

# **Genealogy & History Fair**

Join the Dakota County Historical Society for a Genealogy & History Fair! The event will feature vendor booths that consist of historical and genealogical societies and businesses that can help you with your research and preservation. Attendees will get the opportunity to walk through the vendor space and speak with each organization to find out what resources they have to offer you and your love for history.

As the day progresses, three breakout session will be held on the second floor of the museum. Light refreshments will be provided throughout the day.

### **Breakout Sessions**

### 10 a.m.—11 a.m.—Genealogy Smart Start: Things I Wish I'd Known

Elizabeth Williams Gomoll of Red Bird Genealogy Services will show how to avoid missteps when doing family history research. Tips and techniques will be helpful to beginners and experienced genealogists.

## 12:30 p.m.—1:30 p.m.—It's Not All On the Internet?: Seeking Your Comfort Zone As You Approach Different Repositories

Paula Stuart-Warren will present on the resources you are missing out on if you have not visited a local historical society, genealogy library, university library, or government archive. This session will deal with making these visits familiar and comfortable for you.

### 2:30 p.m.—3:30 p.m.— Putting It All Together: Creating a Family History Book

Lots of information? What to include? Where to begin? Jeff Baker of Sagis Legacy will provide multiple resources and ideas to design, organize, select, and create a treasured book.

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#### **Vendor Booths**

Anoka County Historical Society
Anoka County Genealogical Society
Dakota County Historical Society
Dakota County Libraries
Dakota County Vital Records
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Friends of LeDuc & Historic Hastings

Friends of LeDuc & Historic Hastings
Genealogy by Paula
Hennepin History Museum
Minnesota Genealogical Society
Northfield Historical Society
Ramsey County Historical Society
Red Bird Genealogy Services
Rice County Genealogical Society
Rice County Historical Society
Sagis Legacy

Scott County Historical Society
Town Square Television
Washington County Historical Society

### DAKOTA COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

### Lawshe Memorial Museum

130 3rd Avenue N South St. Paul, MN 55075

Saturday, August 18, 2018 9 a.m.—4 p.m.

Free to the public
Reserve your seat to a presentation
for a \$5 donation
www.dakotahistory.org

Parking is available in the lots next to the Lawshe Museum, behind City Hall and at Neighbors, Inc. Parking on the side streets is available.

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