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Our Cody *Review* newsletter, launched by Aldus Cody in 1962, has a long history of reporting the activities of the ICFA. For decades, subscribers have enjoyed articles about our Reunions, Circles, news with colorful vignettes of Buffalo Bill and family history.

Now one of our most cherished ambitions has been realized; We bring you access to the archives of *Review* back issues as presented by the Buffalo Bill Center of the West in cooperation with the ICFA!

We supplied over 500 pages of back issues, provided by our Editor Allan Cody, Ex-CEO Terry and Past President Gerald Cody, and there at McCracken Research Library, under the direction of Mary Robinson, BBCoW Archivist Samantha

Harper scanned, compiled and posted .pdf files of each issue on-line as part of BBCoW's Digital Collections.

At presstime, the staff hasn't completed the work of adding all the back issues to their navigation system, so this is a special preview, just click this link to view the collection; <http://library.centerofthewest.org/cdm/search/collection/p17097coll97/order/identi/ad/asc>

You'll be greeted by the navigation page listing each issue with a thumbnail image of the cover. Scroll down through the years and see if you can find yourself or your loved ones pictured at a Reunion, mentioned in the Milestones or elsewhere. For fans of Buffalo Bill, there are many articles about him and his family scattered throughout the collection. Happy reading!

# Indexed Catalog of *Review* Back Issues

Here's a 20-year history of our newsletter, from the Digital Collection at BBCoW's McCracken Research Library.

This tribute to our Founding Editor, Secretary-Treasurer Aldus Cody 148/331, recognizes the *Review* as a major contribution to our Association; Thanks for the memories!

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# Announcing Our 2019 ICFA Reunion in Cody, WY!



**Kevin Cody welcomes us to Cody's main attraction, the 5 museums at the Buffalo Bill Center of the West!**

by Kevin Cody 145/44332, VP & Reunion Committee Chair

Greetings, as Chair of the 2019 Reunion Committee, please let me announce that the next fun-filled International Cody Family Association Reunion will be held in [Cody, Wyoming](#) from July 1st to July 4th, 2019!

Our 2017 reunion in Golden, Colorado was a great success thanks to President Suzanna Cody and Treasurer Ron Hill's hard work; 67 people joined together to attend, an impressive turnout and we hope to make our 2019 rendezvous just as spectacular if not more so!

This time around the reunion planning baton has been handed to me, your new ICFA Vice President, William "Kevin" Cody. Party planning is by no means new to me and since we have chosen my hometown to celebrate our next get-together makes it even more thrilling for me to spearhead this venture.

I was born and raised in the historic town of Cody, Wyoming and even though I now reside in Georgia, I often return to visit my mother, Linda Cody (past ICFA Secretary) and sister, Kellie Edwards (ICFA Cody Ambassador). They reside in Cody and will be assisting me with all of the reunion planning and preparations.

We have selected the [Cody Legacy Inn](#) as the Headquarters Hotel for all of our reunion attendees. They're close to town, have beautiful rooms with wonderful accommodations that suit our needs and the owners, Bryan and Kellie Edwards have graciously offered us a 20% discount off their normal rate!

We're still finalizing our itinerary, but here is an agenda to spark your curiosity and evoke your interest.

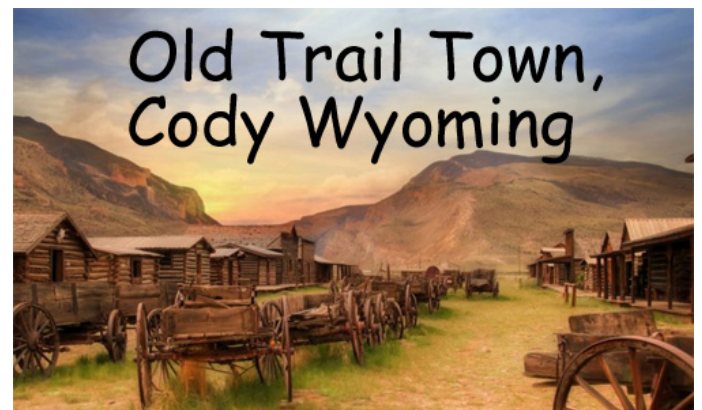
- [Exhilarate to white water river rafting on the Shoshone River](#)
- [Thrill to the 100th Buffalo Bill Cody Stampede Rodeo](#)
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- [Enjoy dinner at the Bill Cody Ranch Resort](#)
- [Tour Buffalo Bill's hunting lodge, Pahaska Teepee Resort](#)
- [Witness the drama of the Cody Gunfighters](#)
- [Dine elegantly in the Governor's Room at the Irma Hotel](#)
- [Visit the grave of Jeremiah Johnson at Old Trail Town](#)
- [Ride the Cody Trolley Tour through the historic hometown](#)
- [Take a family tour of the Buffalo Bill Center of the West](#)
- [Catch some nightlife at the Dan Miller Show](#)
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- [Lunch at the Cody Club Room at Cody Auditorium](#)
- [Elect our ICFA Officers at the Business Meeting](#)
- [Celebrate our independence with Cody's 4th of July fireworks](#)
- [Relax with dining and dancing at Cassie's Supper Club](#)

It's all the fun of a Hometown July 4th, so come one, come all and bring the whole family because we have plenty of exciting activities planned for the kiddos too. Come to Cody in 2019!

FYI, we propose a 2021 reunion in [LeClaire IA](#), Buffalo Bill's birthplace in commemoration of his 175th birthday, we'll announce further details in the next Review.

Happy Trails to You Until We Meet Again!

# Cody Postcard Photoplay!



# Buffalo Bill Legacy Gallery Makeover & Expansion!

The BBLG has expanded its catalog to 1,177 Buffalo Bill related artifacts in 21 different categories!

Kevin has been joined by Directors Bret and Christina Hubbs, who have re-engineered the site for better aesthetics and more intuitive navigation. The exhibits now have a mouseover title explaining each item's provenance.

The Artifacts tab replaced the Photos tab and the Research and Store tabs are new. The new [Research tab](#) provides tons of educational links to scholarly articles about Buffalo Bill's West and the Store will be ready for the holiday season.

The updated [Events tab](#) presents over 40 different recent or upcoming Buffalo Bill related events with photos and links. Several new attractions and landmarks have been added to the [Visit tab](#) with a handy map to help you plan your route! More links have been added to the [Websites tab](#) with photos. [The News tab](#) has more content, 6 more links and more to come. [The Videos tab](#) now features 12 selections.

Let's have a round of applause for the team and their imagination and diligence in creating this wonderful experience for us all!



W.F. Cody Birth Centennial Plate, from the Collection

## Find Us - Follow Us - Network



Our social media forums are the places where we meet to communicate or consult with each other. There, visitors can meet others with an interest in our history, genealogy, publications or events. They provide a place to express ideas for comment.

Our [ICFA Facebook](#) page presents our activities with videos of our reunions, articles from the Review and comments from our visitors. Explore the site using the Home, About, Photos, Events... tabs on the left margin. Oh, and please click the "Like" button before you go!

For his fans, our [Buffalo Bill Facebook](#) page lists Buffalo Bill meetups and tells his story in pictures, captioned with visitor's comments and shared artifacts. If you have Buffalo Bill memorabilia, this is a good place to exhibit it. There's a great video of Scout's Rest, his ranch in Nebraska where the tryouts for the Wild West were held.

[Twitter](#) celebrates our recent Reunions with articles from the Review and links to the website, join up and Tweet today!

Our [LinkedIn](#) community has grown to include professionals in real estate, the arts, computer science and media.

**Milestones** *Please use the fill-in forms under CONTACTS on the website's home page to send news of family events.*

### Deaths:

264/431B13 Mark Allan Deuel, born in Denver, CO on 2/28/1975 died suddenly in Durango Colorado April 21, 2018 leaving a widow, Destiny Jean Faust and 2 children.

### Marriages:

140/2112152 Patrick Ryan Benson, born in Ft. Worth, Texas in 1992 married Mallory Bass born in Memphis, Tennessee in 1993 at Hernando, Mississippi January 13, 2018.

148/27633 Bethany Cynthia Knowles-Thompson, born in Archer, Florida in 1987 was married in Las Vegas NV on 3/12/2017 to Jason Wanvig, born in 1987 at Owatonna, Minnesota.

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## Buffalo Bill's Birthday at Cody Villa



**Our Florida Regional Directors, Peter and Kathy Plautz 206/72221, visited Cody Villa to celebrate Buffalo Bill's Birthday this February. From left to right, Peter Plautz, Jim Thompson 148/2762, George Skene 148/2742, Barbara Barry, Margaret Thompson Monahan 148/2761, Kathy Plautz and Jim Monahan.**

On Sunday February 25th, members of the Florida Cody Family met for a wonderful dinner and family gathering at Cody Villa overlooking Crooked Lake in Babson Park, Florida in celebration of Buffalo Bill's birthday and the restoration of our Florida Circle. After singing "Happy Birthday" and reminiscing about the 2017 Reunion in Golden Colorado, the discussion turned to the future of the ICFA Florida Circle.

Much of it was brainstorming about re-activation of the Florida Circle and how to get more Cody Descendants involved. The history of our Cody family in Florida goes back to the 1890's and there are at least three museums there that have collections of Cody history. Some have even volunteered their facility to host a Florida Circle Reunion!

Peter and Kathy are ready, willing and able to visit other Cody Descendants across Florida, beginning with small groups and then co-ordinating for a real reunion.

The photo was taken at Crooked Lake in front of the Homestead House built for Lindus and Amelia Cody 148/2 in 1917. For more, see "[Cody Villa](#)" under the HISTORY, "The Jazz Age" menu choice on the ICFA website's home page.

We thank Margaret Monahan for providing much of the source material for our webpages about Lindus and Amelia. For more about Cody Villa, see "[The Homestead House](#)" and "[Crooked Lake Development Co.](#)", both under the website's HISTORY, "The Jazz Age" menu choice.

## Polk Co. Citrus Label Tour!

The 100th anniversary of Frostproof's incorporation will be celebrated this coming Labor Day with a Citrus Label Tour. The citrus crop brought the railroad and built the town, for three years in the 1920s, Frostproof's depot shipped more Florida citrus than any other and each crate carried a distinctive brand label signifying the grade of its contents. For more about the [celebration](http://www.myfp100.com), see [www.myfp100.com](http://www.myfp100.com).

In recognition, the [Florida Citrus Hall of Fame](#), [Visit Central Florida](#) and the [Polk History Center](#) have partnered to promote a [Citrus Label Tour of Polk County](#) where participating towns will display banners from the downtown area's streetlight poles showing the local growers and packers' family names with their citrus crate labels.

Lindus and Amelia Cody were important [pioneers in Frostproof citrus](#). Their son Arthur and his wife, Marie, owned Fruitainer there in the '20s and a grandson, William Judson Cody, ran the Producers Citrus Corp. The Review's Founding Editor, Aldus Cody and his brother Bob, both grew up in Frostproof where his mother, Josephine, taught school. Buffalo Bill visited his cousins Lindus and Luther in Frostproof.



# Moores & Codys - Illinois Pioneers



**From Oneida County, they took the Seneca Turnpike, the Lake Shore Trail, the Corduroy Road and the Old Sauk Trail.**

Jay Lamdin 203/46121, presented us with his uncle Frank's 5-page 1989 essay, "The Moore & Cody Families", telling of our Martha Cody 203 who together with her husband, Horace Moore, emigrated to Big Grove in LaSalle County Illinois in 1835. The story comes down to us through Horace's travelling diary, the log of their little party's journey from their home in New York's Oneida County to settle on the prairies of Illinois.

The Moore and Cody families had come to Oneida County from Union Connecticut, where they had met before the Revolution and intermarried.

Fascinated by the tale, we further researched the history of the area to determine the circumstances of their trek and the motivations and expectations for their move. Big Grove was a frontier settlement between the fur trader's outpost at Ottawa and the American Fur Company at Fort Dearborn, near the growing town of Chicago. See ["The Moore & Cody Families"](#) webpage for more.

It seems that they responded to the land sales held to finance the I&M Canal, between Chicago and Ottawa and joined other Oneida County emigrants already residing at Big Grove. They remembered the positive impact the opening of the Erie Canal made on Oneida County and hoped the I & M canal would do likewise for LaSalle County.

Horace and Martha were not fur traders, but farmers and recognized the potential a new canal would unlock. They soon began cultivation of the rich prairie land just east of Big Grove and pioneered the town of Lisbon. They were joined by Horace's brother Jarvis and his wife, our Lydia 181, as well as several later arrivals from Oneida County, including their former pastor, Calvin Bushnell.

The accompanying plat maps of the 1870s bear witness to the settler's success and we find Horace, Jarvis and their posterity occupying large parcels in and around Lisbon.

## LeClaire Buffalo Bill Museum Plans Addition!

The [Buffalo Bill Museum in LeClaire](#), Iowa is excited to announce a new addition that will house a replica interior of a one-room schoolhouse.

From the 1850's to the 1950's, [Iowa's one-room schoolhouses](#) were thriving, especially during the 1910's and 20's. Most of [the one-room schools in Iowa closed](#) in the mid-to-late 1950's. The display will be a wonderful educational tool for the museum, showing visitors how education has evolved.

This exhibit focuses on the 1920's and contains authentic artifacts and encourages visitors to interact with objects found in the educational techniques of that time. Clapping erasers or chopping wood gets you extra credit!

[Most Iowa one-room school houses](#) ran similar to each other. Typically there wasn't any way for students to get to and from school, so they walked about 2 to 5 miles each day.

The school year was shorter than the 180 days we're used to now, because children were expected to help out during busy farming seasons, especially harvest time. A typical day would start around 9 am and could get out as early as 2 pm, depending on what time of the year it was. The length and number of days were not enforced as strictly as they are now.

Classes were composed of children ranging in age from kindergarten to 8th grade, with one teacher to educate and manage them all. Older children helped teach the younger children, key to making the classroom run smoothly.



**The "Little Red Schoolhouse" at Cedar Falls, Iowa**

The "4 Rs", plus history, grammar, rhetoric, and geography were commonly taught. Graduation depended on a Final Exam and only a few went on to secondary education.

The Buffalo Bill Museum is pleased to be able to bring such a fine educational tool to the region and expects an early fall opening at an estimated cost of \$132,000. [Donations toward this valuable project can be made on the museum's website.](#)