

LINCOLNSHIRE FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY

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MEMBER OF THE FEDERATION OF FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETIES

Founded in 1990 the Society now has over 3,000 members worldwide. Monthly meetings are held throughout Lincolnshire, in Boston, Bourne, Grantham, Great Grimsby, Horncastle, Lincoln and Louth. Regular meetings are also held in London. All members of the Society are welcome at all meetings, which usually have a well known speaker and cover a wide range of topics. Members' evenings are also held where your research problems can be discussed, and occasional visits to local places of interest are arranged. Some of the branches sell publications at their meetings, and have libraries from which books and microfiche may be borrowed. Full details of all regional and local meetings are announced in advance in the Society Magazine and on the Society website.

A quarterly magazine containing many interesting articles, letters, notes & queries, is issued to all members. This magazine will also contain requests for help from members, who may also contribute articles. A few back numbers may be available at a modest price. A recording of the magazine is available for partially sighted members. A leaflet listing new members' interests (names being researched) is distributed with the magazine.

The Society's Annual General meeting is held in June each year and up to two members per subscription are entitled to vote on Society business. The subscription year is from 1st January to 31st December.

The Society cannot take personal research for members but we offer a postal search facility. A postal search leaflet detailing those services is sent to all new members.

The Society has published many indexes, including Census Surnames, Marriages, Poor Laws, Monumental Inscriptions, Burial Registers and some source guides. A list of publications is sent to new members. Purchases are available from the Postal Sales Officer, our Research Centre or via www.genfair.co.uk if wishing to pay by credit card.

We have a substantial collection of library material, including the 1881 Census Index on microfiche for the whole of England & Wales. A very popular holding is the Wills Calendars for England and Wales covering 1936-1966. Some of the items in the book library may be borrowed by post by members of the Society, for a period of one month, on payment of the postage both ways. Items from the microfiche library are also available for loan, for a period of one month, at a modest fee to cover costs full information in the Postal Searches leaflet.

Our Book and Microfiche libraries are based at our Research Centre, 33 Monks Way, Lincoln. The centre is well equipped and includes computers for free access to the Internet. All is available for everyone's use with the Stewards on hand to help if needed. For further details or to make an appointment please phone the Centre on 01522 528088 preferably during opening times.

A copy of our constitution is available on request.

Further information is available on our website at www.lincolnshirefhs.org.uk

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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

PLEASE RETURN TO THE APPROPRIATE MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY



For applicants living in Lincolnshire and outside the UK:

Mrs Hazel Moore, 13 Cobden Crescent, Oxford, OX1 4LJ

For applicants living in the UK excluding Lincolnshire:

Mrs Stella Postlethwaite, 1 Wheatley Lane, Carlton-le-Moorland, Lincoln LN5 9JA

SUBSCRIPTION RATES AS AT 1ST JANUARY 2009 (RENEWABLE ON THE 1ST JANUARY EACH YEAR), to cover up to two named persons residing at the same address and each with full voting rights but receiving only one copy of the quarterly magazine.

U.K. Resident Members £10.00 (inc. V.A.T.)

Outside UK (Airmail) £12.00 (inc V.A.T. for EU residents only)

(Anyone wishing to join between 1st October and 31st December may receive the November magazine subject to availability, as well as four magazines for the following year)

Cheques (Sterling only) should be made payable to "Lincolnshire Family History Society"
Outside UK only: applicants may pay by credit card. Please enclose details separately or alternatively pay on line at the Federation of Family History Societies site, www.genfair.co.uk

I/We wish to become UK Resident Member(s)/Outside UK Member(s) of the Lincolnshire Family History Society commencing 1st January 20..

CAPITAL LETTERS PLEASE

1. MR/MRS/MISS/MS/Other.....

2. MR/MRS/MISS/MS/Other.....

ADDRESS.....

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POSTCODE.....TELEPHONE NO.....

E-MAIL ADDRESS.....

All membership records are held on computer for the use of LFHS only. Do you give the Society permission to add your details to our database?

Please sign to confirm your permission.....

MEMBERS INTERESTS

Please write clearly on this form.

YOU ARE INVITED TO LIST UP TO TEN (10 only) SURNAMES THAT YOU ARE RESEARCHING.

These will be published in a future edition of the Society quarterly magazine and thereafter these names will be held on computer. Please do not include forenames with your surnames. Please follow the examples shown and list the centuries of interest rather than actual dates.

If you hope to connect with another member researching a particular family you must indicate as precisely as possible its location e.g. the name of a parish or geological area and not just a County name.

SURNAME	PLACE/PARISH (State County if not Lincolnshire)	CENTURIES
Ex MORRIS(S)	HORNCastle	17 – 19C
Ex. HENDERSON	EAST RETFORD , NOTTS	19 – 20C

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If joint membership, the taxpayer should complete and sign this form.
(Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms/Other)

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(Full names please)

Address.....

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.....Post Code.....

I wish the Lincolnshire Family History Society to treat my subscriptions to the Society as Gift Aid Donations, and ask the Society to reclaim tax on my donation.

Taxpayer's signature please.....

Date:.....

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