



## CLASSES AND EVENTS FOR OCTOBER 2022 VIA ZOOM

### **Monday, October 10, 9:30 AM – NOON, RVGS Board meeting (in person at library)**

All members are welcome. Come to library side door and ring doorbell.

Cost: Free to all

### **Monday, October 10, 2:00 - 3:30 PM, Colonial America Interest Group**

Jeanne Hoadley will be focusing on the original 13 colonies in this interest group. Join her and bring your stories and research experiences. The group meets the second Monday of the month.

Cost: Free to all.

### **Tuesday, October 11, 1:30 - 3:00 PM, Family Tree Maker Interest Group**

This group is facilitated by Barbara MacMillen. Come with any questions about using “Family Tree Maker” software. They meet the second Tuesday of the month.

Cost: Free to all.

### **Wednesday, October 12, 10:30 AM - Noon, Genetic Genealogy Interest Group**

Barbara Halvorsen facilitates this interest group for everyone interested in genetic genealogy. They meet on the second Wednesday of the month.

Cost: Free to all.

### **Wednesday, October 12, 1:30 – 3:00 PM, Great Lakes Interest Group**

This interest group meets the second Wednesday every other even numbered month to discuss genealogy research in the Great Lakes region. Primary focus will be the states of Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, and Ohio.

Cost: Free to all.

### **Thursday, October 13, 6:00 – 7:30 PM, Genealogy Newbies Interest Group**

This group meets the second Thursday of the month and is for new genealogists who want a small group setting to ask questions. The interest group will start with the first 45 minutes for topical structured content and the last half of the session will be open for general questions.

Cost: Free to all.

**Friday, October 14, 1:30 - 3:00 PM, Irish Interest Group**

Barbara Halvorsen facilitates this interest group concentrating on Irish history, culture and researching Irish ancestors. The group meets the second Friday of the month.

Cost: Free to all.

**Saturday, October 15, 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM, Workshop: Getting a Grip on Irish and Scots-Irish Research**

Natalie Bodle will present 3 sessions:

- 1. Getting Started: Gathering Information and Getting Clues in US Records**
- 2. Naming Traditions, Land Administrative Units and Civil Registrations**
- 3. Church Records, Census and Overcoming Brick Walls**

See descriptions on RVGS website: [rvgslibrary.org](http://rvgslibrary.org) > Classes and Events > Workshops.

Cost: Members \$25, Non-Members \$35.

**Tuesday, October 18, 1:30-3:00 PM, Program and Member Meeting, “A Marker for Moses”**

One day while presenter Will Brake was researching his family tree, he discovered his 3x great-grandfather was buried in Ashland, Oregon. This came as a surprise as he had no family connections to the Rogue Valley that he knew of. Join us as Will recounts how he unraveled this new family mystery that resulted in “A Marker for Moses.”

Cost: Free to all.

**Wednesday, October 19, 1:30-3:00 PM, Roundtable: Let’s Talk Genealogy**

This is a chance to get together with others who share your same interest. We will start with a focus and see where it goes from there. Join us with a cup of coffee or glass of wine and Let’s Talk Genealogy.

Cost: Free to all.

**Thursday, October 27, 10:30 AM – Noon, Mapping Your Ancestors**

In this class, instructor Jeanne Hoadley will review the types of maps that may be useful to a genealogist, including an overview of the map collection at the RVGS Library. She will also take a look at the David Rumsey Collection of Historical Maps and discuss how these can be used to help tell your ancestor’s story.

Cost: Members \$10, Non-members \$20.