

# *Logan Utah Regional Family History Center*

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## Announcements



**LFHC Monthly Staff Training Meeting** - Logan Regional Family History Center will be holding their monthly staff training meeting, **this morning**, Wednesday, Aug 11,

at 9:00 a.m. at the Logan Tabernacle. **We invite any ward family history consultants or staff from other family history centers who may want to join us.** Our topic again this month is "The FamilySearch Wiki".

**FREE:** Logan Utah Family History Center Conference **Evolving Technology and Teamwork** on September 18, 2010, 9 AM to 5:30 PM, at the USU 5th Stake Center, 1230 N. 600 E. Logan, UT.

**REGISTER NOW!** Although the Conference classes are FREE, if you would like to order a sack lunch \$5 or printed syllabus \$6, please do so at the Logan Utah Family History Center (Basement of the Tabernacle) or call the FH Center at (435-755-5594, then mail your lunch and/or syllabus check payment to: P.O. Box 3397, Logan, UT 84323-3397. Payments must be received before Sep 13.

(The syllabus material will be available free online one week before the conference if you prefer to print your own). You can see the classes being taught, descriptions and additional details at [www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~utcfhc/](http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~utcfhc/)--Click on "Conference".

This will be a great opportunity to learn from a blend of expert local and nationally recognized instructors.  
**Don't miss this Conference!**

**Ogden Area Family History Conference** - at Weber State University Shepherd Union Building, **Saturday Sep 11**. Registration begins at 7:00 a.m. Keynote speaker, Ron Tanner, begins at 9:00 a.m. in the Main Ballroom. Admission is free. Lunch is available for purchase in the atrium. Attendees may select from 73

individual classes throughout the day.

## Family History Tips



**Family Reunion Tips:** Here are some ideas that have worked in my family:

- Make a BIG family tree showing the descendants of the 'founding' couple as branches and leaves, and their parents/grandparents/gr grandparents as roots. Make the tree as big as possible - 4 feet by 8 feet is a good size. Mount on a sheet of plywood. Everyone has fun finding themselves on the tree.
- Make a quilt using photos of the descendants and reunion attendees as blocks. (You can print photos on cloth using an InkJet printer.) Our family quilt goes home with whoever volunteers to host the next reunion, and stays with them until the next reunion.
- Print some poster-sized photos of the 'founding' couple and/or other ancestors to decorate the walls of the meeting place.
- Assign families to do skits based on the life of an ancestor for after dinner entertainment.
- Put together a slide show of photos of significant places (homes, churches, etc), ancestors, and current descendants. Set this up in powerpoint, and you can have it cycling through a dinner - people can watch, eat, and visit.
- Tell stories about the 'founding' couple and/or other ancestors.
- Give an update on family research, and/or combining duplicates and sorting out NFS.
- Be sure to update information for living family members.
- Make a CD for each family containing the updated family history, an installable copy of PAF (and installation instructions), and copies of any family photos used in slide shows, quilts, or as posters.

**Source:** Carol Millar, lds-ward-consultant mailing list, 8/2/2010

## Questions/Answers



**Question:** Do you know the hours for the Daughters of Utah Pioneers (DUP) Museum in Logan?

**Answer:** According to the [DUP Satellite Museum Directory](#), the Cache County DUP Museum located at 160 North Main Street, in Logan is open Tuesday-Friday 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturday 1-3 p.m. and by appointment. Admission is free.

**Question:** Can I order birth, marriage and death certificates for England online?

**Answer:** Yes. You can order certificates at  
<http://www.gro.gov.uk/gro/content/certificates/>

## Favorite Websites



**HistoryPin** - Google and "We Are What We Do" have teamed up to create [Historypin](#), an interactive, worldwide, crowd-sourcing photo project. Upload an old photo, geo-tag it to Google maps and tell about it. There is an introductory video on the site to show you how to explore a web of photo stories intended to bridge the gap between generations. This is an amazing site with a lot of potential.

**Submitted by:** Richard Mills

**Creative Genealogy Blog** - This blog brings something new to family history enthusiasts - challenging us to take time off from the names, dates and research to instead pursue creative ways of sharing our ancestors with the world. The focus is searching out and highlighting great family history oriented kits for digital scrapbooking, but also discusses photo editing and other creative pursuits.

## Surname Queries



My name is Nate Lloyd, from the Logan University 7th stake. I have been working on the Lloyd line (i.e. **Thomas Lloyd** b. 1773, married to **Elizabeth Mason**, b. 1775). If anyone else is working on that line, please contact me at [nathanslloyd@gmail.com](mailto:nathanslloyd@gmail.com)

## New Acquisitions



None this week

## Suggested Weekly Bulletin Thought



"You can fulfill your obligation to your kindred dead and to the Lord without forsaking your other Church callings. You can do it without abandoning your family responsibilities. You can do this work. You can do it without becoming a so-called "expert" in it."

**SOURCE:** Boyd K. Packer, "*Someone Up There Loves You*," Ensign, Jan. 1977, pg 8.

## Remember...



"...My grandfather, being one of a family, searched all his life to get together his genealogical records; and when he died, in 1868, he had been unsuccessful in establishing his line back more than the second generation beyond him. I am sure that most of my family members feel the same as I do--that there was a thin veil between him and the earth, after he had gone to the other side, and that which he was

unable to do as a mortal he perhaps was able to do after he had gone into eternity. After he passed away, the spirit of research took hold of men--his family in the West and two distant relatives, not members of the Church, in the East. For seven years these two men--Morrison and Sharples--unknown to each other, and unknown to the members of the family in the West, were gathering genealogy. After seven years, they happened to meet and then for three years they worked together. The family feels definitely that the spirit of Elijah was at work on the other side and that our grandfather had been able to inspire men on this side to search out these records; and as a result, two large volumes are in our possession with about seventeen thousand names."

**Source:** *The Teaching of Spencer W. Kimball*, pg 543

## Class Schedule for Fall 2010

Our class schedule 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](#). If you include your phone number, a staff member will be happy to call and remind you a day or two prior to the class. The cost for each class is \$2 or the cost of materials (whichever is greater).

- Tue, Sep 07, **Learning Ancestral Quest**-1, Gerber, Robert, 1 wk, 1 PM
- Wed, Sep 08, **Computer Basics**-27, Winkler, David, 2 wk, 10 AM
- Thu, Sep 09, **New FamilySearch**-10, Barber, Norman, 4 wk, 7 PM
- Mon, Sep 13, **Create A Family History Blog**-23, Lemon, Sheri Lynn, 1 wk, 10 AM
- Tue, Sep 14, **Ancestral Quest's Sync with nFS**-2, Gerber, Robert, 1 wk, 1 PM

- Tue, Sep 14, **How to Write Your Personal History**-5, Clark, John, 1 wk, 7 PM
- Wed, Sep 15, **Families and the Civil War**-16, Curry, Yvonne, 1 wk, 7 PM
- Thu, Sep 16, **MobileTree on iPod Touch**-20, Merrill, Derwin, 1 wk, 10 AM
- Mon, Sep 20, **Spice Up Your Family History Blog**-24, Lemon, Sheri Lynn, 1 wk, 10 AM
- Mon, Sep 20 **So You Want to Know Your Ancestors-31**, Curry, Bob, 2 wk, 1 PM
- Tue, Sep 21, **Ancestry.com**-6, Selvage, Dede, 2, 1 wk PM
- Wed, Sep 22, **RootsMagic**-28, Winkler, David, 4 wk, 10 AM
- Wed, Sep 22, **The Research Process**-14, Griffiths, Jennifer, 1 wk, 7 PM
- Fri, Sep 24, **Descendancy Research-nFS-allmycousins**-19, Merrill, Derwin, 3 wk, 10 AM
- Mon, Sep 27, **Legacy**-25, Lemon, Sheri Lynn, 6 wk, 10 AM
- Tue, Oct 05, **New FamilySearch**-7, Castleton, Ruth, 3 wk, 1 PM
- Wed, Oct 06, **Using Digital Camera**-17, Curry, Bob, 1 wk, 7 PM
- Thu, Oct 07, **Family History for the "Very" Beginner**-29, Merrill, Luana, 2 wk, 1 PM
- Thu, Oct 07, **Syncing to nFS Using RootsMagic**-11, Barber, Norman, 3 wk, 7 PM
- Tue, Oct 12, **Google**-8, Warren, Louise, 1 wk, 7 PM
- Thu, Oct 14, **Family Insight-Synchronization**-18, Merrill, Derwin, 2 wk, 10 AM
- Wed, Oct 20, **Plan for Success**-15, Curry, Yvonne, 1 wk, 7 PM
- Thu, Oct 28, **Using Family Insight with nFS**-13, Thornley, Ray, 1 wk, 7 PM
- Fri, Oct 29, **MobileTree on iPod Touch**-21, Merrill, Derwin, 1 wk, 10 AM
- Tue, Nov 02, **Learning Ancestral Quest**-3, Gerber, Robert, 1 wk, 1 PM
- Tue, Nov 02, **New FamilySearch**-9, Warren, Louise, 3 wk, 7 PM
- Fri, Nov 05, **Family History for the "Very" Beginner**-30, Merrill, Luana, 2 wk, 1 PM
- Mon, Nov 08, **FamilySearch Wiki Goldmine**-26, Lemon, Sheri Lynn, 2 wk, 10 AM
- Tue, Nov 09, **Ancestral Quest's Sync with nFS**-4, Gerber, Robert, 1 wk, 1 PM
- Thu, Nov 11, **DNA for Genealogy**-12, Barber, Norman, 2 wk, 7 PM
- Thu, Nov 18, **MobileTree on iPod Touch**-22, Merrill, Derwin, 1 wk, 1 PM

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