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Next year's stamps

2021 promises many exciting new issues of stamps.

We'll start with two new stamps in the Polar Motifs series. The Norwegian Association of Hunters and Anglers celebrates its 150th anniversary, the Dovre railway line its 100th and the Norwegian flag will be 200 years old. The towns of Tønsberg, Larvik and Lillesand are also celebrating anniversaries. Two new stamps will be added to the Research, Innovation, Technology series on National Stamp Day together with four stamps depicting Norwegian moped and motorbikes.

Date	Theme	Number	Issued as	Artist/designer	Del. subscr.
19.02.	Peter I Island	2	Sheet	Magnus Rakeng	19.02.
19.02.	City Anniversaries	3	Roll	Jørn O. Jøntvedt	19.02.
23.04.	Endangered National Wildlife	2	Sheet	Camilla Kvien Jensen	23.04.
23.04.	Dovre Railway Line Centenary	2	Booklet	Trond Bredesen	23.04.
11.06.	Norwegian Association of Hunters and Anglers 150 th Anniversary	2	Roll	Kristin Slotterøy	11.06.
11.06.	Farm Animals	2	Booklet	Cecilie Sørgård	11.06.
02.10.	Research, Innovation, Technology	3	Booklet + miniature sheet	Enzo Finger	02.10.
02.10.	Mopeds and Motorcycles	4	Roll	Erland Dilling	02.10.
05.11.	Flag of Norway Bicentenary	1	Miniature sheet	Camilla Kvien Jensen	05.11.
05.11.	Christmas Stamps	2	Booklet	Lisa Aisato	05.11.

Subject to change

Dear customer!

It's time once again for the final issues of the year. It has been a special year in many ways and the stamps that we have issued have proved very popular, although most of the launches and events that are usually held in conjunction with a new issue had to be cancelled. The anniversaries of the towns of Bergen and Moss were celebrated in February, a competition on social media resulted in four dogs as the motifs on stamps in June, and the first two stamps in the Research, Innovation, Technology series were issued in September. One of the highlights of the year was the issue of stamps to commemorate the anniversary of VE Day on 8th May. Unfortunately the pandemic put a stop to the big celebrations that were to be held at Akershus Fortress to mark the occasion.

It is ten years this year since Rockheim, the National Museum of Popular Music in Norway, opened its doors in Trondheim, and the tenth time that artists have been inducted into the Rockheim Hall Of Fame. The three artists inducted in the anniversary year will feature on stamps designed by Camilla Kvien Jensen.

The theme for this year's Christmas stamps is Christmas markets and street decorations. Inspiration for the motifs comes from Maihaugen open-air museum in Lillehammer. The stamps have been designed by Kristin Granli.

We'll be celebrating Christmas again in a few weeks. Here at the Philatelic Service, we wish you a very Merry Christmas and thank you for supporting us this past year. We're looking forward to new and exciting issues of stamps in 2021. You can find out more about next year's stamps on the last page of the magazine.

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NK 2039
Radka Toneff.

NK 2040
Halvdan Sivertsen.

NK 2041
Jonas Fjeld.



◀ **First Day Cover**
NOK 72



▶ **First Day Cancellation**

Date: 6 November 2020
Number: NK 2039-2041
Motif: Radka Toneff, Halvdan Sivertsen, Jonas Fjeld
Design: Camilla Kvien Jensen
Photo: © Svein Christiansen (loaned from the National Library), Brynjar Erdahl / © Stageway, Paal Audnestad / © Stageway
Denom.: NOK 17 (domestic 20 grams), NOK 24 (domestic 50 grams) x2
Issued as: Rolls of 100 stamps
Print run: NOK 17: 3.055.000 | NOK 24: 1.555.000 of each stamp
Print: Offset from Joh. Enschedé Security Print, The Netherlands



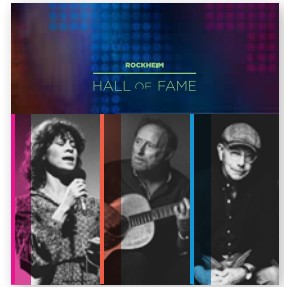
▶ **Presentation Pack** NOK 81



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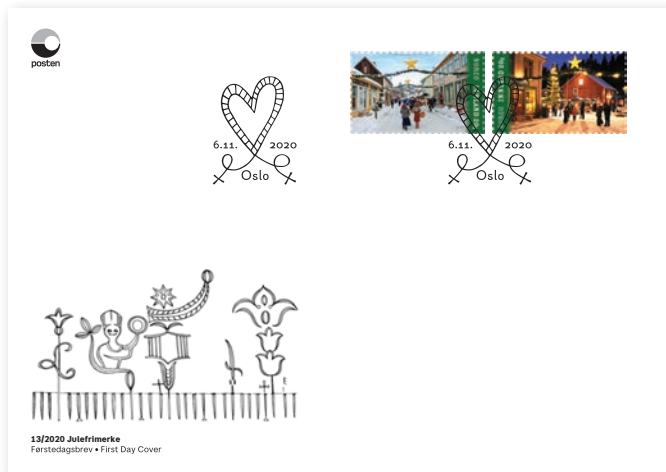
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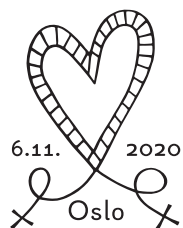
Collector's Set NOK 153



Maximum Cards Set NOK 86



First Day Cover
NOK 41



First Day Cancellation

Date: 6 November 2020
Number: NK 2042-2043
Motif: Christmas markets and Christmas street at Maihaugen open-air museum in Lillehammer
Design: Kristin Granli
Photo: Paul Kleiven / NTB Scanpix, Esben Haakenstad
Denomin.: NOK 17 (domestic 20 grams) x 2
Issued as: Booklet of 10 stamps
Print run: 2.100.000 of each stamp
Print: Offset from Joh. Enschedé Security Print, The Netherlands



NK 2042

Christmas street decorations
at Maihaugen, Lillehammer.



NK 2043

Christmas market at
Maihaugen, Lillehammer.



◀ Golden FDC NOK 99



▶ Collector's Set NOK 91



▶ Presentation Pack NOK 50



▶ Maximum Cards Set NOK 48





Year Set 2020

All of the stamps, stamp booklets and first day covers for the year compiled in elegant folders.

Reprint

A reprint of the NOK 38 stamp in the Polar Motifs series (NK 1978) has been issued and came into use on 17th August 2020. There are no known changes in paper and/or perforation from the previous edition.

Subscribers to reprints will receive the stamp with their delivery in November.



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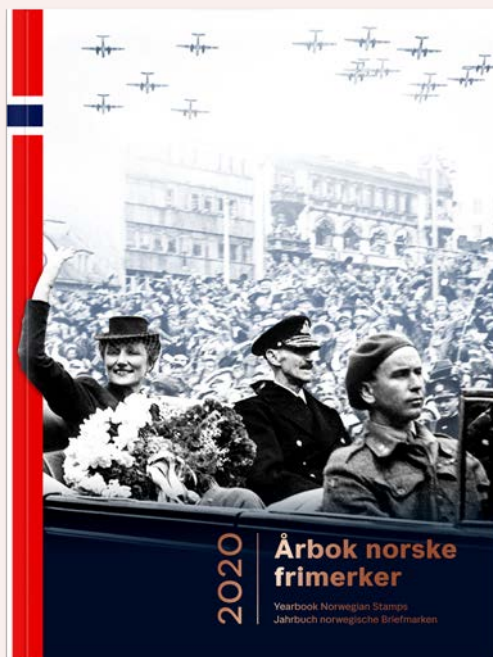
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