancels reading "Siempre Listo" (Be Prepared, the Scout Motto).



Philippines

OCTOBER 31, 1948

- #528-529. Typographed
 2 centavos. Green, brown. 1½ million
 4 centavos. Brown, pink. 1 million
 #528a-529a. Imperforate: ½ million each

This issue commemorated the 25th (Silver Jubilee) anniversary of the Philippines Boy Scouts. Both stamps of the same design show a Scout saluting, and the Scout badge. First day cancels read "25 YEARS OF SERVICE TO FILIPINO BOYHOOD 1923-1948" and includes a Scout badge.

JANUARY 19, 1957

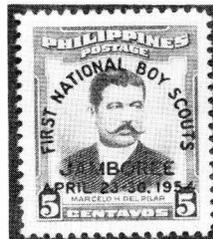
- #637. 5 centavos. Blue. Lithographed. 450,000

Issued on the opening day of the Girl Scout World Camp, January 19 to February 2 in Quezon City. The dates 1857-1957 honor the 100th birth of Baden-Powell. The world badge of the Girl Scouts is included with a girl's profile, and tents. A few of these stamps appeared with the date 1357 instead of 1857. The P.O. blacked out the 1357 and punched the stamps with an irregular shaped hole. Many of these are easily detected forgeries. Also, imperforate, #637a., 50,000.

APRIL 23, 1954

- #608-609. Overprinted on stamps of 1947 and 1952: Black ink
 5 centavos. Red. 1 million
 18 centavos. Green. 300,000

This pair mention the First National Boy Scouts Jamboree, April 23-30, 1954, which was held in Quezon City. The 18c value actually changed the 1952 stamp from a 50c denomination.





Philippines

JULY 17, 1959

Airmail issues

- #CB1. 30+10c. Scout cyclist. Green.
100,000 sheets of 50
CB2. 70+20. Scout with model plane.
Brown. 100,000 sheets of 50
CB3. 80+20. Scout and adult leader.
Purple. 100,000 sheets of 50

JULY 22, 1959

Regular issues. Yellow Paper

- B10. 6+4c. Scout cooking. Red. 2½
million, sheets of 50
B11. 25+5. Scout archer. Blue. 500,
000 sheets of 50

JULY 26, 1959

Souvenir sheet. White Paper

- CB3a. Above 5 stamps, sheet 3½
x 6¾. Marginal inscription engrav-
ed. 100,000 copies.

JULY 22, 1959

Tete-Beche. White Paper

- B10a with B11a, 200,000 Pairs in
sheets of 40 (20 pairs). Alternate
stamps are inverted

Issued to honor the 10th World Jamboree July 17-26, held in Makiling National Park, Laguna, near Manila. All stamps were engraved - embossed and printed by the "Government Printing Bureau, Tokyo" which is a line of copy on the marginal borders. Jamboree badge design is in the cancellations "10th World Jamboree Camp, Laguna, Philippines." First day cancels in Manila also show the Jamboree emblem which appears in more detail at the top of each stamp.



Philippines

MAY 2, 1961

- #832-833. Overprinted on #B10-B11:
10c surcharged on 6+4c. Black ink
30c surcharged on 25+5. Red ink
(300,000 sets). Yellow paper
#833-833a. Overprinted on B10a -
B11a:

Tete-Beche pair, white paper
10c surcharged on 6+4c. Black ink
30c surcharged on 25+5c. Black ink
(100,000 sets)

"2nd National Boy Scout Jamboree Pasonanca Park" was the overprint with the surcharges, for this camp held in Zamboanga City, May 2-8, 1961. First day covers have a cancel with a Scout's face centered in a Scout badge.



Poland

NOVEMBER 11, 1938

#334. 25 groszy. Purple. Engraved-embossed

A Boy Scout in shorts carrying a staff, is shown with allegorical figures, in this stamp commemorating the restoration of territory ceded by Czechoslovakia. Independent from 1918 to 1939. Poland has not been free since 1939.



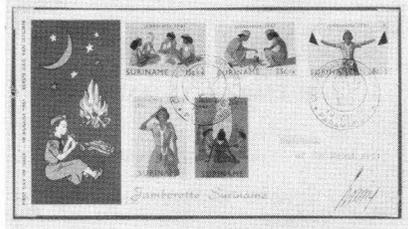
Portugal

JUNE 11, 1962

#885-890. Photogravure. 500,000 sets

- \$ 2 o Black, grey, tan, yellow. (2 centavos)
- \$ 5 o Green, grey, black. (5 centavos)
- 1 \$ 00 Maroon, tan grey. (1 escuda)
- 2 \$ 50 Grey, blue, orange. (2 escudas 50 centavos)
- 3 \$ 50 Purple, yellow, black, grey. (3e 50c)
- 6 \$ 50 Green, tan, black, grey. (6e 50c)

Although issued in 1962, these stamps honor the 18th International Scout Conference held in Lisbon September 19-24, 1961. The design of tents in a modern interpretation include their Scout badge. There was a Girl-Boy Scout cancel dated 6 Augo 1962 for their national Scout exposition.



Surinam

AUGUST 19, 1961

#B80-84. Lithographed. All show Girl Scout activities

- 8c+2 Blue, brown, black. Signaling
- 10c+3 Violet, brown, black. Saluting
- 15c+4 Yellow, red, brown, black. Games
- 25c+6 Blue, brown, black, olive. Cooking

For the Girl Scout Jamboree of five Caribbean nations, these stamps were issued on the opening day. Designed by N. Loning and printed in four color offset lithography by Enschede en Zonen, Netherlands, in sheets of fifty. This two week camping event marked twelve years of Girl Scouting in Surinam.



Switzerland

MARCH 21, 1963

#422-427. Photogravure

Publicity Series includes Red Cross, Alipine Club, Railroading, Hunger, Postal Conference and:

#422. Boy Scouts. 5 centimes. Grey, brown, red, black

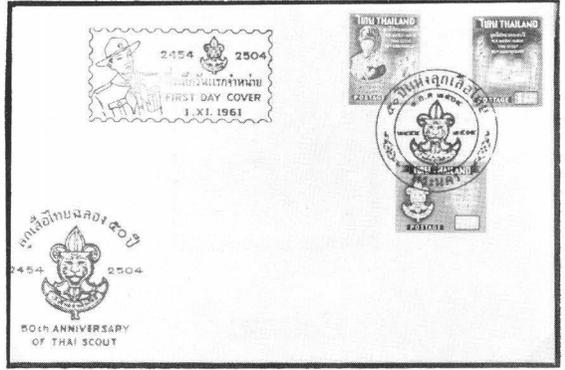
Honoring the 50 years of Boy Scouts in Switzerland 1913-1963, this stamp was one of six in the set. Printed in sheets of twenty-five with border inscriptions and numbered. Attractive announcement folders reproduce the stamps in full color, and slightly larger.

Thailand (Siam)

NOVEMBER 1, 1961

- #370-372. Photogravure
 50 satangs. Red. Tiger Scout badge, sign
 1 baht. Green. Scouts and their headquarters
 2 baht. Blue. King, Cub, Girl Scout, Boy Scout

This set honored the 50th year for Thailand Scouting, 2454 to 2504 on their calendar. A special first day Scout badge cancel was used. Printed by the Japanese State Printing Plant, Tokyo.



Togo

OCTOBER 7, 1961

- #401-406. Photogravure. f = francs
 0.50f. Orange, green, black. Daniel C. Beard (USA)
 1f. Purple, red. Baden-Powell
 10f. Grey, brown. Togo Scout
 25f. Blue, red, yellow, green. Togo Scout Chief Daniel Wilson
 30f. Green, red, yellow. Tents, campfire
 100f. Red, blue. Scout signs representing three different colors of people (world friendship through Scouting)

These stamps recognized the 20th anniversary of the deaths of two famous Scout leaders in the USA and England. The designs are by Michael Goaman of London, England, and also printed there by Thomas de la Rue, both names appearing on the stamps below the frames. Taking advantage of the popularity of Scout stamp collectors, Togo issued each set on four unnecessary souvenir sheets: Imperatorate sheets, grey printed background and yellow background. Also, with simulated perfs.





Trinidad & Tobago

APRIL 4, 1961

- #103-104. Photogravure
- 8 cents. Light green background
- 25 cents. Blue background

Queens portrait and her Wolf Award are in black ink with the country name. The Scouts are in four color process. The map is in solid yellow. The denominations, dates and "Second Caribbean Jamboree" are in white (called "reverse" lettering). These identical designs picture Scouts of different races, and reflect the friendships of the Jamboree held April 4-14 at Valsayn Park, Trinidad. The camp cancel reads "Jamboree B O Trinidad." The margins of full sheets show IA five times in five colors: green, yellow, red, black, blue. (for printer's color guide).

The stamps were sold for three months in all post offices, the entire proceeds going to the Boy Scouts Association. Printed by Harrison and Sons, Ltd., in multi-color photogravure.

Tunisia

AUGUST 9, 1960

- #368-372. Engraved-embossed
- 10 mil. Blue-green. Arab boy, girl in native dress
- 25 mil. Red, brown, green. Humor in Scout sign
- 30 mil. Green, purple, maroon. Scout bugler, tent
- 40 mil. Red, blue, black. Scout badge, peacock
- 60 mil. Black, brown, maroon. Scout with staff, campfire

This issue advertised the 4th Pan-Arab Scout Jamboree, Tunisia, for Scouts in the Arab countries. Scout camp cancels in Arabic and English read: "Jamboree Arabe, 9.8.60 Tunis 1 Jour." On the full sheets there is a thatched pattern engraved in the marginal areas that are the size of the stamps, attached to the top row of five stamps, and the bottom row of five. (see illustration). These are in different colors. Each stamp design is by a different artist:

Value	Artist	Margin Color
10m	Gorgi	Green
25m	El Mekki	Green
30m	Yahia	Maroon
40m	Bellaha	Black
60m	Ben Abdallah	Brown





Turkey

OCTOBER 29, 1938

- #805-810. Photogravure
 #809. 8 kuruş. Purple. Scout buglers

This set celebrates the 15th anniversary of the Republic, with one stamp showing Boy Scouts, while the others include:

805. 2½k. Green. Infantry parade
 806. 3k. Red-brown. Kayseri city view
 807. 6k. Brown. President and tractor
 808. 7½k. Red. Bridge
 810. 12½k. Blue. President Ataturk



AUGUST 26, 1946

- #RA 101-108. Lithographed.
 Boy Scout:
 #RA105. 40k. Brown and red

JANUARY 15, 1949

- #RA 139-146. Same overprinted
 "Sefkat Pulu" (meaning "Stamp
 of Kindness.") Red
 Boy Scout:
 #RA143. Same plus red overprint

The Boy Scouts were honored to be included in this set of postal tax stamps that recognized the Turkish Red Cross:

- RA 101, RA 139 1k Hospital ship
 RA 102, RA 140 4k Ambulance plane
 RA 103, RA 141 10k Hospital train
 RA 104, RA 142 25k Ambulance car
 RA 106, RA 144 70k Stretcher bearers
 RA 107 RA 145 1 Lira, Nurse, hospital
 RA 108 RA 146 2½ Lira, Red Crescent headquarterers.

JULY 22, 1962

- #1547-1549. Lithographed. 700,000 sets
 #1547. 30k. Green, red, black. Boy Scouts, campfire, tent
 #1548. 60k. Violet, red, black. Boy Scouts hiking
 #1549. 105k. Tan, red, black. Cub Scout and Girl Scout saluting

The date on each of these stamps 1912-1962 refers to the 50th year of Turkish Scouting. The Scout cancel is a line drawing of the figures in the 105k stamp. All three stamps include the Turkey Scout badge with the crescent and star in white. The 105k also exists imperforate.



United Arab Republic (Syria)

AUGUST 27, 1958

#C4-5. Typographed. 75,000 sets
35 piasters. Brown. 40p. Blue

These two airmail stamps mention "Boy Scouts Pan-Arab Jamboree 19-58" and are identical in design showing a Scout driving in a tent stake. Although the face value is only a little over 20c USA currency, the speculative handling, and the small quantity accounted for high prices within a few weeks because of the popularity of this topic among Scout collectors. Both stamps exist imperforate.



U.A.R. (Egypt)

JULY 25, 1956

- #B13-15. Photogravure. 150,000 sets
- #B13 10+10 mils Green, Boy Scout badge
- #B14 20+10 mils Violet, Sea Scout badge
- #B15 35+15 mils Blue, Air Scout badge

Although this set of stamps was issued for 2nd Pan Arab Jamboree, not all of the twenty-two Arab states participated. Dwarfing the importance of the Scout event was the speech of President Nasser at the Jamboree that the Suez Canal would be closed. Each stamp has the same border in the "Arab Chain," a motif found on classical Arab architecture. Inscriptions are in both Arabic and French. The Christian date (left) and Moselm date (right) are 1956 and 1375. In French below the design reads "2nd Arab Jamboree, Alexandria-Aboukir 1956." 2,500 souvenir sheets were printed perf and imperf showing the three stamps. One pair of sheets were given with the purchase of 200 sets of stamps. It has been reported that the unsold sheets were destroyed when the sale of stamps was discontinued.



U.A.R. (Egypt)

FEBRUARY 22, 1962

#114. 10 mils. Blue. Rotogravure.

This stamp marked the 25th anniversary of the Egyptian Girl Guides Association. Designed by M. Badr Bahgat, two million copies were printed by the Survey Department, Giza, a suburb of Cairo. Arabic reads "Be Ever Ready" the Girl Guides motto. The badge is the international trifoil, with a change of inscription for each country.



United States of America

OCTOBER 29, 1948

Girl Scouts
#974. 3 cents. Green. Founder
Juliette Low

JULY 24, 1962

#1199. 4 cents. Red. Girl Scout and
flag

Juliette Low started her first Girl Scout troop in the U. S. A. in Savannah, Georgia, March 12, 1912. She was a friend of Lord and Lady Baden-Powell and was a frequent visitor in their home in England. She is shown on the 3 cents engraved-embossed stamp of 1948 with the USA badge. 60 million printed in sheets of 50. The 1962 Girl Scout stamp honored the 50th anniversary in America. Designed by Ward Brackett and also engraved in sheets of 50; quantity 120 million. First day cancellations "Button Bay Station, Burlington, Vermont" were at the third national "Round-Up" for senior Girl Scouts of America.

JUNE 30, 1950

Boy Scouts
#995. 3 cents. Brown. Scout, Cub
and Explorer

FEBRUARY 8, 1960

#1145. 4 cents. Red, blue. brown.
Scout saluting

Scouting began in the USA in 1910, making the 40th anniversary year 1950 when the 3 cent Boy Scout stamp was engraved - embossed in a quantity of 131,635,000 according to P.O. records. The first day cancels at the 2nd National Jamboree read "Valley Forge, Pa." appearing in a large size, hand

struck, and a smaller size, machine cancelled. First day ceremonies were held at the National Jamboree in Valley Forge. The 1960 engraved stamp helped to celebrate the 50th anniversary of Scouting, and was designed by the noted artist Norman Rockwell. Printed on Giori press. Two sizes of cancels also appeared, showing the Scout badge, "For God and Country" and Washington, D. C. with the date. 120 million copies were sold, and 1,419,955 first day covers, cancelled. The greatest number of first day covers cancelled up to this date for any one stamp.



Viet-Nam

DECEMBER 25, 1959

#124-127. Engraved-embossed Scout
hiking. 1,000,000 sets
3d. Green. 4d. Red. 8d. Purple, red
20d. Dark and light blue

These stamps, all of the same design honor their first National Jamboree. Trang-Bom, national park near Saigon, was the campsite for their 2,000 Scouts and leaders. Scout badge cancels applied in Saigon read "Hop Ban Huong Dao" meaning Scouts of Viet - Nam. The designer was Thai Van Ngon.

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2. Associations registered with the World Bureau

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New Zealand: Cook Is., Western Samoa.

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4. States still having Scouting registered via (1)

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