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SWING into the '30s

at the Main Library on Saturday, July 20 – noon to 3:00 p.m.

After 72 years, the National Archives has released personal information on the 1930 U.S. Census. Family historians across the country have long awaited the event. The Public Library is one of only a few libraries in the country to acquire the nationwide collection.

SWING Into the 30's with the Public Library's History & Genealogy Department to celebrate the arrival of the 1930 U.S. Census. Take a nostalgic step back to the past at the Main Library with:

A Census Ceremony with WSAI Radio's Don Herman 1:00 p.m.

Swing Music & Dancers from CincySwing 1:30 p.m.

Genealogy Workshops:

- *Introduction to Census Research* noon
- *New Techniques for a New Census* 2:00 p.m.
- Call (513) 369-6905 to register.

The Ron Purdon Quartet 2:00 p.m.

Vintage Cars & 1930's Exhibits:

- Cookbooks, movies, music, best-selling novels and children's books from the '30s to check out in the Atrium.
- *Life in the '30s* display on the 2nd floor walkway
- *Style of the '30s* exhibit in the Art and Music Department

Your Own Census Record:

Anyone 72 years or older can apply for a personal copy of the census with your name on it.

***SWING* Into the '30s Questionnaire:**

Recount *Life in the 1930s vs. Today* by filling out a special questionnaire at your neighborhood library or Cincinnati Recreation Center. Selected submissions to be posted on the Library's web site at www.CincinnatiLibrary.org.

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