



**Dallas Genealogical Society**  
**General Meeting Minutes**  
**6 November 2021**

President Jim Thornhill opened the meeting at 11:02 am.

**Treasurer's Report:** October 2021 activity shows total deposits of \$2,449.98 and total expenses of \$4,642.67. The cash in the bank is \$15,166.99 and savings is \$127,985.27 and an investment account of \$10,139.71.

**Minutes from the prior meeting** are available on the DGS website.

**Quorum:** There were 26 members, and 11 visitors/non-members present at the Zoom meeting today. There was a quorum present.

**Out of the Attic:** We remember a time when transcriptions of family records were regularly found in the pages of our publications. We'd like to revive this practice and start featuring family records again in our monthly eNews, but we need your help! Rummage around in your genealogical "attic" for unique or unusual family records/items. Then e-mail us a transcription/explanation and a photo. Include an introductory paragraph to explain what the record/item is and where you found it. We'll do the rest! Send your photos to [newsletter@dallasgenealogy.org](mailto:newsletter@dallasgenealogy.org)

**Facebook:** Please "Like" our Facebook page! Also, when you post about genealogy or DGS subjects, please add @DGStx to your post. <https://www.facebook.com/DGStx>

**DGS Events** are available under the "Events" tab at [dallasgenealogy.org](http://dallasgenealogy.org). The events include DGS and surrounding communities. It was noted that the upcoming Special Interest Group (SIG) meetings are listed there as well.



**Upcoming General Meetings:**

December 4	Paula Perkins	Orphan Train Riders Tracks to Texas
January 8	Michelle Dwyer Cohen	Using History to Solve Mysteries
February 5	Dr. Terry Turner	Where are my African American ancestors?
March 5	Dr. Steven Butler	Miles Away from Butler: How a DNA Test Rewrote My Family's History

Note the meetings will be virtual only unless indicated otherwise on the DGS website.

If you would like to suggest a meeting topic please go to

<https://dallasgenealogy.com/dgs/meetings-events/general-meetings/program-or-speaker-suggestion/>

**Upcoming Seminars:**

- Spring Seminar – April 23, 2022     Diahan Southard
- Summer Seminar – July 16, 2022     Kelvin Meyers
- Fall Seminar – October 22, 2022     Paul Milner

More information: [dallasgenealogy.org](https://dallasgenealogy.org)

**SIG Highlight:** This month we highlighted the German SIG. Ann Broihier, a co-leader of the group, presented a summary of the German SIG activities.

**Educational Presentation:** Geyden and Barry Sage

"The Amateur Sleuths Who Found a Missing Piece of Dallas History". The couple was featured in *D Magazine* in September 2020 and shared how curiosity about their house in



the lower Greenville area led them to discover more than they ever expected.

End time: 12: 01