

# Fort Worth Genealogical Society (Est 1957)

# Newsletter



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## 2009 FWGS Officers

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Clois Richardson

Rob Yoder

**Footprints Editor** - Open

**Librarian** - Open

**Parliamentarian** – Ellie Hutcheson

## Coming Genealogy Events

### General Meeting

Tuesday, October 27, 2009 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM  
Fort Worth Library – Tandy Lecture Hall  
500 W. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street  
Subject: Native American Genealogy  
Speaker: TBD

Contact Janie Pace for more information - (817) 428-5918 or [jhpacerd@charter.net](mailto:jhpacerd@charter.net)

### Daytime Meeting

**Suspended**

Contact Ellie Hutcheson for more information – [misselly@sbcglobal.net](mailto:misselly@sbcglobal.net)

### Computer Group Meeting

**Suspended**

Contact Clois Richardson for more information – [cloisrich@sbcglobal.net](mailto:cloisrich@sbcglobal.net)

### Board of Director's Meeting

Saturday, October 24, 2009 10:15 AM – 23:15 PM  
Fort Worth Library  
500 W. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street

**Note New Date**

**Place Has Not Been Confirmed**

All members welcome

# Past FWGS Events

## September Monthly Meeting

Four members of the Tarrant County Historical Commission:

Marvin Wilson from Arlington  
Cindy Wilson-Arrick from Fort Worth  
Betty Porter from Haltom City  
Jo Pirtle from Forest Hill

shared information about Tarrant County History and the Archive resources.

## Marion Day Mullins Project

Rob Yoder reports the status as:

PHASE I: (Transcribing the originals to a form suitable for publishing on a CD)  
There are 6 volunteers proofreading the last 6 files.

PHASE III (Footprints): (Transcribing marriage records from Footprints)  
One loyal volunteer is transcribing the final county.  
6 segments have been proofread and await indexing.  
9 segments are assigned to 4 volunteers for proofreading.  
31 segments have not yet been assigned to proofreaders.

## Restoring Old Photographs

Janine Smith (the speaker at the August General Meeting) of Landailyn Research and Restoration is proud to announce that she will donate 10% of the price of the purchase of any FWGS member back to the society. She will even honor recommendations by members to non-members or family. Just mention the FWGS 10% offer when you purchase a service. This offer extends through the end of 2009. Contact Janine at: <http://www.landailyn.com/> or call (817) 930-0120 for an appointment.

## Aledo Area Pictorial History

Susan Karnes (a member of the East Parker County Genealogical and Historical Society) announced that she is compiling information for a book about this area. People who are interested in assisting this work should contact Susan at 817 441-7810.

## Image on First Page

This image shows a view of Forest Park in 1956.

## Do you have ancestors from the Shenandoah Valley of VA?

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For more information:

<http://www.firstsettlersshenandoahvalley.com>

### FWGS Monthly Events January through November

First Day	Newsletter Deadline	Contact Newsletter Editor
Second Tuesday	Computer Users Group	Fort Worth Library – Central
Second Thursday	Monthly Day Meeting	Fort Worth Library – Southwest Regional
Third Saturday	Board Meeting	Fort Worth Library – Southwest Regional
Last Tuesday	Regular Monthly Meeting	Fort Worth Library – Central
Fourth Saturday	Beginner's Workshop	Fort Worth Library – Central

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### Renew Your FWGS Membership

Before January 1, 2010 \_\_\_ \$20 Individual \_\_\_ \$25 Family After January 1, 2010, \_\_\_ \$23 Individual \_\_\_ \$27 Family  
\_\_\_ \$50 or More Sustaining \_\_\_ \$250 Contributing

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