

Strathpine Library Family History Group

Tween-meeting News

Monday 14 March 2022

Next Meeting

15 February 2022

Coming Events

Tue 15 Feb "Who Do You Think You Are?" SBS TV

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Next Meeting

On Feb 15th we will be meeting at the Strathpine Library as usual

- first cab off the rank will be to discuss how we want to move forward
- we will also be debuting a new segment starring two well-known family history personalities
- despite what it says on the Council website, unfortunately, due to Omicron, we are still not allowed to have morning tea/coffee and so no facilities will be available for making hot drinks. However, in the interests of health, at any time everyone is allowed to take their water bottle into the library and encouraged to maintain their hydration (and as far as I know the Beverage Police do not conduct random audits on the contents of your bottle)
- a presentation on the 1921 UK Census release is also planned

Who Do You Think You Are?

There is a new UK season of this marvellous TV program starting tonight, Tuesday 15 Feb) on SBS. Always worth a look; it's a pity it is only 4 episodes.

DNA

Between Talking of TV shows, I was reminded that wearing gloves to avoid leaving my fingerprints at the scene of the crime is not necessarily enough. On last week's ABC TV episode of "Vera" on the (a grumpy, dishevelled female detective who deep down has a heart but does her best not to ever expose it) they were able to bring someone to justice by proving that he had been driving a truck by extracting his DNA from a dead mosquito they found in the cab (allegedly based on a true story). Be careful what you leave behind!

UK 1921 Census

Many of you will know that this Census was released about a month ago and is only available to view on FindMyPast (and it costs, but you can get some information for free). We will talk about this Census at our meeting next week (22 Feb) but if you want to get some background or dig deeper then the Guild of One-Name Studies (GOONS) has a webinar on at 3:30am this Thursday morning, 17 Feb (you can catch up on sleep later). This live webinar if free to everyone but you do need to register at https://one-name.org/1921census/. Unfortunately, after the live version, the recording will only be available to view for GOONS members.

We meet at Strathpine Library from 9:00 to 11:00 on the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month.

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