

# Newsletter

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For information to be included in the newsletter, please contact the editors by the first day of the month.

## May and June Meetings

By Donald H. Crews

With the Fort Worth Public Library closed for Memorial Day, our May 27th program was held in the studio of Lee Angle Photography in Fort Worth. Our host was Mark Angle who spoke on the subject of Modern Techniques in Photo Restoration Using Computers. Mark discussed image recovery (not original photo stabilization) and showed us some truly amazing examples of seriously damaged family portraits that were brought back to life. Thirty-two members and four guests signed the register.

June's meeting will be held on Monday, June 24, 2002. It will once again be held in the Fort Worth Public Library Theater. Our guest speaker will be Elaine Piekarski from Greenwood Funeral Home. She will be discussing the "Scope and Nature of Cemetery and Funeral Home Records". She will cover the problems of information vs. privacy. This promises to be of great general interest. See you there!

## Email Addresses Needed

The Fort Worth Genealogical Society would like to update its directory. Please email your current email address to Joe Grant <[joegrant38@charter.net](mailto:joegrant38@charter.net)>.

## FWGS Publications

The Fort Worth Genealogical Society publishes genealogical and historical information. A list of the FWGS publications is listed on the website located at <http://www.rootsweb.com/~txfwgs/publications.html>.

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## Renew Your FWGS Membership

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| <input type="checkbox"/> \$23         | Individual   | Renewing for Year:            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$27         | Family       | <input type="checkbox"/> 2002 |
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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.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

MONDAY, JUNE 24, 2002

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

500 WEST 3RD, FORT WORTH

LECTURE HALL

TOPIC: THE "SCOPE AND NATURE OF  
CEMETERY AND FUNERAL HOME RECORDS"

SPEAKER: ELAINE PIEKARSKI

### COMPUTER USERS GROUP

MONDAY, JULY 8, 2002

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

FORT WORTH PUBLIC LIBRARY -- CENTRAL

300 TAYLOR STREET, INTEL LAB

TOPIC: "Internet Genealogy"

SPEAKER: CLOIS RICHARDSON

### MONTHLY DAYTIME MEETING

THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2002

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

FORT WORTH PUBLIC LIBRARY -- SOUTHWEST

4100 LIBRARY LANE AT HULEN, AUDITORIUM

TOPIC: American Revolution Ancestors

### Board of Directors Meeting

(ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME!)

TUESDAY, JULY 16, 2002

6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

FORT WORTH PUBLIC LIBRARY -- SOUTHWEST

4100 LIBRARY LANE AT HULEN, AUDITORIUM

## Photography and Preservation

During last month's meeting, interest was raised about photography and preservation. The following are a few helpful publications:

Cyndi's List of Genealogy Sites on the Internet: Photographs and Memories:  
<http://www.cyndislist.com/photos.htm>

Kodak: Taking Great Pictures:  
<http://www.kodak.com/US/en/nav/takingPics.shtml>

Taylor, Maureen. "Uncovering Your Ancestry through Family Photographs: How to Identify, Interpret and Preserve Your Family's Visual Heritage"

Taylor, Maureen. "Preserving Your Family Photographs: How to Organize, Present, and Restore Precious Family Images"

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July 25-27, 2002 Sixth Annual Angelina College Genealogy Conference  
Lufkin, Texas  
For more Information, call: (936) 633-5206 or  
e-mail: [fkanke@angelina.cc.tx.us](mailto:fkanke@angelina.cc.tx.us)  
<http://www.angelina.cc.tx.us/genealogy.htm>

August 10, 2002 "Ancestry in Action:  
Saturday *Concentrating on African-American Heritage*"  
By the Fort Worth Public Library Genealogy Section  
East Regional Library  
6301 Bridge Street, Fort Worth  
1:00 pm - 4:00 pm  
For questions and reservations, 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> Tuesday	Board Meeting	Fort Worth Public Library -- Southwest Regional
Last Monday	Regular Monthly Meeting	Fort Worth Public Library -- Central

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