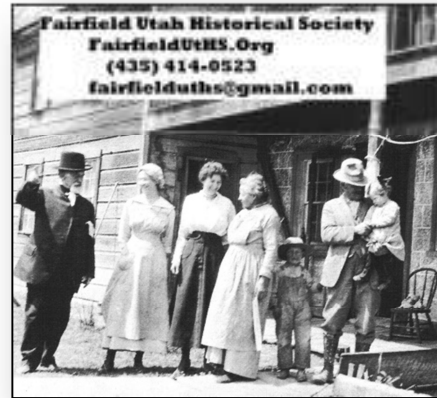


Fairfield Utah Historical Society

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Fairfield Utah is best known as the host town of Johnston's Army from 1858 to 1861. The town was called Frogtown during the Army occupation by 3,500 troops. Frogtown was a boom town similar to those found in mining towns complete with saloons, hotels and painted ladies. After the Army left at the outbreak of the American Civil War in 1861 only 18 families remained.

The Fairfield Utah Historical Society (FUHS) is sponsored by the Friends of Camp Floyd and is a non-profit support organization for the Camp Floyd Stage Coach Inn State Park. The "Friends" support the military and civilian living history events on holiday weekends during the summer.



George Beefsteak Harrison a cook at Camp Floyd recollecting with Carson ladies and Howard Driggs at the Carson Inn.

Officers

Michael C. Helmantoler, President; Bradford R. Gurney, Vice President; Margaret C. Buttars, Secretary/ Treasurer; Russell Felt, Chairman; Pam Carson, DUP Liaison; and Chuck Mood, Military Liaison. You can contact the society at (435)414-0523, email Fairfielduths@gmail.com or post to 157 E Jordan Ridge Blvd. #304, Saratoga Springs, UT 84045.

Projects

We have collected a 100 article archive that is housed in the Lehi City Historical Archive in Lehi. Many of these articles will be available on our website FairfieldUtHS.org. In 2014 we built out social media sites and pages for Fairfield and Frogtown on the FamilySearch.Org Research Wiki.

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2015 Booklet Series

- Camp Floyd Utah Soldiers Poetry - Haws
- History of Fairfield Utah – Hanson
- Fairfield Utah Historic Walking Tour – Helmantoler
- Frogtown Establishments – Haws
- Pony Express and Overland Stage at Camp Floyd - Felt
- First Families of Fairfield Utah – Carson
- Dobie Town Utah - Gentile Enterprises - Moon
- Camp Floyd Utah Military Biographies - Mood

The above will available for purchase at the Camp Floyd Stagecoach Inn State Park Commissary/Museum and on the Friends of Camp Floyd web site.

Newsletter

We use the blog on the FairfieldUtHS.org as a newsletter.

Meetings

We meet the first Thursday of the month at the Lehi City Historical Archives at 2151 North Pointe Meadow Drive Lehi, Utah 84043. Some meetings include a live teleconference via Google Hangout.

Resources

The museum is in the Commissary building at the Camp Floyd State Park at 18035 W. 1540 N. Fairfield, UT 84013. The Lehi archive is open Tuesdays and Thursdays from Noon to 5 PM at the above Lehi address.

Submissions

We seek and invite information, stories, and items relative to the Camp Floyd era of Utah History. Contact us at the above addresses.

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