

## VALLEY HOME EDUCATORS SEPTEMBER 2006 UPDATE

### Great Expectations ~ A Framework for Homeschooling

is coming to **Wenatchee** on **October 6-7 Just the FACTS, please!** **LOCATION:** Calvary Crossroads Church \* 65 - 23rd St NE \* East Wenatchee **DATE:** October 6-7, 2006 **TIME:** Friday evening 6:30 P.M. to 9:30 P.M. and all day Saturday, 9 A.M. to 5 P.M. **FEE:** \$95 Individual/\$125 Couple. However, if the registration form and check are postmarked 10 days prior to the date of the seminar, deduct \$10 (\$85 & \$115 respectively). (5) **QUESTIONS? REGISTRATION FORM?** Contact us at: (425) 697-4021 or [www.EduGreat.com](http://www.EduGreat.com). ~~~~~

Our 10-hour course, sponsored by Cascade Bible College, is packed with practical information as well as a unique message that has tremendous value for any homeschooling parent. This class not only meets the Washington State legal requirements for parent qualification to provide home-based instruction, but it also provides a great opportunity to begin networking with other like-minded parents who share the same excitement, struggles, questions, and fears about educating our children outside of a traditional school setting! This is what our graduates are saying: \*\* "Your seminar was so inspiring . . . and it left me longing for more. I cannot thank you enough for your help and information." ~ "C" from Federal Way \*\* "Wow!! Things are going amazingly great, and your class was such a huge inspiration to me. I still think back at how much I enjoyed it." ~ "M" from Marysville \*\* "Every homeschooling parent should attend this course, not just newcomers to homeschooling." ~ "Too many parents to list!" GREAT EXPECTATIONS does not promote one curriculum over another. As a matter of fact, we do not recommend one method of teaching over another (natural learning, traditional, etc). We are very clear to convey that each family must decide what is best for their family. Our course is very intensive; we pack volumes into our seminar. The reason for this is that we want to give homeschooling families the most value in the least amount of time, so that they spend as little time away from their families as possible. We break up the 10-hour instruction time into two sessions -- one 3-hour Friday evening session and one 8-hour all-day Saturday session, which includes a lunch break. The instructors have homeschooled children from birth to college entrance and for many years have served the homeschooling community in Washington State, providing annual testing and assessments, teaching classes for homeschooling children and parents, and serving on boards in local and state organizations. Plan to come to be informed, inspired, and encouraged about homeschooling your children.

### Persons Willing to Contact Their Superintendent's Office

The Valley Home Educators has a new Homeschooling Resource List. It has contact numbers for us, our local used curriculum person as well as a co-op listing. We also list a few state groups such as Washington Homeschool Organization. We have these sheets at the Eastmont (working on renewal) and Wenatchee Superintendent's offices. Since the Superintendent of Public Instruction's office will no longer be handling homeschooling questions, we must be as visible as possible to the public. I have requested that our Resource List be given to anyone who asks about homeschooling and/or who files a Declaration of Intent to Homeschool. If your group has a similar sheet, or would like to use ours, please call or email me - Emilie Fogle. We really need to get our information out there so people have a reliable source of information on homeschooling. Believe it or not, many people ask public schools about homeschooling. Let's try to make that job easier by supplying our own material to be handed out.

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This message may be a repeat for some of you but I want to be sure as many families as possible know about this once a year sign up.

Just a reminder that ESD sign ups are happening once again. The fee will stay the same - \$20 per student. You may mail me your check if you prefer;

Make checks out to: NCESD  
I need the following information;  
Name  
Email  
Phone  
Address  
Number of students

Mail to:  
E. Fogle  
1413 Easthills Ter.  
East Wenatchee, WA 98802

There will also be a meeting next Monday, Sept. 18th from 3-6. ESD is offering more material via "streaming" which, like the ProQuest material is web accessed. Come work with Louise on these so you can research more effectively.

Their new address is; 930 Old Station Rd., Wenatchee (near the entrance to Confluence State Park).

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## WENATCHEE HOMESCHOOL ReSALE Shoppe

I am planning to open the ReSale Shoppe on Wednesdays from 1-4pm  
beginning Wed., Sept. 20 (when co-op begins)  
other times will be by appointment call # 662-0362  
CarrieLee

## FOR SALE \*\*\*\*\*WANTED\*\*\*\*\*FREE

### For Sale

Saxon Math K Homeschool kit (Teacher's manual and meeting book) never used. New \$63.50, will sell for \$40.00.

Saxon Math 3 Homeschool kit (Teacher's manual, workbooks, meeting book), never used, still in packaging. New \$99.50 will sell for \$60.00

Saxon Math 2 Homeschool kit (Teacher's manual, workbooks, meeting book), first 12 lessons used. \$30.00. Please call Katie Boswell at 884-8139.

### Wanted

I am looking for 1/2 Algebra Saxon this year. Do you know of anyone who might want to sell, or would you put my ad in the newsletter? Thanks very much! Lisa [sjackson@nwi.net](mailto:sjackson@nwi.net)