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Welcome Willow Valley Genealogy Club members to our 2024-25 meeting year! Whether you are an old or new member, you will enjoy the topics our program committee has planned for you. Please put our meeting dates on your calendar and be prepared to join us and participate in discussions and fellowship.

See you on Sept 17!

Jim

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Our Genealogy Club Meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 2pm, in the Spring Run Auditorium on the Lakes Campus. Be there at 1:30 for meeting others and enjoying refreshments!

Programs for 2024-25

- September 17 Military Records - Ross Schwalm via Zoom on our screen
- October 15 City Directories - Deb Oesch
- November 19 Beginning our genealogy - Donna Backus
- December 17 Help , Share , *Holiday Party*
- January 21 Immigration Records for Genealogy - Sue Mueller APCUG via Zoom on screen
- February 18 Brick Walls - Darvin Martin
- March 18 Using DNA Test Results to improve your family tree - Donna Backus
- April 15 County Courthouses - Clay Kilgore
- May 20 Writing your Family History - George Nettleton

Topics to be covered in the Sept 17 Presentation:

1. Veterans in your Attic or Basement - Get Organized - what do you already know and pick a modeling tool
2. Genealogy Hints in Military Records of Ross H. Schwalm
DD214 - Next of Kin, Home of Record, Service Dates, Combat Time, Military Awards
Initial Enlistment Contracts - Parents Identified and Birth Place, place of entry
3. Modern Service Records - Military Service Component & State National Guard
4. WW II Military Pension Act of 1950 - Ancestry
5. Older Service Records - National Personnel Records Center
6. Draft Registration Cards - Fold3
7. Civil War Records - NARA Washington DC and PA State Archives
8. War of 1812 - State Militia Records
9. American Revolution - State and Library of Congress Records, American Philosophical Society (David Library of the American Revolution Collection)
10. Q&A

As a reminder, this club is for YOU, and past presentations in PowerPoint can be seen anew or revisited, by going to your club's website, genealogyclubwv.com and choosing **PRESENTATIONS**.

April 2024 Social Media Serendipity by Barbara Park

March 2024 The Frugal Genealogist by Sue Mueller

February 2024 Genealogy...Square One by Bruce Thompson

November 2023 Scanning in Genealogy by Bruce Mawson

April 2023 Preserving Photos by Mary Lou Coyle

March 2023 Passing it on: Sharing by George Nettleton with Handout

February 2023 Passing it on: Organizing by George Nettleton:

January 2023 Family Search WIKI & Catalog Features by Lori White

December 2022 Finding Treasures at your Local Historical Society. by Ginger Shelley

November 2022 Genealogy : Passing it On Memories Presented by George Nettleton

October 2022 Busted: The Biggest Myths in Genealogy Presented by Deb Oesch

September 2022 Passing it On: Archiving (RN1 RN2 RN3 RN4) by Heather Tennes

April 2022 Tax Records and Indexing Lancaster History

