Centennial Family Awards Program

Nomination Form

The Centennial Family Awards Program honors families who have lived in Lake Forest and/or Lake Bluff continuously for 100 years or more. Nominations are accepted at any time. The awards are presented each spring at the History Center’s annual meeting.

Please fill out this nomination form and the following questionnaire.

1. Applicant’s Name: _____________________________________________________________
   Mailing Address: _____________________________________________________________
   City and ZIP Code: ___________________________________________________________
   Telephone: _______________ Email Address: _______________

2. Family Surname(s): ___________________________________________________________

3. Family Surname(s) to be placed on award: _________________________________________

4. Please complete the attached questionnaire and attach other information that can be used to prepare a history of the centennial family. We may also conduct an interview with you and/or other family members.

5. We will need at least ten family photographs (more if you have them). Digital files are preferred but we can scan originals at the History Center. We are also happy to provide a home to original photographs if you are looking for one.

Application Process

Submissions are accepted at any time during the year. For planning, it is helpful to receive applications by November 1st. One centennial family and one centennial business are honored each spring at our annual meeting. Nominees must be a member of the History Center. (Annual memberships are $50 for individuals, $75 for families and $100 for businesses.) Questions? Contact Laurie Stein at 847.234.5253 or at Istein@lfblhistory.org.

Please return your nomination form, photos, and membership (if applicable) to:

Laurie Stein, Curator | Istein@lfblhistory.org

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1. Who was the first person in the family to live in Lake Forest or Lake Bluff? When did they move here and where did they come from? Where did the person live?

2. Please list the names of each generation of descendants starting from the original resident and indicate their Lake Forest/Lake Bluff address. Please indicate the years of residence. (Attach another sheet if necessary.)
3. Please list the names and addresses of family members that currently reside in Lake Forest and/or Lake Bluff.

4. Please share additional information about your family’s connection to Lake Forest and Lake Bluff businesses, local political offices, schools attended, clubs involved with, military service, recognition received, homes lived in, etc.