

FORT WORTH GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

Newsletter

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November 2010



2010 FWGS Officers

President – Debbie Pearson

1st Vice President & Newsletter Editor – Don Crews

2nd Vice President & Program Chairman – Janie Pace

3rd Vice President & Membership Chairman – Jim Norris

Treasurer – Roy Combrink

Recording Secretary – Open

Corresponding Secretary – Rita Martin

Historian – Open

Archivist - Open

Directors

Crystal Barth

Deborah McVean

Terri Meeks

Clois Richardson

Rob Yoder

Footprints Editor - Open

Librarian - Open

Parliamentarian – Ellie Hutcheson

Coming Genealogy Events

General Meeting

Tuesday, November 30, 2010, 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM

Fort Worth Library – Tandy Lecture Hall

500 W. 3rd Street

Subject: Book Fair

Speaker: Various

Bring a Genealogy Book to donate to the Library (it would be tax deductible)

Or, Bring a Genealogy Book to share with genealogy buffs – show why it's such a great resource for you.

And, see the installation of your new FWGS officers for 2011.

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

Computer Group Meeting

Finished for the year.

Resuming January 2011

Board of Director's Meeting

Saturday, November 20, 2010 10:00 AM – Noon

Fort Worth Library, Southwest Branch

4100 Library Lane at Hulen

Auditorium

All members welcome

Beginners Workshop Series

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Coming Genealogical Events - *continued*

The next meeting of the Hispanic Organization for Genealogy and Research (HOGAR de Dallas) will be held Saturday, November 13, 2010 at 2:00 pm at the Lochwood Library, 11221 Lochwood BLVD, Dallas, TX 75218. The featured speaker for the event is Dorina Alaniz de Thomas, PhD.

Dorina Thomas will present her newly published book *Hispanic Sources and Research - The Basics*, which is a collection of sources and techniques of research used in creating her Hispanic maternal and paternal family trees.

For additional information on HOGAR de Dallas please visit their website - <http://home.earthlink.net/~hogardedallas/>

Regards,

Shirley Apley, MLS, Senior Librarian
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Events of October 2010

Monthly General Meeting

October Program

Mr. Blaine Hedberg from the Norwegian American Genealogical Center and Naeseth Library, 415 W. Main Street, Madison, WI 53703-3116, (<http://www.naegenl.org/>) described the many genealogical resources which the center provides to Norwegian American researchers. One could only hope that other immigrant groups would be so lucky as to have a site such as this. Mr. Hedberg toured the area of Central Texas where Norwegians settled in the 1880s. The image on the first page shows St. Olaf's Kirk when illuminated by moonlight. The church is no longer used for regular services.

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Monthly General Meeting *continued*

The other business for the meeting was the election of officers for 2011. President Debbie Pearson presented this slate of officers:

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2nd Vice President and Program Chairman: Janie Pace

3rd Vice President and Membership Chairman: Rob Yoder

Treasurer: Crystal Barth

Recording Secretary: Elise Reed

Corresponding Secretary: Debbie Pearson

Directors: Gerry Gieger, Rita Martin, Terri Meeks, Clois Richardson

The election was held October 26th and nominees were elected for next year. The 2011 officers will be installed at the November General Meeting.

FWGS Monthly Events January through November

First Day	Newsletter Deadline	Contact Newsletter Editor
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
Fourth Saturday	Computer Users Group	Fort Worth Library – Central

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