

## ACCESS

### HOURS

- The Heritage Center is open all hours the Library is open

### SIGN IN with—

- BCCLS Library Card
- Genealogical Society of Bergen County membership card
- Guest ID (available at the Reference Desk)

### ARCHIVES

#### SPECIALIZED REFERENCE

#### RIDGEWOOD HOUSE HISTORIES

- Please make an appointment with Peggy Norris, 201-670-5600, x 135 [pwnorris@ridgewoodlibrary.org](mailto:pwnorris@ridgewoodlibrary.org)

### GENEALOGY ASSISTANCE

- Patron Assistants from the Genealogical Society of Bergen County are available for consultation and assistance with using databases & library collections See calendar on the bulletin board or at [www.njgsbc.org](http://www.njgsbc.org)

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Ridgewood, NJ 07450  
[www.ridgewoodlibrary.org](http://www.ridgewoodlibrary.org)

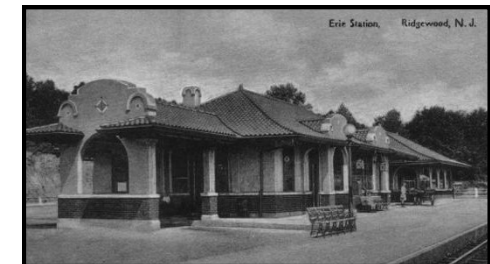
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Mon-Thurs	9am-9pm
Fri	9am-6pm
Sat	9am-5pm
Sun	1pm-5pm

## THE HERITAGE CENTER LOCAL HISTORY & GENEALOGY

RIDGEWOOD PUBLIC LIBRARY  
125 NORTH MAPLE AVENUE  
RIDGEWOOD, NJ 07450

## HERITAGE CENTER RESOURCES



In Partnership with the  
**GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY OF  
BERGEN COUNTY**

# RESOURCES FOR GENEALOGY & LOCAL HISTORY RESEARCH

## GENEALOGY

### GETTING STARTED

- Using genealogical records & researching in specific places  
HERITAGE REF 929.1072

### FAMILY HISTORIES

- Most have a local connection
- In order by family name  
HERITAGE REF 929.2

### GENEALOGICAL RECORDS

- Organized by place: immigration, church, cemetery & other records  
HERITAGE REF 929.3
- Guides to census records  
HERITAGE REF 317.3

### GEOGRAPHICAL SOURCES

- Atlases, gazetteers, and geographies  
HERITAGE REF 909-917

### MILITARY HISTORY & RECORDS

- Sources for colonial era through WW II  
HERITAGE REF 973

### DATABASES

- Ancestry Library Edition
- Access Newspaper Archives
- New England Ancestors
- Historical New York Times, 1851-2007

### HERITAGE CIRC

- A small collection of circulating books is available outside the Heritage Center.

## LOCAL HISTORY & GENEALOGY

### RIDGEWOOD

- Published Histories, HERITAGE REF 974.922
- Archives: including The Arrow (Ridgewood High School Yearbook), clippings, programs, photographs, postcards, maps
- City Directories, 1897, 1904-1914, 1926-1973

### BERGEN COUNTY & ITS TOWNS

- Published Histories, HERITAGE REF 974.921
- Church and Cemetery Records  
HERITAGE REF 929.374921
- Corey-Hopkins 1861 Wall Map
- Bromley Atlas, 1912-1913
- Walker Atlas, 1876

### NEWSPAPERS—REF MF

- *Bergen Record*, 1970-present
- *Ridgewood News, Ridgewood Herald, & Ridgewood Herald-News*, 1891-present
- *Bergen County Democrat*, 1861-1919
- *Hackensack Republican*, 1873-1938

### CENSUS RECORDS

- Federal Census: Ancestry Library Edition
- Special Federal Census (Bergen Co) REF MF
- NJ State Census for Bergen County, REF MF

## HISTORY & MORE

### PUBLISHED HISTORIES

- New York HERITAGE REF 974.7
- New Jersey HERITAGE REF 974.9
- Bergen County & its Towns  
HERITAGE REF 974.921

### HERITAGE CD ROMs

- Immigration Records
- Books
- Indexes

### HERITAGE PERIODICALS

- Genealogy
- Family Newsletters
- Local History

### CLASSES & PROGRAMS

- Internet Classes
- Meetings & special programs of the Genealogical society of Bergen County

## CATALOGS

### BCCLS CATALOG [www.bccls.org](http://www.bccls.org)

- Search for Books

### PASTPERFECT DATABASE

available in the Heritage Center

- Catalog for Books not in BCCLS
- Catalog for Ridgewood photos, postcards, and maps
- Index to family genealogies, Bromley Atlas, and books published on CD ROM

*For more information on our local history & genealogy resources:*  
[www.ridgewoodlibrary.org/localhistory](http://www.ridgewoodlibrary.org/localhistory)  
[www.njgsbc.org](http://www.njgsbc.org)