

MINUTES  
December 20, 2017



Attendance: 19  
Guests: 2

REFRESHMENTS: All

RAFFLE: None

Following the delicious annual SGS potluck, Michael Allen called the ad hoc business meeting to order at 7:15 pm.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

### Family History Seminar Committee Report

- Kevin Mittge stated that registration for the Saturday, April 14, 2018, SGS Genealogy Seminar, *"DNA: What's It All About"* featuring Emily Aulicino, will begin January 1, 2018. The form is on our blog ([siuslawgenealogy.org](http://siuslawgenealogy.org)). It should be printed, signed, and mailed (P.O. Box 1540, Florence, Oregon 97439), or returned to the library, to the attention of Mary Colgan-Bennett, along with the registration fee (\$20 for members; \$25 for non-members). Mary said she will make sure library envelopes are available for this purpose at the front desk. Kevin indicated a master roster will be created, and though no tickets will be issued, e-mail receipts will be provided.
- The committee received an anonymous donation of \$50 and sought additional funds for door prizes and registration packages during our meeting. Among the expenses are 100 copies (\$1 each) for genealogy magazines to be handed out to seminar participants.
- Merilee Mulvey said she is preparing Florence-themed baskets for the guest speaker and a raffle basket for a beginning genealogist. She is gathering tourist information for the speaker's basket. Please provide Merilee with any laminated quick reference guides or other beginning reference materials you no longer need.
- Kevin Mittge noted that FAQs (Frequently Asked Questions) will be posted on the SGS blog. A poster will be available on the blog that can be printed and shared wherever you like. Florence Shipping Solutions is donating all the printing for the event.
- Kevin also noted the committee:
  - o Plans to raffle a few DNA kits and will work on this acquisition in January; and
  - o Thanks to Pat Rongey for obtaining a two-night stay at Driftwood Shores to host the event speaker.



## **OLD BUSINESS**

### **T-Shirts**

Michael Allen discussed SGS t-shirts. Tonight was the last chance to order a SGS t-shirt. Debbie Lobey said that 15 people have ordered SGS t-shirts in the long or short-sleeved styles, and that the price is \$15 each if 30 or more are purchased or \$20 each for a lesser amount.

Brenda Gilmer moved that Debbie Lobey use her discretion in shirt size and sleeve length to order extra t-shirts to complete the 30-shirt requirement. Pat Rongey seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously. Extra shirts will be sold at upcoming SGS events.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

January 28, 2 pm

*Northwest Passages*

Living Voices (theatre performance)

Bromley Room

January 17, 7 pm

*Genealogy Shorts: The Great Depression*

Sally Daugherty, Brenda Gilmer & Debra Wright

Bromley Room

February 21, 7 pm

*Ancestry Academy Webinar*

Bromley Room

March 21, 7 pm

*Capturing Life Stories on Video*

Pat Rongey & Jacquie Beveridge

Bromley Room

April 14, 8:30 am – 4 pm

SGS Genealogy Seminar - *DNA: What's It All About*

featuring Emily Aulicino,

Florence Events Center

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The meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

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