

OKTOBERFEST 2013 PROGRAM SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2013

A. S. Salley Archives open for research.....	9:00 AM – 2:00 PM
Registration – Church of the Redeemer.....	4:00 – 5:45 PM
Family tables.....	4:00 – 5:45 PM
President’s Dinner (reservation required).....	6:00 PM
The Reverend Dr. Frank E. Larisy, Rector, Church of the Redeemer	
<i>The History of the Church of the Redeemer</i>	

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2013

Registration (coffee & pastries).....	8:30 AM
Annual Business Meeting	
Vote on by-laws change.....	9:00 AM
<i>Orangeburgh District DNA Report</i>	
Margaret Waters	9:30-9:45 AM
<i>First Families of Orangeburgh District</i>	
Pam Johnson.....	9:45-10:15 AM
<i>Faith on the Frontier: Religion and Community in Early Orangeburg</i>	
Lynn Teague.....	10:15-10:45 AM
Break	10:45-11:00 AM
<i>Some Sources for Vital Records in South Carolina</i>	
By Brent Holcomb.....	11:00-11:30 AM
<i>The Internet: Surfing for Genealogy.....Without Wiping Out</i>	
<i>Learn to read the waves of bad information and finish on top of your family history.</i>	
Eric Powell.....	11:30-12:00 PM
Lunch (*reservations required).....	12:00 PM-1:00PM
Family Tables.....	12:00 PM – 3:00 PM
Vendor Tables.....	9:30 AM – 3:00PM

(Some vendors may not be available for entire stated time)

*Meal reservation deadline October 14, 2013,

*Note: program is subject to last minute additions and changes

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FIRST FAMILIES LIST

Avinger	Holman	Sturkey
Bair	Horger	Summers
Carn	Hutto	Syfrett (Mathias Syfrett)
Connor	Hungerpillar	Tanner (also Danner)
Culler	Inabinet	Thompson
Danner (see Tanner)	Jennings	Till
Dantzler	Kemmerlin	Ulmer
Deitrich	Kranick (see Haigler)	Wannamaker
Dukes	Kreuter (see Shuler)	Way
Dupuis	Linder	Yaun
Fairey	Moorer	Yssenhut (also Hazelwood)
Felder	Myers	Zorn
Fersner	Ott	
Funchess	Parler	
Gartman	Rickenbacker	
Geiger	Ruple	
Giegelman	Salley	
Giesendanner	Sanger	
Haigler	Sandel	
Hartzog	Shuler	
Hazelwood (see Yssenhut)	Smoak	
Heaner	Snider	
Herlong	Speigner	
	Strobel	
	Stroman	

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OKTOBERFEST SURVEY 2013

1. Have you attended Oktoberfest before?
2. What do you like best about Oktoberfest?
3. What do you like least about Oktoberfest?
4. Were the speakers interesting and informative?
5. What kind of speakers would you like to have?
6. Were the meals satisfactory?
7. Were the vendors satisfactory?
8. Were the family tables satisfactory?
9. Was the venue satisfactory?
10. Would you like to see more tours? If so what type? If not what kind of activities would you like to see at Oktoberfest next year?
11. Are you interested in volunteering to help next year?
12. Are you interested in volunteering for a committee?
13. Please give us your comments, suggestions and concerns below.

**THANK YOU FOR COMPLETING THIS SURVEY
PLEASE PLACE IN SURVEY BOX AT REGISTRATION TABLE BEFORE
LEAVING**

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Other objectives are to serve, through publications and meetings, as a medium of exchange of Orangeburgh genealogical information; to acquaint members with available sources of genealogical materials; and to enjoy the fun and fellowship of sharing records and research.

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All OGS GS Members receive a personal invitation to OKTOBERFEST, our annual meeting of the membership. It is a yearly celebration in Orangeburg when researchers come together to share sources of genealogical materials and have fun.

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