



2017 BIGWILL Membership Application

Membership period is *January 1 to December 31*. January 31 is the deadline for renewals. Members who don't renew by that date will be dropped from the membership roll and will not receive member benefits after March 1, which includes the March/April newsletter. *Renewal starts on November 1*.

Please **PRINT** carefully.

Does BIGWILL have your **permission to publish** your information for the benefit of other members?

Yes **No** *(If neither box is checked, YES will be assumed.)*

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City, State and Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

New Membership **Renewal** *(Please indicate above any updates to your personal information.)*

\$25 – New or Renewing Individual Regular Membership
 Additional Family Members add \$5 each (2 votes/family)

Name(s): _____

\$15 – Charter Members *(Persons who have been BIGWILL members continuously since 1993.)*

\$9 – Add to receive **printed and mailed** newsletters *(cost of printing and postage for 6 newsletters. Full-color newsletters are sent to members via e-mail. A charge of \$1.50 per past issue upon request – printed and mailed if available.)*

\$ _____ – Tax-deductible general donation to BIGWILL

\$1 – Members are encouraged to contribute this amount each year for microfilming at the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) in Washington, D.C through the **Malcolm H. Stern – NARA Gift Fund**

Mail this application and your check to: **BIGWILL**, P.O. Box 192, Richmond, IL 60071-0192

British Isles SURNAMES you are researching. This information will be added to the **online** BIGWILL Surname Register. You can print it off where ever you have internet access, i.e. home, library, Family History Center.

British Isles Surname Interests Register of BIGWILL Members

DATA SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

We invite you to register the **British Isles** surnames you are researching (England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, the Isle of Man and the Channel Islands). In this way you can make your interests known to other British Isles researchers.

Surname: Do not include titles. Each spelling variant must be given on a separate line. *(One surname per line. Please print carefully. Surnames outside of British Isles will not be published.)*

Place of interest: Enter name of parish, town, part of county, etc. For the **WHOLE COUNTY**, use “**ANYWHERE**.” Only **ONE** place allowed per line.

County: Use Pre-1974 “Chapman Codes” as shown bottom next page. Use “**ALL**” for **WHOLE COUNTRY**. N.B.: LND only covers the city of London. Use pre-1889 boundaries of ESS, MDX, KEN, HRT or SRY as appropriate for the rest of the London area. A County Code must be given for each entry. *(continued on back)*

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Period of interest: Indicate period, based on the following examples: 1750-1800 = between; 19C = 19th Century; c 1850 = circa 1850; Bef 1850 = before 1850; Aft 1850 = after 1850; or "ALL."

BIGWILL members may submit entries to the Register without any charge. Researchers who are not BIGWILL members may submit entries for \$5 per page (up to 15 entries); make checks payable to BIGWILL (address on front side).

(One surname per line. Please print carefully. Surnames outside of British Isles will not be published.):

Submitted by: _____

DO NOT fill in your surnames if you have done so on previous applications.

| Surname | Place of Interest | County Code | Country Code | Time Period of Interest |
|----------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|
| SMITH | Grainthorpe | LIN | ENG | 1700-1900 |
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The Country Codes and Chapman County Codes (Pre-1974 counties — Use No Other)

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|------------------------|-----|--------------------|-----|-----------------|-----|--------------------|-----|-----------------|-----|
| England | ENG | Gloucestershire | GLS | Yks West Riding | WRY | Tipperary | TIP | Nairnshire | NAI |
| Ireland | IRL | Hampshire | HAM | | | Tyrone | TYR | Orkney Isles | OKI |
| Scotland | SCT | Herefordshire | HEF | Ireland | | Waterford | WAT | Peebleshire | PEE |
| Wales | WLS | Hertfordshire | HRT | All Counties | ALL | Westmeath | WEM | Perthshire | PER |
| All Countries | ALL | Huntingdonshire | HUN | Antrim | ANT | Wexford | WEX | Renfrewshire | RFW |
| | | Kent | KEN | Armagh | ARM | Wicklow | WIC | Ross & Cromarty | ROC |
| | | Lancashire | LAN | Carlow | CAR | | | Roxburghshire | ROX |
| Small Islands | | Leicestershire | LEI | Cavan | CAV | Scotland | | Selkirkshire | SEL |
| (Use in County Column) | | Lincolnshire | LIN | Clare | CLA | All Counties | ALL | Shetland Isles | SHI |
| Channel Islands | CHI | London (City Only) | LND | Cork | COR | Aberdeenshire | ABD | Stirlingshire | STI |
| Alderney | ALD | Middlesex | MDX | Donegal | DON | Angus/ Forfarshire | ANS | Sutherland | SUT |
| Guernsey | GSY | Norfolk | NFK | Down | DOW | Argyllshire | ARL | West Lothian | WLN |
| Jersey | JSY | Northamptonshire | NTH | Dublin | DUB | Ayrshire | AYR | Wigtownshire | WIG |
| Sark | SRK | Northumberland | NBL | Fermanagh | FER | Banffshire | BAN | | |
| Isle Of Man | IOM | Nottinghamshire | NTT | Galway | GAL | Berwickshire | BEW | Wales | |
| Isle Of Wight | IOW | Oxfordshire | OXF | Kerry | KER | Buteshire | BUT | All Counties | ALL |
| | | Rutland | RUT | Kildare | KID | Caithness-Shire | CAI | Anglesey | AGY |
| England | | Shropshire | SAL | Kilkenny | KIK | Clackmannanshire | CLK | Brecknockshire | BRE |
| All Counties | ALL | Somerset | SOM | Leitrim | LET | Dumfriesshire | DFS | Caernarvonshire | CAE |
| Bedfordshire | BDF | Staffordshire | STS | Leix (Queens) | LEX | Dunbartonshire | DNB | Cardiganshire | CGN |
| Berkshire | BRK | Suffolk | SFK | Limerick | LIM | East Lothian | ELN | Carmarthenshire | CMN |
| Buckinghamshire | BKM | Surrey | SRY | Londonderry | LDY | Fifehire | FIF | Denbighshire | DEN |
| Cambridgeshire | CAM | Sussex | SSX | Longford | LOG | Forfarshire/Angus | ANS | Flintshire | FLN |
| Cheshire | CHS | Warwickshire | WAR | Louth | LOU | Inverness-Shire | INV | Glamorgan | GLA |
| Cornwall | CON | Westmorland | WES | Mayo | MAY | Kincardineshire | KCD | Merionethshire | MER |
| Cumberland | CUL | Wiltshire | WIL | Meath | MEA | Kinross-Shire | KRS | Monmouthshire | MON |
| Derbyshire | DBY | Worcestershire | WOR | Monaghan | MOG | Kirkcudbrightshire | KKD | Montgomeryshire | MGY |
| Devonshire | DEV | Yorkshire | YKS | Offaly (Kings) | OFF | Lanarkshire | LKS | Pembrokeshire | PEM |
| Dorset | DOR | Yks East Riding | ERY | Roscommon | ROS | Midlothian | MLN | Radnorshire | RAD |
| Durham | DUR | Yks North Riding | NRY | Sligo | SLI | Moray | MOR | | |
| Essex | ESS | | | | | | | | |