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Announcements



Logan FHC Hours:

Mon & Fri - 9:30-5:00
Tu/W/Th - 9:30-9:00
Saturday - 9:30-2:00

Quarterly Family History Leader Training - TONIGHT, Wed, Oct 29 at the Tabernacle, for all Ward and Stake Family History Personnel (Stake Presidency, High

Council and Bishopric members over Family History, High Priest Group Leader, & Ward Family History Consultants)

- **At 6:30 p.m.** we will hold a training meeting for newly called leaders where we will explain your responsibilities and suggest ways to jumpstart family history in your wards/stakes.
- **At 7:30 p.m.** we will have our regular, general meeting for ALL Family History leaders and consultants where we try to give training on new resources, methods, programs, goals, etc. to inspire you in your callings.

The Legacy User Group will meet Tuesday, Nov 4, at 7:30 p.m. at the Center. Everyone is invited. No charge. Suggestions for needed topics should be emailed to owens101@comcast.net

Need Help with Mutual Night Family History Activity - I am working on a Mutual Night activity that would teach Family History Research through a relay race type game. First, they learn the elements of various documents, like Family Group Sheets, Pedigree Sheets, Census Record, Birth Certificate, Death Certificate etc by being able to answer questions like:

- "What was the country of origin for Margaret Burns in the Census Record?"
- Who is the maternal grandfather of George Darrow?

After using these as a warm up. The final activity is to trace and document from a given non-lineal ancestor (on mother's side so it doesn't give away too early which of them in the group is the descendant looked

for) to one of the youth there in the meeting. Anyone want to help me as I develop it and give input please contact me via email dalewilles@yahoo.com or phone 563-9613

Family History Tips



FamilySearch Wiki - is a large, on-line library where you can find thousands of articles and how-to instructions about doing family history." [wiki.familysearch.org/en/Main_Page]. If you are familiar with the Research Guidance section of familysearch.org, FamilySearch Wiki will be its replacement.

What you will see today is only the beginning of what is envisioned for this site.

If you have a question about how to start doing family history, go to FamilySearch Wiki, from the index on the right, click "Find articles by topic" and choose "Beginners". From this page you may choose for a myriad of articles, including help with documentation, organization, genealogical proof standards (the minimum requirements for your work to be credible), burning a CD, and Rookie Mistakes. Perhaps we should all review this article! There is a site training video available. From the index on the right (home page), click on "Learn how to get started on this site" and select Quick Start - Overview 1. Let the training video load before clicking on the start arrow. This will take a few minutes but it will allow the video to run smoothly. Watch and learn, then use the Wiki to learn even more.

Source: Ohana Insights -- "Tips for using PAF Insight and other Genealogy Tools"
Date: Wednesday, October 08, 2008 11:11:21 AM

Scan and Share Old Halloween Photos - Halloween photos are always fun to look at and reminisce about. Dig out those old photographs and see how many you have in your collection. Then digitize them and share them with family and friends who may remember them or who are included in the photos. Perhaps they have some photographs that they can share too. And don't forget to record the stories behind the costumes and the memories that they evoke. This is a great way to engage children in family history and the stories will make a great addition to your family history.

Source: "Ancestry Daily News - Weekly Planner", 10/27/2006

Deceased American Physicians - Were you aware of the FHL films, "Deceased American physicians, 1864- 1970". Not only does it tell you their death date and place, it also gives when they graduated from Medical School and every location where they practiced. This is a series of 237 films beginning with #1992926. The information is entered alphabetically by physician's last name. Check the FHL Catalog for the correct film # for your ancestor.

Questions/Answers



QUESTIONS: What are my options for a Genealogy database management software if I have a Mac computer?

ANSWER: There are many options available such as Reunion, MacFamily Tree, iFamily forTiger, Genealogy Pro, Family Ties, MacPAF, etc. A good website that lists and compares your choices is

macgenealogy.org/

Question: In PAF, how do I indicate that a child is adopted?

Answer: Right-click on the child's name and select Edit Parent Links. In the relationship to parents box select adopted.

Favorite Websites



Family Bibles Blog - Search Family Bibles for birth, marriage and death records in your genealogy journey. This blog includes bible

records, images, links, etc. Check it out at familybibles.blogspot.com/

Gary Turner's Family History Blog - has a lot about FamilySearch and LDS Family History Centers at garysturn.blogspot.com/

Surname Queries



None submitted this week. Don't miss out on this opportunity to coordinate your research efforts with others who may be working on one of your lines. [Submit a query...](#)

New Acquisitions



None this week

Remember...



The \$20.00 Bill (Author Unknown)

A well-known speaker started off his seminar by: holding up a \$20.00 bill. In the room of 200, he asked, "Who would like this \$20 bill?" Hands started going up. He said, "I am going to give this \$20 to one of you but first, let me do this. He proceeded to crumple up the \$20 dollar bill.

He then asked, "Who still wants it?" Still the hands were up in the air.

Well, he replied, "What if I do this?" And he dropped it on the ground and started to grind it into the floor with his shoe. He picked it up, now crumpled and dirty. "Now, who still wants it?" Still the hands went into the air.

My friends, we have all learned a very valuable lesson. No matter what I did to the money, you still wanted it because it did not decrease in value. It was still worth \$20.

Many times in our lives, we are dropped, crumpled, and ground into the dirt by the decisions we make and the circumstances that come our way. We feel as though we are worthless. But no matter what has happened or what will happen, you will never lose your value. Dirty or clean, crumpled or finely creased, you are still priceless to those who DO LOVE you.

The worth of our lives comes not in what we do or who we know, but by WHO WE ARE and WHOSE WE ARE. You are special - Don't EVER forget it. If God brings you to it - He will bring you through it.

Class Schedule for the Coming Week

Our class schedule through the end of the year is available at the Center and [online](#). Please pre-register for the classes you wish to attend by calling the Center (755-5594), registering [online](#) or by [email](#). The cost for each class is \$2 or the cost of materials (whichever is greater).

- Thu, Oct 30, Blogging, #6, 1 wk, 5 PM
- Thu, Oct 30, Detective Kids, #25, 1 wk, 7 PM

- Sat, Nov 01, Creating Digital Memories, #41, 1 wk, 10 AM
- Tue, Nov 04, Finding Your Immigrant Ancestors, #13, 1 wk, 1 PM
- Wed, Nov 05, Saving, Restoring & Organizing Photos, #30, 2 wk, 7 PM
- Thu, Nov 06, Ways to Share Your Family History, #42, 1 wk, 10 AM
- Thu, Nov 06, Write Your Personal History in 1 Hour!, #5, 1 wk, 7 PM
- Thu, Nov 06, Rethink TempleReady, #22, 2 wk, 5 PM
- Fri, Nov 07, Preparing Your File for New Family Search, #49, 2 wk, 1 PM
- Sat, Nov 08, Ancestry.com, #16, 3 wk, 10 AM



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