

Chula Vista Genealogical Society *Family History Day 2018*

Ancestors Matter!

On September 29, 2018, CVGS and Chula Vista Library will sponsor the 3rd Annual Family History Day. We are inviting the community to join us to learn more about genealogy. The day is planned with activities for all ages, and opportunities to receive support on your personal research.

In addition, we will have a special “Ancestors Matter” Display for CVGS members. Here is what you can do to honor your family ancestor:

Find an old photograph, the oldest you have (from 1850 to 1920) and write an essay to honor the life of one of your ancestors. Tell us about their life, an interesting event, or how they came to the United States.

- At the top of essay, write the Name of Ancestor (b. and d.)
- At the bottom of the essay page, print your name and relationship to the ancestor
- Write no more than **450** words, size **14** font, single spaced, narrow margins
- One page for the essay (8 ½ by 11 inch)
- One page for photograph copy. At the bottom of page, print the year of photograph (if known) or year the event took place. Write your name on the back.

The written essay and photograph will be posted on display board at the CVPL for visitors to read and enjoy. The work submitted will not be returned, so please submit copies. **Join us in sharing the history of our ancestors.**

DUE DATE: NOT LATER THAN AUGUST 29. Submit work via email- rcastro@cox.net OR please give your work to Ana Castro at General Meeting on or before August 29.