

YOKE LORE

Baldwin County Genealogical Society
P.O. Box 108, Foley, Alabama 36536

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new starting time: Meet and Greet 9:45 AM; General Meeting 10:00 AM.

Baldwin County Genealogical Society

Presents

Joni Trusty Euler

“Desperately Seeking Ancestors”

Saturday July 8, 2023

10 a.m. Meeting Room

Foley Public Library



In her presentation, **Joni Trusty Euler** will tell what a visit to the family Search Library in Salt Lake City reveals. She will also speak on enhancing your research skills by attending a National Genealogical Society Conference.

She will speak of the advantages of visiting the library as part of a research tour group and the scope of material available as well as recap of the 2023 National Genealogical Society conference, which was held in Richmond, Virginia, in May. The annual Conference provides an opportunity to enhance your research skills and network with other genealogists across the country.

Joni keeps busy as vendor for number of Antique dealerships; board member and past president of Baldwin County Master Gardeners; board member of Humane Society, and retired in 2017 after 43 years of Federal Government service. She is active member of the Baldwin County Genealogical Society.

Family Search is an international nonprofit organization dedicated to helping all people discover their family story whether online *FamilySearch.org* or exploring the resources of the Family Search Library in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Reservation Required - Seating is limited to 42

Email your name to: BaldwinGenealogy@gmail.com March 11, 2023 -- closed when seating capacity is met. Seating is Limited to 42. Reservations will close when met.

All meetings are open to interested public.

PLEASE CANCEL IF YOU CAN NOT MAKE THE MEETING AS THERE IS A WAITING LIST

Confirmation email will be sent. Website: <http://baldwingenealogy.org> or Baldwin County Genealogical Society – Home/ Facebook

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UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

12 August 2023: Jeanette Bornholt “Comedy of Errors aka Errors of the way in genealogy”

9 September, 2023: Tim Russell “United States Veterans Gift of Democracy to the World” Russell, Baldwin County Probate Judge, former Mayor of Foley, served as Officer in U.S. Army during Vietnam era.

14 October, 2023: Judge Frank (Trippy) McQuire, “The Creek War of 1813-14, William “Red Eagle” Weatherford”. Retired Judge McQuire teaches 4th graders in Opp, AL about the Creek War.

NO meeting in November: Veteran’s Day, Foley Library Closed for observance.

9 December, 2023: Christmas Social for BCGS Board of Directors, Members.

BCGS Board Meetings will continue to meet at 9 a.m. Board Room of Foley Public Library

Obit Committee meets every Wednesday, 1 p.m. Genealogy Collection Room

Membership Information: Annual Dues due in January: **\$10.00 person or \$15.00 couple**. Pay at a meeting or send your check to: BCGS ; P.O. Box 108 ; Foley, AL 36536

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Minutes of the Baldwin County Genealogical Society June 10, 2023

GENERAL MEETING

DATE 10 June 2023 **MEMBERS/GUESTS:** 30 members

CALL TO ORDER: the meeting was called to order by Vice- President Becky Younce

MINUTES OF PRECEDING MEETING- Were published in "Yore Lore" and approved as written.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Tina Graham gave the Treasures report. Beginning balance on 1 May 2023 was \$1900.61,
See Treasure's File for details. Deposits: \$80.00; Expenses \$16.92; Ending Balance 31 May 2023. 1,963.69

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Obituary: Per Tina Graham the Historic Obituaries (1900-1987) are coming along. Most of the researchers are in the 1950's. Current obits are up to date.

Sunshine: With the absence of a corresponding Secretary, Billie Nardell sent 1 Thank You card to last month's speaker Auriette Lindsey. A Get-Well card to Joe Webb. She answered 3 emails requesting assistance.

Baldwin County Fair- Coletta Bailey gave an update on plans for this year's BCF.

OLD BUSINESS: June is election of Officers. We are still in need of a President and Vice President. Anyone interested, please contact any board member. The slate of Officers for the rest of the board are:

President: Vice-President: Treasurer: Tina Graham; Recording Secretary: Billie Nardell;

Corresponding Secretary: Coletta Bailey; Directors expiring 2024: Pat Brummet & Becky Younce;

Directors expiring 2025: Joni Euler & Patricia Maness; Alternate Directors: Janice Hudson & Mile Glass

With no other candidates the slate was approved by a unanimous vote.

NEW BUSINESS: There was no new business.

GUEST SPEAKER: Becky called on Barbara Thompson, program chair, to present this month's speaker, Mike Glass, BCGS Member, speaking on "Publishing Experiences" -Books and DVDs

UPCOMING EVENTS: Joni Euler will be our July 8, 2023 speaker on "Desperately Seeking Ancestors", reports on her 2023 Research Trips.

Jeanette Bornholt will speak on the August 12, 2023, meeting: "Errors, Lies, Mistakes and More in Genealogy".

DOOR PRIZES AWARDED: There were 9 door prizes awarded.

ADJOURNED: The meeting was adjourned at 11:10 a.m. to meet again on 08 July 2023 at 10 am in Meeting Room at the Foley Public Library.

Respectfully submitted, Billie Nardell, Corresponding Secretary

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