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LCGS MEETINGS

15 Nov 2011-LCGS Welcome to our Annual Meeting & Pot Luck beginning at 6 pm. The society will supply plates, utensils, napkins, garbage bag and power strip. Bring your pot luck dish & serving utensil. Research help will be conducted prior to our business meeting at 7 pm. Election of open office positions will be held--2nd Vice President-Patty Olsen & Judy Kalich; Secretary-Joann Hulse. Nominations will also be taken from the floor. They will take over at the January meeting. “Annual Show & Tell” will follow the business meeting. Join us and bring your exciting (or not so) find, photo’s,

documents, books, etc. We all love to share our family discoveries when searching for our

family ancestors. Location is the PUD Auditorium, 321 Pacific Ave, Chehalis, WA

17 Jan 2012- LCGS - Field Trip to Family History Center, Church of the Latter Day Saints, Jackson Hwy. (Entrance at back of building, should you are unable to use the steps, there is an entrance on the south side of the building). Volunteer librarians will explain the research tools available at the FHC. You do not have to be a member to use the FHC. Meeting is at 7 pm with doors open at 6:30 pm. There will be some time to do some research after the orientation. See you there!

NO MEETING IN DECEMBER

PEDIGREES - The Pedigree Book for members will be at each meeting. Feel free to glance through the book to check who other members are researching. Pedigrees should be updated every year to reflect any changes or additions. **DO WE HAVE YOUR PEDIGREE?** We like to print a one page pedigree in each newsletter.

DUES ARE DUE – 2012 Membership Dues remain the same as last year, \$12 for single and \$15 for family in same household. Please fill out a new membership form as additional connections, searches, address, phone, or email may have changed. If

membership form not available, just jot down updated information on a piece of paper.

HELP! Newsletter Editors are asking for help on submissions for the newsletter. Usually the word editor suggests that they edit the submissions turned in. Most of the submissions are written or gathered by editors. We need submissions from the membership. What would you like to see in your newsletter? Is the format easy to read? Do you receive your newsletter in a timely manner? What do you dislike? Give us some suggestions on topics! PLEASE HELP!

WELCOME NEW and RETURNING MEMBERS

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OREGON Online Newspapers – <http://oregonnews.uoregon.edu/> put online by the University of Oregon.

Newsletter Items

Please have Newsletter items (can include old photographs, obits, etc.) to one of the editors by the end of December for the next newsletter. FREE Queries are accepted as space permits.

SEMINARS

Tacoma-Pierce County Genealogical Society presents *When Genealogy Meets Technology* with Cyndi Howells and Emily Aulicino. Will be held Saturday, May 12, 2012 at La Quinta Inns and Suites, 1425 East 27th St., Tacoma, Wa. Cyndi's Topics: *The Internet: A Genealogist's Printing Press; Social Networking: A Genealogist's Water Cooler.* Emily's Topics: *The Gene in Genealogy; Writing Your Childhood and Family Memories.*

SAVE THIS DATE

Clallam County Genealogical Society Host of **2012 WSGS Conference** Port Angeles,

Washington, “Where the Mountains Greet the Sea” September 7 – 8, 2012.

12 Days of Christmas for Genealogists

- 12 Census Searches
- 11 Printer Ribbons
- 10 EMail Contacts
- 9 Headstone Rubbings
- 8 Birth and Death Dates
- 7 Town Clerks Sighing
- 6 Second Cousins
- 5 Coat of Arms
- 4 GEDCOM files
- 3 Old Wills
- 2 CD-ROMS
- And a Branch in My Family Tree

1940 CENSUS IS COMING!

April 2, 2012!!!

Go here to find a countdown calendar and more on the 1940 Census

<http://www.archives.gov/research/census/1940/>

The digital images will be accessible free of charge at NARA facilities nationwide through our public access computers as well as on personal computers via the internet (copied from NARA) or you can order copies at this link:

http://estore.archives.gov/Category/105_1/1940_Census.aspx. No index will be available. You

will need addresses to determine the enumeration district in which people lived.

Maps and enumerations are online so users can start identifying the enumeration districts before the census schedules are released.

Lewis County Genealogical Society WSGS 2011 Volunteer Awards at State Conference



Region 4 - Lewis County Genealogical Society—**Teresa Parnell Jordan** of Onalaska, Washington, is recognized for exceptional and consistent support of the goals and operation of the Lewis County Genealogical Society. Teresa Jordan grew up in a genealogically passionate family and became

active in the Lewis County Genealogical Society 18 years ago. She has distinguished herself in support of the Society, most notably having helped design a fresh new look for the Society’s website to broadcast local genealogy news and events. She continues to serve as the site’s Webmaster and maintains effectiveness of the site by keeping up with ongoing events, projects, and news items. She continues to fine-tune the structure and add fresh new content on a monthly basis or more often as time allows. She considers the website her greatest volunteer accomplishment. Teresa has also held office as 1st Vice President, serves as Co-Editor of the Society’s bi-monthly newsletter and has worked on projects to transcribe cemetery records. Teresa’s enthusiasm, technical skills and dedication have made a significant impact on the Lewis County Genealogical Society and are greatly appreciated.

Region 4 - Lewis County Genealogical Society—**Patricia “Patty” (Iund) Olsen** of Chehalis, Washington, is recognized for her untiring support of the Lewis County Genealogical Society since joining the Society in 2005. As a member of the By-Laws Committee she has helped perform reviews and updating of the Society’s governing rules. She is a member of the Membership Committee and the Library Committee. Her interest in genealogy began in the 1960's when she found that her paternal grandmother was a registered member of the Cherokee Nation and that her great-great-grandparents had walked the Trail of Tears. Her love of history and genealogy has just grown and become a reality since then. Although her family history and paper trails are in Whatcom and Skagit Counties, she finds her participation in the local Society is a great way to keep involved, continue to learn and to meet great people with similar interests. Patty continues to volunteer wherever she can to support the Society. Patty is an enthusiastic member of the Lewis County Genealogical Society and her participation is greatly appreciated.

**THAT'S STRANGE: HALF MY
ANCESTORS ARE WOMEN!
GETTING TO KNOW OUR MEMBERS**

Marjorie (Margie) Koher Lloyd

I am 2nd generation from a German pioneer family who immigrated to the Randle area. After marrying Paul Lloyd, a local guy, who was in the Air Force, one of our locations was Norton Air Force Base in California in 1972. My dad, Alfred Koher, came to visit us in California, returned home and mailed me a list of our family from the family Bible (sense has disappeared). We moved to McCord AFB in Tacoma in 1975 and there joined the Tacoma-Pierce County Genealogical Society. And so, began my love for genealogy.

In 1991, I joined the Lewis County Genealogical Society, thus beginning my service as an officer every year, beginning as 2nd Vice President with time off to serve as President. My past contributions to the society also include participating in the Lewis County cemetery project and co-chair in 2010 for the Washington State Genealogical Society Seminar.

This year, I presented genealogy programs for the City of Centralia, Kiwanas and the ladies of the A.A.U.W. As outgoing 2nd VP, I am ready for a rest. I will continue as the Researcher for genealogy requests and to assist fellow genealogists with the help they may need.

Each year, I organize and serve as Historian to the Lloyd, Koher and Donahue family reunions. I also collect information for the White Pass Country Historical Museum, the White Pass All School Reunion and the Kosmos Picnic.

Margie Koher Lloyd

Beginner's Workshop held at the Vernetta Smith Chehalis Timberland Library for October

Family History Month a SUCCESS. Comments include: a long day, over whelmed with too much information for beginners. (Will try a shorter, much simpler beginner's workshop next year for Family History Month.)

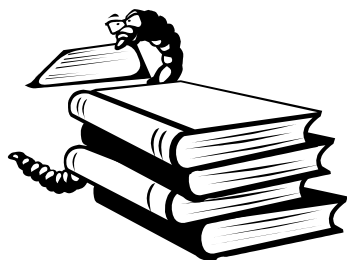
Speaker Laura Pemberton Sparr has a wonderful library of books on any genealogy subject available and shared them with the attendees. Here are some tips from Laura:

- Read the very important tips on how to use the site at www.ancestry.com. Ancestry can be accessed FREE at Timberland Libraries with your library card.
- Heritage Quest can be accessed through your Timberland Library at home with your library card.
- Print and read the changes at FamilySearch.com.
- Find a book at the world's largest online library collections catalog www.worldcat.org a global catalog.
- Library of Congress will print FREE one half of a Book (you and a friend can each request different halves of the book).
- Civil War-Stillaguamish Genealogical Society, Washington, has large collection of books.
- Confederacy-Tennessee has the largest collection of books.
- Footnote.com is now **fold3** and can be accessed FREE at National Archives, Sand Point or FamilySearch.org. Subscription for home is \$50. for a year subscription.
- State Historical Society of Wisconsin has the largest collections of City Directories.
- USE "Ask a Librarian"
- Books Laura spoke about are in our genealogical library: Handibook, Source, Redbook.

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Visit www.dar.org for a list of patriots and application for membership.

**NEW TO LCGS
GENEALOGY
LIBRARY**



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Alexander

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Membership Dues Lewis County Genealogical Society membership runs January through December. Cost for one person is \$12 and for a couple in the same household is \$15. Membership includes a bimonthly newsletter. We meet January-June, September-November at the Lewis County PUD meeting room, 321 Pacific Avenue, Chehalis WA, on the third Tuesday evening of the months listed. Research trips are planned periodically. Please return the membership form to: LEWIS COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY, PO BOX 782 CHEHALIS WA 98532-0782.

My/Our membership should read:

Name & Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Preference to have newsletter by **email** _____ (attachment), or **standard postal mail**? _____

_____ Check for \$12 enclosed for 2012 membership

_____ Check for \$15 enclosed for 2012 membership

Permission to print member information in the newsletter? ___yes ___no

Please list surnames and states being researched: _____

Please send a self addressed stamped envelope if you would like a membership card & or receipt.

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