

ISDUP APRIL 2025 BULLETIN

April 1, 2025

Regional Representatives, Company Presidents, Associates, and Daughters of Utah Pioneers:

Welcome to Spring! Or maybe still winter because it is snowing in Utah!

Please distribute to Camp Captains.

Points of Interest:

- **The Pioneer Memorial Museum** is closed on May 26 – Memorial Day; June 16 – Juneteenth.
- **Welcome** to our new Members of Daughters of Utah Pioneers! We had 91 women who joined in the month of March. Congratulations!
- **DUP Birthday Open House – Happy 124th!!!**
We invite you to come to our Pioneer Memorial Museum for an Open House on Friday, April 11, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- **Planning Ahead for June**, our International Seminar/Convention will be held on Saturday, June 21, at Woods Cross High School. The address is 600 West 2200 South, Woods Cross, Utah.
 - Seminar Training for Company Officers 9:00-10:00
 - Convention meeting 10:30-12:30
 - Book sales 8:00 – 12:30
 - Refreshments 9:45-12:30

For those Members who cannot attend, the Convention meeting and President's training will be streamed live via Facebook.

The Convention speaker is Scott R. Christensen, Area Manager for the LDS Church History Department. Mr. Christensen has fascinating stories to tell about historical events in Utah history.

- **Legacy Article Deadline**
The April 15 deadline for submitting articles for the Summer Issue of *Legacy* is fast approaching. When submitting please be sure to include your name, telephone number, email address, and Camp or Company information to: legacy@isdup.org with your article.
- **Find Your Inactive Members!**

Remember Newton's law of motion: "An object at rest remains at rest . . . unless acted upon by an external force." Once you have identified an inactive Member, we encourage you to "Be the nudge" by inviting them to become active and participate in your Camp.

- **The Ten-Year Camp Initiative**

The Ten-Year Camp Initiative was introduced in 2023 as a planning tool in which Camp Members were encouraged to assess their membership to make a plan for the perpetuation of their Camp. We encourage all Camps to continue this effort. The Ten-Year Camp Initiative recommendations and worksheet are available on our website homepage.

- **Days of '47 Scholarship Competition**

The 2025 Scholarship Competition was held on March 28-29. Queen is Ellie Simmons. Attendants are Megan Haynie and Jacquelyn Bazinet. Pictures and bios of these young women are posted on the homepage at ISDUP.org.

- **Company Officer Elections**

Company Elections were completed in March, and the results of the voting should be presented in April Camp Meetings to the Members.

The outgoing Company leadership is responsible for completing two reports that are due June 30:

- Company Annual Statistical Report; Part 2 and Part 3 list the officers in place as of June 1, 2025
- Company Annual Financial Review

- **International Officer Elections**

International Elections were completed in March. Company Presidents should follow the procedure for reporting the results: The Company President tallies the ballot vote count for all Camps involved in the Company and then forwards the results to the International Election Committee by the April 30 deadline by email at: elections@isdup.org.

- **Pioneer Memorial Museum – Happy 75th birthday!**

July 24, 2025, marks the 75th anniversary of the dedication of the Pioneer Memorial Museum. Please join us on July 24 for an Open House to celebrate this historic milestone.

- **2025 District Conventions**

District Conventions for 2025 began in February. The International Officers invite all Company Officers and Camp Officers to the Officer Training Meeting held before the Convention general meeting.

- **International Board Positions**

We have several openings for volunteers on our International Board including Lesson Committee, Chaplain, Photo Department Specialist, and other assistant positions. We are

looking for applicants who are Members of DUP and have qualifications in speaking, leadership, and computer skills. We also have more technical positions that require additional skills for maintaining and growing our photography collection and writing lessons. Interested Members should submit a resume to the President.

- **Dues for the 2025/2026 DUP Year**

The default dues date in our membership database changes May 1, 2025. Any late dues received or new membership applications processed after May 1, 2025 will be posted to the 2025/2026 DUP fiscal year. Consider holding off on submitting late dues or new membership applications until after May 1 to receive credit for that next year's dues.

- **Zoom Camps**

Many Daughters have responded to the opportunity to participate in Zoom Camp meetings based on living in an area where no Camp is available to them or as a way to accommodate their needs. If interested, contact a leader listed below in your Time Zone:

- Mountain Time Zone – based in St. George, Utah – contact Dantzelle Allen, dantzelle@gmail.com.
- Mountain Time Zone – based in Denver, Colorado – contact Bobbi Brook, lilydog5brook@hotmail.com.
- Central Time Zone – based in Port St Louis, Missouri – contact Julina Hokanson, julinah@gmail.com.
- Pacific Time Zone – based in Los Altos-SF Bay, California – contact Pat Yencho, patyen@earthlink.net.
- Pacific Time Zone – based in Puget Sound, Washington – contact Barbara Pollard, clbjpollard@gmail.com.
- Eastern Time Zone – based in Arlington, Virginia – contact Vinette Bowman, vbowman01@verizon.net.
- Hawaii-Aleutian Time Zone – based in Hawaii – contact Debra MacArthur, debrakomatsu@yahoo.com.

- **ADA Requirements**

Please be advised that DUP Museums and other buildings are required by law to follow the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).

Thank you for all your hard work, enthusiasm, and support for Daughters of Utah Pioneers.

Sincerely,

ISDUP Executive Board

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