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SATURDAY, MAY 18, 2019, 2:30 P.M., MEETING ROOM C

Exploring MyHeritage Library Edition - Sara Allen

Explore one of the library's newest on-site genealogical record databases – MyHeritage Library Edition. Learn tips and strategies for searching this valuable database, find out about the one-of-kind genealogical record collections available on MyHeritage, and more!

SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2019, 2:30 P.M., DISCOVERY CENTER

I Seek Dead People: Using America's GenealogyBank to Find Obituaries and More! – Allison DePrey Singleton

America's GenealogyBank is one of the new databases added to The Genealogy Center's On-Site Databases this year. It contains database collections of Historical Newspapers (1690-1922), Historical Books (1749-1900), Historical Documents (1789-1994), and America's Obituaries (1977-current). The obituary components of this resource make it a particularly valuable tool for genealogy research.

SATURDAY, JULY 27, 2019, 10:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M., DISCOVERY CENTER

Indiana Album Scan-a-Thon

The Genealogy Center will host an Indiana Album Scan-a-Thon! The Indiana Album's online community archive brings hidden gems from the attic to the web by scanning, cataloging, and sharing historic items that are normally hidden in family photo albums or shoe boxes. Indiana Album's volunteers will make high resolution scans with all documents being carefully handled and immediately returned to the owners. Make a reservation or learn how to submit your own scans by contacting info@indianaalbum.com or (317) 771-4129.

SATURDAY, JULY 27, 2019, 1:00 P.M. – 2:30 P.M., DISCOVERY CENTER

Care and Identification of Historic Family Photographs Workshop - Joan Hostetler

From boxes of unidentified photographs to discs of digital images, we all have family photographs that need attention. Join us to learn how to identify and care for your photos. Presenter Joan Hostetler of the Indiana Album will discuss how to examine and interpret historic photographs. Participants are encouraged to bring interesting photographs for a show and tell.

SUNDAY, JULY 28, 2019, 12 NOON – 4:30 P.M. - DISCOVERY CENTER

Indiana Album Scan-a-Thon—Day Two

Share your Indiana photographs at the Indiana Album Scan-a-Thon

SATURDAY AUGUST 17, 2019, 2:30 P.M., DISCOVERY CENTER

Find My Past: A Tool for British, Irish, and American Ancestry – John Beatty

This talk will explore the use of Find My Past, a major website for researching Irish and British genealogy. We will look at some of the major components of the database, including the myriad of British census and parish register information, as well as some unique images of Irish sources, both newspapers and manuscripts. We will also explore use of the Periodical Source Index, which is part of this database.

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 21, 2019, 2:30 P.M., DISCOVERY CENTER – DELIA COTHRUN BOURNE

All the News That's Fit to Digitize: News Sentinel Text Archive & Other Fort Wayne Digital Newspapers

The News Sentinel Text Archive is a great addition to the various online sources for Fort Wayne newspapers. Join us in exploring these fabulous resources for hometown history! Librarians will learn great sources for Fort Wayne history.



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