

Fort Worth Genealogical Society

Newsletter

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Upcoming Regular Monthly Meeting

Monday (February 28, 2005)

Fort Worth Public Library - Chappell Meeting Room*

6:30 pm: Coffee 7:00 pm: Program

On Monday (February 28 th), the speaker will be Shirley Apley who will speak on "The English Invasion of America." Come early and meet with friends. Coffee will be served at 6:30 pm.

*Parking is free on the meters around the Library after 6:00 pm and in the Sundance Parking Lot on 3rd and Taylor after 7:00 pm.

Pioneer Families of Tarrant County

A project of the Fort Worth Genealogical Society

Pioneer Families of Tarrant County is a new project to identify and honor those who have deep roots in Tarrant County. To qualify for membership in PFTC, one must provide proof of descent from a person who can be documented as being a resident of Tarrant County during or prior to 1870.

This project is still in the planning stages. The Society is currently pre-registering those who may be interested in the project. Send name, mailing address, and e-mail to one of the addresses below. Please include one or more ancestor's name(s). Those who register are under no obligation to complete the membership process.

Send to: Fort Worth Genealogical Society
 P.O. Box 9767
 Fort Worth, TX 76147-2767

Or: fwgs@mail.com

Watch the FWGS website for updates: www.rootsweb.com/~txfwgs .

1870 Tarrant County Census

Hardcopy or CD-ROM: \$10.00 (plus \$3 S&H)

Order from the above address or email.

Renew Your FWGS Membership

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| <input type="checkbox"/> \$23 Individual | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50 or more Sustaining | Renewing for Year: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$27 Family | <input type="checkbox"/> \$250 Contributing | <input type="checkbox"/> 2005 <input type="checkbox"/> 2006 |

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, FEBRUARY 28, 2005

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

FORT WORTH PUBLIC LIBRARY - CENTRAL
CHAPPELL MEETING ROOM

500 WEST 3RD, FORT WORTH, TEXAS

PROGRAM: SHIRLEY APLEY TO PRESENT
"THE ENGLISH INVASION OF AMERICA."

COMPUTER USERS GROUP

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2005

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

FORT WORTH PUBLIC LIBRARY - CENTRAL
INTEL COMPUTER LAB

500 WEST 3RD, FORT WORTH, TEXAS

Monthly Day Meeting

(ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME!)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2005

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

VIRGINIA RESEARCH

MARCH TOPIC: EARLY TEXAS

SOUTHWEST REGIONAL LIBRARY

4001 LIBRARY LANE (OFF HULEN)

FORT WORTH, TEXAS

Board of Directors Meeting

(ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME!)

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 19, 2005

10:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

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Address Correction Requested

January Regular Monthly Meeting

On January 31st, the general meeting of the FWGS was held at the Fort Worth Central Library. Barbara Bixley Wylie presented the program on Researching Methodist Records: We're not called METHODISTS for nothing! Barbara is a professional genealogist with an impressive background as a speaker and writer. She explained that Methodists records are better than those of many mainstream protestant denominations. Barbara gave an interesting presentation which included information on what records are kept, where to find them, how to access them and how to decipher the unique terminology used in these records.

Up Coming Community Genealogy Events

March 5, 2005
Dallas Public
Central
Library
Dallas, Texas

Dallas Genealogical Society Lecture Series

Speaker: Emily Ann Croom

Topics: Their place in time: Branding the perspective beyond dates and places; Likely, logical and convincing: Resolving conflicting evidence; You are known by the company you keep, cluster genealogy, an essential tool for research; Scaling the brick wall.

<http://www.dallasgenealogy.org/lecture/lecture.htm>

April 2, 2005
Dallas Public
Central
Library
Dallas, Texas

Dallas Genealogical Society Lecture Series

Speaker: Tom W. Jones

Topics: Seven habits of highly effective genealogists, Five ways to prove who your ancestor was (some reliable and others not reliable, Five proven techniques for finding your ancestors European origins, Organizing evidence to overcome record shortages.

<http://www.dallasgenealogy.org/lecture/lecture.htm>

FWGS Monthly Events

1 st Day	Newsletter Deadline	Contact Newsletter Editor
2 nd Monday	Computer Users Group	Fort Worth Public Library -- Central
2 nd Thursday	Monthly Day Meeting	Fort Worth Public Library -- Southwest Regional
3 rd Saturday	Board Meeting	Fort Worth Public Library -- Southwest Regional
Last Monday	Regular Monthly Meeting	Fort Worth Public Library -- Central

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