

Synopsis

Beyond The Perforation: Revolutionary Women and Their Stories

Purpose of Exhibit:

The purpose of my exhibit is to showcase some of history's most Revolutionary and exceptional women. My exhibit will showcase women from all over the globe starting in the year 1776 and going till 1995. I have been an avid stamp collector for almost four years, and this is my first individual youth exhibit.

Collecting Challenges:

The biggest challenge of creating my exhibit so far has been narrowing down who I would like to include in my exhibit, as there are many Revolutionary and exceptional women throughout the course of history that I was unable to include.

Organization:

My exhibit is organized into thirteen sections:

1. American Revolutionaries
2. Sacagawea
3. Sojourner Truth
4. Harriet Tubman and The Emancipation Proclamation
5. Civil War Era
6. Suffragists
7. Lady Liberty
8. Pioneers of Aviation – Flight
9. Elenor Roosevelt
10. Queen Elizabeth II
11. The Civil Rights Movement
12. Pioneers of Aviation – Space
13. Honorable Mentions

I organized my exhibit into these thirteen sections and included them in the order of when the event happened and when the person on the stamp was alive and at the height of their

fame as I thought that would best showcase the evolution of Revolutionary women on postage.

Annotated Bibliography:

Books:

- Brookman 2023 U.S. Stamps Catalog
- Linn's Who's Who on U.S. Stamps by Richard Louis Thomas

Secondary Sources:

- The Cypher Stamp Club



Marguerite Higgins was the first to bring the good news to Dachau concentration camp that the war in Europe was over.

Marguerite Higgins
Women in Journalism



FIRST DAY OF ISSUE

This First Day Cover commemorates journalist Marguerite Higgins, the first to bring the good news to the Dachau concentration camp that the war in Europe was over.

Exhibit Plan:

Chapter 1: American Revolutionaries

Chapter 2: Sacagawea

Chapter 3: Sojourner Truth

Chapter 4: The Underground Railroad and The Emancipation Proclamation

Chapter 5: Civil War Era

Chapter 6: Suffragists

Chapter 7: Madam C.J. Walker

Chapter 8: Lady Liberty

Chapter 9: Pioneers of Aviation - Flight

Chapter 10: Wells, Perkins, and Roosevelt

Chapter 11: Queen Elizabeth II

Chapter 12: The Civil Rights Movement

Chapter 13: Helen Keller and Anne Sullivan

Chapter 14: Pioneers of Aviation - Space

Chapter 15: Honorable Mentions

Exhibit Legend:

FDC = First Day Cover