

Belnap Family Organization Minutes
Conference Call June 8, 2010

On Line: Pat Johnson, Jim Marriott, Wes Cox, Joy and Steven Belnap, John Wiser, Brent Belnap, Edith Ward

Started conference call at 7:30 p.m.

Opening Prayer: Pat Johnson

Minutes for 5/18/10 Approved

Discussion of the agenda for the 2010 reunion:

8:30 to 9:30 a.m. All officers and representatives need to be at the stake center by 8:30 a.m. to set up chairs, tables, displays, and electronic equipment needed for presentations. Wes will ask the building supervisor about WiFi internet availability. Jim Marriott will bring his projector and screen. Bring extra power cords and extension cords.

9:30 am to 10:00 am – Registration (Pat Johnson) and view displays

10:00 -10:20 – Welcome (Wes Cox), Roll call by family branch (Pat Johnson), awards (Florence Ward), Introduction of Special Guests from England (Brent Belnap) and nomination of new officers (Wes Cox). Each presenter has less than 5 minutes each and needs to be brief.

10:20-10:40 - Life of Henrietta McBride Belnap (Audrey Hobson) and singing time.

10:40-10:55 – Life of Adaline Knight Belnap (Irene Belnap Anderson)

10:55 – 11:45 – Presentation by the Dixon family from England

Noon-1:00 p.m. – Free picnic lunch in bowery – (Someone needs to be in charge of luncheon arrangements). Decision to be made whether to use premade sandwiches by Costco, chips, and drinks or a catered hot meal by Golden Corral, including delivery.

1:00 to 1:20 – Group games and prizes (someone needs to be in charge of this and purchase the prizes, etc.) Or not – should we skip this and allow more time for classes?

1:20 to 2:40– Classes

- Suggestions:
1. Brent's class about the BFO website and ideas for the future
 2. John Wiser's class about New Family Search for beginners
 3. Edith Ward and Florence – daily life and recipes of the day
 4. Jim Marriott – Gilbert Belnap's mission to Limhi
 5. Wes Cox – Gilbert Belnap lawman
 6. Class about genealogy sources in Utah

Plans need to be finalized about technology resources in the stake center for the classes and how to rotate classes.

2:40-3:10 Mini reunion grouped by children of Gilbert Belnap Family – representatives will chair the classes. Purposes: Get acquainted, select new family representatives, discuss genealogy and other family plans for the future.

3:10-3:30 – Chair takedown and cleanup (all)

3:30-4:00 – Meeting of new officers and family representatives.

Pickle recipe submitted by Brent Belnap. The address to Lois Erickson (she may know the error on the recipe) is 1948 Cove Point Lane, A-1, Provo, UT 84604.

Pat reported that an option for the gift for the Dixon family from Deseret Book could be a small “Christus” (\$50.00) or a machine quilted quilt for \$50-\$75.00. Brent will think of wording for a plaque and Wes will have it made.

What to do with the children and youth?

Brent suggested talking to Les Hill about activities – he filled out a questionnaire that he is coming. His email is Lesh@foto2finish.com. He may also have some leftover Belnap souvenirs from previous reunions. He had some great games and activities at other reunions.

Need another mailing to the family to include a map to the stake center, reunion agenda, and information about the lunch.

Officers and representatives need to email Wes about nominations for next term’s president and officers. Pat will email a current list of the officers and representatives.

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Next conference call: Tuesday, July 6, 2010 at 7:30 p.m. MDT
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