The Estes Park Genealogical Society will meet on Thursday, April 11, 2024 at 1:00 PM in the Hondius Room of the Estes Valley Library. Our guest speaker this month, Dr. Ted Bainbridge, will discuss "Finding Civil War Soldiers on the Internet". More than seventy percent of eligible men fought in the Civil War, so if you had a male relative of fighting age in America during that time it is probable that he was involved. This presentation explains how to determine if you had relatives in uniform, even if you don't have any family traditions or specific individuals to research. Demonstrations of how to use some of the most powerful internet sites are followed by illustrated examples of successful ancestor hunts in both Northern and Southern armies.

Dr. Ted Bainbridge has been a genealogical researcher, teacher, speaker, and writer since 1969. He has spoken many times to organizations in Colorado. His genealogical and historical articles have been published throughout the United States and in several foreign countries. He has served as president of the Longmont Genealogical Society and as a staff member in LDS Family History Centers.

The EPGS meets the second Thursday of every month from January through November in the library, offering a wide variety of programs and workshops. All are welcome to attend the free public programs. More information about the Society can be found on its website <u>https://estesparkgenealogicalsociety.weebly.com</u>.