



May 22, 1986

Dear Relative,

O.K., so you have looked at the names on the bottom of this letter, and you aren't a "blood relative" of any of them. Why the salutation then?

We are having a celebration so big, that it takes in every member of the Elmhurst family! With the celebration of our Sesquicentennial—150 years of growth dedicated to serving our family—we acknowledge the part that each of us has played, does play, and will play in the history of our city as well as in its prominence in DuPage County.

Hundreds of volunteers are working toward a common goal—to give back to Elmhurst some of what she has given to us, and in return to revel in the good fortune of being able to say proudly that we are residents of a city celebrating "150 colorful years."

Any event as big as our Sesquicentennial recognition, requires funds for its support. Our celebration needs many corporate and private gifts; several corporations have already made leadership gifts. The rest of us, the residents of Elmhurst who have the most to gain from our celebration, will make up the bulk of the private gifts. Remember, a gift to the Elmhurst Sesquicentennial is a gift to ourselves. It shows that we believe in ourselves, because we are Elmhurst.

Every gift made to the celebration, no matter the amount, is important. The generosity of all donors will be given appropriate recognition by the Sesquicentennial General Committee. If you are able to make a gift in the amount of \$150.00, your name will be inscribed as part of a permanent honor roll of donors to the Sesqui-Club.

Please consider a tax deductible gift in support of this celebration. Think about the fact that this is a once in a lifetime opportunity to join with other "family members" in support of past, present, and future excellence.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Richard M. Weber".

Richard M. Weber
General Chairman

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "William E. Harris".

William E. Harris
Co-Chairman—Finance

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Abner S. Ganet".

Abner S. Ganet
Co-Chairman—Finance

P.S. No local tax dollars are being used to support the Sesquicentennial. That's why the very special events of the next few months need our personal support. Please take advantage of this gift opportunity by June 15, 1986.

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