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EXPO'21 HATAY (2022)



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In order to support the promotion of the important organization EXPO'21, hosted by our country and attracting the attention of many international visitors, 1 (one) souvenir sheet and first day cover with the theme of "EXPO'21 HATAY" were put into circulation by PTT Corp. on April 1, 2022.



WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY
(CLIMATE CHANGE)
(2022)



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2 (two) commemorative stamps and a first day cover themed “World Environment Day (Climate Change)” bearing the image of “Green Turtle” and prepared in order to raise awareness about climate change which is deemed as today's most important global environmental problem were put into circulation by PTT Corp. on 05.06.2022.





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OUR CULTURAL ASSETS (UŞAK) (2022)



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Uşak region has been a residential area since the known periods of history. There are many historic and cultural assets such as "Ancient City of Blaundus"; historical "Cılandıras Bridge" dating back to Phrygians; "Great Mosque" which bears architectural features of Germiyanids era; "Burma Mosque" whose construction time is not known; houses bearing the features of Ottoman architecture; "Uşak Archeological Museum" where the Treasure of Karun is displayed and "Atatürk and Ethnography Museum". Moreover, Uşak hosts the second largest canyon in the world, which is "Ulubey Canyon".

On September 1st, 1922, Uşak was freed of Greek Occupation, which had started on August 29th, 1920 and lasted for 2 years. During National Struggle years, Uşak suffered material and nonmaterial damage. However, it started industrial movement with first initiatives in the times of Republic of Türkiye.

On 01.09.2022, "Our Cultural Assets (Uşak)" themed commemorative stamp and first day cover were put into circulation by PTT Corp.



WILDFLOWERS-3 THEMED OFFICIAL POSTAGE STAMPS (2023)



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6 (six) Wild Flowers Themed Official Postage Stamps, prepared with flower images of "*Impatiens noli-tangere*, *Adonis annua*, *Gladiolushalophilus*, *Muscari azureum*, *Anemone coronaria*, *Anagallis arvensis var. arvensis*", were put into circulation by PTT Corp. on 09.02.2023.





WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY (ECOLOGICAL LITERACY) (2023)



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To exhibit knowledge, skills and attitude towards the ecosystem, to act with a sense of awareness in the relationship with nature, namely "Ecological Literacy"; a person who knows the principles and boundaries of the ecosystem, realizes nature and develops harmonious living skills, who has adopted the principle of participating in the solution process of environmental problems is also defined as "Ecologically Literate".

On 06/05/2023, "World Environment Day (Ecological Literacy)" themed commemorative stamp was put into circulation by PTT Corp.





PEACOCK (2023)



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The animal with the most beautiful tail in the world is known as the peacock. The microscopic structures in the fascinating eye-shaped feathers allow sunlight to be refracted in different ways and vivid and bright colors to appear. The tail colors of male peacocks are generally green, navy blue, purple and golden yellow. They spread their uniquely beautiful wings to impress their females.

On 08/15/2023, "Peacock" themed commemorative stamp was put into circulation by PTT Corp.





SAGALASSOS ANCIENT CITY (2024)



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The commemorative stamp and first day cover set, prepared in two valuable blocks by PTT Corp. on the theme of "Sagalassos Ancient City", which is among the important ancient cities of the Mediterranean Region and was included in the UNESCO World Heritage Tentative List in 2009, was put into circulation on 22.02.2024.





CARTOON HEROES (RAFADAN TAYFA) (2023)



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"Rafadan Tayfa" is a Turkish animated cartoon film that started airing on TRT Çocuk on February 8, 2014.

The story consisting of the adventures experienced by a group of friends named "Rafadan Tayfa" reflects the neighborhood life of the 90s and intimate human relationships. The group's neighborhood life, dream worlds and friendship relationships are reflected with an entertaining narrative based on concepts such as right-wrong, good-bad. Turkish customs, traditions and cultural values are brought to the audience with the support of TRT Çocuk's experts.

On 04.25.2024, a "Rafadan Tayfa" themed commemorative stamp was put into circulation by PTT Corp.





OFFICIAL POSTAGE STAMPS ON QUILLING (KATI') ART (2024)



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Quilling art is a branch of Turkish book arts. It was born and developed in Central Asia and has continued to exist in Turkish art.

The word 'Kati' takes its name from the Arabic word "kat", meaning to cut. Quilling art is a delicate art form that is obtained by cutting out a motif, inscription or pattern from paper or leather and pasting it onto another surface. Usually, gummed, stamped, white or colored papers and marbled papers are used.

3 (three) valuable (pieces) of "Official Postage Stamps on Quilling (Kati') Art" prepared by PTT Corp. featuring works of Quilling Turkish decorative art were put into circulation on 28.02.2024.





CITTASLOW- 4 THEMED DEFINITIVE POSTAGE STAMP (2024)



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Throughout history, Ahlat has acted as a bridge between Eastern and Western civilizations due to its geographical location. It has been a particularly solid stepping stone, the first stop for the Turks during their migration from Turkestan (Central Asia) to Anatolia, where the seeds of Turkish civilization in Anatolia were sown and the first manifestations of the Asian Turkish culture that came from the east can be seen.

The "Cittaslow- 4 Themed Definitive Postage Stamp" and the first day cover, prepared by PTT Corp. using visuals of the "Cittaslow" titled "Ahlat" district, were put into circulation on 22.03.2024.





CARTOON HEROES (İBİ) (2024)



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Ibi is a Turkish animated cartoon that premiered on June 15, 2015, on TRT Children's Channel. Two commemorative stamps, first-day cover, and two maximum cards themed 'Cartoon Heroes (İbi)' based on the animated series 'İbi,' broadcasted on TRT Çocuk Channel were issued by PTT Corp on April 23, 2024.





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EUROPA 2024 (UNDERWATER FAUNA AND FLORA) (2024)



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All animals living in a region with defined boundaries are called fauna, and all plants are called flora. Türkiye has rich underwater fauna and flora with its diverse seas and coastlines. With coasts on four different seas, namely the Mediterranean, Aegean, Marmara, and Black Sea, Türkiye boasts a variety of marine life.

Approximately 5000 plant and animal species inhabit Turkish seas.

A commemorative stamp and first day cover titled "EUROPE 2024 (Underwater Fauna and Flora)" featuring visuals of Oceanic White-tip Shark, Soldierfish, Grouper, John Dory, Moray, Red Coral, Golden Coral, Starfish, and Pilot Whale were issued by the PTT Corp. on May 9, 2024.



ILLUMINATION THEMED OFFICIAL POSTAL STAMPS (2024)



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Illumination is one of the Turkish decorative arts. The origin of the art of Illumination, which means decoration with gold in Arabic, dates back to the Uyghur Turks.

It is the decoration of manuscripts such as books and tablets with crushed gold and various colors. It is a branch of art that emerged in order to express the high spiritual value of valuable documents and tablets such as decrees, warrants and Quranic verses.

The 5 (five) valuable "Illumination Themed Official Postal Stamps" prepared by PTT Corp., featuring Illumination Turkish decorative art works, were put into circulation on 28.06.2024.





EUROMED 2024 (SPORTS) (2024)



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Sports within Turkish culture are divided into two categories: those with and those without horses.

Equestrianism is practically a sport that came to life with the Turks. Since horses were first domesticated by the Turks, we can better understand their contribution to world history. Therefore, Turks have always placed great importance on equestrian sports throughout history.

As for non-equestrian Turkish sports, they include palvan wrestling, apan wrestling, oil wrestling, aba wrestling, şalvar wrestling, flag wrestling, karsak wrestling, and karakucak wrestling, which are currently popular among Turkish communities.

A commemorative stamp and first-day cover featuring Traditional Turkish Sports—Cirit, Matrak, Aba Wrestling, Oil Wrestling, Mounted Sledding, Sword-Shield, and Mounted Archery—were prepared in block format by PTT Corp. under the theme "Euromed 2024 (Sports)" were put into circulation on July 8, 2024.



BUTTERFLIES (2024)



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Türkiye's first butterfly garden Konya Tropical Butterfly Garden, which has the largest butterfly flight area in Europe, was opened to visitors by Konya Selçuklu Municipality in 2015. Tropical Butterfly Garden has a usage area of 7,200 square meters. 195 species of live plants and butterflies accompany visitors during the trip.

Two (2) valued commemorative stamps with the theme of "Butterflies" prepared by PTT Corp. by including "Paper Kite" and "Lace Wing" types were put into circulation on 06.11.2024.

