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Genealogy Workshops @ PPL

Summer Session -- 3rd Thursday of Each Month | 6 - 8 PM

The Portsmouth Public Library is pleased to announce the Summer 2017 Genealogy Workshop offerings! Presented by the library's Special Collections staff and members of the Ranger Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR), these events are free, open to the public, and always appropriate for all levels of interest and experience. Please note the change to Thursday evenings. We hope you will join us on the third Thursday of each summer month.

Family History Center and FamilySearch.org *presented by* Patty Shorland

Thursday June 15 | 6 - 8 PM | Hilton Garden Room

Patty Shorland will visit us again from the Family History Center in Exeter! She will bring us an update on recent LDS digitization projects, discuss the changes to LDS microfilm borrowing, and as before share information about the databases and resources available for free to genealogy researchers at the local center. The Family History Center is open to the public. For more information visit their [information page](#).

NARA: National Archives and Records Administration, Waltham *with* Daniel Fleming

Thursday July 20 | 6 - 8 PM | Hilton Garden Room

Join Daniel Fleming, Archives Technician at [National Archives at Boston](#), located in Waltham, MA, for his presentation about utilizing NARA resources for genealogical research. His talk will cover census, military, immigration and naturalization records, their databases and visiting the archive.

Got your DNA test results back? Now What!?! *with* Jennifer Shoer

Thursday August 17 | 6-8 PM | Hilton Garden Room

We once again welcome local genealogist Jennifer Shoer, aka The Scrappy Genealogist! Jennifer will help us unravel and understand the meaning and use of those DNA results we are all getting. Haplogroups, *oh my!* Have you tested at [Family Tree DNA](#) (FTDNA), [23andMe](#), or [AncestryDNA](#)? Are you wondering what your data show and what you should be doing next? What does it mean when I have a DNA match? Should I be concerned about sharing requests?

Jennifer is the Managing Genealogist of Reconnecting Relatives, LLC. Find her online at scrappygenealogist.com or reconnectingrelatives.com.

NOTE: Genealogy Workshops will move to third Thursdays, 6 – 8 PM, for the summer months!

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