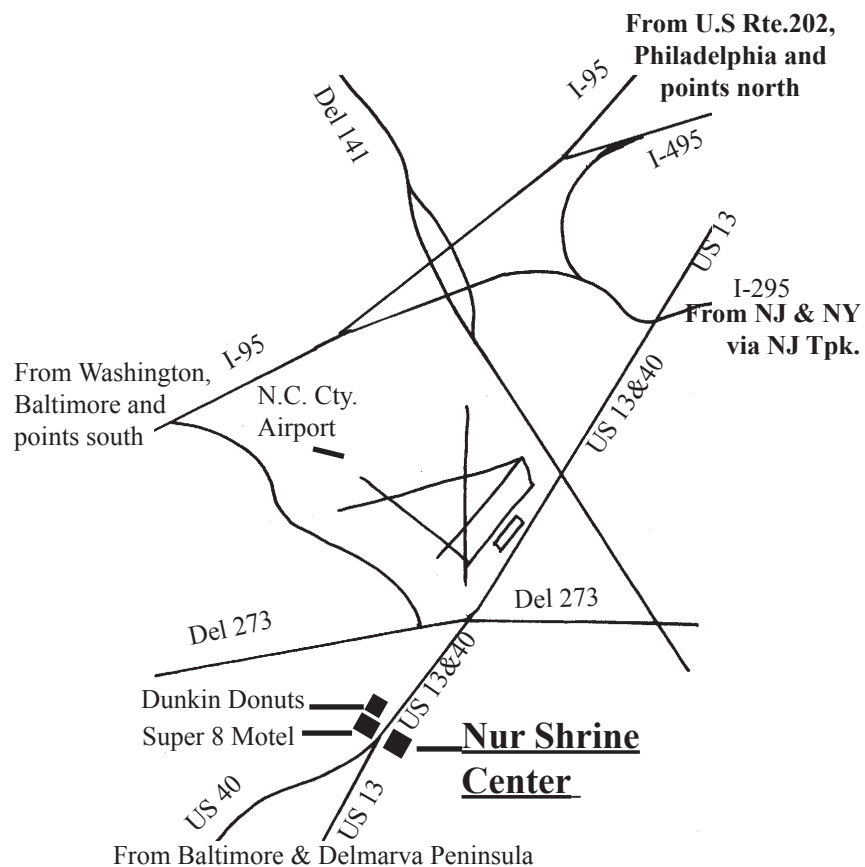


## NUR SHRINE CENTER LOCATION



### Directions

#### Coming from I-95, I-495, NJ Turnpike, DE 1, 141 or 273:

Exit on Del. 141 south. (To New Castle) : Turn south on US 13. Follow US 13 & 40 south 0.9 miles past intersection with Del. 273. Stay in left lane and make U-turn at last crossover before 13 & 40 split (just past Dunkin Donuts & Super 8 Motel). Nur Center is on right, opposite motel.

#### Coming south on US 13 & 40:

Continue 0.9 miles past intersection with Del. 273. Stay in left lane and make U-turn at last crossover before 13 & 40 split (just past Dunkin Donuts & Super 8 Motel). Nur Center is on right, opposite motel.

#### Coming north on US 13 or US 40:

Travel north to junction of US 13 & 40. Nur Center is just past the intersection at right.

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# DELPEX 2024

STAMP EXHIBITION  
AND BOURSE



*Universal Postal Union  
Sesquicentennial*

**SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2024**

**10 AM - 5 PM**

**NUR SHRINE CENTER**

*198 South DuPont Highway (U.S. Routes 13 & 40)  
New Castle, Delaware 19720*

## *This Year at DELPEX*

### *Honoring the Universal Postal Union 150th Anniversary*

This year's DELPEX show recognizes the establishment of the Universal Postal Union, an international organization which regulates mail handling and postal rates between those nations who are members. It is a specialized agency of the United Nations.

In conjunction with that theme, a commemorative cacheted cover with a thematic cancel will be available. It will be serviced by the on-site USPS show substation or available by mail. The show continues at the same location as in 2023, the Nur Shrine Center at 168 South DuPont Highway (U.S. Routes 13 & 40) in New Castle, Delaware 19720.

Please see the back page for a map. Parking and admission are free. The dealer bourse has twenty tables, and we will have a U.S. Postal Service substation to sell new issues and service covers. As in the past, a Bid Board Silent Auction with over five hundred lots will be held. Bidding closes at 3:30 PM.

### **DELPEX EXHIBITS**

A Members' Showcase exhibit will feature individual pages which highlight BVSC members' collecting interests. Multi-frame exhibits, competitive and non-competitive will be offered. Exhibitors may enter up to 10 frames of sixteen pages each. No limits are placed on arrangement of material. No frame fees will be charged to any entrant. Additional entry forms are available from, and all inquiries should be directed to:

Mr. Karl Autenrieth, P.O. Box 402, Hockessin, DE 19707  
email: kautenrieth@comcast.net, Cell: (302) 690-9805

A separate entry form is required for each exhibit. Completed forms must be received by three weeks before the show date to ensure a listing in the program. Specific information is needed on how your exhibit is to be delivered and returned. Those exhibitors who prefer to mount their own material must be at the exhibit hall by 8 AM. Mailed exhibits require the prepayment of postage both ways.

Mounting of the exhibits will be between 7 AM and 10 AM on Saturday. We will make every reasonable effort to protect exhibits; no representations are made with respect to loss or damage. Exhibitors are advised to obtain their own insurance if desired.

## **DELPEX 2024 EXHIBITING RULES**

1. Competitive exhibits are to conform with the DELPEX rules, which generally follow those for A.P.S. Display Class, which are intended to appeal to the general public. The exhibitor's effort will be judged against that standard. All exhibits will be judged using the DELPEX rules.

Summarizing, the criteria are:

Story Content - 30%, Philatelic Content - 20%, Originality - 10%,

Knowledge - 20%, Condition - 10%, and Presentation - 10%.

Photos, FDCs, Cinderellas, etc., supporting the story may add viewer appeal. Please note on the entry form whether the exhibit is competitive or non-competitive.

2. This exhibition is open to all collectors regardless of their philatelic affiliation who conform to these rules. A youth's entry form requires a parental or guardian's signature.

3. Each frame holds sixteen 8-1/2" x 11" pages. There is no rule as to how that space may be utilized at this show. If an unusual mounting is required, instructions must accompany the exhibit.

4. Judging will be done by a panel of local philatelists having no conflict of interest. Awards will be first, second and third place ribbons per the A.P.S. point system plus a "Best in Show" award. Exhibits may be removed after 3 PM Saturday.

DELPEX is sponsored by the Brandywine Valley Stamp Club of Wilmington, Delaware. For more information, visit the club's web site at:

**[www.brandywinevalleystampclub.com](http://www.brandywinevalleystampclub.com)**