

The Lillibridge Family History Conference

04 July 2024

Hello Lillibridge Cousins:

I want to thank all of you who have registered for **The Lillibridge Family History Conference**. Your support is much appreciated. Please know that there is still time to register because the Best Western Plus Ramkota Hotel gave me until 28 July 2024 to submit my final attendance counts

It is hard to believe that we are just over a month away from our family get-together in South Dakota. I didn't realize when I took on this responsibility in 2018 that it would take six years to fulfil my promise to John Lillibridge.

Start and End – We will start Friday, August 2 at 9:00 am with registration and end around 8:00 pm following the closing dinner on Saturday, August 3.

Saturday afternoon – Consistent with Lillibridge reunion tradition, there will be free time to use to tour Sioux Falls, hold individual family gatherings or do more family research at the hotel.

Saturday Dinner – A closing dinner will be Saturday evening. The future of various The LILLIBRIDGES of the World endeavors will be discussed. Awards will be determined and announced.

T-Shirts – I had a contract to print T-shirts for the cancelled NY Glen Iris reunion in 2021/2022. They let me use that contract to print 70 shirts for this year's conference. I'm selling them for \$15. Right now, I have both black with white logo and blue with white logo. Let me know if you are interested in a shirt or two and I'll set it aside for you. We can settle up at the conference.

Suggested Dress – Summer casual (it might be hot)

Web Page – the best source of information about the conference is at:
www.lillibridgehistoryconference.com

Mail Address – If you want to mail me any registration forms or conference fee payment please send to:

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Lillibridge Family History Conference Agenda

(subject to change)

Friday 2 August 2024

Time	Session	Presenter
9:00 – 10:00	Registration	All Attendees
10:00 – 11:30	Lillibridge 101	This Interactive session will allow us to meet each other, hear from family elders including Roger Paul and others, learn about past gatherings, and discuss various family history topics.
12:00 – 1:30	Kick off Lunch	
2:00 – 2:45	Lillibridge Houses	James Lowell Hall author of “Lillibridge Houses”
3:00 – 3:45	William Otis “Will” Lillibridge	Lisa Lillibridge (Will was her GGF’s brother)
4:00 – 5:30	Lillibridges of WW2	Fred Lillibridge with the spirit of John Lee Lillibridge Jr
5:30 – 6:30	A Friday night happy hour type get together will follow.	
6:30	<u>Dinner will be on your own</u>	
Post Dinner	Various activities	

Saturday, 3 August 2024

8:00 – 9:00	Registration	
9:00 – 10:00	Western Migration and the 1950 US Census	Fred Lillibridge
10:00 – 11:00	Prairie Roots	James Lowell Hall
11:15 – 12:30	“My Dad’s War” the WW2 Letters and Photographs of Wilferd Jarvis Lillibridge	Fred Lillibridge
12:30 – 5:30	<u>Free Time and Lunch on your own</u>	
6:00 – 8:00	Closing Dinner	The future of various activities will be discussed. Conference awards will be determined and announced.