

Traditional and Genetic Genealogy Workshop



Instructor: David McKellar

Date/ Time: Thursday 10am-noon

Session Dates: Oct 26, Nov 2, Nov 9 (3 sessions)

Location: Tantramar Heritage Trust (Anderson Octagonal House), 29 Queens Rd., Sackville

Participants: Minimum 5, Maximum 10

Course Outline:

NOTE: This is an Internet based hands-on workshop. Participants must supply their own laptop or tablet.

Week One: Introduction to various genealogy software and Internet based options.

Weeks Two: Work on personal family trees. Investigate genealogy resources.

Week Three: Introduction to genetic genealogy, testing and analysis of matches.

Instructor Bio:

Genealogist for 40 + years and Clan McKellar genealogist
Head, History and Genealogy Research Centre at the Tantramar Heritage Trust

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- a) The course is cancelled or delayed unexpectedly or if there is a change in the time or venue of the course.
- b) During the course if the instructor gives notice that he or she is ill or unavailable for one of the sessions. The course liaison will attempt to contact those without email by phone, so please ensure the TSC has your correct phone # as well.

Absence/ Absenteeism - TSC instructors are volunteers who work very hard to prepare courses. Your cooperation is appreciated in letting them know if you are unable to attend as most instructors plan for the number of students who registered for the course. If circumstances change for you between registration and the first class, or if you decide to withdraw from the class, please email the TSC coordinator at

tscordinator@gmail.com. You can also call 506-364-2780 to let us know. Many courses have a wait list and someone else may be able to take your place. Once the class has started please advise the instructor if you are unable to attend a session.

Classroom comportment - Active class participation is encouraged by the TSC. We request that class members are mindful and respectful of the level of comfort of their fellow students and the volunteer instructors as they participate in the discussions.