

Columbine Genealogical & Historical Society, Inc.

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November 2019 Programs

Tuesday, November 12 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. – Board Meeting



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My Heritage.com – One of the fastest growing genealogical database Internet sites Presenter: Barbara Elliot – CGHS member and FHC volunteer

MyHeritage.com has over 10 billion records from around the world and more than 2.4 billion family tree profiles. This is a subscription site but is available at both Bemis and Denver Public Libraries and also at your local Family History Center. Barbara will discuss many of the different records that are available at this website.



Tuesday, November 19 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. **Early Bird**

Think Inside the Boxes: Organize and Analyze Your Data with Spreadsheets

Presenter: Beth Benko – a professional genealogist

Spreadsheets were originally created to calculate (and re-calculate) large columns and rows of numbers. They can also be used to manage and analyze vast amounts of genealogical data. This presentation covers basic spreadsheet functionality and demonstrates how they can be used for genealogy. Learn about using spreadsheets to organize information from city directories and census records. See how to create a timeline of your ancestors' lives.



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National Archives and Records Administration: Searching in Our Nation's Attic Presenter: Beth Benko – a professional genealogist and NARA volunteer

The National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) is the US government agency tasked with preserving and maintaining documents that record important events in American history, and making them available for research. NARA maintains several facilities in the Washington, DC area, over a dozen regional facilities, and 14 Presidential libraries. They also provide access to some records through the NARA website. This presentation will describe the holdings and research facilities of the National

Archives central and regional locations, with a focus on the National Archives at Denver. A description of information available on the NARA website and a demonstration of the website search capabilities will be included.

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 or additional information, email CGHS at ColumbineGenealogy@gmail.com

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