

Genealogy

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NGSQ Study Group

West Oaks Branch

Wednesday, February 8, 6:30 p.m.

Interested in furthering your genealogical research skills? Then the NGSQ Study Group is for you! The conversation will focus on research techniques presented in the article as well as the logic patterns that were used to find a solution to the genealogical problem. The NGSQ is available in the library's collection at the West Oaks Branch. February's article will be LaBrenda Garrett-Nelson, "Resolving a Modern Genealogical Problem: What was Rainey Nelson's Birth Name?" National Genealogical Society Quarterly 104 (September 2016): 203-213.

Family History Fair

West Oaks Branch

Saturday, February 11, 11:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

Celebrate the two-year anniversary of the grand re-opening of The West Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy Center. The Central Florida Genealogical Society, West Oaks Library staff and other local lineage and family history societies will be available to share information on researching and documenting your family history.

Using the Freedmen's Bureau Records on FamilySearch

West Oaks Branch

Wednesday, February 22, 6:30 p.m.

Freedmen's Bureau Records can be a rich source of information for those conducting African-American research. Join us as we explore how to use these rich records available for free on FamilySearch.

Diggin' It!: A Genealogy Research Open Forum & Book Club

West Oaks Branch

Saturday, February 25, 10:30 a.m.–Noon

Join us for monthly club meetings where we support and encourage each other for continued progress in our genealogy research, enjoy guest speakers, discuss assigned readings and progress toward publication of your genealogy. Our club motto: "Only a genealogist regards a step backwards as progress."