

Bowyer-Lyness Newsletter

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Enoch and Malinda Lyness

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George Lyness	John Lyness	Rosella Weddle	Henry Lyness	Josephine Bowyer	Albert Lyness	Frank Lyness	Walter Lyness
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Announcing the 2011 Reunion!

The next reunion will be at Golden Bell Conference Center July 29-31, 2011. See Marilyn's report below for more details.



A Note from Marilyn

What a winter we have had up to now. As I look at a snow-covered map of the United States, I am ready for winter to be over. And I am looking forward to a fun Colorado reunion, only about 5 months away. Yes, that is right. Our next reunion will be July 29-31, 2011, at Golden Bell Ranch, just north of Divide, Colorado. We have started making plans for this year and believe that we will have a lot of fun activities for all ages. We also want to have lots of time for us to get reacquainted with family members we have not seen for a while, and to meet new family who may get to join us.

Reunion will start with registration at 4:00 p.m. on July 29th, followed by a meal together and an evening of getting acquainted. We will have Saturday activities planned, with family photos taken after lunch at noon. Optional activities available at all times include disc golf, volleyball, hiking, miniature golf, and swimming.

In the main lodge room we have 24 hour access to snacks, board games, singing around the piano, and digging through family memorabilia. And please bring items for an auction, which is our family fundraiser. We will also plan other activities which will be announced later. We will have an evening "Talent Show" so bring your skits, songs, or instruments and plan to participate.

Cost for the weekend, which includes two nights lodging and 6 meals, is as follows:

Adults: \$150.00
Ages 12 - 17: \$100.00
Children: 6-11: \$50.00
Children: 2-5: \$30.00

The rates for children are less than the charge by Golden Bell, in accordance with the decision at our last reunion to subsidize the costs in order to allow more families to attend.

To reach Golden Bell, take Highway 24 West out of Colorado Springs to Divide. Turn right at the intersection where State Highway 67 turns south to Cripple Creek, onto North Road/County Road 5. Keep left at the fork, and the road becomes Cedar Mountain Road/County Road 51. Keep left again, and the road becomes County Road 512. Watch for Golden Bell on the left. The lodge is on the south side of the road,

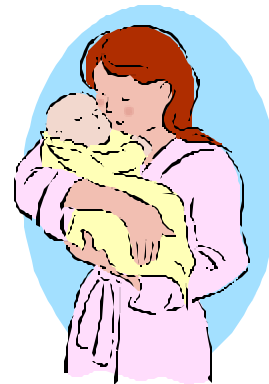
looking out over an awesome view of Pikes Peak.

For those who are interested, there will be a "pre-reunion" Friday noon meal in Colorado Springs at 11:00 a.m. at the Mason Jar Restaurant. We need an approximate number of persons planning to be at the Mason Jar. The Mason Jar is located off Highway 24, about a mile west of I-25. Turn right onto 31st Street, then another right onto Colorado Ave. The Mason Jar is 1 1/2 blocks on the right, at 2925 West Colorado Avenue.

The first official Bowyer Lyness Reunion was in 1951, 60 years ago, so we will be remembering and celebrating the past 60 years.

Please send the attached registration form as soon as possible, so that we will have an idea how many to expect.

If you have any questions, I can be reached at marilynkj@cox.net, or 405-728-7401.



New Additions

Christi Stulp, daughter of Burl Scherler and granddaughter of Mary Scherler, and her husband, Jeremy, had Mark Cole Stulp September 27, 2010.

Jacoba Poppleton, daughter of Melinda Campbell and granddaughter of Phillip Lyness, and her husband, Chris, had William Rhys Poppleton December 2, 2010, in Logan, Utah. He was welcomed by his big sister, Dallas Mendelkow.

Candice Nelson, daughter of Sandra Nelson and granddaughter of Dick Bowyer, had Dejune Cumming February 7, 2011.



Weddings

Levi Phillip Nutt, son of Melinda Campbell and grandson of Phillip Lyness, married Brittany Berry December 18, 2010. They are living and attending college in Logan, Utah.

Tina Blankenship, daughter of Jane Blankenship and granddaughter of Marguerite McAnulla, married Ken Bond December 23, 2010, at the Wichita Botanical Gardens, Wichita, Kansas. Ken is a firefighter paramedic in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Mike Cochran, son of Vi Cochran and grandson of Twyla Boone, married Tabitha Schonerstedt January 21 at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. Mike and Tabitha are both in the United States Army, stationed at Fort Sill. They are scheduled to be transferred to Germany in October.



Deaths

Peter Reitz, son of Millie Reitz and grandson of Albert Lyness, died of cancer on September 19, 2010. Peter worked as a theatre lighting technician in New York City.

Joan Camp, daughter of Howard Camp and granddaughter of Mabel Camp, died on November 4, 2010. She had cancer, but it appears the death was caused by a blood clot that was transported to her heart.



Other Family News— Pem and Josie Descendants

Raymond LeBlanc, son of Julie LeBlanc and grandson of Dick Bowyer, has announced his engagement to Katee Hobbs. A spring wedding is planned.

Daniel Hollis, son of Frieda Hollis and grandson of Cora Simmons, has moved from California to Evans, Colorado.

Amber Burns, daughter of Bonnie Burns and granddaughter of Frieda Hollis, is a senior at Greeley Central High School in Greeley, Colorado.

Carol Ross, daughter of Howard Camp and granddaughter of Bertha Camp, is divorced from Christopher.

Anthony Ross, son of Carol Ross and grandson of Howard Camp, is a senior in high school.

Tom Rush, son of Amy Rush and grandson of Joseph Camp, has joined the Marine Corps, and entered boot camp February, 2011.

Alana Abercrombie, daughter of Anita Abercrombie and granddaughter of Ralph Bowyer, and her husband, Michael, and Dean and Lily, are in the process of relocating from Australia to Colorado. They had lived in Australia since September of 2004.

Michael Harward, son of Ellen Harward and grandson of Ray Bowyer, is in a training program with Norfolk Southern Railroad. The program assigns him to a new city each week, but he and his wife, Laura Beth, have established a home in an apartment in Macon, Georgia, which they normally return to on weekends.

Tom Clark, husband of Andrea Clark, who is the daughter of Donna Holcomb and granddaughter of Dick Bowyer, is working in the oil fields of North Dakota. Their home is still in Oklahoma, so he drives to North Dakota, works two weeks, then drives back home for two weeks, then repeats.

Tina Bond, daughter of Jane Youngers and granddaughter of Marguerite McAnulla, has obtained a job as a therapist for an agency that does attachment and trauma work. She says, "It's fabulous money, a culture of self-care, and I am doing exactly what I love to do. I'm feeling very blessed."

Other Family News— Other than Pem and Josie Descendants

Most of the readers of this newsletter are descended from Enoch and Malinda Lyness. Enoch had a brother, Joseph. Descended from Joseph, in order, were John Lyness, Harry Randolph Lyness, Harry Clark Lyness, and Harry Jay Lyness. We received communication from Harry Jay Lyness, and he hopes to come to the next reunion. His home is in Lawrenceburg, Indiana. We look forward to meeting this distant cousin.

Cathy Dallaire, daughter of Dorothy Parsons and granddaughter of Bessie Stark, and her husband, Jim, have moved to North Las Vegas, Nevada.

Dave Parsons, son of Dorothy Parsons and grandson of Bessie Stark, has moved to Mexico.

Ron Giltner, son of Laura Giltner and grandson of Ruth Dillon, has retired. He and Diane have enjoyed the opportunity to travel since then: Australia, New Zealand, Texas, Chicago, Portugal, Spain, and Greece.

Mark Berokoff and his wife, Staci, who is the daughter of Marilyn Jenkins and granddaughter of Viola Rose, now live in

Hillsboro, Texas, where Mark is coaching the Hill College basketball program.

Matthew Camacho-Cook, son of Marvin Cook and grandson of Phyllis Cook, graduated from the University of Nebraska with a degree in mechanical engineering.

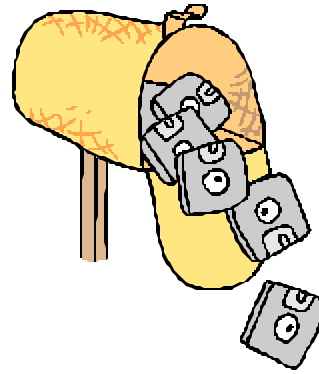
Lynn Scherler, son of Burl Scherler and grandson of Mary Scherler, and his family, Keri, Addison, Saylor, and Brady, now live in Parker, Colorado. Lynn is responsible for managing the agribusiness lending operation of CoBank's southern region, which includes Colorado, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, and New Mexico.

Web Sites

There are two web sites of interest to this family: www.lyness.com, and www.bowyerfamily.org/lyness. Check them out. Among other things, the second one has back issues of this newsletter, in case you want to know what happened in the past.

Taking Advantage of E-mail

We are again sending this issue of the newsletter only by Email to those for whom we have E-mail addresses. We currently have 151 e-mail addresses. If you are receiving this issue one way, and would like it another way, send a message to your editor and we'll send it by your preferred way.



Future Issues

We welcome contributions of family news, events, etc. for future issues of this newsletter. If you know of something that has happened to a family member, send it to the newsletter editor:

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Registration
Bowyer-Lyness Reunion
Golden Bell, Divide, Colorado
July 29-31, 2010

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

e-mail address: _____

Number attending:

Adults over 12: _____ Children: _____

Plan to stay in lodge: _____

RV/Camping area: _____

Plan to meet at the Mason Jar Restaurant in Colorado Springs
for lunch on Friday at 11:00 _____

Deposit included _____ (\$25.00 per person).

Please mail form and payment to:

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