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Coming Events ---

**Kitchen Roundtable Talk**

**March 19, 2024 at 6:30 PM**

<https://argensoc.org/kitchen>

**AGS 2024 Fall Conference**

**Oct. 19, 2024 9:00 AM**

<http://www.argensoc.org>

## AGS Conference Announcement

The Arkansas Genealogy Society is thrilled to announce its 2024 Fall Conference featuring Cyndi Ingle. This event, scheduled to take place via Zoom on Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup>, commencing at 9:00 AM Central Standard Time, promises a rich exploration of genealogical pursuits. With over 25 years of experience predating the widespread use of the internet, Cyndi Ingle is a pioneer in genealogical research. Renowned for her groundbreaking work at CyndisList.com and her expertise in integrating modern technology with traditional methodologies.

Cyndi will enlighten us on honing our research focus by integrating technology into genealogical pursuits, shedding light on the evolution of tools and methodologies across different eras.

An interactive session demonstrating the features and resources available on CyndisList.com, including tips for effective utilization of the platform for genealogical research.

Cyndi discusses the importance of traditional genealogical research methods and how they complement modern technological approaches.

Attendees have the opportunity to ask Cyndi questions about her presentations, genealogy research techniques, or any related topics.

As the Executive Director of the Institute of Genealogy and Historical Research and a distinguished author and columnist, her contributions to the field are invaluable. Join us for an illuminating conference as Cyndi Ingle shares her wealth of knowledge and experience with fellow genealogy enthusiasts.

This schedule ensures a comprehensive exploration of both traditional and modern genealogical research methods, while also highlighting Cyndi's expertise and the resources available through CyndisList.com.

## Arkansas Genealogical Society Welcomes New Board Member Clara Jane Timmerman



Clara Timmerman is the Assistant Director of the Arkansas County Library in Stuttgart, where she has worked in some capacity for 20 years. Initially, she started there to work on her own family history for her grandmother. She became interested in genealogy by listening to her grandmother's stories about coming to Arkansas on a covered wagon and their trials and tribulations.

She worked on her family history while homeschooling her children until they went to college. She also cared for her grandmother and mother until their passing.

While she was a manager at the library, the children's wing was expanded and allowed for much more programming. She was able to start one of the first robotics classes for 3rd and 4th graders in Arkansas. She incorporated and implemented the automation of the library and has been blessed to see it grow in excellence and meaning for her community for these many years.



<https://argensoc.org/join-us/>

## March Kitchen Roundtable Talk: Arkansas Genealogical Research

By Mary Jane Baxley

### March Kitchen Roundtable Talk: Arkansas Genealogical Research

Our zoom discussion will be presented Tuesday, March 19, at 6:30 PM. It is free of charge.

Russell Baker will be addressing the five primary platforms for Arkansas Genealogical Research. For those within the Arkansas genealogical community, Russell is a familiar figure! With a remarkable 50 years of service on the AGS board and a background as the retired archival supervisor and former acting director of the Arkansas State Archives in Little Rock, his expertise is unparalleled. Since 2013, he has served as the Senior Editor of the Arkansas Family Historian. This event, drawing on his extensive experience, is a must-attend!

Our monthly Kitchen Roundtable Talks cover a diverse range of genealogical topics and methodologies, sparking lively online discussions among our engaged participants. This platform serves as a unique opportunity to establish meaningful connections with fellow genealogy enthusiasts, cultivating new friendships within the community and linking up with kindred spirits who share our passion for research

Below is a list of dates for our sessions and a list of speakers and registration links will be available as the year progresses. We enthusiastically welcome suggestions from all participants for topics of interest and encourage volunteers to step forward as discussion leaders for subjects close to their hearts. As this initiative continues to evolve, we anticipate making refinements based on our collective experiences. Your active participation and invaluable feedback remain pivotal in shaping the future of our endeavors.

The link to find a listing of our discussion topics is: <https://argensoc.org/kitchen>

March 19, 2024 at 6:30 PM

April 16, 2024 at 6:30 PM

May 21, 2024 at 6:30 PM

June 18, 2024 at 6:30 PM

July 16, 2024 at 6:30 PM

August 20, 2024 at 6:30 PM

September 17, 2024 at 6:30 PM

October 15, 2024 at 6:30 PM

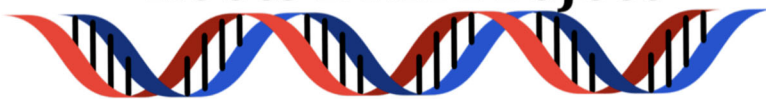
November 19, 2024 at 6:30 PM

December 17, 2024 at 6:30 PM

To register for this event, please use the following link:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZEtduGqrDooGdEeDVvsSU4e1azNQ0e\\_qKd0W](https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZEtduGqrDooGdEeDVvsSU4e1azNQ0e_qKd0W)

## Join the AGS Early Arkansas Roots DNA Project



Y-DNA and autosomal DNA testing is a powerful tool -we build pathways to the past to connect male lines, correct existing trees, AND find supporting evidence.

<https://www.familytreedna.com/groups/agsearlyarkansasrootsproject/about>

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**AGS Would Like To Hear From You!**

The Arkansas Genealogical Society welcomes news, events, and comments, etc. from other genealogical groups within the state or information that is Arkansas related.

Please send your news to us at [agscontributions@gmail.com](mailto:agscontributions@gmail.com).

## So, You Have Arkansas Roots?

Do you know that the largest published collection of Arkansas genealogical material is found in the back files of the Arkansas Family Historian, published four times a year by the Arkansas Genealogical Society?

It began publication in 1962. The back files from 1962-2016 are freely available at the society's website at <https://argensoc.org/afh/>. Each volume or issue features a full name index. Consulting these back files at the beginning of your Arkansas roots journey may facilitate your search for your hard-to-find Arkansas ancestors.

Russell P. Baker, Editor, Arkansas Family Historian

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