

## Exciting 2011 Events Planned for Lone Star Chapter of APG

The Lone Star Chapter of APG has some exciting events planned this year. There is no charge to attend any of these Lone Star Chapter events, although there may be a fee for associated events offered by other groups (AGS, ACGC, and TSGS). While most events are open to visitors and guests, some chapter events are open only to members. For your planning purposes, the schedule includes the following events. Addresses and other details will be available on our Web site at <<http://lonestarapg.com/events.htm>> and in event flyers. Several online chat sessions are planned for **chapter members only** to discuss business issues, client reports, genealogical writing, and other topics of interest to professionals. Check the Web site for updates.

We look forward to seeing you at these exciting events. If you have not joined the chapter or renewed your membership yet, we invite you to do so at this time. Membership information is available at <<http://lonestarapg.com/join.htm>>.

- **Friday, May 6** – two events precede the Austin Genealogical Society (AGS) seminar:
  - 2:00 PM – “Behind the Scenes” tour of Texas State Library and Archives Commission in downtown Austin – **open to chapter members only**.
  - 7:00 PM – Paula Stuart-Warren, CG, and Pat Oxley, President of the Federation of Genealogical Societies (FGS), will present “Writing a Winning National Conference Speaker Proposal” at the nearby Round Rock LDS church. A short business meeting will follow.
  - Please consider attending the AGS seminar on Saturday, May 7, while in Austin. Paula Stuart-Warren, CG, is the featured speaker. AGS charges a small fee for the seminar. See <<http://www.austintxgensoc.org/>> or contact AGS.
- **Friday, June 3, about 7:00 PM** – a presentation by chapter member Amy Lenertz Coffin on the RootsTech conference. The meeting will be in the Kingwood area. Exact location and time to follow.
- **Saturday, June 4, 10:00 AM–4:00 PM** – “DNA Day” at the Clayton Library Carriage House, Houston. Debbie Parker Wayne will present two sessions; a representative from Family Tree DNA will present a third session. Topics include an introduction to using DNA and details on using Y-DNA, mitochondrial DNA, and Family Finder (autosomal) DNA test results for genealogy. Registration details will be forthcoming. Register early to reserve a seat.
- **Thursday, July 14, 7:30 PM** – an informal networking meeting for those attending Angelina College Genealogy Conference (ACGC) in Lufkin, and anyone in the area.  
See <<http://www.angelina.edu/genealogy/genealogy.html>> for information on ACGC.
- **Friday, October 21, 6:30 PM** – Ancestor Roadshow at West Waco Library and Genealogy Center.  
See <<http://www.waco-texas.com/cms-library/page.aspx?id=138>> for more information.
- **Friday and Saturday, November 4–5** – Ancestor Roadshow and chapter business meeting at Texas State Genealogical Society (TSGS) Annual Conference in Houston.  
See <<http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~txsgs/>> for more information on TSGS.