

**Bay Area Genealogical Society (BAGS) – General Membership Meeting Agenda**  
**Friday, February 24, 2023, 7:00 pm**  
Zoom webinar

**Call to Order** – 7:00 pm – Lisa Smith, BAGS President

**Welcome to Visitors and New Members**

- **Membership Report:** The number of current members is **181**.
- **Membership Renewals** will be closed on February 28. **Renew now** so you don't miss out on membership benefits.

**Announcements**

- **Nominating Committee** – Two board members, three general members
- **Announcements from the floor:** Raise your hand to make any announcements.

**Future Events** – These events and more are listed in the sidebar of our home page.

- **Members Helping Members:** Designed to provide an avenue for members to share recent research discoveries or accomplishments and provide a means to ask for assistance with roadblocks. See website for details.
  - **Online via Zoom #1 – Monday mornings at 10:00 AM**  
Moderators: Renee Ball and George Porterfield
  - **Online via Zoom #2 – Monday evenings at 7:00 PM** (except March 27 due to Board meeting)  
Moderator: Kim Zrubek
  - **In-Person – The Friendswood FamilySearch Center – 3rd Wednesdays at 9:30 AM**  
Next meeting **March 15**. Open only to BAGS members for research. Bring your own laptop and use their Wi-Fi or use one of their six computers.
  - **In-Person – Helen Hall Library – March 26 2:00-4:00 PM**  
(Boardroom) 100 W Walker St, League City, TX 77573. Open only to BAGS members for research. Bring your own laptop and use their Wi-Fi. Immediately followed by...
- **Meet N Munch – February 26 and March 26 4:00-6:00 PM** at Red River BBQ in League City.
- **German Special Interest Group – Online via Zoom 2nd Wednesdays at 7:00 PM**  
Next session **March 8**. Moderators: George Porterfield and Karen Engelauf.
- **Family Tree Maker Special Interest Group – Online via Zoom Monday afternoons at 1:00 PM**  
Moderator: Renee Ball.
- **Clayton Bus Trips – April 12**  
Meet at 16511 Diana Lane, Houston at 9:15am. **Printing/copying at the library is currently unavailable**, so be sure to bring a flash drive to save records. Lunch is on your own. We must have at least 10 members attending, confirmed at least 2 weeks in advance. For more information and to sign up, please contact Kathleen Williams at [CountyCoord@txbayareagen.org](mailto:CountyCoord@txbayareagen.org) or go to the sidebar or Trips page of our website.
- **Educational Session – March 25 2:00 PM** Friendswood Library, *Using Timelines to Focus Your Research* recorded video by Susan Ball
- **Save the date! Member Appreciation Seminar – Saturday April 22 9:30 AM-4:30 PM** Diana Elder (FamilyLocket.com) will present *Research Like a Pro*; 4 sessions. Watch our website for details.

**Tonight's Program** – *How'd You Find That?* presented by Cari Taplin.

**Next General Meeting** – **Friday, March 31, 2023, at 7:00 PM** (virtual) – *Getting to Know The Genealogy Center and using the Periodical Source Index* presented by Allison Singleton of the Allen County Library.

Contact the Board of Directors if you have questions or suggestions about BAGS programs at  
[info@txbayareagen.org](mailto:info@txbayareagen.org).

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