Canadian Philatelic Society of Great Britain 77th Annual Convention

Monday October 6th to Sunday October 12th 2025 Over Zoom

Competition Entry Form

Please enter the following $\underline{16}$ sheet ($^{N}300 \times ^{N}250$ mm) exhibit — equivalents such as 8 x double size sheets or 12 sheets at 1 h size are acceptable this year as the display of entries will be digital only.

Title: Postal markings used in Fredericton, New Brunswick during the stampless period, pre-1851.

Brief description of exhibit: The first post office was established in Fredericton in 1785 when the seat of government was moved there from St. John. A few early dated letters are known to exist, but no postal markings from Fredericton prior to 1795 have been recorded. This exhibit contains examples of the postal markings used in Fredericton from 1795 to September 5, 1851, the date when the first New Brunswick pence stamps went on sale.

To be entered into the following Class...

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Class la: Stamps and Postal Stationery up to 1902 Class 1b: Stamps and Postal Stationery post 1902

Class 2: Postal History, any period

Class 3: Thematic Class 4: Revenues

Exhibitor details:

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All Competition Entry Forms must be received by <u>Friday August 29th 2025</u> by e mail or post to Graham Searle at <u>searle711@btinternet.com</u> or to Ryvoan, 11 Riverside

Banchory AB31 6PS.

Exhibits themselves should be sent to the President at searle711@btinternet.com no later than Friday 5th September 2025 as a pdf file.

Exhibits will be posted on the Society website and will remain there until after the Convention week for all members to view.