



Genealogy PROGRAMMING FOR FAMILY HISTORY MONTH

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SATURDAY, JULY 11

Beginning Genealogy Workshop • 9:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

Learn how to start researching your family history, including where to begin, what records are important and where to find them, how to use both online and print sources, and what services and assistance are available to you in the Genealogy Center.

Ancestry Tricks and Tips • 2-3 p.m.

Ancestry is one of the most widely used genealogy databases, but are you getting the most out of it? Learn some new tips and tricks to help further your research.

The Immigration Process and the Records It Created • 3:15-4:30 p.m.

Locating ancestors in immigration records can prove challenging. Join us for an in-depth look at the immigration process and the records it created. This workshop complements the Adult Summer Reading Program/One Book, One Tulsa.

SATURDAY, JULY 18

HistoryGeo.com: Unlocking the Past With Original and 19th Century Land Owner Maps • 10 a.m.-noon

Learn what is new at HistoryGeo.com. Greg Boyd will demonstrate how best to use the many tools on the site and describe how the First Land Owner's project solves genealogy mysteries.

SATURDAY, JULY 18 (continued)

The Century Chest • 1:30-2:30 p.m.

On April 22, 1913, the members of the First English Lutheran Church of Oklahoma City buried a copper chest in the church's basement. Filled with items supplied by local citizens, businesses, community organizations and legislators who paid for space in the chest, the chest was to remain buried for 100 years. Fast forward to April 22, 2013, when members of the church opened the chest at a public ceremony. Contents of the chest were donated to the Oklahoma Historical Society to conserve and care for these items. Join Chad Williams, director of the Oklahoma Historical Society's research division, as he shares stories of the many surprising things that were buried in the chest.

Gateway to Oklahoma History • 3-4 p.m.

The Oklahoma Historical Society is digitizing Oklahoma's newspapers. Discover the wealth of genealogical information available at your fingertips from this free online database.



Genealogy Workshops with Certified Genealogist Mark Lowe



SATURDAY, JULY 25

Where, When and Why: The Story of Migration • 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Follow your ancestors over a century of movement sharing locations, time periods and why. Understand where to look, what to avoid and when to yell "Time!"

How to Follow the "Right" Family While They Move Across the South • 10:45-11:45 a.m.

Learn simple techniques you should take when researching your migrating ancestors. We will break down research problems into manageable segments, developing a profile.

How Do I Use DNA Testing? • 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Learn what's new with DNA testing and the process to determine which test to take, how to prepare for testing and what to do when the test results arrive.

Taxes Rule the World: Property, Poll, Ad Valorem, Permission • 2:45-3:45 p.m.

Learn about the many forms of tax records and how to use them as a tool to solve research problems.

SUNDAY, JULY 26

A Death in the Family • 1:30-4 p.m.

Discover the myriad of documents uncovered through the death of an individual. We will look at the basics and dig through more complicated estates with a hands-on approach. Uncover intestate divisions, insolvent estates and contested wills while learning what you need to know.

