

Fort Worth Genealogical Society

Newsletter

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Upcoming Regular Monthly Meeting

Monday (May 21, 2007)

Fort Worth Central Library – Tandy Lecture Hall

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

“Genealogical Finds in the Amon Carter Museum”
by Allen Townsend

Allen Townsend's career in libraries spans more than 20 years. He holds a masters degree in Library Science from the University of North Texas and a Master of Music from Southern Methodist University. Since 2003, he has served as the Library Director at the Amon Carter Museum, having previously held similar positions at both the Dallas Museum of Art and the Philadelphia Museum of Art. He also served as President of the Art Libraries Society of North America in 2004 and remains active in that organization. He has authored several articles and book reviews in scholarly journals, and recently contributed to a new book on museum libraries titled, *Art Museum Libraries and Librarianship*, published by Scarecrow Press in 2007.

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.

This Newsletter has gone electronic. – If you received this newsletter in the mail, we do not have a valid e-mail address for you and we need you to contact us immediately at FWGS@mail.com. If you do not have e-mail, please let us know by writing to us at P. O. Box 9767, Fort Worth, TX 76147-2767 or call Rob at 817-535-7931.

Welcome new members - The Society wishes to welcome the following new members: Leann Ayers, Guy S. Gordon and Jesse Pierrard.

Computer user Group – Clois Richardson will lead the May meeting of the Computer User's Group. The topic will be “Family Tree Maker, V-1”.

Beginners classes – The beginners workshop is 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 May 26 her topic will be “**Church, Cemetery and Vital Records**”. Where and How to find vital records, clues in finding church records and cemeteries.

Genealogy Announcements

FWGS Calendar

Regular Monthly Meeting
Monday, June 25, 2007
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Fort Worth Public Library - Central Auditorium
500 West 3rd, Fort Worth, Texas
Program: **Manuscripts in the UTA Collection**
Speaker: **Brenda McClurkin**

Computer Users Group
Monday June 11, 2007
7:00 pm – 9:00pm
Topic: Family Tree Maker V. 2
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, June 14, 2007
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm
Topic: Patriotic Organizations
Southwest Regional Library
4001 Library Lane (off Hulen)
Fort worth, Texas

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
(All Members Are Welcome!)
June 16, 2007
10:00 AM – 12:00 Noon
Southwest Regional Library
4001 Library Lane (off Hulen)
Fort Worth, Texas

Beginners Workshop
Saturday, June 23, 2007
10:30a.m.-12:30p.m.
Topic: Immigration, Emigration and Naturalization Records
Chappell Meeting room
Central Library

Preserving Our Past

September 8

“Reflecciones de Fort Worth”
Delsa Perez, Historian/Photographer of Hispanic Histories

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

2007 Seminar – The Society's 2007 seminar will be held August 11, 2007 at the Fort Worth Botanical Garden Center, Oak Hall, from 8:00 am until 5:00 pm. The speaker will be Lloyd Bockstruck of the Dallas Public Library Genealogy Section. His topics will be: 1. Genealogical Research in Georgia, 2. Colonial and State Statutes: Overlooked Sources for genealogical Research, and 3. Pitfalls. The registration fee is \$40.00 if received by August 7 and \$45.00 at the door. This includes a box lunch (sandwich, chips and a cookie). Surnames received by August 1 will be included in the syllabus. For more information contact Ann Lefevre (817) 496-9265 or lefevrea@prodigy.net.

Summer Seminar Registration Form

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ E-mail: _____

Surnames: _____

No. Registered _____ \$40.00 = \$ _____ total enclosed

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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