Press Release

Jewish Genealogical Society of the Conejo Valley and Ventura County* (JGSCV) (*and surrounding areas)

The Jewish Genealogical Society of the Conejo Valley and Ventura County (JGSCV) will hold a general meeting, co-sponsored with Temple Adat Elohim on Monday, 6 March, 2017 at Temple Adat Elohim 2420 E. Hillcrest Drive, Thousand Oaks, 91362 7:00-9:00 pm

The Topic:

Google and Its Tools for Genealogists

Google has been recognized for several years now as a great search engine for genealogy, but it is so much more! It also provides a number of other tools that can be of great help to family historians. In this presentation, we'll examine several and discuss how to:

• Use Google Earth and Google Maps to unearth information about where your ancestors lived.
• Learn how you can educate yourself, meet others, and 'hang out' with those who are like minded (and maybe even related!) using Google’s social media tools.
• Discover how to carry your research with you and kick your research into gear through collaboration on Google Drive.

Speaker: Mary Kathryn Kozy has been researching her family history for over 35 years and across many different localities. She has served in multiple positions in societies on the local & state level and is currently serving as an LDS Family History missionary. Mary also serves on the board of the Jewish Genealogical Society of Washington State and speaks to many groups in the area. She holds bachelor's degrees in both Zoology and Information Technology & Systems and has completed the ProGen online study program with an eye toward certification as a professional genealogist.

There is no charge to attend the meeting. Anyone may join JGSCV. Annual dues are $25 for an individual and $30 for a family. The meeting is open to the public.

The Jewish Genealogical Society of the Conejo Valley and Ventura County is dedicated to sharing genealogical information, techniques and research tools with anyone interested in genealogy and family history.

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