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## Society of Stukely Westcott Descendents of America

From the President:

Spring 2024

Dear Cousins –



Reconnect, reminisce, and rejoice! Join us for our biennial reunion, where cherished memories meet new beginnings. Don't miss out on the chance to reunite with old friends and create new ones. Mark your calendar and make lasting memories with us July 18-21, 2024 in Charlotte!

Look for Reunion Details from our very own Jennifer Verutto in this edition of the Westcott newsletter!

Plus, don't forget about our annual scholarship program, providing opportunities for the next generation of achievers. The Westcott Society scholarship not only fosters connections but also supports future leaders through education. Please talk up and encourage eligible individuals to apply for this based on the deadlines / information on the SSWDA website.



Speaking of the Westcott Scholarship – I would like to take this opportunity to update all of you on one of our past recipients – Jack Baumgartner. He graduated in early May 2024 from Northeastern University with honors, and he will start working for PwC (Price Waterhouse Coopers) in the fall; in the interim, he will be studying and sitting for his CPA exams. Congrats Jack!!

Again, let's come together to celebrate, reminisce, and make a difference in Charlotte in July!

All the best,

Louise

Louise Aitcheson  
SSWDA President

Enclose both pages of this form with a check/money order for all fees.

**Registration for reunion: Reunion Dates July 19-21 (page 1 of 2)**

**Registration forms with payment due to treasurer by July 10, 2024**

<b>Reunion Registration Reunion Dates: July 19-July 21, 2024</b>	How Many	Costs	Total
Adults		\$10.00	\$
Children		\$5.00	\$

Friday Morning Nascar Hall of fame (general admission includes transportation to and from the hotel))	How many	cost	total
Adults		\$47.00	\$
Children 4-12 Under 4 free		\$40.00	\$
Seniors 65+		\$44.00	

Friday Charlotte Bus Tour (tour includes transportation from the Nascar Hall of Fame back to hotel)	How Many	cost	total
Adults and children tour		\$55.00	\$

Friday Dinner: Buffet* (Taxes and gratuities included)	How Many	Cost	Total
Adults		\$70.00	\$
Children		\$35.00	\$

Whitewater Center (transportation and activity charges)	How many	cost	Total
Adults and children (no charge to enter park)		\$20.00	
Family Whitewater rafting ( charge for rafting trip)		\$55.00	
Full Day Pass, all events (charge for all activities)		\$75.00	
Reunion Banquet Dinner Buffet* (taxes and gratuities included)			
Adults		\$70.00	
Children		\$35.00	

Sunday Morning Farwell Cousins Breakfast	How many	cost	total
Adults		\$37.00	\$
Children		\$18.50	\$
<b>Total-- Check or money order (do not send cash)</b>			

## Westcott Reunion Registration Form (page 2 of 2)

Print attendee names and state as you want them to appear on your reunion name tags	
Name	State

<b>In case we need to contact you (Please Print)</b>	
Name	
Street Address/Apartment	
City/State/Zipcode	
Phone Number	
E-mail Address	

**\*\* If there are special dietary requirements that cannot be met by the buffet offerings, please complete the form as if registering for the meal offered, but place a check mark here. We will be in touch with you after the registration form and payment have been received to follow up on your request.**

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Make checks payable to and mail to:

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Hotel Reservations here:



**<https://www.hilton.com/en/book/reservation/rooms/?ctyhocn=CLTDTDT&arrivalDate=2024-07-18&departureDate=2024-07-21&groupCode=CDT900&room1NumAdults=1&cid=OM%2CWW%2CHILTONLINK%2CEN%2CDirectLink>**



# 2024 Westcott Reunion Schedule

Reunion: Last day to register is July 10, 2024  
Questions? Contact Bart Westcott: [bwestcott2@gmail.com](mailto:bwestcott2@gmail.com)

## Thursday– July 18th

- Board meeting
  - Board members arrive to attend evening meeting Executive Board Room
- The Hospitality Room and displays will be open for registration, information and an opportunity for cousins to greet each other and visit. Executive Board Room

## Friday—July 19th

### All Day

The Hospitality Room will be open for registration, information and an opportunity for cousins to greet each other and visit. Executive Board Room

**9:30 am-1:30 pm Nascar Hall of Fame:** <https://www.nascarhall.com/plan-a-visit>

Meet in the hotel lobby to leave at 9:30. Buses return to hotel at 1:30 from Nascar



It's a place where fans can uncover new stories and get in on the action at every turn with more than 50 interactive experiences. Get behind the wheel of an iRacing simulator on your favorite track or see if you have what it takes to make the team in our Pit Crew Challenge.

Take part in events that set the stage for the future of the industry and hear intimate, never-before-told stories of the past.

**1:30-3:30 pm Charlotte City Bus Tour:**

Pick up from the Nascar Hall of Fame for a bus tour around host city Charlotte, North Carolina. Bus returns you to the hotel for our evening activities.

**1:30-4:00 pm Family genealogist** Jeff Westcott Executive Board Room hospitality. Share recent information to keep the family tree current. Research your connections.

**6:00 pm. Informal family buffet: Barringer Room**

Begin the evening with a social hour cash bar spending time getting to know you, catching up with cousins and meeting new ones before the evening buffet.

## Saturday – July 20<sup>th</sup>

### All Day

Hospitality room will be open for registration, information and an opportunity for cousins to greet each other and visit. Executive Board Room

**8:00-9:30 am SSWDA general membership meeting** and memorial service in the Barringer Room.

**9:30-2:30 Whitewater Center:** <https://center.whitewater.org/>

Meet in the lobby to travel to the Whitewater center for a day of fun filled adventure activities. Register to travel to and from the park if you plan to just walk around and enjoy sightseeing or if you plan to purchase your own activity tickets. A full day pass to all activities is \$75.00 **Or** Choose the transportation option to and from the hotel along with pre-purchased ticket for the group rafting trip scheduled for our Westcott group. The bus returns the group to the hotel at 2:30.



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**6:00 pm Family Reunion Buffet Banquet: Barringer Room**

Enjoy a social hour with a cash bar before the buffet. Dining music will be provided by a DJ with dancing afterward.

**Sunday July 21**

7:00-9:00 am Buffet Breakfast: Barringer Room

- One final visit to say goodbye until we meet again at our next SSWDA reunion in 2026

**In the quarterly news:**

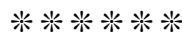
**New Westcott Society Members**

New Westcott cousins to our society rolls come from six different states. Welcome from Connecticut, Mary Catherine Tucker; from California, Westcott Stone Bell IV; from New York, Timothy James Pieper; from Iowa, Sarah Marie Haag; from Washington Kenneth Marshall and from Michigan, Michael G. Andrews.



**2024 Society lifetime members**

For their 80th birthday celebration this year, these Westcott cousins received a lifetime membership from SSWDA. President Louise Atkinson sent along the membership with a family greeting to these cousins:



**Easter Remembrance**

Every spring the SSWDA donates a remembrance from the society to the First Baptist Church in Providence Rhode Island. This is the Baptist church Stukely Westcott helped Roger Williams begin, the first Baptist Church founded in the new land. This year the donation was made for the church to use toward the church's ministries in Providence.

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