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OGS Programs for January & February from Peggy Cooley

2016. Doesn't that sound like science fiction to those of us born last century? Let's make this an exciting and productive year in our genealogy quests. This month's presentation will be "Genealogy via Online Newspapers". Joyce Ogden will tell you what you can find and where you can find it. Roger Newman will give his portion on newspaper terminology and samples of discoveries in March, along with Rob Harper's presentation of his finds when visiting his ancestral town in New England.

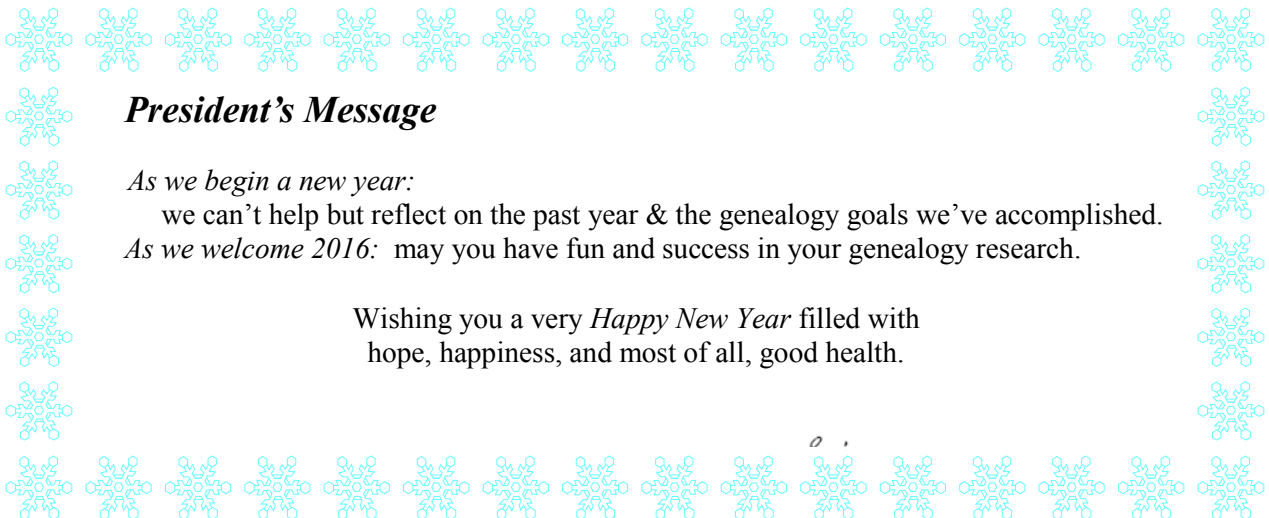
The February dinner is Thursday, February 11, 2016 at River's Edge Restaurant in Tumwater. Doors open at 5:30, dinner at 6:30 and the program will begin at 7:30. Our member, Carol Jenner, made a recent trip to Iceland, a 'hot stopover' when traveling to and from Europe. There will be a set menu which includes beef, chicken, vegetarian, seafood and gluten free. Alcohol is available and payment is by separate check. Limit 56 persons. Send an RSVP to me at jerseymouse@comcast.net with Iceland in the subject line!

2016 Seminar Brochures and Poster Available In January

If you are wondering when registration will open for the Spring Seminar, the committee has now finalized all of that information. Brochures and posters will be available at the January 14, 2016 general meeting and also available online on the OGS website: <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~waogs/seminars.htm> Registration opens on January 15.

This will be a very informative seminar about the "***Power of Your DNA***". CeCe Moore, the presenter, is a trained actress and experienced speaker, so the program should be a lively look at this important genealogy tool.

I will also attach a copy of the brochure when I email this newsletter to everyone.



President's Message

As we begin a new year:

we can't help but reflect on the past year & the genealogy goals we've accomplished.

As we welcome 2016: may you have fun and success in your genealogy research.

Wishing you a very *Happy New Year* filled with hope, happiness, and most of all, good health.

LifeStory Memoir Writing Workshop

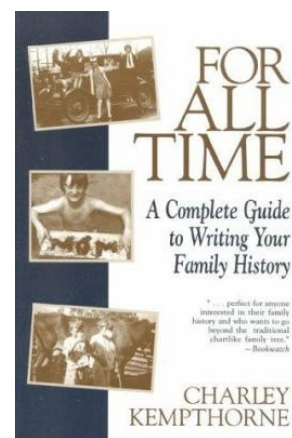
Event Type: Adult Program

Date: 1/20/2016

Start Time: 4:00-7:00 PM

This workshop is all about remembering and writing about your life, and sharing it with others. You will leave knowing what the next step is in your writing and how to do it...happily! Author Charley Kempthorne, who holds an MFA in writing from the Iowa Writers' Workshop, has been doing these LifeStory Workshops with his wife, June, for more than twenty years. Registration is required and will open at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, January 6th. You can register in person, online, or by phone at the Olympia Timberland Library. Sponsored by the Friends of the Olympia Timberland Library.

Registration Ends: 1/19/2016 at 7:00 PM **Web:** <http://www.thelifestoryinstitute.com/>



Judy's Gems from Judy Artley

Additions to www.familysearch.org unless otherwise noted.

Connecticut District Court Naturalization Indexes 1851-1992, Eastman's Newsletter 12/6

Delaware Vital Records 1650-1974, Eastman's Newsletter 12/23

Hawaii: Index to Filipino Passengers Arriving @ Honolulu 1900-1952, Eastman's Newsletter 12/6

Kentucky county court records 18th & 19th century, University of Kentucky web site, Eastman's Newsletter 12/20

Massachusetts Revolutionary War Index Cards to Muster Rolls 1775-1783, Eastman's Newsletter 12/6

Missouri Pre WWII Adjutant General Enlistment Contracts 1900-1942, Eastman's Newsletter 12/23

North Carolina Estate Files 1663-1979, Eastman's Newsletter 12/23

Ohio Passenger & Crew Lists Arriving at Ashtabula & Conneaut 1952-1974 & Trumbull County Records 1795-2010, Eastman's Newsletter 12/6

Tennessee County Marriages 1790-1950, Eastman's Newsletter 12/23

Utah Weber-Ogden John David Eccles Photography Collection 1951-1976, Eastman's Newsletter, 12/23

Wisconsin Crew Lists of Vessels Arriving @ Manitowoc 1925-1956 & Milwaukee Passenger & Crew Lists 1922-1963, Eastman's Newsletter, 12/23

OGS Events Calendar

January 2016

OGS Membership Meeting House	Thursday, January 14	7 p.m.	Thurston County Court Building 1, Room 152
OGS Board Meeting	Tuesday, January 19	6:30 p.m.	Olympia Timberland Library Meeting Room
OGS Genealogy Café	Saturday, January 16	1-3 p.m.	Olympia Timberland Library Meeting Room
OGS Genealogy Café	Thursday, January 21	1-3 p.m.	Olympia Timberland Library Meeting Room
February 2016			
OGS Annual Dinner	Thursday, February 11		River's Edge Restaurant Reservations required
Future Event			
OGS 2016 Spring Seminar	Saturday, April 9, 2016		Capital Events Center Tumwater, WA



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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP/
MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL**

Name: _____

Maiden Surname: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip+4: _____

Telephone: (_____) _____

E-mail: _____

Do you need a ride to the meetings? _____

Do you prefer to only have your name, but NOT your contact information included in the member directory?
Circle one Name only Name & Contact Information Neither

Single Membership \$20.00 per year (Membership year is from Sep 1 to Aug 31)

Family (one newsletter) \$25.00 per year

OGS Membership Pin \$7.50 each

New Membership _____ Renewal _____ Reinstatement _____

You can pay at the meeting or send this form and a check (payable to OGS) to:

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