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Upcoming Regular Monthly Meeting

Monday (January 29, 2007)

Fort Worth Central Library – Tandy Lecture Hall

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

“Whose Estate Is It Anyway?”

Kelvin Meyers will present the program. A professional genealogist for the last eighteen years, and an avid researcher-historian for the last twenty eight years, Kelvin Meyers brings a great knowledge of social sciences, history, genealogy and some PI techniques to his work. He was employed for ten years in the Genealogy Department of the Dallas Public Library and he is now engaged in missing heir searches for the firm of Blake and Blake.

A native of Crosby County, Kelvin has published two books on his home county; deed abstracts and a compilation of records, including, church, marriage and census. Scheduled for a spring of 2007 release, his third book will feature abstracts of the probate minutes. He is also abstracting the births, deaths, and marriages from the Semi-Weekly Farm News.

You may call Debbie for more information at 817-691-3257

*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.

DUES RENEWAL - The Membership Chairman wishes to remind you that it is time to renew your membership for 2007. Please check your personal expiration date found on your address label. We have included a renewal form below for your convenience. Contact Roy Combrink if you have any questions about your membership. (817) 292-5419 or rccombrink@sbcglobal.net.

Computer user Group – Clois Richardson will lead the February meeting of the Computer User's Group. The topic will be “Researching Texas Records on the Internet”.

Beginners classes – The beginners workshop will again be conducted by Bettye Richhart the fourth Saturday of each month, from 10:30 a.m. -12:30 p.m. in the Chappell meeting room at the Central Library. On January 27 she will start the series again with “**How to get started and organizational hints**”.

Renew Your FWGS Membership

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| <input type="checkbox"/> \$23 Individual | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50 or more Sustaining | Renewing for Year: | |
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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

FWGS Calendar

Regular Monthly Meeting
Monday, February 26, 2007
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Fort Worth Public Library - Central Auditorium
500 West 3rd, Fort Worth, Texas
Program: To be announced
Speaker: To be announced

Computer Users Group
Monday February 12, 2007
7:00 pm – 9:00pm
Topic: Researching Texas Records on the internet
Speaker: Clois Richardson
Fort Worth Public Library - Central Intel Computer Lab
500 West 3rd, Fort Worth, Texas

MONTHLY DAY WORKSHOP
(All Members Are Welcome)
Thursday, February 8, 2007
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm
Topic: Tricks of the Census
Southwest Regional Library
4001 Library Lane (off Hulen)
Fort worth, Texas

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
(All Members Are Welcome!)
Saturday January 20, 2007
10:00 AM –12:00 Noon
Southwest Regional Library
4001 Library Lane (off Hulen)
Fort Worth, Texas

Beginners Workshop
Saturday, January 27, 2007
10:30a.m.-12:30p.m.
Topic: How to get started and organizational hints
Chappell Meeting room
Central Library

Genealogy Announcements

February 17
“A Little Bit of German Seminar” with Chuck Knuthson. Location J. Erik Jonsson Auditorium, Dallas Public Library. Registration is \$25 for Dallas Genealogical Society Members and \$30 for non-members before Feb. 7. After Feb. 7 or at door \$35. A lunch is available for \$10. Make checks to Dallas Genealogical Society, and mail to DGS Lecture Series, P. O. Box 12446, Dallas TX 75225-0446.

Preserving Our Past

February 3
“Cowtown and the Color Line: Desegregating Tarrant County Schools”
Tina Cannon, TCU

March 10
“Museums as Repositors of the Past”
Rebecca Martin, Sid Richardson Museum; Nora Christie Pucket, Amon Carter Museum, Tricia Dixon, National Cowgirl Museum and Hall of Fame

April 14
“Voices from the Past: An Introduction to Oral History”
Rebecca Sharpless, TCU

May 5
“Local Resources for Community History”
Allen Townsend, Amon Carter Museum; Sarah Biles, North Fort Worth Historical Society; Michael Strom, Special Collections, TCU

Tandy Lecture Hall, Fort Worth Central Library, 500 W. 3rd St., Fort Worth, Texas 10:30am-12:00pm.

FWGS Monthly Events Jan. thru Nov.

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
4 th Saturday	Beginner's Workshop	Fort Worth Public Library --Central

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