Burgess-Locke-McCants

2022 Rescheduled Family Reunion Invitation

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Dear Burgess, Locke, McCants Family,

Thank you so much for your understanding and patience during the pandemic. What a time we've been through! I hope this letter reaches you in good spirits, it is sent with a lot of love. I'm pleased to announce the upcoming reunion has been scheduled to be **June 23th-26th**, **2022**. Unfortunately, COVID-19 put a little bump in our plans, but I know you all are ready to get back together with the family!

The reunion will still be hosted in Jacksonville, Florida, so get ready to pack your sunscreen and flip flops! The hotel honored our prior agreement from the last planned reunion, so we are back in action. Prepare to have a relaxing and fun weekend on the south bank of the St. Johns River in downtown Jacksonville at the DoubleTree Jacksonville-Riverfront Hotel.

We need your help, support, prayers and diligent cooperation to make this an excellent event so that we can continue to have even better reunion events in the future, so please spread the word about the reunion so that we can have a great turn out! We hope you are excited about the reunion details below and will help us out by reserving your spot early. We are diligently planning to make your visit to Jacksonville an unforgettable one!

Our 2022 Reunion Theme:

Celebrating New Branches from Strong Roots.

Colors: Black & Gold

Please contact me if you have any questions, suggestions, or concerns. The reunion information can also be found online at <u>www.BLMfamily.net</u>. Also, please let me know if you aware of anyone who may not have received this information or you can let them know that they can provide their contact information on our reunion website!

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Attached to this reunion registration packet, you will find

- Reunion Details
- Hotel Information
- Registration Form

Reunion Details

Family Reunion Registration Fees:

Adults & Teens (13 & up) - \$100.00 Youth (5-12) - \$65.00 Pre-K (4 and under) - Free

Make payment by check, cashier's check or money order payable to "Burgess, Locke, McCants" and mail to:

BLM Family Reunion P.O. Box 58175 Jacksonville, FL 32241

Online payments are now available through Eventbrite. Search "Burgess, Locke, McCants" on Eventbrite.com (additional 3.5% + 1.59 convenience fee will be applied)

Souvenir T-shirts:

Youth (S, M, L) - \$7.00 Adult (S, M, L, XL) - \$10.00 Adult (2X- 4X) - \$15.00

Souvenir Book - Ads are available for the souvenir book at the following rates:

Full Page - \$100 Half Page - \$50 Quarter Page - \$25

Please send ads/pictures and payment by March 1st, 2022.

History Book

The Burgess, Locke, McCants history book is available for purchase. The cost is \$50 if you will be coming to the reunion, if not it will be \$55 to mail it to you. Written by Melvina Ezell, our family historian has a full family tree of our pass lineage, and our beautiful family tree.

Herman E. Nettles Scholarship Fund

The H.E.N. Scholarship Fund is accepting applications that can assist our present high school graduates, undergraduate, graduate students, and trade-school bound with funds to support their ongoing education. Donations can still be made, and are tax deductible. The application can be accessed on <u>www.BLMfamily.net</u>.

HEN's Scholarship Foundation P.O. Box 58175 Jacksonville, FL 32241 The application entry deadline is **May 1st**, 2022.

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Hotel Information

Room Block Name: "Burgess, Locke, McCants"

Room Rate: **\$112 dollars + tax** for a <u>city facing double/king bed</u> and **\$132 dollars + tax** for a <u>Riverfront double/king room</u>.

The preferred room is the Riverfront Jr. Suite at a rate of **\$152.00** + **tax** which includes a King bed, pullout, *a microwave and mini-fridge*. This is the only room that includes a microwave and mini-fridge.

All rooms feature free Wi-Fi, flat-screen TVs and coffeemakers.

Parking: \$6 per day. The entry gate will let you IN/OUT with your room key. You will not have to repay every time you leave the parking lot.

Please note: On May 15th the hotel will release the room block so PLEASE don't wait to make your reservations! You will have the ability to cancel your reservations up to **2 days prior** to our event. You will also have the option of checking in **3 days prior or post** our reunion dates at that same rate. The hotel has set up a web link for your convenience to assist with payment options.

Please contact the hotel NO LATER THAN May 15th to get the Reunion rate and <u>specify</u> <u>whether you need a Double or King size room</u>. If you have any special requests, please don't hesitate to call me so I can help get you accommodated. The hotel address, map with directions, and phone number can be found at the bottom of the page at <u>www.BLMfamily.net</u>. Also, information on registration and scholarship application forms are easily accessible on the family reunion website.

Hotel Information:

DoubleTree - Jacksonville Riverfront 1201 Riverplace Blvd. Jacksonville, FL Phone: 904-398-8800 Website: <u>doubletree3.hilton.com</u>

Sign Up for Optional Excursion

Optional Excursion: Set sail on the St. Johns River and enjoy a 2 hour tour of the city on Saturday afternoon. The boat will depart from the DoubleTree hotel, with lunch and entertainment provided. Hang out with family before having the day "on your own" before the banquet! Tickets for adults (17+ are \$25), and kids (5-16) are \$10, 4 & under are free.

Optional Excursion for <u>kids</u> and adults: We're going Wild at Jacksonville Zoo! Sign you and/or your kid for an organized morning tour and served lunch. Spend your morning before the banquet with family, animals, and nature to relax and enjoy the sun. Travel and food will be included in the price of the ticket. Tickets for adults (17+ are \$30), and kids (5-16) are \$20, 3 & under are free.

Activities will be planned so everyone can enjoy both activities.

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