

Bay Area Genealogical Society  
General Meeting Minutes  
30 September 2016  
University Baptist Church, 16106 Middlebrook Rd, Houston

CALL TO ORDER: Loren Martin, President, called the meeting to order at 7:02 pm.  
PLEDGES OF ALLEGIANCE: Pledges to the American and Texas flags were led by Mike McCowen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Loren acknowledged Chester Karrick's birthday and thanked him for sharing his cake with BAGS.

There are Missouri genealogical books on back table to share with members.

The Houston newspaper (S Belt Ellington section) had a large write up and picture of BAGS program.

Be sure members and visitors have signed in.

Annual memberships are due, please see Bob our Registrar, who will also provide the password for the Members page. Membership can now be paid by credit card using Square.

BAGS Yearbook and New Journal for September are ready to pick-up from Melody Hauch.

Don't forget to provide any genealogical information to Melody Hauch for inclusion in the next journal. These are excellent publications.

Pedigree charts go to Gary Garrett. This helps if we have members with same name you can check if the charts are the same people.

Bill Mayo is available to take pictures for the Yearbook.

BARBARA Moore announced: Alvin Historical Society, Old Post Office Bldg. on Sealy, Alvin, Texas; is having a Native American display on the Quanah Parker family. His mother was white his father was a Comanche Chief. He worked directly with the military and Native Americans .

BAGS member Melody Hauch will be presented the Sally B. Wallace Historic Presentation award by the Galveston Historical Foundation for the booklet "1867 Settlement".

BAGS will help with the Clayton Library open house October 8 from 11 am until 3 pm.

Kim Zrubek introduced our speaker for the evening, Kathleen Maca, BAGS member and author of several books related to her subject "Digging Up Clues in the Cemetery".

We have 7 visitors tonight.

General meeting Recap session "Digging Up Clues in the Cemetery" by Kathleen Maca, will be held Saturday October 15, from 11am to noon, at the Friendswood Library.

Merchandise, Flash Drives, Pens, and Carry bag as demonstrated by Loren, have been ordered.

Members Helping Members, Sunday October 9 at Helen Hall Library from 2 pm until 4 pm.

Annual Texas State Genealogical Family History Conference in Dallas October 28-30.

Board meeting on Monday, October 24 in UBC ROOM EB105 at 6:30 pm.

Membership meeting on October 28 at 6:30 pm Social and 7:00 pm. Program: Fidel Ramirez will present "Genealogy to Go" technology.

Do not forget to return your name badges.

Adjourned: Loren Martin adjourned the meeting at 8:32 p.m.

Respectively submitted, Kathie Chaffee, Recording Secretary