

**THE BENTON COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
GENERAL MEETING MINUTES
Saturday, June 9, 2007**

Minutes – Linda Olsen

The minutes of the last general meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's Report – Gene Newcomb

Gene reported our current balance to be \$4,155.27, and he reviewed the income and expenses for the month of May.

Programs – David Kribs

Our annual pot luck and book sale is today following the business meeting. Bill Gleaves will present information he gathered on his trip to the National Genealogical Conference in Virginia in May. Dave projected the programs for September through December. In September members will share their genealogical experiences over the summer. Other programs include Creative Memories, museum resources by Mary Gallagher, and our annual Christmas party.

Hostess – Betty Brummett

Librarian – Sandra Potter

More volunteers are needed for the annual library inventory to be held June 25th to 27th.

Membership – Leila Crawford

Library Schedule - Lee Rudisil

Publishing – Danell Aukerman

Leila is currently in charge of e-mailing the newsletter.

Book Committee - Damaris Reynolds

Damaris reported that no new books were ordered this month. Since we have most of the published genealogical books already in our library, new ones are difficult to find; however, Damaris will continue searching catalogs. Let her know if you find a great book of genealogical interest.

Queries - Danell Aukerman

Newsletter – Teri Greene

Teri is always looking for new articles, web sites, stories or information to publish in our newsletter. If you contact her by e-mail, be sure to put BCGS in the subject line.

Service Projects

WPA -- Danelle Aukerman

Cemetery Project --

GT Obituaries/Newspaper Project -- Charlene Talbot/Linda Olsen

Surname File -- Tonya Rawie

Donation Land Claim Map -- Dorothy Burt

Historian -- Lee Rudisill

Old Business

New Business

Gene asked if anyone had any information regarding a query for Roy Horton b. 1908 who is listed in the 1920 census and possibly listed as LeRoy Whitford in the 1930 census.

Margaret Fox's idea about subscribing to an online genealogical service was discussed and also the possibility of wireless service. This will be a topic at the next BCGS board meeting in August.

Bill announced that he plans to schedule a meeting with the Board of Directors of the Historical Museum more as a "getting-acquainted" time.

Bill also announced that Danell resigned as co-president due to health concerns.

Health and Welfare:

Our best wishes for good health are extended to Charlene Talbot who is feeling better, Jean Grube who is in good spirits, Danell and her parents, and Maybelle and John Martsching.

Announcements

The next Board meeting will be Tuesday, August 27, 2007

The next General meeting will be Saturday, September 8, 2007

Respectfully submitted,
Linda Olsen, Co-secretary