

IGPC Launches Man-on-Moon Omnibus



As most people know, the historic 50th Anniversary of the Apollo 11 Space Mission, which was the first mission to put a man on the moon is fast approaching.

The Saturn V rocket built by NASA launched three men beyond the low Earth orbit, propelling the Lunar Module, nicknamed Eagle, through space. On July 20, 1969, Astronauts Neil Armstrong, Edwin

“Buzz” Aldrin, and Michael Collins made one of history’s most courageous journeys, leaving Earth and landing on the moon.

To honor the achievements of the NASA crew, scientists, and engineers of Apollo 11 and those that came before them, the countries of Palau, Grenada, and Liberia have issued designs, each featuring the timeless photos taken by Astronaut Neil Armstrong himself. These issues are among the first 50th Anniversary commemoratives to be issued. As such, they present an opportunity to get started on what should turn out to be a memorable worldwide omnibus collection.

These particular stamps were designed by the Art Department of the Inter-Governmental Philatelic Corporation, which is the worldwide philatelic agent for more than 70 international postal administrations. The Moon Landing stamps are available for purchase at all Post Offices throughout the issuing nations, and in the U.S. at www.IGPC.com.