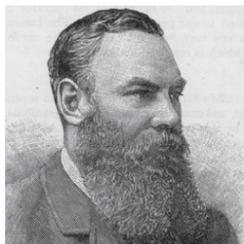




# Discover Your Family History at the Library

**MARCH – JUNE 2020**



## **USING ANCESTRY IN YOUR GENEALOGY RESEARCH**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 10:30 AM – 12:30 PM**

With over 10,000 databases and billions of images, Ancestry is the premier online genealogy resource—and it's available to you for free within any ASCPL location. This class will introduce you to the many features of Ancestry Library Edition and show you how to do efficient and effective searches. This class meets in Computer Lab 1, First Floor, Main Library. Register by phone, in person, or online.



## **IDENTIFYING YOUR FAMILY PHOTOGRAPHS**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 10:30 AM – 12:30 PM**

A picture may be worth a thousand words, but unlocking the stories of unidentified photographs requires some sleuthing. Learn to read clues, such as the type of photograph, clothing and hairstyles, and even whether or not subjects are smiling, to reveal the stories behind every photograph. Also learn how databases and local history resources can be used to identify your family photographs. This class meets in Meeting Room 2AB, High Street Level, Main Library. Register by phone, in person, or online.



## **ORGANIZING YOUR GENEALOGY RESEARCH WITH KELLI BERGHEIMER**

**SATURDAY, MAY 9, 10:30 AM – 1 PM**

**Main Library Auditorium**

**Sessions: *Organization and Citation for the Family Historian*  
*Family Tree Software Options***

Register by phone, in person, or online.



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## **DIGITIZATION 101**

**SATURDAY, MAY 16, 10:30 AM – 1 PM**

Whether you are a long-time genealogy researcher or a new family historian, you probably have a collection of original documents, photographs, slides and media that you are wondering how to store and share. Join staff from Special Collections and the TechZone@Main for an overview of basic preservation techniques and learn how to digitize your materials for free using library equipment. This class meets in Computer Lab 1 and the Tech Zone, First Floor, Main Library. Register by phone, in person, or online.



## **USING HISTORICAL NEWSPAPERS IN YOUR GENEALOGY RESEARCH**

**SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 10:30 AM – 12:30 PM**

Historical newspapers should be a “primary” source for all genealogists. From births to obituaries, estate notices to news stories, newspapers can fill in important details and help to paint a fuller picture of our ancestors’ lives. This class will take a look at accessing newspaper content through a variety of resources. This class meets in Computer Lab 1, First Floor, Main Library. Register by phone, in person, or online.

Register for our FREE classes online through the Library’s event calendar at <https://services.akronlibrary.org/events>. For more information, contact Special Collections at 330-643-9030 or [speccollections@akronlibrary.org](mailto:speccollections@akronlibrary.org).

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