

# International Society Daughters of Utah Pioneers

## BULLETIN

October 1, 2025

Please forward to Camp Captains.

Our best wishes to all as you prepare for this spooky month!

### Points of Interest:

- **The Pioneer Memorial Museum** is closed on October 13/Columbus Day, November 11/Veterans Day, November 24-28/Thanksgiving.
- **Christmas Open House**  
We invite you to the Pioneer Memorial Museum for our Christmas Program and Open House on Friday December 5. More details to come.
- **DUP 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**  
April 11, 2026, is the day! Think about ways you can celebrate in your Companies and Camps.
- **Welcome** to the 122 new Members of Daughters of Utah Pioneers who joined in September.
- **Information for Camp and Company Registrars from ISDUP Registrar**  
Please remember that we join Daughters of Utah Pioneers following our direct line back from our maiden name, not our married name. So, my request for Camp and Company registrars is that you ask/encourage all applicants to type in their requested information on the application found online at: [www.isdup.org](http://www.isdup.org). Once the full name is entered on page one, the other three pages of the application are auto filled with the full name and that includes the maiden name. Those applicants completing their application by hand regularly miss putting their full name on each page and it becomes my task to fill the name in. Once the application is completed, it can be printed and taken to a Camp meeting to get the required signatures. This process becomes a teaching point for registrars, and I thank you for that. Also, I ask that pages of the application are not stapled together. With the applicant's name on each page, there is no need for staples or clips. Thank you.
- **Marker #597- Salem Bell and Salem Tree Monument**  
Congratulations to the Members of Salem Camp, Salem Utah, for their new Marker. The Camp has been celebrating their Centennial year starting in September of 2024. This Camp also maintains a cabin along with their markers in the Salem Heritage Park.

- **Early Bird**

We recognize and congratulate the Solano CA Company as the first Company to submit their Camp Rosters and International dues for the 2025-2026 DUP year.

- **2025-2026 ISDUP Dues**

The deadline for ISDUP dues is October 31. Please send one check for your Company dues along with Camp Rosters marked with the updates you have made. Use the Company Membership Dues Summary Sheet in all cases. If waiting on stragglers, a delay is preferred rather than submitting by piecemeal.

- **Camp Meeting – Artifact or Museum Story**

The Camp Meeting Agenda, on page 15 of the *Bylaws*, directs that an Artifact or Museum Story should be presented at Camp Meetings. Personally owned pioneer artifacts may be used for this presentation. Please remember that Museum artifacts can be photographed for the Camp presentation but cannot be removed from the Museum for any reason, including a Camp meeting.

- **Legacy Deadline**

Articles for the 2025 Winter *Legacy* are due October 15.

- **Company Statistical Reports Past Due**

The Company Annual Statistical Reports were due on June 30. Check that this report has been sent to the International Offices. We are still waiting on several.

- **Pioneer Memorial Museum Docents**

Calling out for new docents! We invite you to volunteer as a docent at our Museum.

- **October's Focus Resource**

Expressions of Esteem is a document available for purchase from ISDUP that can be used to honor a deceased Member of a Camp by acknowledging her accomplishments, talents, and contributions to Daughters of Utah Pioneers. The sentiments of the Camp may also be recorded, and the certificate is signed by the Camp Captain. When completed, the Captain sends it to the deceased's family and is often read at the funeral service. By submitting a copy of the final version to ISDUP, the Expressions of Esteem will be attached in digital format to the Member's permanent file. The document is found under the Shop tab at [isdup.org](http://isdup.org) and sold in a packet of three with matching envelopes. It is good to have this resource on hand.

- **Tales of Triumph Volume 8**

Volume 8 is available for purchase at the Museum or online. For multiple book orders, call the business office (801-532-6479, ext. 200). Spiral bound books are \$20.00. Hardbound are sold out.

- **District Conventions**

Company Presidents who are scheduled to hold a District Convention with an ISDUP Officer attending in 2026 (even years) have been contacted by Stacey Page for scheduling. Contact her by email if you have not confirmed the date with her at: [conventions@isdup.org](mailto:conventions@isdup.org). Past Presidents who have received the convention information should forward the email to the new president, and contact Stacey about the change.

- **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" – inviting them back into Camp activity.

- **The Ten-Year Camp Initiative**

The Ten-Year Camp Initiative was introduced in 2023 as a planning tool to assess the perpetuation of each Camp. Continue this effort and find resources on the website.

- **International Board Positions**

We have several openings for volunteers on our International Board including Lesson Committee, 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. Interested Members should submit a resume to the President.

- **Camp Officer Elections**

A reminder that the process for Camps Officer Elections begins in January 2026. Refer to online instructions found at: Leadership tab > Camp Officer Information > Camp Officer Election Policy and Procedures.

- **990-N e-postcard**

For those Companies and Camps who still need to file their 990-N e-postcard for the 2024 fiscal year which ended on May 31, 2025, the deadline is October 15th. After that date, the IRS will consider your filing as delinquent. This applies to groups who have jurisdiction over a DUP cabin, satellite museum, or cemetery. If you need assistance, please contact the ISDUP Treasurer.

Link to file the e-postcard:

[https://sa.www4.irs.gov/ss01/ial1?resumePath=%2Fas%2F4idAgnBVoy%2Fresume%2Fas%2Fauthorization.ping&allowInteraction=true&reauth=false&connectionId=SADIPAClient&REF=CF12BE218A3423D6336851FF0ED4E1E856A6F5A6B59164D7C8940000006A&vnd\\_pi\\_requested\\_resource=https%3A%2F%2Fsa.www4.irs.gov%2Fepostcard%2F&vnd\\_pi\\_application\\_name=EPOSTCARD](https://sa.www4.irs.gov/ss01/ial1?resumePath=%2Fas%2F4idAgnBVoy%2Fresume%2Fas%2Fauthorization.ping&allowInteraction=true&reauth=false&connectionId=SADIPAClient&REF=CF12BE218A3423D6336851FF0ED4E1E856A6F5A6B59164D7C8940000006A&vnd_pi_requested_resource=https%3A%2F%2Fsa.www4.irs.gov%2Fepostcard%2F&vnd_pi_application_name=EPOSTCARD)

E-postcard users guide: <https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p5248.pdf>

Once you have set up the account, the actual filing instructions start in the middle of page 6 of the booklet.

It takes about 15 minutes or so for the status to change from "pending" to either "accepted" or "rejected." Log out of the website and then log back into the account after waiting at least 15 minutes and click on the "Manage Form 990-N Submission" option when the two boxes appear (it is the one on the right). It may take you to a page showing that the submission has been accepted or rejected. If it should take you a page where you are given the option to "click here to see updated status," click on that link and then the status will be changed to either "accepted" or "rejected." Let the ISDUP Treasurer know when the filing has been accepted by the IRS.

- **Virtual DUP Camps**

Many Daughters have responded to the opportunity to participate in virtual Camp meetings based on living in an area where no Camp is available or to accommodate their needs. If interested, refer to: Virtual DUP Camps listed on the ISDUP.org homepage. Virtual Camps are organized by time zones.

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