



# Dane County Area Genealogical Society News

## *February Do Over: Three Secrets Every Archivist Knows That Will Help You Organize and Share Your Family*

Due to the cancellation of the January 7 meeting, Sally Jacobs has kindly agreed to present her scheduled January program, "Three Secrets Every Archivist Knows That Will Help You Organize, Preserve and Share Your Family Photographs" at the February 4 meeting.

The program will feature a discussion on archival appraisal, photo preservation and challenges of preserving digital photos.

Members are encouraged to bring specific questions about their own collections. These will be addressed after the main presentation.

Please join us on Thursday, February 4 at 7 p.m. at the Jesus Christ Church of Latter-day Saints, 4505 Regent St.

Following the meeting, please join us for a social hour after the presentation. Refreshments will be served.

## *Upcoming Events*

### **MATC**

**Internet Genealogy:** Advance Course #65962

**Cost:** \$44.56 (Senior rate is \$4)

**Where:** Fitchburg Senior Center, 5510 East Lacy Rd., Fitchburg, WI

**When:** Wednesdays March 17-April 14 from 6-9 p.m.

Students can register online at InsideMATC if they have an account. Or register at 608-246-6240. Or call 608-258-6301 for more information.

Instructor: Pat Skubis

### **Blackhawk Technical College**

**Genealogy on the Internet Intermediate**, #103-464-0M9 CRN 38693

**Where:** Monroe Campus, 210 4<sup>th</sup> Ave, Monroe, WI

**When:** Thursday March 25 to April 29 from 2-4 p.m.

**Cost:** \$34.42. (Senior rate is \$4)

Register online at <http://www.blackhawk.edu/lifelonglearning/index.html> or in person at the Monroe Campus.

Instructor: Pat Skubis

### **Oregon Community Education/Gifted Education Beginning Genealogy /Family History Classes**

**When:** Tuesdays, March 2 – April 6 (no class on March 30) from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

**Where:** Senior Lab Center, 219 Park St.

**Cost:** \$44 (drop in for \$10 a class provided the minimum number of 8 students is met).

Register at [http://www.oregonsd.org/community/community\\_education.cfm](http://www.oregonsd.org/community/community_education.cfm) or contact Scott Lien at [srl@oregonsd.net](mailto:srl@oregonsd.net).

Instructor: Pat Skubis

### **UW Union Mini-Course**

#### **Beginning Genealogy**

**When:** Tuesday, April 6-20, 6 to 8 p.m.

**Cost:** \$44.50 (Student/U member) \$54.50 (Fac./Staff)

Please see Mini Course web site for membership options and registration,

<https://www.union.wisc.edu/minicourses/>.

The class will look at how to begin genealogy – what resources are available, how to keep track of your information and genealogy standards. Emphasis will be on using free computer programs and Internet resources.

Instructor: Sherry Lloyd

### **Genealogy Classes Offered by the Wisconsin Historical Society**

The Wisconsin Historical Society Library and Archives is offering another season of classes on genealogical research. Classes begin on Saturday, March 6. Classes run from 9:00 a.m. to Noon. The fees are generally \$25 for WHS members or \$30 for nonmembers. Class descriptions can be found at [www.wisconsinhistory.org/library/archives/classes](http://www.wisconsinhistory.org/library/archives/classes).

### **2010 Gene-A-Rama**

**When:** April 16-17, 2010

**Where:** Holiday Inn in Manitowoc

**Guest Speaker:** Stephen S. Barthel – German and Polish genealogy

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*Regular DCAGS meetings are generally the first Thursday of each month at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints located at 4505 Regent, Madison, WI beginning at 7 p.m.*

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### **DCAGS Update:**

*The DCAGS Governing Board meets the third Tuesday of each month. The next meeting is set for Tuesday, February 16 at 6:30 p.m. South Madison Library, 2222 Park St. We invite all members to attend. Please join us!*

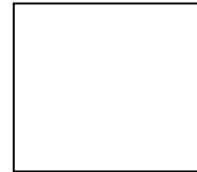
## **Individual Highlights:**

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# See you on February 4

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