

Byrnes Family & Friends Reunion 2005

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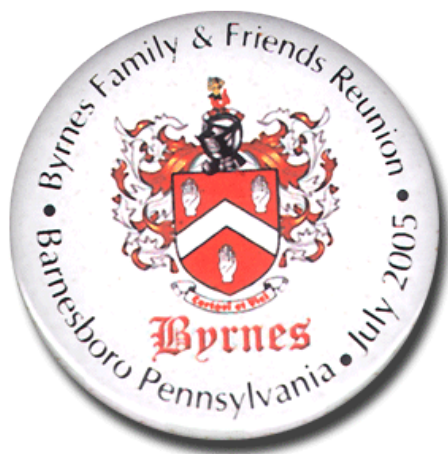
We organized a 'Byrnes Family & Friends Reunion' in 2005, it was held at the Barnesboro Pool in Barnesboro (now Northern Cambria), Pennsylvania. Close to one hundred people attended. Click here to see the list.

Everyone had an excellent time. Some people said that if we hadn't had the reunion, they probably would never have been able to see many of the people with which they reconnected.

The reunion helpers (pictured above right) kept track of those attending the reunion in a notebook and Diane Byrnes Carl has it. The helpers also made sure everyone recieved a badge commemorating the reunion.

Karen Byrnes Harmon (above center) contributed a great deal of time and energy in making the reunion a success, and I think I still owe her money for coffee. Karen helped plan the reunion, she contacted people, and with the help of her husband Ed Harmon, provided everyone at the reunion with coffee. My brothers and sisters helped during the reunion and I should thank them too but they are siblings. Besides, didn't they get free chicken?

We collected money from everyone and Snappy Chef, a caterer from Altoona, PA, provided a great chicken dinner including chocolate cake. The night before the reunion, many people met for dinner at the Palace Hotel (now The City Hotel-Bar & Grill) in Northern Cambria.



Edna Francina Byrnes Lantzy was at the reunion with daughters and friends, she was the oldest person at the reunion being 94 that year. She broght some excellent pictures as did Donna Marie Gibas Lloyd. Donna, her husband Edward 'Rick' Lloyd were at the reunion along with Donna's sister Charlene Francis Gibas Jones.

We were lucky to have four songsters at the reunion; they sang the Barnesboro High School Song to the delight of all. They are pictured at the top left, clicking on the picture will bring up a short (18 second) video of the entertainment extravaganza.

The center picture above is a photo-chopped collage with Karen Byrnes Harmon in the center holding one of the twins belonging to Ron Homer (to the right of Karen) and his wife Donna Kruse Homer holding another twin. Far left in the picture is Florence Ruth Byrnes and I believe the other lady is the mother of Donna Kruse Homer. In a way it looks like triplets but it is twins.

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The happy guy with the white mustache is holding a heavy brass Irish door knocker for his work on the reunion. The prize was presented to Edward A. Byrnes by Karen Ann Byrnes Harmon. Ed was glad to see everyone at the reunion and wishes he had talked with everyone more.

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