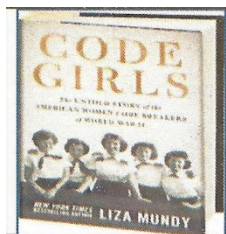


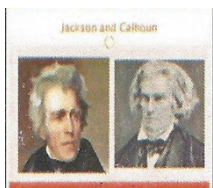
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February 5th

Meeting will be held at Visit Anderson/Arts Center Warehouse

Anderson's own 'Code Girl,' Jeuel Esmacher will be in conversation with Anderson author Kathryn Smith about her experience as a code breaker during World War II. Jeuel is one of the women featured in the book **Code Girls**.



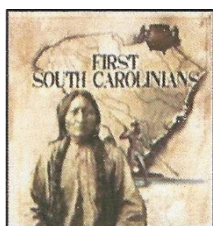
March 5th

Historian and USC Professor Emerita, Pat McNeely, will discuss, **Andrew Jackson, John C. Calhoun and the Petticoat Affair**. The government upheaval caused by the Petticoat Affair changed American history.



April 2nd

Event will be held at the Rainey House (Carpool will leave from Visit Anderson) ACGS Members will tour the historic Rainey House on Boulevard in Anderson. Anderson University President Evans Whitaker will lead the tour of this prestigious property which is listed on the National Registry of Historic Places and was recently purchased by Anderson University. Hors d'oeuvres will be served.



May 7th

SC historian and award-winning outdoor writer, interpretive naturalist and modern-day explorer, Dennis Chastain, will present, Part II of **The Cherokee Path: Upcountry through the Midlands**. Dennis has written feature articles for South Carolina Wildlife and other outdoor magazines for more than 20 years.



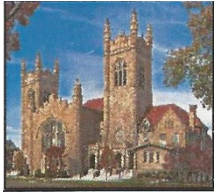
June 4th

We will visit historic Neals Creek Baptist Church in Anderson. Everyone is asked to bring a food item (i.e. casserole, dessert, or other dish) to share with others as part of this annual Society tradition. Arrive before the meal to allow time to walk through the cemetery!



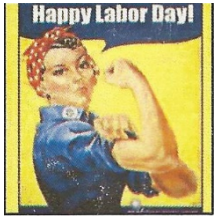
July 3rd

Laura Holden, Anderson County Library's Head of Genealogy and Local History, will present, "**Advanced Genealogy Research: Court and Government Documents.**"



August 6th

South Carolina Genealogy Society President, Mike Becknell, will present, "**How to Access and Research Methodist Church Records.**"



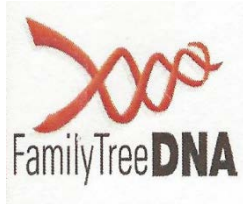
September

Labor Day Break -- No Meeting



October 1st

Ghost Hunting 101. Have you ever felt the presence of an ancestor who has crossed over to the other side? Catherine Vinson is a Paranormal Investigator with a lifetime of experience with the 'other world.' Join us for an informative and spooky presentation of real life ghost hunting stories and the do's and don'ts of investigating.



November 6th

Derrell Oakley Teat, genealogist from Pelzer, South Carolina, will discuss her experience selling DNA kits in Europe for Family Tree DNA. She will share personal stories of people she has met along the way, as well as some of her interesting genealogy successes.



December 3rd

Join us for fellowship, friends, and fun at our Annual ACGS Christmas dinner! We will have our annual '**Show and Tell**', so bring a family heirloom or a historic relic to Show and Tell.'

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