

# Newsletter

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## October Regular Monthly Meeting

On Monday, October 27, 2003, the FWGS held its general meeting in the Tandy Lecture Hall at the Central Library. President Rob Yoder presented the slate of officers nominated for 2004.

The following 2004 FWGS Officers were elected by acclamation:

President: Rob Yoder

1st Vice President & Newsletter: Lynn Johnson

2nd Vice President & Program: Weldon Hudson

3rd Vice President & Membership: Terri Meeks

Treasurer: Roy Combrink

Recording Secretary: Jerry Grant

Corresponding Secretary: Rita Martin

Historian: Eleanor Hutcheson

Directors: Donald H. Crews, Don Fleming, Clois Richardson, Charles Sorenson, Gary Whitfield

The speaker for the evening was Valeska Vicars who gave an interesting program about researching in North Carolina. Mrs. Vicars has made several trips to the North Carolina State Library and Archives and other research facilities in the state. She gave many helpful hints about what to look for when doing family history in this area.

## Upcoming Regular Monthly Meeting

The next Regular Monthly Meeting will be held on Monday, November 24, 2003, from 7:00 pm until 9:00 pm at the Fort Worth Public Library -- Central. The program will be on the roll of the Anglican Church and the church records in the central colonies of Colonial America. Installation of the Society's 2004 Officers will be in addition to the program.

### Renew Your FWGS Membership

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|---------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$23         | Individual   | <b>Renewing for Year:</b>     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$27         | Family       | <input type="checkbox"/> 2003 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$50 or more | Sustaining   | <input type="checkbox"/> 2004 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$250        | Contributing | <input type="checkbox"/> 2005 |

Renew your FWGS Membership by sending your name, address and email to Fort Worth Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 9767, Fort Worth, Texas 76147-2767.

# FWGS CALENDAR

## REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2003

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

FORT WORTH PUBLIC LIBRARY -- CENTRAL

TANDY LECTURE HALL

500 WEST 3RD, FORT WORTH, TEXAS

## COMPUTER USERS GROUP

MONDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2003

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

FORT WORTH PUBLIC LIBRARY -- CENTRAL

INTEL COMPUTER LAB

500 WEST 3<sup>RD</sup>, FORT WORTH, TEXAS

NO MEETING IN DECEMBER

## Monthly Day Meeting

(ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME!)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2003

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

SOUTHWEST REGIONAL LIBRARY

4001 LIBRARY LANE (OFF HULEN)

FORT WORTH, TEXAS

NO MEETING IN DECEMBER

## Board of Directors Meeting

(ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME!)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18, 2003

6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

SOUTHWEST REGIONAL LIBRARY

4001 LIBRARY LANE (OFF HULEN)

FORT WORTH, TEXAS

NO MEETING IN DECEMBER

## Fort Worth Genealogical Society

P.O. Box 9767

Fort Worth, Texas 76147-2767

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# Genealogy Fair Report

On Saturday, November 1, 2003, the FWGS and the Fort Worth Public Library held its first GenFest. Almost 100 people came to the activities at the Central Library. They heard a variety of speakers discuss genealogical research, online databases, Interlibrary Loan, scrapbooking, periodicals, preservation, and the resources of the library. Also, they were able to visit with representatives from the Sons of Confederate Veterans and the Mid-Cities Genealogical Society. The event was a great success. Many of the attendees encouraged us to make GenFest an annual event.

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## Up Coming Community Genealogy Events

November 22, 2003 (Saturday)	2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	<i>Native Roots</i> Meg Hacker presents <i>Genealogy "Native Style"</i> Fort Worth Public Library—Central 500 West 3 <sup>rd</sup> , Fort Worth, Texas For more information, call (817) 871-7740
December 6, 2003 (Saturday)	10:00 am - 1:00 pm	<i>Preserving Your Community History</i> Sponsored by the Fort Worth Public Library and the Tarrant County Historical and Genealogical Society Fort Worth Public Library—Central 500 West 3 <sup>rd</sup> , Fort Worth, Texas For more information, call (817) 871-7740

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### FWGS Monthly Events

1 <sup>st</sup> Day	Newsletter Deadline	Contact Newsletter Editors*
2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday	Computer Users Group	Fort Worth Public Library -- Central
2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday	Monthly Day Meeting	Fort Worth Public Library -- Southwest Regional
3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday	Board Meeting	Fort Worth Public Library -- Southwest Regional
Last Monday	Regular Monthly Meeting	Fort Worth Public Library -- Central

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