

ASTRONOMY STUDY UNIT
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PURPOSE: To collect and study philatelic material portraying the various aspects of astronomy, astrology, and related subjects, and to communicate this knowledge to unit members and other interested persons.

MEMBERSHIP: Open to any collector interested in astrophilately, Application for membership should be submitted in writing to the unit Secretary/Treasurer and accompanied by dues for at least one year (four issues). To join the Astronomy Study Unit, ATA membership is not required, but it is encouraged.

DUES: Annually \$8 payable in US dollars.

PUBLICATIONS: ASTROFAX, a quarterly bulletin of 8 to 12 letter-sized pages features articles, reports, and checklists covering all phases of astrophilately. Back issues are available to members. Write Sec/Treasurer for details. Astrofax will go all digital in 2016,

ASTRONOMY & PHILATELY, HB90: A 76-page reference book includes checklists, biographies and special cancels. Published in 1977. Order from John W. G. Budd, 728 Sugar Camp Way, Brooksville Florida, 34604 U.S.A. Price \$5, US and Canada-\$8 outside North America.

CHECKLISTS: A continuously up-dated master checklist of astronomy on stamps from 1976 is available from the Sec/Treasurer for \$5..

ACTIVITIES & BENEFITS Free ads in the bulletin for members seeking to buy, sell, trade. Directory of members and addresses to aid correspondence. Collecting interests of ASU members.

Won't you join us today in the study of this fascinating subject?

ASTRONOMY STUDY UNIT MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

E-mail: _____

ATA # _____ / / non-ATA ASU # _____

Occupation: _____

Please check all of the following that apply to your interests.

My astronomy collection includes:

/ / general astronomy / / astrology / / Copernicus / / astronomers / / history / / instruments / / observatories / / space programs / / Zodiac

Other: (specify) _____

Types of material I collect:

/ / everything related / / stamps / / covers / / cancels / / postal stationery / / slogans, meters / / seals, labels

Other: collecting interests _____

Dues enclosed for: / / one year, / / two years, / / _____ years.

Mail this application along with the dues specified above to:

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