Fort Worth Genealogical Society (Est 1957)

Newsletter

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Coming Genealogy Events General Meeting

No General Meeting in December Information will be posted in the January 2010 Newsletter

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

Daytime Meeting No Daytime Meeting in December Information will be posted in the January 2010 Newsletter

Contact Ellie Hutcheson for more information – misselly@sbcglobal.net

Computer Group Meeting No Computer Group Meeting in December Information will be posted in the January 2010 Newsletter

Contact Clois Richardson for more information - cloisrich@sbcglobal.net

Board of Director's Meeting No Board of Director's Meeting in December Information will be posted in the January 2010 Newsletter

Beginners Workshop Series Beginners Workshop Will Resume in January 2010 Information will be posted in the January 2010 Newsletter

The full curriculum is located on our website. For additional information contact Terri Meeks – terri.meeks@sbcglobal.net

November General Meeting



Jacob Martin told us about his quest to earn a Scouting Merit Badge in Genealogy. Jacob is a native Texan and lives in Benbrook with his family. He is fourteen years old and has been home schooled his entire life. As a Boy Scout, he has attained the rank of Tenderfoot in Troop 351 of the Longhorn Council, Silver Star District.

Jacob credits his interest in genealogy to his maternal grandparents' efforts to record their genealogies. His maternal grandfather, Richard Dutch, published a book (<u>The Dutch Family: Pioneers of New England</u>) which traces the Dutch family back to the year 1625 A.D., and his maternal grandmother, Margaret Schrode Dutch, is currently working on putting a book together about her side of the family. She is also working on the history of her mother's family, the Watsons.

Announcements

The Muskegon County Genealogical Society announces the "History of Muskegon County, Michigan" Vol. 1 "A Proud Legacy"

Available at www.genealogymuskegon.com. The book contains the history of Muskegon County's lumbering era and Great Lakes Shipping.

2009-10 Community History Workshop Series

Sponsored by the Center for Texas Studies at TCU and the Fort Worth Public Library

January 9, 2010
"Let's get up and insult the rest of 'em!":
The Nightlife of Fort Worth as seen thru the newspapers
Max Hill, Local Historian

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

To make arrangements for sign-language interpretation call 817-871-READ or TDD 817-871-8926 at least 48 hours in advance.

FWGS Monthly Events January through November

First Day
Second Tuesday
Second Thursday
Third Saturday
Last Tuesday

Newsletter Deadline
Contact Newsletter Editor
Fort Worth Library – Central
Fort Worth Library – Southwest Regional
Fort Worth Library – Southwest Regional
Fort Worth Library – Southwest Regional
Fort Worth Library – Central

Fourth Saturday Beginner's Workshop Fort Worth Library – Central

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