

Yahoo! Genealogy Groups

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What is new with Yahoo Genealogy groups? According to the Yahoo! Groups blog there will be a major facelift to Yahoo! Groups in the coming weeks. Here is a sample from the Yahoo Groups blog.

The screenshot shows the Yahoo! Groups interface for a group named "The Glass Family". At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Yahoo! Groups logo, a search bar, and links for "Groups Home", "My Groups", "Start a Group", and "Settings". Below the navigation bar, the group name "The Glass Family" is displayed. On the left side, there is a sidebar menu with options: Home, About (selected), Messages, Photos, Calendar, Members, Files, Database, Chat, and Management. The main content area features a large photo of a man carrying a child on his shoulders. Below the photo, there is a description: "This is the Glass Family from the Bay Area! We use this group as a private place to stay in touch and share photos, etc." Underneath the description, there are two columns of information: "Basics" and "Settings". The "Basics" section includes: "Founded: Jul 19, 2010", "Category: Family", "Members: 53", and "Language: English". The "Settings" section includes: "Membership requires approval", "Messages require approval", "All members can post messages", "Store on site (exclude from emails)", "Members cannot hide email address", and "Not listed in directory". At the bottom, there is an "Emails" section with links for "Post Message:", "Subscribe:", "Unsubscribe:", and "List Owner:", all of which are blurred.

One item that will be added to Yahoo! Groups is a chat feature. You may read more on the [Yahoo Groups blog](#).

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There are several Yahoo! Genealogy groups that have not had updates recently in group messages. Those groups are as follows:

Austrailian Genealogy Resources, cjsgenealogycorner, connectwithsurnames, Genealogy Bookmarks, Gene Aus, genealogyresearch, germangenealogystarthere, irish-genealogy, irishancestorgroup, irishgrouphelp, ItalyNW, London Middlesex Family History, Ids genealogy, Scottish Irish, Southeast Genealogy, Surname Forum, Tribal Heritage, UK Genealogy Researchers.