



Genealogy Seminar 2015

Saturday, October 17, 2015

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The Genealogical Society of Santa Cruz County will host the board meeting of The California State Genealogical Alliance on Saturday, October 17. Everyone is invited to attend the open Board Meeting of the CSCGA.

In addition to the board meeting, there will be a free seminar on October 17 that will feature three popular speakers and offer a full day of presentations for anyone with an interest in family history.

Saturday, October 17, 2015 – 10:00 am – 4:00 PM (Lunch break 12:15 – 1:15 pm)

Santa Cruz Main Library at 224 Church Street, Santa Cruz in the upstairs meeting room

Bring a sack lunch if you prefer!

- » **10:30 – 11:15 am Wendy Elliott – “Finding Wives’ & Daughters’ Names”.** This discussion addresses the record sources which contain both women’s given and maiden names. The presentation includes a review of land, court, tax, church, newspaper, and a multitude of other resources that can be used to find wives and daughters names. Wendy is a retired Professor of History at California State University, Fullerton and is the Immediate Past President of the Federation of Genealogical Societies.
- » **11:30 – 12:15 pm Mary Ann Vincent - “Mapping Our Ancestors; They Went Where? Why?”** Most of us spend a lot of time collecting information about our ancestors and relatives. How much time do we spend determining how they got the land where they lived? Did they inherit the land, buy it, or get land grants? Mary Anne serves on the Board of Directors for the CSGA and has been a member of the Delaware Genealogical Society over two decades.
- » **1:30 – 2:15 pm Janice Sellers; - “Read All About It!” Using Online Newspapers for Genealogical Research”.** Newspapers are valuable in genealogical research because you can find information about births, deaths, marriages, moves, businesses, naturalizations, court cases and more! Janice specializes in Jewish, forensic, and genealogical societies.

All presentations are free ~ Save the date!

