

BFNA Newsletter

September 2016

Dear Cousins,

Wow...I feel like it's been a long time since I was feverishly putting together my first issue of the "Blaisdell Papers" back in April/May for the June publication. Thanks to all of YOU and the many contributors and proofreaders, all 88 pages came out on time...a big relief. Now it's time to get busy on the NEXT issue for December.

Summer has been filled with travel for me (grandkids, roller coasters, friends, family) and three (3) "Blaisdell" reunions: Wayne City, Illinois and Clemmons, NC (Southeast group) and new to me, the Blasdel-Kiser Reunion, in Fort Wayne. So many wonderful stories, pictures, and memories were shared, and I'm sure YOU and YOUR families have many adventures to share with our fellow "Blaisdell's."

I look forward to attending more "Blaisdell" Family gatherings...and receiving the wonderful stories, and photos as we get ready to put together another edition of the "Blaisdell Papers!" **You can contact me via email: jbla1951@gmail.com or by mail: John Blasdel, Jr. Editor, 2159 Basket Lane, Apt. 306, Lawrenceburg, IN 47025...or call: 513-919-2009**

Don't Miss Out!

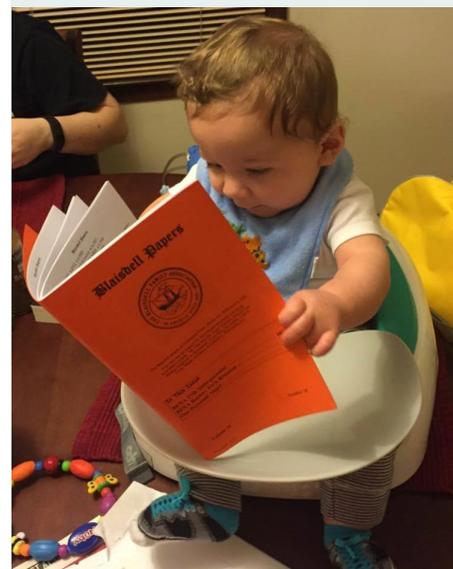
Hopefully, you're just like our young cousin, Miles Blasdel, of Greensburg, Indiana...since even Miles doesn't want to miss out on any Blaisdell Family news. Miles knows that his family's subscription to the BFNA's historic "Blaisdell Papers" semi-annual publication will apprise him of family reunions, events, historical sketches and biographies of his fellow Blaisdell cousins from around the world. So, if you have not yet renewed your subscription to the "Blaisdell Papers" you can **check out our link at www.Blaisdell.org to subscribe online or send your \$15 donation to: BFNA, P.O. Box 35583, Houston, TX. 77235-5583**

You're VITAL to the BFNA!

The wonderful legacy of the Blaisdell family has been faithfully recorded for more than 80 years...an amazing treasure. This is largely due to the faithful communication of family members to our Vital Statistics Editor, Linda Gellert and Genealogist, Margaret Guss. Please keep our family's story alive by sending your family's births, obituaries, and marriages: **vitalstatistics@Blaisdell.org or mail to Linda Gellert, 1384 Penny Lane, Greenfield, IN 46104-1572 AND send genealogy requests to Margaret Guss, genealogy and updates on family data: 00335guss@sbcglobal.net or mail to Margaret Guss, 96129 Long Island Place, Fernandina Beach, FL 32034**



Blasdel-Kiser Reunion,
Fort Wayne, Indiana



Miles Blasdel is the son of
Matt & Sara Blasdel