



Columbine Genealogical & Historical Society, Inc.

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May 2019 Programs

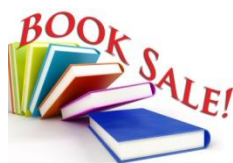
Tuesday, May 14 1:00 p.m.

“The Old Swede and Other Mining Tales” Presented by Jean Larson Adams

There are many interesting stories about Colorado’s mining history and the towns that sprang up during the late 1800’s. This presentation will focus on an interesting miner named Henry A. Recen. Henry was called “The Old Swede” by his mining friends in Summit County Colorado’s Ten Mile Mining District. In books, he is often referred to as the founder of Frisco, CO. A little genealogical and basic research led our presenter to question this title. His name doesn’t sound Swedish. Was he really a Swede? Did Henry really start the town? What became of Henry and his family? Answers to these questions, some interesting genealogical finds and a ghost tale or two will be included in the presentation.



Jean Larson Adams is a member of Columbine Genealogical and Historical Society and currently serves as the Education Coordinator. In the summer, she lives near Breckenridge, CO and is a volunteer with the Summit Historical Society (SHS) as a history guide for Dillon Reservoir Boat Tours and at the SHS museum and one room schoolhouse in Dillon, CO.



Tuesday, May 21 11:00 – 12:00 a.m. Used Book Sale

Our annual used book sale kicks off at 11:00 a.m. with a wide variety of books and magazines on genealogy and history. Don’t miss it!

If you have books to donate, you can still bring them in, even the day of the sale.

Tuesday, May 21 12:00 p.m. Spring Potluck

The theme is “Sharing A Famous and Infamous Ancestor”.



We start our spring potluck luncheon with many yummy dishes prepared by our members. Enjoy the variety of food offerings and conversations with fellow CGHS members.

Then several members will speak about their famous ancestors as well as some with questionable reputations.



The Columbine Genealogical & Historical Society meets at the Lutheran Church of the Holy Spirit, 6400 S. University Blvd., Centennial, CO. Program meetings are held on the second and third Tuesdays of the month at 1:00 p.m. and “Early Bird” classes are scheduled on the third Tuesday of the month at 9:30 a.m. No programs are presented in June, July, and August. A holiday social gathering is held on the second Tuesday of December. For meeting details, email Bob Jenkins, CGHS President: ColumbineGenealogy@gmail.com

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