GENEALOGY CLASSES AT THE Naples Regional Library AUDITORIUM, 650 CENTRAL AVENUE

FEBRUARY CLASSES

Beginning Genealogy: Tips and Tricks for Tracking Your Ancestors

Monday, February 3, 2020 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Presenter: Marie Overman, retired librarian

Learn where to gather documents to prove your heritage, where and how to search for vital records, and how to find the correct name to search. What information can you find on birth and/or baptismal records?

This is a two part series. Part two will be offered on Monday February 10 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Cost: Free. Registration required. Call Library Reference Desk 239-252-5147 or register online. https://www.collierlibrary.org/events/

Beginning Genealogy Step Two: Using More Vital Records

Monday, Feb 10, 2020 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Presenter: Marie Overman, retired librarian

Marie will discuss the difference between primary and secondary records, what you can expect to find in each type of record, and where you might find them. Marriage, divorce, death, internment, and burial records will be discussed. She will talk about some misconceptions that have led people in the wrong direction on their ancestor search.

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MARCH CLASSES

Come to your "Census"

Monday March 16, 2020 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Presenter: Marie Overman, retired librarian

United States censuses are considered a secondary record source but the amount of information they contain can help you piece together your family tree. Marie will discuss which census records are available, where to find them, and the best way to find your ancestor in them.

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So how did your ancestor get to American and when?

Monday March 23, 2020 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Presenter: Marie Overman, retired librarian

Join Marie for an in depth discussion of immigration and naturalization records, where to find them, and what information they contain. Learn more about the immigrate experience not only at Ellis Island but other ports of entry. Learn how some immigration and naturalization laws may have affected your ancestor's life.

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