



Nevada Library and  
Bushwhacker Museum

**Tri-County Genealogical Society**  
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Vernon County Courthouse  
Nevada, Missouri

## NEWSLETTER

### December 2009

Due to the Christmas and New Year holidays (and your editor being out of town), there will not be a regular December 2009 newsletter. Watch for the Jan. newsletter.

**Tuesday, January 19, 2010; 10 a.m.**  
**Nevada Library Meeting Room**  
**212 W. Walnut St., Nevada, MO**  
***DVD ~ USING VITAL RECORDS***

The January meeting of the Tri-County Genealogical Society will be held on **TUESDAY, JANUARY 19**, at the Nevada Library Meeting Room. **(Please mark the changed date for this meeting on your calendar).** The program will be a video on Using Vital Records in your genealogy research. If you are just getting started with your research, this program will help you understand records that might be available about your ancestors and where to find those records. The meeting and program are open to the public, and everyone with an interest in researching their family's history is encouraged to attend.

#### **Preservation Workshop Offered by Missouri State Archives**

In conjunction with the Missouri Historical Records Grant Program, the Missouri State Archives is offering a free preservation workshop **Jan. 13, 2010, from 9 a.m.–4 p.m. at the Bushwhacker Museum.** The workshop will be conducted by Archives' Senior Conservator, Lisa Fox. The workshop is an introduction to preservation

for those with administrative, custodial, or curatorial responsibilities and will emphasize practical ways to build preservation programs in archives and historical societies. Preservation of papers, books, and photographs will be addressed. Please contact the Missouri State Archives' Administrative Aide III, Jill Hartke at 573/751-4236 or [jill.hartke@sos.mo.gov](mailto:jill.hartke@sos.mo.gov) to reserve a place at a workshop. Registration is limited to 25.

#### **2010 Membership Dues**

2010 Tri-County Genealogical Society membership dues can be paid at any time for those wanting to join the society. Special membership benefits are available include free lookups in the new cemetery directory database.

#### **Tri-County Genealogical Society**

Membership is open to anyone with an interest in family history research. Annual dues are \$10 for an individual membership (+\$5 for each additional member within the same household up to \$25 maximum), \$5 for a Student, and \$100 Lifetime, per person. We would be pleased to have you join the local society if you are not already a member. You can do so at our next meeting or by sending a check to Tri-County Genealogical Society, 218 West Walnut Street, Nevada, MO 64772. 2010 Society officers are:

President: Kathe Rader  
V. Pres: Dorothy Foster & Neoma Foreman  
Recording Secy: Janet Jones  
Treasurer: Ray Lukenbill  
Corresponding Secy: Darlene Lukenbill

***Annual membership is only \$10 -- join today and support the work of the Society!***