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Campbelltown District Family History Society

ABN 88 944 738 687

Meetings held on the First
Saturday of each month
(except January)

Place: In the Meeting Room,
Campbelltown
Library.

Time: 1.30 pm

ALL WELCOME

Annual Membership
Subscriptions:
Single.....\$20
Couple.....\$30
Name Badges..\$8 ea

Campbelltown District FHS Inc Meetings and Events

July, 2020

Saturday 4th July.
At Campbelltown Library.
CANCELLED.

August, 2020

Saturday 1st August.
At Campbelltown Library.
CANCELLED.

September, 2020

Saturday 5th September.
At Campbelltown Library.
TO BE ADVISED.

Meetings up to November 2020 may be cancelled, but we will advise.

Denise's Social Column

There are no Social column comments at the moment.

Events that had been planned have been postponed.

Regards

Denise Baxter

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Suspension of Activities

Due to the suspension of library services at the H. J. Daley Library due to Covid-19, Campbelltown District Family History Society advises that General Meetings set down for July, August, and the Family History Course scheduled for Sunday, 19th July 2020 have all been cancelled.

In addition, CDFHS will not be providing volunteers in the Family History Room until further notice.

Please see our website for further notices.

Membership

The Committee of the Campbelltown District Family History Society has decided that membership fees will be waived, for members who are financial as at 1st April 2020, for the year 1st July 2020 to 30th June 2021.

This has been decided as a result of the current circumstances with Covid-19, and that we do have sufficient funds to carry us through until June 2021.

Any people, not currently members, who want to become new members, will have to pay normal membership fees.

Websites of Interest

* South America Genealogy Database

<http://www.sabrits.co.uk/>
Alphabetical lists of British people who have lived or worked in South America over the past 200 years.

* Historical Currency Conversions

<https://futureboy.us/fsp/dollar.fsp>
This form allows you to convert the historical buying power of American and British currencies into current dollars.

* Glossaire Quaker Glossary

<http://www.simongrant.org/quaker/gloss/index.html>
This glossary contains only Quaker jargon, i.e. words used in a special sense among Quakers. In French & English.

* FamilySearch Wiki - A Glossary of Genealogical Terms

https://www.familysearch.org/wiki/en/A_Glossary_of_Genealogical_Terms

* Index of Terms used in 17th & 18th Century Wills, Inventories and other Documents

<https://sites.rootsweb.com/~fordingtondors/et/Files/Glossary.html>

* The Wedderburn Pages - Glossary

<https://freepages.rootsweb.com/~wedderburn/genealogy/glossary.htm>
Glossary of archaic Scottish words and phrases useful for genealogical research, including terms linked to property and possessions, found in wills and testaments.

Member's Interests

<https://www.cdfhs.org.au/index.php/othercontent/members-interests>

Visitor Interests

<https://www.cdfhs.org.au/index.php/othercontent/visitor-interests>

New and Updated Ancestry.com Databases

Following is a list of databases included or updated onto Ancestry.com over the last month, available at the Campbelltown Library. 32,803 databases in total.

- * 1871 Census of Canada; Census & Voter Lists. [3,516,910 records].
- * Ireland, Famine Relief Commission Papers, 1844-1847; Convict, Criminal, Land & Wills. [87,044 records].
- * Canada, Selected School Yearbooks, 1901-2010; Schools, Directories & Church Histories. [1,931,243 records].
- * 1939 England and Wales Register; Census & Voter Lists. [45,913,713 records].
- * U.S., World War II Army Enlistment Records, 1938-1946; Military. [8,369,212 records].
- * 1921 Census of Canada; Census & Voter Lists. [8,800,628 records].
- * 1880 United States Federal Census; Census & Voter Lists. [50,480,843 records].
- * UK, Officer Service Records, 1764-1932; Military. [132,421 records].
- * UK, WWI Pension Ledgers and Index Cards, 1914-1923; Military. [4,288,702 records].
- * Australia and New Zealand, Find A Grave Index, 1800s-Current; Birth, Marriage & Death. [6,106,512 records].
- * Somerset, England, Church of England Baptisms, Marriages, and Burials, 1531-1812; Birth, Marriage & Death. [4,462,551 records].
- * Massachusetts, Boston Archdiocese Roman Catholic Sacramental Records, 1789-1900; Birth, Marriage & Death. [4,429,575 records].
- * New Jersey, Abstract of Wills, 1670-1817; Convict, Criminal, Land & Wills. [48,943 records].
- * Global, Find A Grave Index for Burials at Sea and other Select Burial Locations, 1300s-Current; Birth, Marriage & Death. [14,142,815 records].

Find My Past

Following are some records available on FindMyPast.

* England Roman Catholic Parish Baptisms

<https://search.findmypast.co.uk/search-world-Records/england-roman-catholic-parish-baptisms>
Do you have English ancestors who were Roman Catholic? Explore thousands of Roman Catholic sacramental registers from the dioceses of Birmingham, Liverpool, Middlesbrough, Southwark and Westminster in England. Baptism records will reveal your ancestor's baptism date, the parish, parents' names, and godparents' names.

* England Roman Catholic Parish Congregational Records

<https://search.findmypast.co.uk/search-world-Records/england-roman-catholic-parish-congregational-records>
Do you have English ancestors who were Roman Catholic? Explore thousands of Roman Catholic congregational records from Birmingham, Liverpool, Middlesbrough, Southwark and Westminster. Discover your ancestor's relationship with his local parish, did they receive their confirmation or were they a benefactor of a parish.

* England Roman Catholic Parish Marriages

<https://search.findmypast.co.uk/search-world-Records/england-roman-catholic-parish-marriages>
Do you have English ancestors who were Roman Catholic? Explore thousands of Roman Catholic sacramental marriage registers from the dioceses of Birmingham, Liverpool, Middlesbrough, Southwark and Westminster in England. Discover where and when your ancestor was married, the name of their spouse and the witnesses' names.

* England Roman Catholic Parish Burials

<https://search.findmypast.co.uk/search-world-Records/england-roman-catholic-parish-burials>
Do you have English ancestors who were Roman Catholic? Explore this collection of burial records from the dioceses of Birmingham, Liverpool, Middlesbrough, Southwark and Westminster. You will be able to view the original burial registers and discover where your ancestor is buried.

Find My Past Special

* New and exclusive Catholic church records online for the first time
<https://www.findmypast.co.uk/blog/new/catholic-and-canadian-records>

As the home of the groundbreaking Catholic Heritage Archive, we're excited to bring you even more exclusive family-finding resources.

The exclusives keep on coming here at Findmypast. Hundreds of thousands of Catholic records are new this week and you won't find them anywhere else online. They join the Catholic Heritage Archive, a game-changing digitisation project that is making Catholic records from around the globe more accessible.

Courses for 2020

Due to current circumstances, we do not know if courses will be held this year. We will advise further.

* Sunday 19th July 2020 – **CANCELLED.**

* Sunday 20th September 2020 – **To be advised.**

* Sunday 15th November 2020.

Venue: Campbelltown Library, Meeting Room 1.

Cost: \$10 per person

Times: 10.45 am - Arrive
11.00 am - Start
3.30 pm - Finish

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL.

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Please watch our website for more information on these.

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