



NEWSLETTER

of the
HARFORD COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

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JULY-2006

NOTICE OF MEETING

Date: 23-Jul-2006

Time: 2:00 PM

Place: Bethel Church
4125 Norrisville Road, Jarrettsville, MD

NOTE THE DATE CHANGE FROM THE 3RD SUNDAY TO THE 4TH.

Program: This will be our yearly box lunch picnic.
A church historian who will speak to us about the history of the church and area.

See sign up sheet and menu choices below.

For those of you who do research on the web, the Harford County Historical Society web address is: www.harfordhistory.net E-mail address: HARCHIS@msn.com

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143 N. Main Street, Bel Air, MD 21014.

FYI

Maryland Genealogical Society Meeting

Topic: British Isles - Finding your Overseas Roots.

Speakers: Maggie Loughran & Paul Blake

Dates: 23- & 24-Sep-2006 (Sat, Sun)

Place: Hilton Hotel, Columbia, MD

5485 Twin Knolls Road

Columbia, Md 21045-3247

See <http://www.mdgensoc.org/whatsnew.html> for more details.

Please note the following changes:

- Five meetings a year (Mar, May, Jul, Sep, Nov).
- Five NEWSLETTERS a year (same as meetings).
- Starting in 2007, membership dues will include one (1) Special Publication. If a second publication is available in the same calendar year, it will be at extra cost.

SPECIAL PUBLICATION (SP)

SP-35, Ancestral Charts Vol. 7, is back from the printer. If you picked up your copy at the 21-May meeting, please note that there are five extra (duplicate, but randomly sequenced) pages. From the cover to page 33 is correct, then remove the next five pages (numbered 34/36, 35/27, 28/29, 30/31, 32/33). Pages 34 to 39 then follow correctly. Sorry for an confusion or inconvenience.

To save postage, SP-35 and 36 (Ancestral Charts Vol. 8), will be mailed together, later this year.

Arch Phillips, our Vice-President, has ownership of most of the “Jesse C. Taylor Marble Works” ledgers from 1881 to 1970. The business was located in Jarrettsville, but headstones were set throughout Harford, Baltimore and York Counties and Baltimore City, in both black and white graveyards. It includes names and dates of those that passed and those that made the arrangements, and the graveyard or cemetery where the stones were placed. Some of our membership has shown interest in a publication of transcribed entries. The board had decided to limit the date to pre-1932. Genealogist may find new data from these transcriptions. We are looking for volunteers who can work with a Microsoft WORD template and JPG images on CD. Prior PC experience is required. If interested, e-mail doug_washburn@verizon.net with a Subject of “JCTaylor”.

The Society is still looking for volunteers for the Newsletter Editor and Refreshment Committee Chair. Contact: Doug Washburn, P.O. Box 184, Whiteford, MD 21160-0184, e-mail: doug_washburn@verizon.net.

At the last two society meetings there have been some discussion of a speaker on DNA as related to genealogy research. To date we have not found a local speaker. But, if this is of interest and you have access to a computer, you may find the following web page of interest:

<http://www.relativegenetics.com/relativegenetics/tutorial/introduction.jsp>

Recently there was a show, *Journey of Man*, on PBS by geneticist Spencer Wells regarding his attempt to trace the history of humans via DNA. The same week there was also an article in the Baltimore Sun on family history research.

An attempt was made to e-mail this information, as an FYI, to as many society members as we had e-mail addresses for. Almost half of the ones we have on file were “rejected”. If you would like to receive this type of information in the future (if/when similar items occur), please give us your current e-mail address.

Also, if you have a friend who is a member without an e-mail account, please remember to pass the information along to them.

Please send to doug_washburn@verizon.net with a Subject of “HCGS”

RESERVATION FORM FOR THE 23-JULY-2006 MEETING

PLACE: BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 4125 NORRISVILLE ROAD, JARRETTSVILLE, MD
 (just west of Madonna)

PROGRAM: Church History

TIME: 2:00 P.M.

Number of reservations _____ @ \$9.00 each = Total \$_____ enclosed.

Make check payable to: The Harford County Genealogical Society.

Name _____ Telephone # _____

MAIL BY **10-JULY-2006** to: Mrs. Mary B. White

P.O. Box 97

Jarrettsville, MD 21084

Phone: 410.692.6887

This is a box lunch catered by HEAVENLY HAM. Please make your choice of 1 sandwich, 1 bread, 1 side, 1 beverage, and 1 dessert *per reservation* from the following menu and list your choices below.

<u>Sandwich</u>	<u>Bread</u>	<u>Sides</u>	<u>Beverage</u>	<u>Dessert</u>
Original Ham	Croissant	Potato Salad	Coke	Black
Turkey Classic	Wheat	Cole Slaw	Diet Coke	Bottom
Chicken Salad	Kaiser	Pasta Salad	Sprite	cake
Turkey Salad	Rye	Fruit Salad	Tea	
Tuna Salad	Onion Roll	Mac Salad	Root Beer	Cookie
Ham Salad	Focaccia	Plain Chips	Water	
Veggie Heaven	Multigrain	BBQ Chips	Diet Sprite	Apple
Pepper BLT	French	Pretzels	Caf Free	
Classic Roast Beef	White	Baked Beans	Diet Coke	Brownie

Sandwich	Bread	Side	Beverage	Dessert
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2. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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5. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____