



Taiwan Crafts Postage Stamps

Department of Philately

To promote the beauty of Taiwan crafts, Chunghwa Post has released a set of four stamps featuring works from the National Taiwan Craft Research and Development Institute: *Rush Baskets*, *Exuberant Dance*, *Mountainscape*, and *Triangular Awl-Shaped Basket*. The stamps are described below:

1. **Yen Shui-Long and Xie Chun-Zi's *Rush Baskets* (NT\$8):** These fiber pieces, varying in shapes and sizes, were designed by Yen Shui-Long and woven by Xie Chun-Zi using rush. They emit a distinctive fragrance of rush and embody simplicity and elegance in lifestyle aesthetics.
2. **Lin Pao-Chia's *Exuberant Dance* (NT\$8):** This ceramic piece evokes a sense of fullness through its elegant, sweeping arcs. The surface is glazed with colorful, free-flowing dots, lines, and planes, symbolizing the infinite rhythms of life pulsating between heaven and earth.
3. **Lai Kao-Shan's *Mountainscape* (NT\$8):** This lacquer piece combines classicism and expressionism, adopting the traditional high tray as its shape. The bottom features a mountain motif adorned with elements of Thao tribe. The upper edge uses blue as the base tone and is decorated with shells, while the center is embellished with lace. It demonstrates the scenic beauty of Sun Moon Lake.
4. **Huang Tu-Shan's *Triangular Awl-Shaped Basket* (NT\$8):** This bamboo piece is woven with a chrysanthemum pattern at the base, while the body features with a mountain road pattern. Bamboo strips are diagonally inserted to form conical shapes, and the piece is then dyed and finished with raw lacquer. The design of it is continuous and well-structured, with a solid and stable form.

A folio containing a set of four stamps and one maximum card has been released along with the stamps. The design combines artisanal craftsmanship with life aesthetics, symbolizing sustainability and heritage. With its elegant and refined style, the folio is worth collecting.

To purchase postage stamps, please go directly to the post office branches, Postal Museum or order on line at <https://stamp.post.gov.tw>.



The further information about this issue is as follows:

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| 1. First day of issue: June 6, 2025 | 6. Stamp size: 30 × 40 (mm) |
| 2. Sheet composition: 20 (5 × 4) | 7. Color: Colorful |
| 3. Paper used: Phosphorescent stamp paper | 8. Process: Offset |
| 4. Designer: Delta Design Corporation | 9. Perforation: 13½ × 12½ |
| 5. Printer: Jiuh Guan Security Printing Company | |

By-issues:

- (1) First Day Cover (195 mm × 120 mm): NT\$5 apiece
 - (2) Folder (with or without mount): NT\$10 apiece
 - (3) Loose-leaf album page: NT\$10 apiece
 - (4) Pre-cancelled FDC affixed with one NT\$8-denominated stamp: NT\$13 apiece
 - (5) Pre-cancelled FDC affixed with a full set of stamps: NT\$37 apiece
 - (6) Stamp folio: NT\$250 a copy
1. Stamp folio will be available on line at <https://stamp.post.gov.tw>. Pre-order is also acceptable in other branches.
 2. Relative philatelic products will be available at the following branches: Taipei Beimen, Beitou, Nangang, Neihu, Muzha, Keelung Aisan Rd., Banqiao Wunhua Rd., Sanchong Zhongshan Rd., Xinzhuang, Xindian, Tamsui, Shulin, Taoyuan Chenggong Rd., Zhongli, Longtan, Yangmei, Hsinchu Wuchang St., Miaoli Zhongmiao, Taichung Minqyuan Rd., Fengyuan, Changhua Zhongyang Rd., Yuanlin, Nantou Sanhe, Douliou Xiping Rd., Chiayi Yushan, Tainan Chenggong Rd., Xinying, Jiali, Xinxing, Gangshan, Fongshan, Pingtung Minsheng Rd., Yilan Zhongshan Rd., Luodong, Hualien Guoan, Taitung Datong Rd., Magong Zhongzheng Rd. or order on line at <https://stamp.post.gov.tw>. Pre-order is also acceptable in other branches.





Recreational Activities Postage Stamps (III)

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To promote healthy and happy lifestyles and to encourage parent-child bonding, Chunghwa Post has issued a third set of Recreational Activities Postage Stamps, as a follow-up to the two sets released in 2023 and 2024. The new release features a se-tenant block of six stamps centered around stress-relieving and entertaining outdoor activities. Each stamp has a face value of NT\$8. Brief descriptions of the designs follow:

The individual stamps have the following themes: “Hot Air Balloon Ride,” “Picnicking,” “Stargazing,” “Roller Sports,” “Road Running,” and “Chasing Waves.” Showcasing vibrant color palettes, the stamps convey the joy and happiness that leisure activities bring to people’s lives.

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The further information about this issue is as follows:

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| 1. First day of issue: June 26, 2025 | 6. Stamp size: 50 × 30 (mm) |
| 2. Sheet composition: 18 (3 × 6) | 7. Color: Colorful |
| 3. Paper used: Phosphorescent stamp paper | 8. Process: Offset |
| 4. Designer: Tseng Kai-chih | 9. Perforation: 12½ × 13½ |
| 5. Printer: Cardon Enterprise Co., Ltd. | |

By-issues:

- (1) First Day Cover (235 mm × 120 mm): NT\$5 apiece
- (2) Folder (with or without mount): NT\$10 apiece
- (3) Loose-leaf album page: NT\$10 apiece
- (4) Pre-cancelled FDC affixed with a full set of stamps: NT\$53 apiece



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