

# NEW STAMP ISSUES

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**Brazil:** June 27, 2016. Rio Olympics. Sheet of 16 - 1.50r stamps, children's designs.

October 15, 2016. Joao Carlos de Oliveria. 1.70r stamps showing the Olympic Triple Jump Medalist.

**Cameroun:** August 18, 2014. Sprinter. Set of two 50f and 200f stamps, EMS

**Canada:** October 20, 2017. History of Ice Hockey. S/s with two P stamps, modern player, old-time player. Pane of 10 booklet stamps has the same designs.

October 24, 2017. Centenary Toronto Maple Leafs hockey team. Single P stamp depicts a maple leaf with 100 in center. Booklet pane of 10 also.

January 24, 2018. Female Athletes in Winter Games. Set of five non-denominated stamps, Sharon Firth and Shirley Firth cross country skiing; Sonja Gauert wheelchair curling; Danielle Goyette hockey; Nancy Greene alpine skiing; Clara Hughes cycling and speed skating. Issued in a booklet pane of 10 and a souvenir sheet of 5 stamps.

**Chad:** July 10, 2017. Sochi Olympics. Sheetlet of four 800F stamps, speed skating; snowboarding; figure skating; freestyle skiing. S/s 3300F stamp, Felix Loch.

July 10, 2017. Formula 1. Sheetlet of four 800F stamps, Sebastian Vettel, Red Bull racing; Jenson Button, Brawn GP; Lewis Hamilton, Mercedes AMG Petronas; Fernando Alonso, McLaren Racing. Souvenir sheet with one 3300F stamp, Nico Rosberg, Mercedes AMG Petronas.

**China:** August 5, 2016. Rio Olympic Games. Set of 2 stamps, \$1.20 women's volleyball, \$1.50 men's relay.

**China (Taiwan):** August 16, 2017. Summer Universiade. Block of 8 5\$ stamps, weight lifting; archer; track; taekwondo; baseball; basketball volleyball. Block of 8 \$15 stamps, weight lifting; archery; track; volleyball; taekwondo; table tennis; basketball; baseball. S/s with one \$25 stamp.

**Colombia:** July 7, 2016. Rio Olympics. 500p stamp and label showing dove. S/s 25,000p stamp, dove.

December 12, 2016. Rio Olympics. Sheet of four 2,000p stamps showing medals. Sheet of four 10,000p stamps showing medals won in the Games.

**Cuba:** August 21, 2016. Rio Olympics. Set of 6 stamps, 10c boxing; 20c rowing; 30c volleyball; 65c wrestling; 75c judo; 85c taekwondo. S/s 1p, running.

October 12, 2016. Rio Olympics. Set of 4: 65c Olympic Torch; 65c Rio de Janeiro; 65c golf; 65c rugby.

**Egypt:** September 14, 2017. 50th Anniversary General Sports Union for Business. \$2 stamp depicts emblem and athletics.

**Estonia:** July 1, 2017. World Orienteering Championships. €1.50 stamps showing runner.

**Finland:** January 15, 2016. World Junior Ice Hockey Championships. One stamp depicting the team.

**France:** May 19, 2017 Centenary of Coupe de France Soccer Tournament. One 73c stamp showing soccer players and trophy.

June 2, 2017. Carnival. Set of 10 stamps one depicts bowling.

June 24 2017. Harness Race at Rambouillet Hippodrome. 73c stamps showing racing horses.

July 22, 2017. World Wrestling Championships. €1.30 stamps depicting wrestlers in action.

**Guinea:** October 9, 2017. Ice Hockey Championships. Sheetlet of four 12,500 FG stamps, Nikita Goussev; Nikita Koutcherov; Mitchell Marmer; Vadim Chipatchiov. Souvenir sheet with one 50,000 FG stamp, Artemi Panarine.

October 9, 2017. World Athletic Championships. Sheetlet of four 12,500 FG stamps, Barbora Spotakova, Javelin throw, Omar McLeod, hurdling; Katerina Stefanide, pole vault, Tomas Walsh, shot put; Usain Bolt, sprint, Wayde van Niekerk, 400 meters; Luvo Manyonga, long jump, Geoffrey Kirui, marathon. Souvenir sheet with one 50,000 FG stamp, Andrius Gudzius, discus throw, Tori Bowie, sprint.

September 20, 2017. 50th Anniversary Donald Campbell. Sheetlet of four 800F stamps, Donald Campbell; Bluebird K7; with wife Tonia. Souvenir sheet with one 3300F stamp, Campbell.

February 27, 2018. International Isle of Man TT Race. Sheetlet of four 12,500 FG stamps, Honda CBR1000RR; BMW S1000RR; Kawasaki ER650; Honda RS125. S/s of one 50,000 FG, Yamaha YZF-R6.

February 27, 2018. Tennis. Sheetlet of four 12,500 FG stamps, tennis scenes. S/s 50,000 FG, tennis scene.

**Guinea-Bissau:** January 9, 2018. Cricket. Sheetlet of five 640 FCFA stamps, Chris Gayle; Steve Waugh; Inzaman-ul-Haq; Virat Kohli; AB de Villiers. Souvenir sheet with one 3200 FCFA stamp, Adam Gilchrist.

**Hungary:** September 15, 2017. Florian Albert. One 300fo stamp depicting Albert receiving the 1967 Ballon d'Or Trophy.

**Liberia:** September 15, 2014. Sochi Olympics Gold Medalists. Sheet of 3 \$125. stamps, Vic Wild snowboarding; Canadian ice hockey player; Jorgen Graabak Nordic combined. Souvenir sheet of two \$175 stamps, Kamil Stoch ski jumping; Anton Kushnir freestyle skiing.

**Liechtenstein:** November 13, 2017. Pyeongchang Winter Olympics. Set of two stamps, 170p Nordic skiing; 200p alpine skiing.

**Luxembourg:** July 4, 2017. Centenary of Luxembourg Cycling Federation. 70c, cyclist.

July 4, 2017. Tour de France, Fourth Stage. 70c stamp shows cyclist.

**Moldova:** August 23, 2017. Sports. Set of 2 stamps, 1.75 l volleyball; 9.50 l Tennis.

**New Zealand:** June 7, 2017. Surfing areas. Set of five stamps, \$1 Piha Bar, Piha; \$2.20 Manu Bay, Raglan; \$2.30 Surf Highway 45, Taranaki; \$2.70 Mangamauna, Kaikoura; \$3.30 Aramoana, Spit Dunedin.

July 3, 2017. Victory of Emirates Team in America's Cup Yacht Race. Sheet of six \$2.70 stamps depicting the ships racing.

**Niger:** December 12, 2017. Formula 1. Sheetlet with four 800F stamps, Mika Hakkinen; Kimi Raikkonen; Fernando Alonso; Lewis Hamilton. Sheetlet with one 3300F stamp, Michael Schumacher.

December 12, 2017. Golf. Sheetlet of four 800F stamps, Jason Day; Lexi Thompson; So Yeon Ryu; Rickie Fowler. Sheetlet with one 3300F stamp, Jon Rahm, Anna Norqvist.

December 12, 2107. Cricket. Sheetlet of four 800F stamps, various action scenes. Souvenir sheet with one 3200F stamp, action scene.

2017. Taekwondo World Champion. Sheetlet of four 800F stamps. This is a local issue.

**Poland:** August 5, 2017. Tall Ships Racing. Souvenir sheet with one 6z stamp, tall ships.

August 10, 2017. European Men's Volleyball Championships. Strip of 4 2.60z round stamps all depicting action scenes in volleyball.

**Qatar:** September 26, 2016. Road Cycling World Championships. Sheetlet of 3 stamps, 3.50r cyclists wear same jerseys, 4r cyclist and mascot, 4.50r cyclists wearing different jerseys.

**Russia:** August 23, 2017. Stadiums for the 2018 World Cup Soccer Championships. Set of four 22r stamps, Nizhny Novgorod; Kalingrad Stadium; Mordovia Arens, Sarask; St. Petersburg Stadium.

**St. Vincent:** June 7, 2016. Rio Olympic Games. Two sheets of four \$4 stamps, sheet 1: taekwondo; basketball; synchronized swimming; water polo. Sheet 2: badminton; sailing; road cycling modern pentathlon. Souvenir sheet consists of two \$7 stamps, swimming; Shigeo Arai.

**Serbia:** February 27, 2017. European Indoor Track & Field Championships. Postal Tax Stamp, 10d runner.

April 21, 2017. 30th Belgrade Marathon. 23d stamp depicting runner and emblem.

April 27, 2017. European Wrestling Championships. Postal Tax Stamp, 10d wrestlers.

September 1, 2017. Ljubicevo Equestrian Games. 70d stamps showing rider and horse jumping over fence.

**Sierra Leone:** October 30, 2017. 30th Anniversary of Lionel Messi. Sheetlet of four LE 9800 stamps depicting Messi in action. Souvenir sheet with one LE 40000 stamps showing Messi.

October 30, 2017. Sochi Olympic Games. Sheetlet of four LE 9800 stamps, Ole Einar Bjordalen, Biathlon; Jamie Anderson, Snowboarding; Michel Mulder, Speed Skating; Matthias Mayer, Alpine Skiing. Souvenir sheet with one LE 40000 stamp, Vic Wild, Snowboarding.

October 30, 2017. Formula 1. Sheetlet of four LE 9800 stamps, Valtteri Bottas; Lewis Hamilton; Daniel Ricciardo; Kimi Raikkonen. Souvenir sheet with one LE 40000 stamps, Sebastian Vettel.

October 30, 2017. World Athletic Championships. Sheetlet of four LE 9800 stamps, Pole vault; shot put; discus throw; 100m hurdles. Souvenir sheet with one LE 40000 stamp, javelin throw.

October 30, 2017. Polo. Sheetlet with four LE 9800 stamps, Juan Martin Nero; Gonzalo Pieres Jr; Facundo Pieres; Pablo Mac Donough. Souvenir sheet with one LE 40000 stamp, Adolfo Cambiaso.

October 30, 2017. Marilyn Monroe. Sheetlet of 4 LE stamps, one showing Joe DiMaggio baseball player.

October 30, 2017. 30th Anniversary of Andy Murray. Sheetlet of four LE 9800 stamps depicting Murray. Souvenir sheet with one LE 40000 stamp, showing Murray.

October 30, 2017. Golf. Sheetlet with four LE 9800 stamps, Hideki Matsuyama; Jordan Spieth; Jason Day, Rory McIlroy. Souvenir sheet with one LE 40000 stamp showing Dustin Johnson.

October 30, 2017. Table Tennis. Sheetlet of four LE 9800 stamps, Fan Zhendong; Ding Ning; Zhang Jike; Xu Xin. S/s with one LE 40000 stamp, Ma Long.

October 30, 2017. 120th Anniversary First Boston Marathon. Sheetlet of four LE 9800 stamps, Edna Keplagat; Kathrine Switzer; Tom Longboat; Geoffrey Kirui. Souvenir sheet with one LE 40000 stamp depicting John J McDermott.

October 30, 2017. World Ice Hockey Championships. Sheetlet of four LE 9800 stamps, William Nylander, Sweden; Russia vs Sweden; Canada vs Sweden; Andrei Vasilevsky. Souvenir sheet with one LE 40000 stamp, Henrik Lundqvist.

October 30, 2017. Rugby. Sheetlet of four LE 9800 stamps, Israel Folau; Maro Itoje; Dane Coles; Jamie Heaslip. Souvenir sheet with one LE 40000 stamp, Beauden Barrett.

November 30, 2017. 80th Anniversary Pierre de Coubertin. Sheetlet of four LE 9800 stamps all depicting de Coubertin. Souvenir sheet with one LE 40000 stamp showing de Coubertin.

**Slovakia:** September 7, 2017. Slovak athletes. €1 stamp, Andrej Kvasnak soccer player; Vaclav Nedomansky ice hockey player; Julius Torma Boxer.

**Solomon Islands:** December 07, 2017. 80th Memorial Anniversary of Pierre de Coubertin. Sheetlet of four \$10.00 all depicting de Coubertin. Souvenir sheet with one \$40 stamp showing de Coubertin.

December 7, 2017. World Championships in Athletics. Sheetlet of four \$10 stamps, Karsten Warholm, Gold in 400m hurdles; Mariya Lasitskene, Gold in high jump; Katerina Stefanidi, Gold in pole vault; Mo Farah, Golf in 10,000m running. Souvenir sheet with one \$40 stamp, Justin Gatlin, Golf in 100m sprint.

**Thailand:** July 28, 2016. 64th Birthday Crown Prince Maha Vajiralongkorn. Two stamp set, both 5b value showing cyclists. Souvenir sheet with two pairs of the same stamps.

April 7, 2017. Log Boat Racing. Set of four 3b stamps all depicting long boats racing.

**Togo:** 2017. Evala Wrestlers. Single 1000F stamp and 2500F souvenir sheet. This is a local issue.

February 9, 2018. FIFA World Cup. Set of four 550F stamps, Spartak Stadium, Moscow; Kazan Arenan, Kazan; Saint Petersburg Stadium; Fisht Stadium, Sochi. Printed in sheets of 9.

February 9, 2018. Ice Hockey. Sheetlet of four 800F stamps, all depict ice hockey scenes. Souvenir sheet with one 3300F stamp, ice hockey scene.

**Tonga:** July 18, 2017. Tourism. Sheet of six 2.25pa stamps, one depicts a kayaker near Vava'u Islands.

**United States:** October 20, 2017. History of Ice Hockey. Two forever stamps depicting hockey players.

**Uzbekistan:** June 9, 2017. Rio Olympics. Pair of Gold medalists, 1800s Russian Nurudinov weight lifter; 1900s Xananboy Do'smatov boxing.