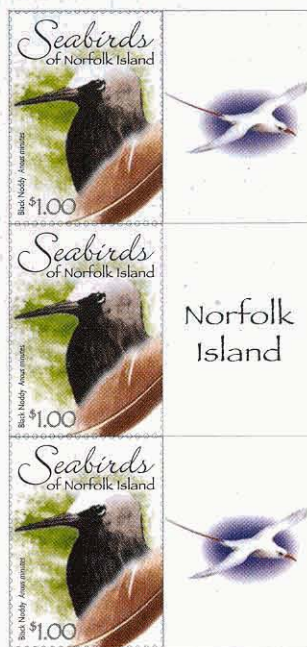
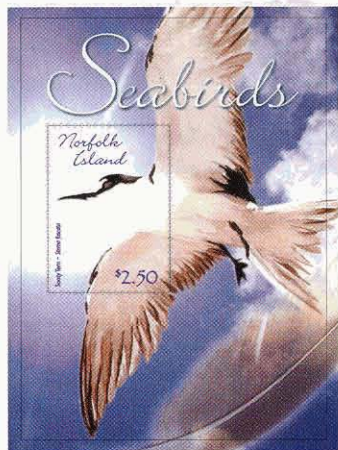


# NEW STAMP ISSUES

## Seabirds Definitive – Part 2

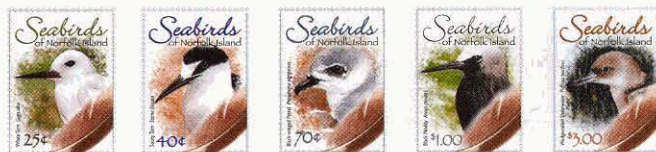
Part 2 of the Seabirds Definitive Issue will be issued 9th August 2006. The issue will consist of another 5 stamps and a miniature sheet. Once again Roger Pennyquick has designed the stamps, just before he returned to live in New Zealand.



The birds in this set are still very common. The Wedge-tailed Shearwater visits the island in it's thousand over summer and because of its mournful call after dark, it is known as the Ghost bird. The Sooty Tern is found in large numbers on offshore Phillip Island, where females lay a single egg on the bare soil. Whenever the island is disturbed by people the birds take to the air in noisy confusion. Everybody's favourite is the White tern as it lays a single egg on a pine branch, no nest, and somehow the majority of eggs and juveniles stay put until maturity over many months of all weather. They are also a very pretty bird and inquisitively follow walkers by hovering just above their heads.

**TECHNICAL DETAILS**

Issue date: 9 August 2006  
 Values: 25c; 40c \$1.20; \$1.50; \$1.80; MS \$2.50  
 F.D.C. Values: \$5.85 stamps, \$3.00 miniature sheet  
 Designer: Roger Pennyquick, Norfolk Island  
 Printer: Southern Colour Print, NZ  
 Sheet Layout: 50 stamps in 2 panes of 25.  
 Print Quantities: 25c, 40c, 70c - 20,000  
 \$1.00, \$3.00 - 70,000  
 Miniature sheet - 10,000



## Sesqui-centenary Medallions:

The Norfolk Island Government has released 3 new medallions to commemorate the Sesqui-centenary of the arrival of the Pitcairn Community on Norfolk Island. The medallions come in 3 varieties - silver; cupro-nickel and bronze. They are all the same size and design, and vary only in the packaging and the metal finish.

The obverse depicts the Morayshire off Kingston Jetty in 1856 with the new Islanders making their way towards their new home. The design was by Mary Butterfield. The reverse of the medallion features the Norfolk Island's Coat of Arms.

The medallions are available directly from the Norfolk Island Philatelic Bureau and are valued at:

\$15.00; Bronze; \$30.00; Cupro-nickel; \$70.00; Silver.



## Corrections from Bulletin 2 of 2006.

### Sesqui-centennial Issue – Arriving at Norfolk

You may have noticed, a couple of errors got through into the last newsletter. The most obvious one was the values of the Sesqui-centennial Issue – Arriving at Norfolk. The correct values are 10 cents; 30 cents; 50 cents x 2 and \$4.00, total value of \$5.40. Apologies to anyone who was confused.

### FDC Cancelling Error - Traditional Hats of Norfolk Island:

Partway through despatching this issue it was discovered that some stamps on the Traditional Hats First Day Covers missed being cancelled. If you received a cover like this, please contact the Bureau and we shall replace it.



### The Joint First Day Cover with Pitcairn Island

Norfolk Island and Pitcairn Island issued a joint First Day Cover on 7 June 2006, to commemorate the 150th Anniversary of the Landing of the Pitcairn Islanders on Norfolk Island. This cover is available from both Norfolk Island Philatelic Bureau and the Pitcairn Island Bureau in New Zealand.

### New Computer Program:

Development of the program is still in progress. Let the Bureau know if you have any concerns with your account, so it can be addressed while there is technical back-up.

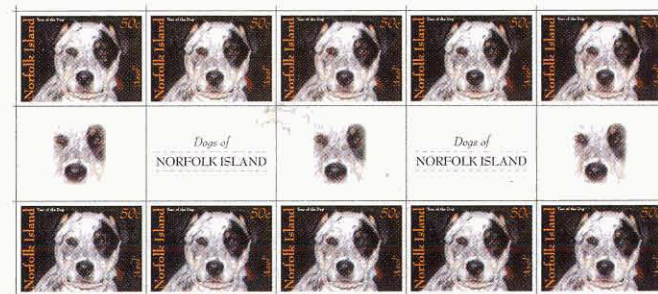
## Dogs Issue:

Norfolk Island is a great place for dogs. They have space to run around in, several beaches are available for their swimming and they bring lots of pleasure to their owners. This issue, the second by Jodie Williams provides a good idea of the variety of dogs found locally. Some are pure-breds, imported at considerable expense, to the "biters", bred locally.



**TECHNICAL DETAILS**

Issue date: 12 September 2006  
 Values: 10c; 50c; \$1.00, \$2.65  
 FDC Value: \$4.75  
 Designer: Jodie Williams, Norfolk Island.  
 Printer: Southern Colour Print, NZ.  
 Sheet Layout: 50 stamps in 2 panes of 25.  
 Print Quantity: 30,000 sets



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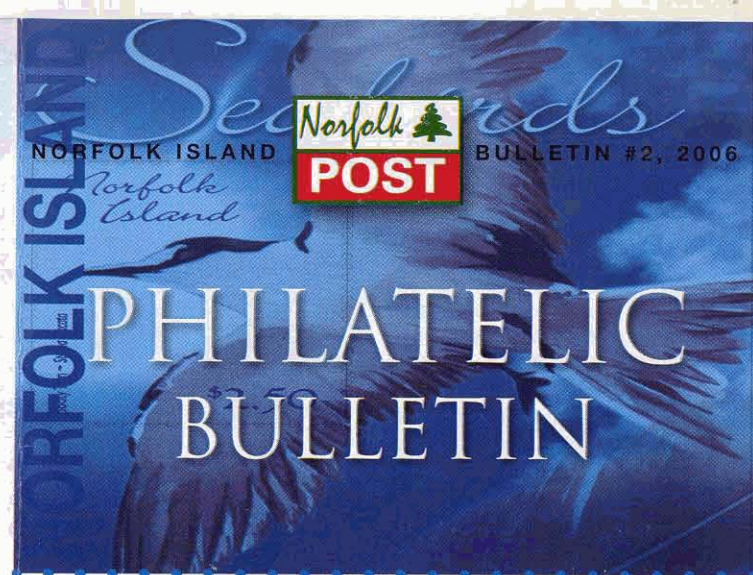
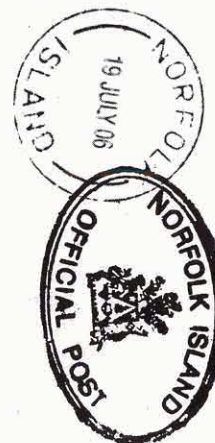
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Dear Collector,

The 150th Anniversary of the Pitcairn Migration to Norfolk Island was a great success, with the islanders and visitors alike enjoying the day and the activities for the week.

The Re-enactment Parade through the historic Kingston area was huge. There were so many Bounty Descendants that came across to be part of the celebrations. It was so good to meet up with some of them and find out what they are doing with their lives in the "big smoke". The Governor General of Australia, his wife, and the Minister for Territories were also part of the official party. There were visitors from as far away as the USA, Canada and the UK, making the journey, primarily to be part of the celebrations.

The Bureau staff were amazed, (and shocked, I think) at the popularity of the Sesqui-centenary stamp sets and the medallions, especially released for the occasion. It has been some time since we had queues lining up for FDCs and stamps and other products from the Bureau, not only on issue day, but also the following few days.

An amazing occurrence on Bounty Day was the antics of a pod of humpback whales breaching just off the jetty for everyone in the Parade to see. This had not been seen for years. Hopefully it is a sign of more whales around.

The airport upgrading is now complete and the Island is now serviced by a new airline- OZ Jet, flying 737s based in Australia and is chartered by the Island's Government to fly 3 days per week between Brisbane, Norfolk and Sydney.

Norfolk Island was very lucky to have two high profile performers at the Trans-Tasman Country Music Festival this year - Graham Connors from Australia and Steven Pride, brother of the super-star Charlie Pride. These were amongst a long list of very entertaining performers from New Zealand and Australia. The festival ran over 5 days and nights and was enjoyed by all.

Not a lot of other news for the moment,

Hope you enjoy the new Issues

Regards

Allan



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