The Falmouth Genealogical Society (FGS) has much to offer to both the experienced and the beginner genealogist.

## **Meetings**

Are held on the second Saturday of each month at the Main Falmouth Public Library, 300 Main Street, Falmouth in the Hermann Meeting Room unless otherwise indicated. The meetings begin at 10 AM with a brief business meeting followed by a program and guest speaker. No fee is required to attend and nonmembers are welcome. The November meeting is held jointly with the Cape Cod Genealogical Society on Cape Cod.

## **Help Sessions**

Every Tuesday from 2 to 4 PM at the Main Falmouth Public Library, members of Falmouth Genealogical Society assist anyone with their genealogical research. This is a free drop-in session with no appointment needed. An extensive collection of genealogical materials covering the globe is also available in the Lemke Reference Room.

## Areas Where You Can Help

- Cemetery Committee—Assist in organizing and preparing local cemetery info for publication on website.
- **Finance Committee**—Assist FGS Treasurer as needed.
- Help Sessions Committee—Help individuals find ancestors at Main Falmouth Public Library (receive training to help).
- Membership Committee—Work with chair on member benefits and promote membership.
- Newsletter Committee— Contribute articles; assist with mailings.
- Nominating Committee— Recommend members for positions in FGS.
- Program Committee—Suggest speakers and/or topics for monthly meetings.
- **Publications Committee**—Prepare or edit books for FGS publication.
- Publicity Committee—Promote the activities of FGS.
- Website Committee—Submit ideas and assist in updating FGS site.

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Falmouth, Mass.

Barnstable County

#### Established 1985

The Falmouth Genealogical Society (FGS) was founded over 30 years ago in 1985 by a small group of local genealogists to provide other genealogists in the area an opportunity to participate in educational programs and share research interests, results and challenges.

You don't have to live in Falmouth or even have ancestors from Falmouth or Cape Cod to join. Our members conduct research in many different locations in the US and around the world.

Join us!

Complete form inside and mail with payment. Or Join Online

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Click Membership tab
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## **FGS Membership Benefits**

- Attend monthly meetings with guest speakers on interesting genealogical topics;
- Go on FGS field trips to Federal, State and Regional Archive sites in Massachusetts;
- Receive informational FGS genealogical newsletter;
- Access public and member-only sections of FGS website—www.falgen.org
- Share ideas, successes, and brick walls with others:
- Share the joys of genealogy with others during "Tales of Our Ancestors" programs;
- Keep abreast of the latest technology;
- Attend genealogical conferences and meetings in New England area (carpools available);
- Improve your research, writing and computer skills:
- Access surname listing on FGS website;
- Receive assistance at help sessions at the Main Falmouth Public Library;
- Share love of family history with community;
- Improve your knowledge of history generally; and
- Pass on love of family history to the next generation!

# On Falgen.org Website Members Can:

- Post research questions;
- Receive responses from fellow members;
- Publish family histories in a safe and secure area; and
- Read the four latest newsletter editions.



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## MEMBERSHIP FORM for FY June 1 to May 31

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