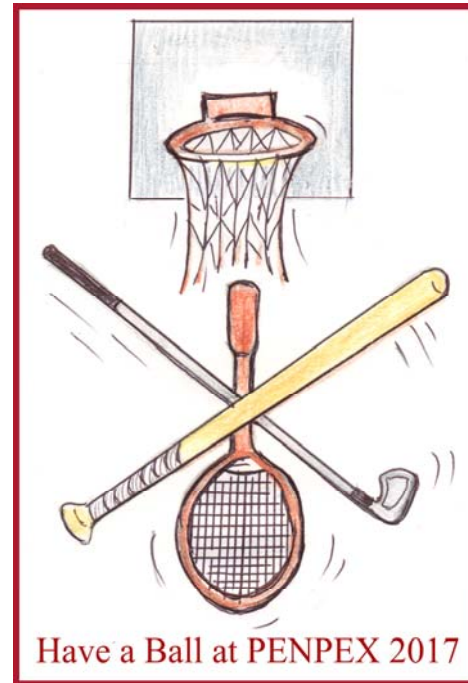
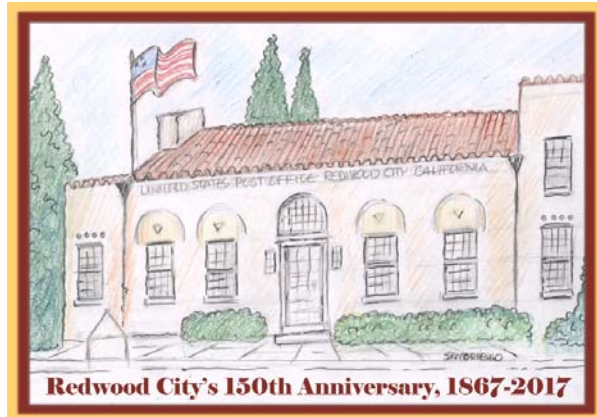


# 2017 PENPEX Stamp Show

## 44<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Show



December 2 & 3, 2017

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## PENPEX 2017

Welcome to the 44<sup>th</sup> Peninsula Philatelic Exhibition (PENPEX) held at the Redwood City Community Activities Building, 1400 Roosevelt Avenue. We are happy to continue to offer our friendly, free show with a variety of dealers, exhibits, awards banquet, meetings, silent auction, show souvenirs, and youth activities.

This year PENPEX has three show cachets and two cancels. On Saturday, the Have A Ball stamps with two different Sports cachet designs can be canceled with a PENPEX Sports Fun cancel. On Sunday, a Redwood City 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary cachet with matching personalized stamp and a RC 150 Anniversary cancel. Each cachet is available for \$2. Current and past cachets are also for sale at Table #16. For more information see page 7.

For the first time, PENPEX will be selling t-shirts. You can get a 100% cotton PENPEX shirt for \$15.

Check out the show schedule on page 5 for a complete list of activities. On behalf of the Sequoia Stamp Club members and the Redwood City Community Activities Building staff, we thank you for attending PENPEX, sharing your camaraderie, and furthering the stamp hobby. Happy hunting.

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## Silent Auction

Once again the PENPEX show features a great silent auction of over 500 lots from all corners of the world. The lots are available for bidding Saturday and until **closing at 2:30 PM on Sunday**.

Winning bidders can pick up their lots at 3:45 pm in Room 1. Bidders unable to pick up lots after the auction will be contacted. A list of lots are posted on the PENPEX site. No phone or e-mail bids please. Since many lots start at \$5, there is something for everyone.

Come and give us a look. It is worth it!

Auction lots are located in **Room 1** behind the welcome table.



## Sequoia Stamp Club

The Sequoia Stamp Club welcomes you to PENPEX 2017. We hope you enjoy all the features of the show. Founded in 1947, Sequoia Stamp Club is a member the American Philatelic Society (APS). The club meets in the same building as PENPEX, on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month (except the fourth Tuesday in December). Doors open at 7:05 p.m. and the meetings start at 7:30 p.m.

We have a variety of programs to keep every type of collector happy: lectures by members or guests, trading, auctions (every meeting), sales books, social events, and much more. We offer refreshments and coffee at every meeting. Check our calendar for next meeting and activity: [www.penpex.org/ssc/calendar](http://www.penpex.org/ssc/calendar). Joining is quick, easy and inexpensive. Visit the PENPEX Welcome Table for an application to fill in — the club costs only **\$3 for the entire year!** You are also welcome to just drop in at any meeting.

**Membership Benefits** are numerous and include:

- **Auctions:** Live or silent auction at every meeting; tax free and free of buyer's commission.
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- **Giveaways:** Other members often bring free journals, magazines, and other material.
- **Fellowship:** exchange of knowledge with other collectors, obtain stamp identification, and build a community of resources for your collecting questions.



## PENPEX Schedule

All meetings and seminars are open to the public. The Meeting Room is across from the main entrance welcome table.

### Saturday, December 2, 2017

10 a.m. PENPEX Stamp Show Opens

10 a.m. Youth Area open – Room 5

10:15 a.m. Snack Bar opens – Main Hall

11 a.m. – 5 p.m. Silent Auction viewing – Room 1

11 a.m. – 2 p.m. USPS open – Table 19

3 p.m. Snack Bar closes – Main Hall

4 p.m. Judges' Feedback – at the frames in Main Hall

5 p.m. Silent Auction Lot viewing closes – Room 1

5:30 p.m. PENPEX closes

5:30 p.m. PENPEX Awards Banquet – social hour at Harry's Hofbrau\*.

6:30 p.m. PENPEX Awards Banquet dinner and awards ceremony at Harry's Hofbrau

\*Harry's Hofbrau, 1909 El Camino Real, Redwood City

### Sunday, December 3, 2017

10 a.m. PENPEX Stamp Show opens

10 a.m. Youth Area open – Room 5

10:15 a.m. Snack Bar opens – Main Hall

10:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. Silent Auction Lots viewing – Room 1

11 a.m. – 1 p.m. USPS open – Table 19

Noon – 1 p.m. Council of Northern California Philatelic Societies meeting - Meeting Room

2 p.m. Snack Bar closes – Main Hall

2:30 p.m. Silent Auction closes – Room 1

3:30 p.m. Raffle Drawing – Welcome Table

3:45 p.m. Silent Auction Lot winners pickup – Room 1

4 p.m. PENPEX ends – See you next year!

See you at **PENPEX** next year - December 1 & 2, 2018

## Youth Area

FREE stamps, brochures and FUN projects for youth! Come and visit the youth room located at the end of the main hallway.

**Kids — Join the Sequoia Stamps R Us Youth Club.** The annual fee for the club is just \$5. Find out more in the youth area. Location: #18 on Floor Plan Map.

## Awards Banquet

Saturday Night at 5:30 p.m. (appetizers, cash bar) at Harry's Hofbrau (1909 El Camino Real Redwood City, CA) Banquet tickets are \$20 (\$26 for prime rib) which includes appetizers your choice of entree, two sides, beverage, dessert, tax, and gratuity. Dinner at 6:30 p.m. followed by awards ceremony. To purchase tickets at the show (if still available), see Stephen Sexton.

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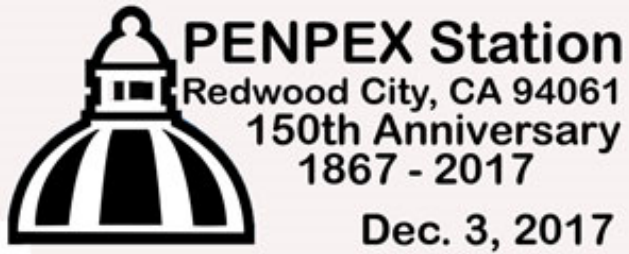
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Location: **Table 8**

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### 150 Years of Redwood City

This year, Redwood City celebrates its 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of its founding in 1867. City leaders planned celebrations and events throughout the year including a major Anniversary party and Flower Extravaganza in May. PENPEX remembers this 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with a cachet showing the San Mateo County Courthouse located in the center of downtown Redwood City.



### Sports Fun - Have a Ball!

Every day people around the U.S. gather on fields, diamonds, tennis courts, and golf courses to participate or watch their favorite sport. In 2017, the USPS celebrated the nation's passion for athletics with the stamp series, "Have a Ball!" Visit Table 16 to purchase special PENPEX show cachets for \$2 each.



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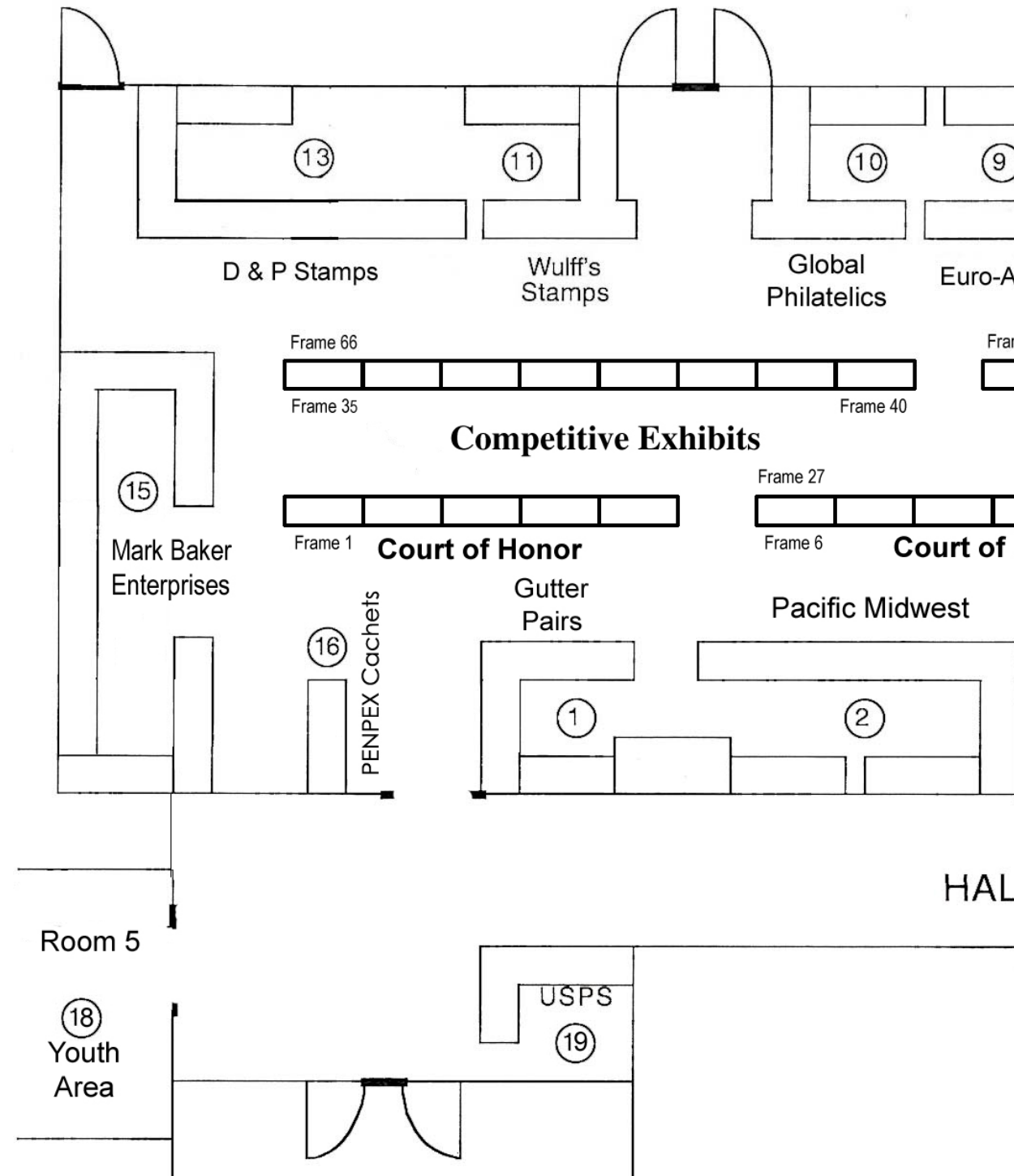
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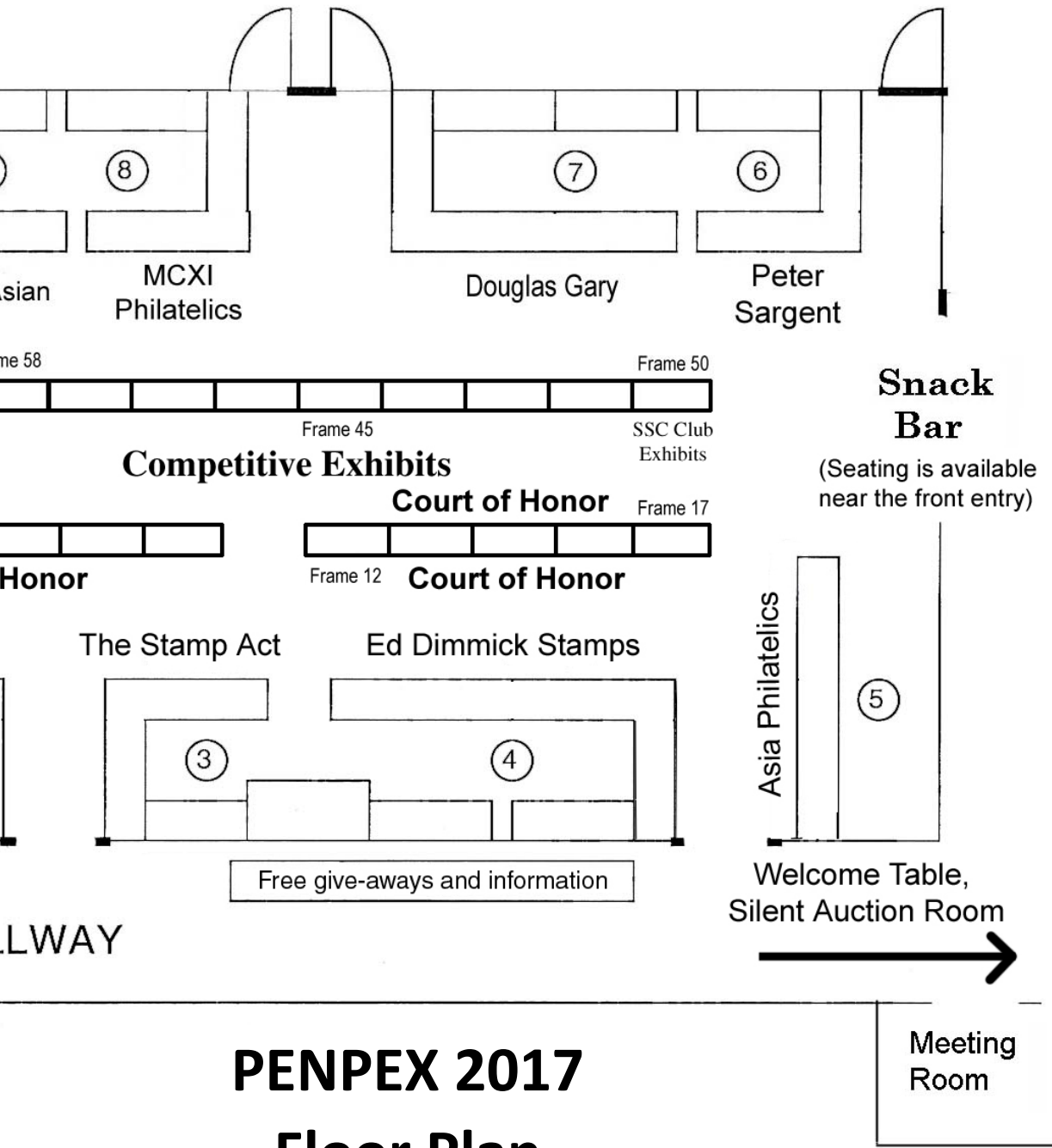
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## Dealer List

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- 6-10 Larry Crain: Colombia National Post Rates 1904-1944
- 11 Joe Ross: The Revenue Stamps of Crete 1875-1899
- 12-16 David McNamee: The Natal Rebellion of 1906
- 17 George Krieger: British East Africa Postal Stationery, 1891-1895
- 18-21 Nancy Swan: Where Did They Go?

## Competitive Exhibits

- 22-26 Pepe LePew: Odor-able Stamps
- 27 Kathy Samuels: Mark Twain on Postcards
- 28-31 Bradley Fritts: Samoa: Powerful Nations Divide a Kingdom
- 32 Paget L. Lenarz: A Landscape Architect's View of Expos, 1905-1915, Through Picture Postcards
- 33 Bill Lenarz: Two Peso Abalone Exporta of Mexico 1976-1985
- 34-36 Larry Crain: Not Square – Stamp Shapes with Perforations
- 37-38 Nancy Swan: Birthstones
- 39 Randy Tuuri: Finland The 1866 40 Penni Issue
- 40 Nigel Moriarty: Kauai Surf Hotel: Twenty-five Years of Change 1960-1985
- 41-43 Ron Williams: Great Britain Two Pence & Half Penny
- 44 John Kofranek: Postal History of Humboldt Co. California from 1900-1915
- 45-47 Miriam Thurston: Veteran Presidents
- 48 Peter Adams: Philatelic Material Related to the Opening of The National Postal Museum, Washington, DC, July 30, 1993
- 49: Sequoia Stamp Club Member Pages
- 50-52 Nancy Swan: The Heraldic Lion
- 53 Carol Edholm: Madras, India, Experimental Cancellations – An Introduction
- 54 Miriam Thurston: Liberty
- 55-56 Laurie Anderson: Go For the Gold! The Introduction of Women in the Olympic Games
- 57 Clyde Homen: The British Concession at Chinde

## Sequoia Stamp Club Pages

- 1 Introduction to SSC Pages
- 2 Eduardo Martino: Go: Washington
- 3-4 Mike McGee: Pan America Airways Last Pacific Pre-War Flights
- 5-8 Christopher Palermo: Mails of The Pacific Coast Railway
- 9-12 Ed Bierman: Fundamentals of Real Picture Postcards
- 13 Peter Adams: Errors on a Non-Error Air Mail Stamp
- 14 Ken Perkins: Canceled With Extreme Prejudice
- 15 Ken Perkins: Letters from the Fall
- 16 Kristin Patterson: Sequoia Stamp Club in 1958.

## Exhibits by Frame Number Continued

58 Reni Shalimoff: Learning Some Basics of Philately with My Favorite Flower on Stamps, the Orchid

59-63 Richard Clever: Tanna Tuva, 1921-1943

64 Paul Allen: Indian Outgoing Mail to Italy 1854-1876

65-66 Dennis Hassler : Wenden History of a Castle 1237-1937

In the Hall: Council of Northern California Philatelic Society's Map

## Jury

PENPEX 2017 is excited to have the following judges on our show jury:

- Daryl Reiber, Sacramento – Jury Chairman
- Bob Grosch, Palo Cedro
- David McNamee, Walnut Creek – Jury adviser

The jury will offer exhibit feedback at the frames at 4:00 pm on Saturday, Dec. 2.

## Awards

- ◆ PENPEX Grand - Best Exhibit in Show
- ◆ PENPEX Reserve Grand Awards for best Single and Multi-frame exhibits
- ◆ PENPEX Certificates: Large Gold, Gold, Large Vermeil, Vermeil, Large Silver, Silver, Silver-Bronze, and Bronze

## Special Awards

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Best single-frame exhibit

Lighthouse Society Award – Best Exhibit with a nautical theme

National Stamp Dealer's Association (NSDA): "People's Choice Award" for most popular exhibit voted by show attendees

Best Exhibit by a Sequoia Stamp Club Member in SSC frame.

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PENPEX could not happen without the assistance of the many willing volunteers. The following list shows the elected and appointed positions. Also, many more people volunteer to help and we greatly appreciate them. Each volunteer gives many hours of their time to make this a great show because they enjoy the hobby and working with their fellow members. We encourage you to join us; please contact the Chair.

| Position                 | Board Member      | Position               | Leaders                            |
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| Director/Silent Auction  | Jim Mosso         | Youth Activities Area  | Preston Chiappa<br>Richard Coleman |
| Director/Awards Banquet  | Stephen Sexton    |                        |                                    |

## Snack Bar Menu

**OPEN** Saturday from 10:15 am to 3 pm and Sunday from 10:15 am to 2 pm.

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