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Schedule of Events

Mark your calendars now for the exciting Genealogy Friends events in 2018. Meetings are held in the Program Room at the Haggard Library, 2501 Coit Rd., Plano, TX from 10:15 to 12:30 unless otherwise noted:

Today's Topic:

June 16, 2018—Free Saturday Seminar—"Copyright vs. Copy Wrong?" by Lynne Darrouzet

Future Events

June 18, 2018—OneNote Users Group—Meets from 7-8:30 in the Genealogy Section of the library. See page 2 for more information.

June 25, 2018—Legacy Users Group—Meets 1:30 to 3:30 pm in the Genealogy Section of the library.

July 21, 2018—Free Saturday Seminar—"Using Collateral Genealogy to Find Immigrant Origins" by David Passman

September 15, 2018—All Day Workshop—Colleen Fitzpatrick, an expert in Forensic Genealogy, will be out speaker. Stay Tuned for Information.

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Publications for Sale

The following are available from Genealogy Friends:

Public Land Survey Systems	\$5
Plano Star Courier Index 1904-1910	\$20
Plano Star Courier Index 1911-1917	\$20
Cemeteries of Collin County, TX	\$40
Collin County, TX Voter Registration Index 1867	\$20
Place Names of Collin County, TX	\$10
Railroads in Collin County, TX	\$10

Genfriends Membership

Our membership year runs from October 1 to September 30. Individual memberships are \$30 a year and family memberships are \$50. Don't forget to renew your membership for next year.

The money we raise is used to purchase materials for the Genealogy Section at Haggard Library.

Download the membership form on our website <http://genealogyfriends.org/news/> send it in with payment to

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Genealogy Classes—Using Microsoft OneNote

The following classes will be held at Collin College this summer at Courtyard Center, 4800 Preston Park Blvd, Plano, TX 75093. To register visit <http://www.collin.edu/ce/>

Using Microsoft OneNote for Genealogy—Are you looking for a way to organize your genealogy materials? Tired of not being able to find things you know you have? Here is the answer. This is a hands on class where you will build a OneNote notebook for a family and add your genealogy research plans, research notes, and more. Bring your laptop with OneNote installed or a usb drive with genealogy material. Class meets on Saturday July 21 and 28th from 8:30 to 12:30.

Microsoft OneNote User Group

On the third Monday of every month, beginning June 18, 2018 the new Microsoft OneNote User Group will meet in the Genealogy Section of the Library from 7:00 to 8:30 pm. Barbara Coakley is the group leader.

The group will focus on using MicroSoft OneNote to organize your genealogy research plans and research results.

OneNote is organized much like a three ring binder. It has notebooks, tabs and pages.

Bring your laptop with Microsoft OneNote loaded on it, your questions, ideas for using OneNote, favorite templates, add ins, and tips and tricks.

Tracing Our Roots Column

The Tracing Our Roots column published weekly in the Plano Star Courier (available on the paper's website) and written by Genealogy Friends' member Brenda Kellow, covers a different topic or subject each week.

In addition, Brenda announces national events, fee increases in everyday genealogical records, new records added to the Internet and to genealogists' favorite sites.

The past topics are available for several years. Access the site at

http://starlocalmedia.com/opinion/blogs/blog_7/.

Brenda will add your name to her weekly announcement when her column appears online if you request it by emailing her at bbkellow@verizon.net. You may also request topics for her to cover.

Flashback: Memories of Plano, 1957

By Brenda Burns Kellow

The Plano Star-Courier, Plano, Collin County, Texas
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Compiled by Brenda Burns Kellow, 2018

Tracing Our Roots weekly genealogy column http://starlocalmedia.com/opinion/blogs/blog_7/

Remember, this is an abstract of the newspaper. Not all names may be mentioned, i.e., obituaries, showers, and marriages may not have every name mentioned that were in the newspaper. For the complete content, look at the microfilm or find the copy in Newspapers.com.

The Harrington Chapel Funeral Home open house was well attended with Revs. Edgar L. Huffstutler and Frank Brooks were in charge of dedicatory services. Owners are Messrs. T. C. Harrington, Jack O. Harrington and Dr. M. T. Harrington. Royal Strode of Dallas was the architect and Fred Maultsby was the contractor. The late founders, as well as parents were Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Harrington. Their deceased brother was Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Harrington. Helpers and visitors were: Jack O. Harrington, Jr. and his sister Jill, Mr. and Mrs. James Warren Ball; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beverly; Miss Ida Lee Carlisle; Mrs. Wesley Norris; M. T. Harrington; Jack Diamond; Lyle P. Judd; Bill Hanniball; Bill Yandry; Gene Lyng and Gertrude Gray.

Rex Hardison was appointed agent of Cotton Belt Railroad.

The Edgar L. Huffstutler's returned for the third year as minister of the First Methodist Church.

Mayor David McCall says there will be more mosquitos this year. Spraying will begin shortly.

Wayne L. Stinson says several Plano youth had the pleasure of meeting baseball player Bob Feller of Cleveland Indian baseball team.

Mr. and Mrs. David Stout's daughter Dianna Sue was born May 23 in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Abbott's son Phillip Dabney was born in McKinney May 27. His two sisters are Marilyn 9 and Phillis age 6.

Miss Sammy Shaffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shaffer is home after having a tonsillectomy in Dallas last week.

Vacation Bible School begins at the First Baptist Church June 15-21. Director is Mrs. W. W. Smith. Department chairs and their assistants are Mrs. Henry Harrell, Mrs. W. E. Morrow, Mrs. Hugh Erwin, Miss Kandy Keim, Mrs. Lloyd Rogers, Mrs. Edgar Huffstutler, Mrs. Dick Loveless, Mrs. A. L. Fessler, Mrs. John Broadhead and Mrs. Kenneth Testerman.

Billy Farrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Farrell of Plano, left for the U. S. Army Engineering School at Fort Belvaire, Vir.

Mrs. George P. Frysinger's students attended the Juvenile and Intermediate Mickwitz Club where they were presented with a one year perfect attendance pin. Attending were: George Jones, Carolyn Clem, Sally Jones, Charlotte Cole, Teresa Robinson, Dianne Robinson, Melody Langford, Ric Quisenberry, Kay Quisenberry and Linda Kay Sherrill.

Vicky Lemons celebrated her seventh birthday at Vickery Swimming Pool June 8. She lives in Plano with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Lemons. Attending are Linda Gean Prince, Connie Harrington, Cecilia and Kay Spurgeon, Diane Nelson, Noel and James Nelson, Terry and Diane Mayfield, Linda Jo Stubbs, Janie McCollom and others unnamed.

WFAA Farm Tour member Mrs. John Salmon left Wednesday to tour Virginia, Massachusetts, and Canada.

Pvt. Doyle K. Chaddick visited over the weekend. Sunday he returned to Red Canyon Range Camp near Car-

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rizo, New Mexico. He received his training at Ft. Bliss in El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmit Clem and daughter Carolyn were visited by his sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Allan Curry.

W. W. Smith, Dewey Wiser and Joe Lewandos, officers of Boys Baseball of Plano, Inc., report difficulties in scheduling games. Team managers are Bill Creed, Henry Harrell, Will Serignet, E. D. "Pappy" Raines and Dick Spencer.

Clarence Stibbens and Pat Walker left Saturday for the Salvation Army Camp near Midlothian, accompanied by Albert Taylor and James L. Clarkson, Jr. This is for boys ages 8-14.

Lebanon Vacation Bible School begins Monday announced school Principal Mrs. Morris Morgan.

Mayor David McCall declared June 9 through June 15 as Chamber of Commerce week.

Robert Norton died in Corpus Christie. Services will be Friday at Harrington Funeral Home with burial in Restland.

PN3 E. A. Sigler, Jr., wife and son, returned to the Naval Air Station in Brunswick, Maine, after visiting his parents in Plano. He had just returned from a six month stay in Malta.

p. 2 Roy Carpenter, a Collin Soil Conservation District Coordinator, says he will leave his wheat straw on the ground again like he has done for the last 20 years.

Miss Karise Robinson of Minden, Louisiana, was a guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Porterfield. Her parents are Rev. and Mrs. Dan Robinson, past pastor of the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Lucile Davis sends a special thanks to Mrs. Olla Pruitt, Mrs. Lela Witherspoon and Mrs. Lucille Moore for their help and kindness during her illness.

p.3 Mrs. Georgianna (Dolly) Hasford hosted the Plano Business and Professional Women's Club May 28. Attend- ing were Mrs. Eurilla Williams and Mrs. Anna Lee Hays.

Mrs. E. R. Sherrill and daughter Linda Kay attended the annual Texas State College homecoming last Satur- day and visited Mrs. John A. Guinn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Cate, daughter Chita, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell and daughter Lisa visited a week in Arkansas. Dalton Hutchins, Mr. Cate's half-brother, and brother of Mrs. David B. McCall Jr., will op- erate the barber shop.

p. 4 Hershel Fisher spoke to the Methodist Men last Tuesday night. He was presented by Roy Murrell. Those at- tending are: Alex Schell III, W. D. Haggard, Floyd Jolly, Albert Ingram (all officers), Jimmy McCollum, Leon Littrell and Bill Smith.

Clarence W. Schimelpfenig, son of Mrs. C. W. Schimelpfenig, was appointed Assistant Professor of Chemis- try at the George Washington University in Washington, D.C.

Hassel Holder, superintendent of Lavon Lake, will transfer to the McGee Dam project near Lufkin.

The following were inducted into the Armed Forces from McKinney, Texas Local Board No. 2: Rodrick E. Striplin, Billy J. Harlow, Harold T. Robertson, Robert Brady Dunn and Jerrell W. Clemmons.

p. 5 Misses Aline Conoly, Florine Riggs and Betty Nelson attend the National F.B.L.A. Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Banovitch visited friends in Temple on Sunday.

John Milton Turner, son of Joe B. Turner of Allen, and Georgia Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon B. Morgan of Frisco, graduate from North Texas State College this semester.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meeks and sons Fred and Mark visited their grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Chaddick last week.

p. 6 O. E. S. installed officers Monday night. Those attending are: Annie Laurie Horton, Paul Junker, Myrtle Wil-

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son, Joe Bidell, Alma Hays, Louise Junker, Beth Thurmon, Dayton Robinson, Virgie Johnson, Georgianna Hasford, Lucille Wyatt, Myrtis Newbill, Frances Bichell, Alice Fogal, Mary Virginia Wyatt, Eloise Ryan, Marie Merritt, Sid Merritt, Mary Katherine Smith, Ruth Stoneman, Marie Lord, Grace McQueety, Lona Simmons, Juanita Randles, Jack Ryan, Janet Nowlin, Tom Simmons, Mytte Harrington, Ida Lee Carlisle and Willie Kay Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown of Arlington were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emmit Clem.

p. 7 Luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hansel and Mrs. Lloyd Boone of Dallas were Mrs. Aline Mendenhall, Mrs. Susie Stone and Mrs. George P. Frysinger.

Mrs. Bill Kutscherousky, of Canton, and her daughter Jane Ann Jinks visited in Plano last week.

Mrs. Ralph Carpenter and daughter and daughter Miss Virginia Carpenter of Justin visited in the homes of the Roy Carpenters and Olney Carpenters.

p. 8 The Annual Howard Reunion is held June 9 in Finch Park in McKinney.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson of Iowa and Mr. and Mrs. Vic Christenson and son Bruce visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lundberg. The Johnsons are parents of Mrs. Lundberg and grandparents of Wayde Lundberg of Plano.

James L. Clarkson program chair of the Thursday Rotary Club discussed the United Fund. Others mentioned are David B. McCall, Rev. Edgar L. Huffstutler, T. H. Williams, Euclid Fant, A. R. Schell, Jr. and Leon Dugger.

Mr. and Mrs. Medlin Carpenter and daughter Sherry of Plainview recently visited here. Mr. Carpenter owned the Palace Theatre when they lived in Plano.

1st Lt. Art Stranz, Lucky A. Davis and Randall Nicholson left last weekend for North Fort Hood for two weeks of summer training. Mr. Davis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis and Mr. Nicholson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Nicholson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Hogge of Greenville were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Chaddick.

The First Baptist beat the Shiloh Baptist baseball team last Sunday. Players were Doyle Braden, Mackie Christian, Sammy Shields, Lester Prince, Paul Gentry and Joe Raines.

Those interested in twirling classes please contact Marcia Yandry or Laurana Rice.

Sharing Family Stories

Amy Johnson Crow started a program for 2018 called 52 Ancestors in 52 Weeks. She challenged researchers to do something with the discoveries they found. Get them out of the filing cabinet, notebook or computer and share your ancestors' stories.

Amy sends out prompts via email each week to get you to think about an ancestor and share something. You can write a blog post, post a story on social media, make a video, record yourself talking about an ancestor, whatever you are comfortable with. The original challenge is available <https://www.amyjohnsoncrow.com/52ancestors52weeks/> and the prompts for weeks 1-26 are posted <https://www.amyjohnsoncrow.com/52ancestors2018/>.

I started a blog a few years ago but didn't post much. Thanks to Amy, this year I have added 10 stories about my ancestors on my blog—*Through the Years* [<https://throughtheyears-barbara.blogspot.com/>]

Getting started with Blogger was free and easy. Setup an account, pick a theme and start writing. You can upload images of documents, photographs, or maps to illustrate your story. Blogger shows you how many people are visiting the blog. Your relatives can sign up to Follow your blog to get notified when you post the next story. Try it.

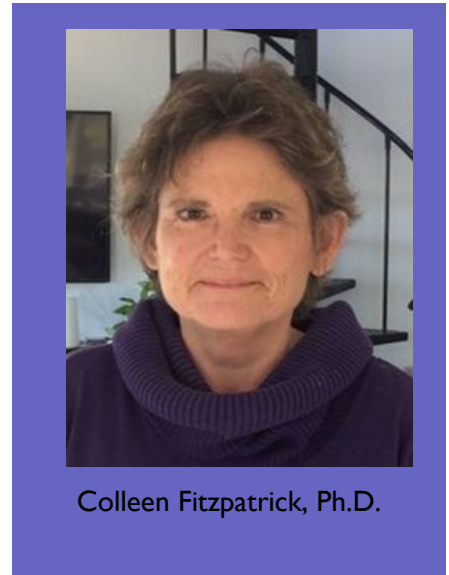
Award Winning Forensic Researcher Speaks to GenFriends

By Brenda Kellow

Well-known award winning forensic genealogist Colleen Fitzpatrick is the speaker at the Plano Genealogy Friends' annual workshop on Saturday, September 15. Check often with Genealogy Friends, <http://www.genealogyfriends.org/>, for more on this. Fitzpatrick recently received awards for her recent forensic research in the following law enforcement cold cases.

1. Detectives with the Phoenix Police Department met and asked Fitzpatrick at the 2014 International Symposium on Human Identification to unlock the cold case. Through her work, it wasn't long before Fitzpatrick was able to unlock the cold case which allowed police to arrest and charge Byran Patrick Miller with the Phoenix Canal murders, <https://tinyurl.com/y8f628fd>. Forensic genealogy led police to Miller who is facing the death penalty for the 1990 murders of Angela Brosso and Melanie Bernas.

2. In another case, Fitzpatrick was able to match 37-year-old DNA that allowed the identification of the infamous Ohio 'Buck Skin Girl' as 21 year old Marcia King of Arkansas. *Forensic Magazine*, <https://tinyurl.com/y8flr83h>.



Colleen Fitzpatrick, Ph.D.

"My research strategy was to compare the Y-profile provided to me by the Phoenix Police Department with the genetic genealogy databases that are posted online on public websites," Fitzpatrick explained to *Forensic Magazine*. "I have developed [proprietary] search strategies and techniques to mine these databases for matches." (see <https://tinyurl.com/y8flr83h>)

Fitzpatrick says she uses "public genetic genealogy databases in conjunction with historical records to generate leads to a suspect's identity through his ethnicity, nationality, and family history and geography. A match found in a Y-STR genetic genealogy database cannot identify a specific individual as a suspect— it can only produce a perpetrator's probable last name. Hopefully this will allow law enforcement to narrow their list of suspects, and ideally use conventional investigative techniques from there to solve the case." (<https://tinyurl.com/yaacdtk5>)

I hope you are as excited to hear Colleen Fitzpatrick speak in September as I am. Congratulations, Colleen!

Colleen Fitzpatrick, PhD, is a well-known Forensic Genealogist who consults for major military and civilian organizations. She has been a key member of the AFDIL team on the identification of the frozen arm and hand found in the wreckage of Northwest Flight 4422 that crashed in Alaska in 1948; the identification was featured worldwide in the print media and on MSNBC. She also worked with AFDIL on the identification of the remains of the Unknown Child of the Titanic. She has consulted on the Misha Defonseca case, in which the author of the international bestseller Misha: A Memoire of the Holocaust (known in Europe as Surviving with Wolves) was exposed as a fraud. Colleen is now the forensic genealogist for the possible discovery of the remains of Amelia Earhart and her navigator Fred Noonan on Gardner Island in the Pacific. Because she is highly multi-lingual with extensive international travel experience, she consults with county medical examiners and investment companies with an emphasis on international searches.

She received her BA in physics from Rice University; her MS in physics from Duke University in Durham, North Carolina and her Ph.D. in nuclear physics.

See Colleen's full resume at http://www.forensicgenealogy.info/images/full_CV_march_2011.pdf.

Sheila Miller's Family Memory, continued