



San Mateo County Genealogical Society

Upcoming Events

September – December 2021

Everyone is welcome at SMC GS events. Monthly meetings are free; there is a charge for seminars. **Currently, all our meetings are held via Zoom.** Watch our [website](#), [blog](#), or [Facebook page](#) for details about these events.

Saturday, September 25 – *The 1950 Census: Are You Ready?*

10:30 am to noon; social time 10:00 to 10:30 am – via Zoom



Presenter: Thomas MacEntee

Following the “72-Year Rule” for records at the National Archives, the results of the 1950 US Census will be made public on Friday, April 1, 2022. Participants at this meeting will learn the history of the 1950 Census, why the 1950 US Census form is radically different than previous forms, and how the census data can be accessed.

Advance registration is required, using the link on the SMC GS home page, smcgs.org. Registrants will receive a confirmation email with information about joining the meeting.

Saturday, October 23 – *A Tour of the New SMC GS Website*

10:30 am to noon; social time at 10:00 am – via Zoom



Presenter: Mike Davis

SMC GS now has a new website with many features that our old website lacked. On this tour of the new website, members will learn how to log in, enter their profile information, and connect with other members who share their research interests. Members and non-members alike will learn how to use the searchable databases on our website for their genealogy research.

Saturday, November 6 – *Fall Seminar: Making Sense of Your DNA Matches*

8:30 am to 12:30 pm; social time at 8:00 am – via Zoom



Presenter: Diahn Southard

Diahn is the author of *Your DNA Guide – The Book* and producer of *Your DNA Guide – The Academy*, an online learning experience. She will speak on three intermediate DNA topics.

Details are available at smcgs.org/Fall-2021-Seminar.

Saturday, November 20 – *All-Hands Membership Meeting plus Sharing Stories*

9:45 to 10:00 am – Social time

10:00 to 10:30 am – All-Hands Membership Meeting to approve by-laws and elect board members

10:30 am to noon – Sharing Stories



Presenters: Several of YOU, reading your stories

Please prepare your short family history story (1000 words or less) for sharing at the November meeting or in our blog or newsletter. See smcgs.org/Sharing-Stories for additional information.
