



PALEONTOLOGY

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New Listings



Scott#	Denom	Common Name/Scientific Name	Family	Code
BRAZIL				
2016 November 21 (Geopark Araripe) (Pair)				
a	(1.70r)	Dragonfly fossil, <i>Araripegomphus andreneli</i> Bechly	Araripegomphidae	A
b	(1.70r)	U/I Moth fossil	Eolepidopterigidae	A
CENTRAL AFRICA				
2016 December 19 (Dinosaurs) (MS/4 & SS/1) ^[1]				
a	900fr	<i>Ceratosaurus</i>	†Ceratosauridae	A
b	900fr	<i>Dimorphodon</i>	†Dimorphodontidae	A
c	900fr	<i>Dakosaurus maximus</i>	†Metriorhynchidae	A
d	900fr	<i>Shonisaurus popularis</i>	†Shastasauridae	A
	SS 3000fr	<i>Mesosaurus</i>	†Mesosauridae	A
	Margin	R: <i>Elasmosaurus</i>	†Elasmosauridae	Z
		LL: Trilobite	Class: †Trilobita	Z
DJIBOUTI				
2016 September 26 (Extinct Animals) (MS/4 & SS/1) ^[1]				
a	260fr	Columbian Mammoth, <i>Mammuthus columbi</i>	Elephantidae	A
b	260fr	<i>Moropus elatus</i>	†Chalicotheriidae	A
c	260fr	<i>Elasmotherium sibiricum</i>	Rhinocerotidae	A
d	260fr	Saber-toothed Cat, <i>Smilodon populator</i>	Felidae	A
	SS 960fr	<i>Glyptodon clavipes</i>	Chlamyphoridae	A
	Margin	UR: Short-faced Bear, <i>Arctodus pristinus</i>	Ursidae	Z
		LR: <i>Palorchestes azael</i>	†Palorchestidae	Z
2016 September 26 (Prehistoric Aquatic Animals) (MS/4 & SS/1) ^[1]				
a	260fr	<i>Enchodus</i>	†Enchodontidae	A
b	260fr	<i>Mosasaurus hoffmanni</i>	†Mosasauridae	A
c	260fr	Ammonite	Class: Ammonoidea	A
d	260fr	<i>Helicoprion bessonovi</i>	†Helicoprionidae	A
	SS 960fr	<i>Dinichthys terrelli</i>	†Dinichthyidae	A
	Margin	UR; <i>Dearcmhara shawcrossi</i>	Order: †Ichthyosauria	Z
		MR: <i>Mosasaurus hoffmanni</i>	†Mosasauridae	Z
		LR: Anomalocaridid	†Anomalocarididae	Z
NIGER				
2016 October 24 (Prehistoric Marine Creatures) (MS/4 & SS/1) ^[1]				
a	750fr	Palau Nautilus, <i>Nautilus belauensis</i>	Nautilidae	A
b	750fr	<i>Dunkleosteus terrelli</i>	†Dunkleosteidae	A
c	750fr	<i>Shonisaurus popularis</i>	†Shastasauridae	A
d	750fr	Top: <i>Prognathodon saturator</i>	†Mosasauridae	A
		Bot: <i>Brachauchenius lucasi</i>	†Pliosauridae	A
	SS 3000fr	<i>Liopleurodon ferox</i>	†Pliosauridae	A
		UR: <i>Brachauchenius lucasi</i>	†Pliosauridae	Z
		LL: <i>Dunkleosteus terrelli</i>	†Dunkleosteidae	Z
		LR: <i>Mosasaurus hoffmanni</i>	†Mosasauridae	Z

NIGER (continued)**2016 December 5** (Dinosaurs) (MS/4 & SS/1)^[1]

a	850fr	<i>Udanoceratops tshizhovi</i>	†Leptoceratopsidae	A
b	850fr	<i>Pteranodon longiceps</i>	†Pteranodontidae	A
c	850fr	<i>Edmontonia longiceps</i>	†Nodosauridae	A
d	850fr	<i>Afrovenator abakensis</i>	†Megalosauridae	A
	SS 3300fr	Cap: <i>Loxomys ipsumus sitdoloricus</i> (this appears to be a made-up name)		A
		LR: Same species		Z
		UR: Pterosaur	Order: †Pterosauria	Z

2016 December 5 (s-o-s) (MS/4 & SS/1)^[1]

a	850fr	<i>Qantassaurus</i> (Australia Sc#3990)	†Hypsilophodontidae	
	SS 3300fr	<i>Tyrannosaurus rex</i> (Germany Sc#B1007c)	†Tyrannosauridae	

2016 December 21 (Prehistoric Water Animals) (MS/4 & SS/1)^[1]

a	825fr	<i>Kronosaurus</i>	†Pliosauridae	A
b	825fr	LR: <i>Deinosuchus</i>	Order: Crocodylia	A
		UL: <i>Albertosaurus</i>	†Tyrannosauridae	A
c	825fr	<i>Dunkleosteus terrelli</i>	†Dunkleosteidae	A
d	825fr	<i>Leedsichthys</i>	†Pachycormidae	A
	SS 3300fr	L: <i>Mosasaurus</i>	†Mosasauridae	A
		R: <i>Cretoxyrhina mantelli</i>	†Cretoxyrhinidae	A
	Margin	UR: <i>Elasmosaurus</i>	†Elasmosauridae	Z
		MR: <i>Tylosaurus</i>	†Mosasauridae	Z
		LR: <i>Prognathodon</i>	†Mosasauridae	Z
		Bot: <i>Mosasaurus</i>	†Mosasauridae	Z

MALDIVE ISLANDS**2016 September 8** (Charles Darwin) (MS/4 & SS/1)^[1]

a	22r	<i>Diplodocus</i> (with Charles Darwin)	†Diplodocidae	B
b	22r	<i>Aquilops</i> (with Charles Darwin)	Order: †Ornithischia	B
c	22r	<i>Diceratops</i> (with Charles Darwin)	†Ceratopsidae	B
d	22r	<i>Microraptor</i> (with Charles Darwin)	†Dromaeosauridae	B
	SS 70r	<i>Tyrannosaurus rex</i> (with Charles Darwin)	†Tyrannosauridae	B
	Margin	R: <i>Diplodocus</i>	†Diplodocidae	Z
		LL: <i>Diceratops</i>	†Ceratopsidae	Z
		UR: <i>Microraptor</i>	†Dromaeosauridae	Z

MOZAMBIQUE**2016 August 10** (Prehistoric Humans) (MS/4 & SS/1)^[1]

a	100m	<i>Homo erectus</i> (with skull)	Hominidae	B
b	100m	<i>Homo neanderthalensis</i> (with bear)	Hominidae	B
c	100m	<i>Australopithecus africanus</i>	Hominidae	B
d	100m	<i>Homo neanderthalensis</i> (with skull)	Hominidae	B
	SS 350m	L: <i>Homo neanderthalensis</i>	Hominidae	B
		R: Cave Bear, <i>Ursus spelaeus</i>	Ursidae	B
	Margin	Ctr & MR: <i>Homo erectus</i>	Hominidae	Z
		LL: Woolly Rhinoceros, <i>Coelodonta antiquitatis</i>	Rhinocerotidae	Z

PERU**2016?** (Prehistoric Animals)

At the end of 2016, Serpost presented several new stamps on their Internet site, unfortunately without any detail (www.serpost.com.pe/SellosPostales2016.html). As far I know most of them are still not on sale at postal desks in Peru. One of these stamps shows a fossil and reconstruction of the largest prehistoric bird.

	\$10	<i>Pelagornis</i> (with fossil)	†Pelagornithidae	A
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SIERRA LEONE**2016 August 29** (Extinct Animals) (MS/4 & SS/1)^[1]

a	6000Le	Thylacine, <i>Thylacinus cynocephalus</i>	†Thylacinidae	A
b	6000Le	Saber-toothed Cat, <i>Smilodon fatalis</i>	Felidae	A

SIERRA LEONE (continued)

c	6000Le	Giant Rhinoceros, <i>Elasmotherium</i>	Rhinocerotidae	A
d	6000Le	Dodo, <i>Raphus cucullatus</i>	Columbidae	A
	SS 24000Le	Woolly Mammoth, <i>Mammuthus primigenius</i>	Elephantidae	A
	Margin	UL: Thylacine, <i>Thylacinus cynocephalus</i>	†Thylacinidae	Z
		UR: Dodo, <i>Raphus cucullatus</i>	Columbidae	Z

2016 August 29 (Dinosaurs & Minerals) (MS/4 & SS/1)^[1]

a	6000Le	<i>Prenocephale</i>	†Pachycephalosauridae	A
d	6000Le	<i>Gasosaurus</i>	Order: Saurischia	A
	SS 24000Le	<i>Mandschurosaurus</i>	†Hadrosauridae	A
	Margin	<i>Einiosaurus</i> (adult & young)	†Ceratopsidae	Z

2016 November 28 (Charles Darwin) (MS/4 & SS/1)^[1]

a	6000Le	Dinosaur skeleton (with Charles Darwin)		B
b	6000Le	Dodo, <i>Raphus cucullatus</i> (with HMS <i>Beagle</i>)	Columbidae	B
c	6000Le	Prehistoric humans	Hominidae	B
d	6000Le	Charles Darwin		B
	SS 24000Le	Charles Darwin		A
	Margin	Prehistoric animals & humans		Z

2016 December 29 (Flying Dinosaurs) (MS/4 & SS/1)^[1]

a	6000Le	<i>Peteinosaurus zambellii</i>	Order: †Pterosauria	A
b	6000Le	<i>Pterodactylus antiquus</i>	†Pterodactylidae	A
c	6000Le	<i>Pterodactylus</i> sp.	†Pterodactylidae	A
d	6000Le	<i>Zhenyuanopterus longirostris</i>	†Boreopteridae	A
	SS 24000Le	<i>Dimorphodon macronyx</i>	†Dimorphodontidae	A
	Margin	L: <i>Quetzalcoatlus northropi</i>	†Azhdarchidae	Z

SOLOMON ISLANDS**2016 December 1** (Dinosaurs) (MS/36)^[1]

a	\$7	<i>Allosaurus fragilis</i>	†Allosauridae	A
b	\$7	<i>Alamosaurus sanjuanensis</i>	†Saltasauridae	A
c	\$7	<i>Apatosaurus ajax</i>	†Diplodocidae	A
d	\$7	<i>Baryonyx walkeri</i>	†Spinosauridae	A
e	\$7	<i>Chasmosaurus</i>	†Ceratopsidae	A
f	\$7	<i>Cryolophosaurus ellioti</i>	Order: Saurischia	A
g	\$7	<i>Deinonychus antirrhopus</i>	†Dromaeosauridae	A
h	\$7	<i>Edmontosaurus regalis</i>	†Hadrosauridae	A
i	\$7	<i>Euoplocephalus tutus</i>	†Ankylosauridae	A
j	\$7	<i>Gastonia burgei</i>	†Nodosauridae	A
k	\$7	<i>Hadrosaurus foulkii</i>	†Hadrosauridae	A
l	\$7	<i>Herrerasaurus ischigualastensis</i>	†Herrerasauridae	A
m	\$7	<i>Irritator</i>	†Spinosauridae	A
n	\$7	<i>Kentrosaurus aethiopicus</i>	†Stegosauridae	A
o	\$7	<i>Majungasaurus crenatissimus</i>	†Abelisauridae	A
p	\$7	<i>Megaraptor namunhuaiquii</i>	Order: Saurischia	A
q	\$7	<i>Muttaborrasaurus langdoni</i> (blue)	†Rhabdodontidae	A
r	\$7	<i>Muttaborrasaurus langdoni</i> (red & green)	†Rhabdodontidae	A
s	\$7	<i>Ornithomimus velox</i>	†Ornithomimidae	A
t	\$7	<i>Pachycephalosaurius wyomingensis</i>	†Pachycephalosauridae	A
u	\$7	<i>Plateosaurus engelhardti</i>	†Plateosauridae	A
v	\$7	<i>Psittacosaurus mongoliensis</i>	†Psittacosauridae	A
w	\$7	<i>Pterodactylus antiquus</i>	†Pterodactylidae	A
x	\$7	<i>Rhamphorhynchus muensteri</i>	†Rhamphorhynchidae	A

SOLOMON ISLANDS (continued)

y	\$7	<i>Saurolophus osborni</i>	†Hadrosauridae	A
z	\$7	<i>Sauroposeidon proteles</i>	Order: Saurischia	A
aa	\$7	<i>Spinosaurus aegyptiacus</i>	†Spinosauridae	A
ab	\$7	<i>Stegosaurus stenops</i>	†Stegosauridae	A
ac	\$7	<i>Struthiomimus altus</i>	†Ornithomimidae	A
ad	\$7	<i>Suchomimus tenerensis</i>	†Spinosauridae	A
ae	\$7	<i>Tenontosaurus</i>	Order: †Ornithischia	A
af	\$7	<i>Triceratops horridus</i>	†Ceratopsidae	A
ag	\$7	<i>Tropeognathus mesembrinus</i>	†Ornithocheiridae	A
ah	\$7	<i>Tsintaosaurus spinorhinus</i>	†Hadrosauridae	A
ai	\$7	<i>Tyrannosaurus rex</i>	†Tyrannosauridae	A
aj	\$7	<i>Velociraptor mongoliensis</i>	†Dromaeosauridae	A

TOGO**2016 December 15** (Dinosaurs) (MS/4 & SS/1)^[1]

a	900fr	<i>Dimorphodon</i>	†Dimorphodontidae	A
b	900fr	<i>Dimetrodon</i>	†Sphenacodontidae	A
c	900fr	<i>Carnotaurus</i>	†Abelisauridae	A
d	900fr	<i>Alioramus remotus</i>	†Tyrannosauridae	A
	SS 3500fr	<i>Baryonyx</i>	†Spinosauridae	A
	Margin	<i>Quetzalcoatlus</i>	†Azhdarchidae	Z
		<i>Baryonyx</i>	†Spinosauridae	Z

UKRAINE**2017 January 20** (Paleolithic Age) (SS/2)

a	7.50g	Mammoth, <i>Mammuthus</i>	Elephantidae	B
		Prehistoric humans	Hominidae	B
b	7.50g	Prehistoric humans	Hominidae	A
	Margin	L & R: Prehistoric humans	Hominidae	Z

Other Stamps to Consider**CANADA****2017 January 16** (UNESCO Heritage Sites)

Five stamps issued as MS and self-adhesive booklet of 10 and 30 stamps. The first stamp on the MS shows Dinosaur Provincial Park in Alberta (the same design as in 2015). Dinosaur Provincial Park is known for its remarkable fossil specimens that represent every known group of Cretaceous dinosaurs, as well as its impressive area of virtually undisturbed badlands and riparian (riverside) habitat. At Mistaken Point (the second stamp on the MS), the rugged coastal cliffs host the oldest known collection of large fossils in the world, marking the world's first appearance of large, biologically complex organisms.

GREAT BRITAIN**2017 January 17** (Ancient Britain)

The subject of these eight stamps is how people lived in prehistoric times in Ancient Britain. The stamps show famous iconic sites and some of the most exceptional artifacts found across the UK, and overlays illustrations to show how people lived, worked, and used the objects. Overall, the stamps give a timeline across thousands of years of history, from a glimpse of Stone Age ritual of 11,000 years ago, through the Bronze Age and into the Iron Age around 300 BC.

ISRAEL**2017 February 7** (UNESCO World Heritage)

Three stamps showing UNESCO world heritage sites of Israel to be issued on 7 February 2017. One of them depicts a beautiful prehistoric stone tool from Nahal Me'arot Caves in Israel. The caves were used for habitation by hominins and prehistoric humans and contain unique evidence of very early burials.

2.40s Nahal Me'arot Caves and a flint tool found there

Commemorative Postmarks

CROATIA

2016 December 22 (Dragutin Gorjanovic Kramberger)

Dragutin Gorjanovic Kramberger was Croatian geologist, archeologist, and paleontologist who discovered a very rich Neanderthal site of an early man today known as Krapina Man in 1899. A skull of Neanderthal is also shown on the postmark.

ITALY

2016 December 10 (30th anniv. Archaeological Museum of Tolerienze)

Prehistoric elephant shown in the middle of the postmark

Future Issues

2017.03.24: Slovenia: "Mammal Fossils in Slovenia: Cave Lion"

2017.05.19: China P.R.: "Dinosaurs," five stamps and a booklet

2017.???: South Africa: "Homo Naledi" (extinct species of hominin that anthropologists first described in 2015)

Tentative: Some stamps that might be related to Paleontology or Paleoanthropology (clarification needed)

2017.04.11: Great Britain (Jersey): SEPAC–Ancient Artifacts

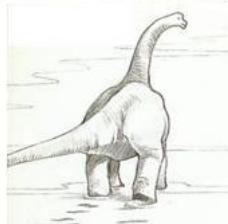
2017.06.14: Great Britain (Jersey): Durrell and the Darwin Initiative

Notes:

^[1] Commercial issue: Stamps issued only for sale to collectors, not used for postal purpose. Stamps of countries that issued excessive or too expensive stamps. Not recommended for serious collectors.

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