

## VALLEY HOME EDUCATORS JUNE 2006 NEWSLETTER

### Wenatchee School District Surplus Sale Saturday, June 3

**Located at then end of Miller St. on Circle Drive.**

Drive south on Miller and curve around the bend to the west. You will see Appleatche on your right and the school district property will be on your left.

When I called the school district office no one seemed to know any details on the start time. I have heard the sale mentioned on the radio. The receptionist told me to check the newspaper but nothing is in there as of Thursday night. The district office phone number is 663-8161.

### Homeschool Curriculum Swap

**When:** Thursday, June 8 from 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

**No nuts or food products with any nuts or nut oil are allowed in this building do to several children who attend who have severe nut allergies. PLEASE do not bring ANYTHING with those items in them in your lunches or as snacks.**

**Where:** Room 104 of the Wenatchee Free Methodist Church, 1601 5th Street

Please remember that the church is conducting business while we are using the building that day. If you are bringing your children, please have a plan in mind for them that respects church staff and the parts of the building that we are not using.

Contact: Jill Sheets [jaoe1@verizon.net](mailto:jaoe1@verizon.net) or Laura Thompson [laura@ncwhn.net](mailto:laura@ncwhn.net)

#### Interested in selling?

- ~ Table space is limited, so email or call soon to reserve a table. Include your name and a phone number, please.
- ~ If you have a smaller amount of items to sell and would like to share a table with someone else, please let us know their name(s) when you reserve your table.
  - ~ Set up as early as 8:00 a.m. and clean up from 1:00 p.m. until 2:00 p.m.
- ~ You are responsible to set up and take down your own items, watch your table and have change.
  - ~ No cost (Thank you Wenatchee Free Methodist ! )

### Civil Air Patrol –

Get involved in your local unit and see how far you can go. The Civil Air Patrol offers young adults across the country challenging opportunities in an awards-based, multi-level program. Leadership training, technical education, and an opportunity to participate in aviation-related activities are just a few of the benefits of CAP membership. Youth must be 12 to 18 years of age to become a cadet member. To learn more about Civil Air Patrol and how you can become a cadet member, contact Captain Greg Barker at 884-9561 or Captain Elaine Hatfield at 662-1824

## **SUMMER SWIM TEAM**

Barracuda Swimming, the premier swim team in the Wenatchee Valley, is taking over the City of Wenatchee Summer Swim Team. Our coaching staff has over 20 years of experience working with all levels and ages of swimmers.

Our emphasis will be to teach proper stroke technique for all four competitive swimming strokes, build self confidence in our swimmers, and have FUN.

Beginning June 19th and ending on July 29th

Ages 5 to 18

Cost: \$60.00 for the summer

(this covers season swim pass for the summer, insurance, t-shirt, and team picture)

### **Practice Times**

Group 1\* - 8:00 AM to 9:00 AM (Mon - Fri)

Group 2\* - 9:00 AM to 9:45 AM (Mon - Fri)

\*Athletes are placed in groups according to age and ability.

Team Requirements: water safe; ability to swim 25 yards of freestyle or backstroke.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL OR EMAIL US:**

(509) 884 - 8917; [cudabob@charter.net](mailto:cudabob@charter.net)

**OR GO TO OUR WEBSITE**

[www.barracudaswimming.com](http://www.barracudaswimming.com)

**YOUTH SCRAP CAMP!** Looking for a fun activity for your kids this summer? How about an activity that keeps their writing skills fresh & keeps their memories? Sign them up for a fun and exciting workshop called Scrap Camp where they'll create their own 7 x 7 Creative Memories album to document their youthful adventures! Wednesdays, June 21st to July 19th Ages 8 and up from 1 to 4 p.m. Beginning Class is \$10, every one thereafter is \$5. Album Kit available for purchase or custom purchase as needed! RSVP required – contact me for more details.

Karla Slonaker, Creative Memories Unit Leader~ (509) 662-4418~ [karla4cm@genext.net](mailto:karla4cm@genext.net)

Memory Keeping at its Best! ~~Visit my website:

[www.mycmsite.com/sites/karlaslonaker](http://www.mycmsite.com/sites/karlaslonaker)

**"Celebrating the Homeschool Family"  
Washington Homeschool Organization's  
21st Annual Convention & Curriculum Exhibit  
June 16 & 17, 2006**

**Admission Price: \$12 Per Day !**

**WHO Members Get One Day FREE!**

**Exhibit Hall hours: 9:00 – 5:00 p.m. Friday & Saturday  
ShowPlex, Western Washington Fairgrounds**

110 9th Ave SW Puyallup, WA

**Special Guest – Jim Weiss, Award Winning Storyteller & Recording Artist  
Also Featuring – Jessica Hulcy, co-author of the well-known KONOS Character Curriculum**

**Workshops: Friday & Saturday – see the complete list at  
[www.WashHomeschool.org](http://www.WashHomeschool.org)**

**Exhibitor Classes: Friday & Saturday– see a full list of exhibitors at  
[www.WashHomeschool.org](http://www.WashHomeschool.org)**

**PRE-REGISTER FOR THESE SPECIAL EVENTS: : Leadership Symposium: Friday - 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.- Registration deadline May 1st  
For Registration and Information Click on the link.  
<http://www.washhomeschool.org/who2006LeaderSymp.html>**

**Student Expo: Friday & Saturday –Registration deadline May 1st  
For Registration and Information Click on the Link:  
<http://www.washhomeschool.org/studentexpowebinfo.pdf>**

**Graduation: Saturday – 5:00 p.m.- Registration Deadline: May 1  
For Registration and Information Click on the Link  
<http://www.washhomeschool.org/whoGraduation06.html>**

**Grad's Night Out: Friday from 1:00 p.m.– Midnight-Registration Deadline May  
For Information and Registration Click on the Link  
[http://www.washhomeschool.org/2006\\_GNO\\_Registration\\_Form.pdf](http://www.washhomeschool.org/2006_GNO_Registration_Form.pdf)**

**Speech & Debate: Contact Mary Butcher – [Inquiringmind37@yahoo.com](mailto:Inquiringmind37@yahoo.com) - 425-251-0439**

## **BIOLOGY LAB FOR HOME SCHOOLERS!**

- \* 1 year of High school level Biology laboratories (I've taken students as young as 8th graders).
- \* Lab work begins late September, 2006; ends early June, 2007.\* We will meet on Tuesday mornings for 1 ½ hours from 9:15-10:45 AM.
- \* 4-week break for Christmas & New Year in December.
- \* 2-week Spring break in late March.
- \* Cost: \$40/month per student (8 total payments during the year) plus a \$30 one-time lab fee.
- \* We use *A Beka* Biology text and lab books (parents purchase) plus supplemental materials I provide
- \* Minimum class size is 8, maximum is 14
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- \* For further details, please contact Rob Fitch
- \* Home phone: 662-5589; Home email: [rfitchk@aol.com](mailto:rfitchk@aol.com)
- \* Work phone: 682-6755; Work email: [rfitch@wvc.edu](mailto:rfitch@wvc.edu)

## **ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY LAB FOR HOME SCHOOLERS!**

- \* One year of High School level Human Anatomy & Physiology laboratories.
- \* 1 year high school level Biology recommended as prerequisite.
- \* Course begins late September, 2006; ends early June, 2007.\* We will meet on Wednesday mornings from 9:15-10:45 AM.
- \* 4-week break for Christmas & New Year in December.
- \* 2-week Spring break in late March.
- \* cost: \$40/month per student (8 total payments during the year) plus a \$30 one-time lab fee
- \* We use Anatomy & Physiology Coloring books (parents purchase) plus supplemental materials I provide.
- \* Minimum class size is 8, maximum is 14

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