

M E M O R A N D U M

9/18/86

TO: Lenhert Family Council
OFFICERS
Myron Lady, treasurer
Norma Lenhert, secretary

SPECIAL COUNCIL
✓ Sam and Lucy Brubaker

MEMBERS AT LARGE
Jess Heise
✓ Winnie Brubaker
Janis Staires
Ken Lenhert

FROM: David Eshelman, President

RE: Family Business

At the 1985 Lenhert Family Reunion three officers were elected, and an additional four members were designated to serve on an advisory council, and Sam and Lucy designated as "special council to the council." Since you are one of these fortunate persons, I am asking for your reactions and suggestions regarding the future activities of the clan.

One of the primary objectives I set for the interim between the 1985 and 1988 reunions was to publish a family newsletter twice a year. With this letter is the fourth such newsletter, with the first three being circulated within the first year after the 1985 reunion.

The main questions to be addressed regarding the newsletter are: should it continue, and if so, how should it be financed. There was no money designated at the conclusion of the 1985 reunion for any future activities, and the cost of publishing each newsletter comes to about \$ 35.00. The costs are about \$ 10.00 for postage (45 family units @ \$.22 each), \$ 22 for photocopy services, and \$ 3.00 for miscellaneous expenses. That comes to almost \$.80 per mailing for each issue of the newsletter.

X One possibility is to have subscriptions, so that those who want the newsletter could simply pay \$6.00, the approximate cost for their newsletters between the 1985 and 1988 reunions. *add extra money for "away from home" kids*

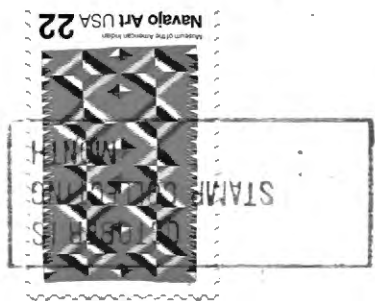
A second issue is how to make sure that the younger generation get to read the newsletter. Tradition has it that parents are responsible for their children through the schooling years, and after leaving school the children become independent family units. Should children "away from home in school" be sent separate issues of the newsletter...and for that matter be individual voting members of the clan? (Not all parents have been sending copies to their children in school!)

Another responsibility of each of you is to provide information about your families...Jess the Esther Heise family, Myron the Francis Lady family, Winnie the Paul Lenhert family, Janis the Ben Lenhert family, Norma the Harry Lenhert family, and Ken the George Lenhert family. So I would appreciate news and changes of address from each of you as that becomes available.

So please advise regarding: (1) continuation of the newsletter, (2) financing the newsletter, (3) circulation of the newsletter, and (4) any news or changes in the family you represent. Later on we will raise the question of how to pay the deposit for the 1988 reunion site. Any other suggestions will be welcome. Thanks!

Changes of address

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DR. DAVID ESHELMAN
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Boat Trip:
? separate eating/lounging
Packed lunches

Colder Belt
? any hiking without central fire?

Viva the Reunion!