



North West Kent Family History Society

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March

NEWSLETTER

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An electronic publication available on-line to anyone interested in Family History

 **NWKFHS AGM & Family History Day**

 **Workshops**

 **NWKFHS March Journal published**

 **Local NWKFHS Meetings**

 **NWKFHS 35th Annual General Meeting and Family History Day will be held on
Saturday 27 April 2013 9.30am : 5.00pm at
Dartford Science & Technology College Heath Lane DA1 2LY**

Speakers: Ian Waller Ian is a professional genealogist, archive researcher and author.

His presentation is entitled **All the B's**A light-hearted look at the effects the Bs had on society and the many records which can give a vivid insight into life at all levels of society. Bastards, bigamists or even baronets in our ancestry!

Tim Cox, a retired solicitor with a wide range of interests, speaks on

Soldier, Soldier, will you marry me?: Soldiers' wives 1660-1900.

More details [NWKFHS](#) and booking forms in the December Journal and on-line.

 **NWKFHS March Journal will be posted to members in early March.**

It contains articles about Poisonous periwinkles in 1832, Edwin James Nevill and the development of improved conditions for postal workers (c 1890), research to unravel Morley family puzzles (post published censuses), the Willard/Wellard one name study, researching convict databases in Tasmania And more!

If you are not a member why not join NOW and access this Journal.

 **Local Meetings** in March

Full details www.nwkhfs.org.uk/meetings.htm

Why not invite a friend to join you at one of these meetings.

Bromley Saturday Morning 16 March 2013

Pilgrimage and travel in the Middle Ages by Imogen Corrigan

Dartford Saturday Morning 2 March

Willpower by Meryl Catty and Audrey Gillett

This is a change from the advertised speaker.

Sevenoaks Thursday evening 14 March

Brick Walls and Lost ancestors by Dave Annal

*At each meeting there is a help desk for assistance with research.
Publications for sale and opportunities to borrow books and journals.*

Easy access, toilets and refreshments at each venue.

Members and visitors are welcome at any meeting with donations appreciated from visitors.



Join a NWKFHS Workshop designed to help you with your research

Contact Janet Rose (01322-384836 address inside front cover) or email

Book now! library@nwkfhs.org.uk

Date	Subject	Tutor
20 March 2013	Early Census [Pre 1841 Census] & Census-like Lists	Jean Stirk
17 April 2013	Home Children, British child immigration into Canada (1870-1957)	Walter Eves
15 May 2013	Mapping family distributions and movements	David Cufley
Many more planned		

The two hour workshops are limited to 10 people, but are repeated if there is demand.

These are held at the Library, Summerhouse Drive, Joydens Wood, Bexley

Hit a brick wall with your research? Just beginning to research your family?

- Visit the **NWKFHS Library** where you can talk through your problem with an experienced researcher open Wednesdays 10am-4pm contact Janet Rose (01322-384836) or email: library@nwkfhs.org.uk
 NWKFHS library and resource centre,
 KCC Library Summerhouse Drive, Bexley, Kent DA5 2EE
 Telephone 01322 527604 (Wednesdays only)
Donations are welcome
- Publish a specific query in **Help Wanted** page in the Journal contact Caroline Blackett, 58a London Road, Bromley, Kent BR1 3QZ, email: help.wanted@nwkfhs.org.uk.
There is no charge to members for this service
- Use the **Internet Mailing List**
 More information at www.nwkfhs.org.uk/mailling-list.htm
 Vera Bailey (address inside front cover) or Walter Eves will be pleased to help you:
 e-mail list@nwkfhs.org.uk
There is no charge for this service
- Ask for help from the **Research Service** contact Mrs Stella Baggaley, NWKFHS Research Co-ordinator, Saddlers House, High Street, Farningham DA4 0DT, e-mail research@nwkfhs.org.uk <http://www.nwkfhs.org.uk/research-service.htm>
There is a small charge for this service
- Look through the **NWKFHS Catalogue of resources** held at the library (a paper version in the NWKFHS library) www.nwkfhs.org.uk/library%20catalogue.pdf
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