

2006

New England Homeschool & Family Learning Conference

July 14 & 15 • Boxborough, Massachusetts

Conference Features

● **Interest Tracks** - The New England Homeschool & Family Learning Conference offers specific tracks focusing on major topics which attendees have consistently asked for over the years. Conference-goers will be able to easily find the workshops that are most relevant to their needs, thus making their conference experience even more efficient and beneficial.

● **Friday Evening Seminars** are organized into interest tracks featuring teaching by experts in their field. In addition to the educationally-focused workshops on Saturday, we will add Roundtable Discussion Groups in the afternoon. In these, small groups will enjoy an informal learning session with an expert about a topic of interest.

● **Teens and Children** have their own workshops and activity sessions which provide fun and learning while ensuring lots of time for meeting old friends and making new ones. See full descriptions on our web site and check the schedule on page 16.

● **Exhibit Hall** - Our full Exhibit Hall features the finest and widest selection of educational resources available to homeschoolers. Browse or buy on site. See the schedule on page 16.

● **Speakers** - Returning this year is our good friend, Jim Weiss, storyteller, performer and educator. Other speakers include Dr. Read Mercer Schuchardt, Diana Waring, Tom Clark, Kathi Kearney, Cheryl Carter, Derek Carter, Dale Bartlett, Lynn Scully, Jim and Cindy McDermott, Shirley M.R. Minster, Karen Wallingford, Josh Shaine, Leslie Darrell. For updates about speakers visit our web site. <http://www.homeeducator.com/conferences.htm>

● **Hosts** - The annual New England Homeschool & Family Learning Conference has been hosted for the last 12 years by Home Education & Family Services/Royal Academy, P.O. Box 1056, Gray, Maine 04039 • <http://www.homeeducator.com/HEFS>

● We welcome our **2006 Supporting Sponsor** ShillerMath-How Kids Learn Math! Visit them online at: <http://www.shillermath.com>

● Conference Information is Updated Online:

For Information and to Register Online:
<http://www.homeeducator.com/conferences.htm>

Special Guest Speaker

Jim Weiss, Award- Winning Performer and Storyteller



Jim Weiss' performances and workshops have become one of the most highly anticipated features of our annual conference. Families look forward to his enthralling presentations and workshops. JIM TRAVELS EXTENSIVELY throughout the United States, giving live performances at stores, libraries, schools and community events. He has hosted and starred in a PBS television pilot that won a Northern California Emmy for "Best Children's Show," and has even performed at THE WHITE HOUSE Annual Easter Event. As a storyteller, Jim's performances have been described as exciting and enchanting. His connection to his audience is magnetic and interactive, proof positive that storytelling today rejuvenates one of the first and most personal forms of entertainment. Adults and children alike leave the performance feeling that they have really met characters from a wide range of classic literature and folk tales. Jim's presentations garner heightened respect for the art of storytelling and the literature itself. In addition to his personal appearances, Jim has recorded 36 full length storytelling audios which have won over 75 international awards. You can read all about Jim and even listen to audio clips of his recordings by visiting his web site: <http://www.greathall.com>

Literature comes alive with Jim Weiss. From fairytales to Shakespeare, from the ancient world of Greek mythology to the mystique of Sherlock Holmes, Jim's performances will create entertainment magic at your event. Jim's stories appeal to children and adults, bonding families together with the love of literature and an understanding of what makes his timeless characters great. Jim showcases literature and history like no other.

As a storyteller, Jim strives to provide children (and adults) with a link between classical literature and their own personal life experiences. Not only does he provide an excellent model of oral language, but he presents a stimulating array of timeless classics that have endured because they are so essential to human growth and development. Jim's repertoire is flexible and creative. His range includes mythology, mysteries, fairy/folk tales, multi-cultural stories, perspectives on historical time frames such as the Renaissance, and much more. Please visit the web site: <http://www.greathall.com> for more information.



Read Mercer Schuchardt is Assistant Professor of International Communications at Franklin College Switzerland (on leave beginning Fall 2006). He and his wife, doula-practitioner and natural birth specialist Rachel Guy Schuchardt, spent a year in Lugano Switzerland where they tried, unsuccessfully, to win the right to homeschool their children in one of only two remaining Swiss cantons that does not recognize the practice. The Schuchardt family blog regarding their year abroad can be seen at

swissfamilyschuchardt.blogspot.com. Read and Rachel return to the United States this summer to begin writing and engaging the culture from the vantage point of their specialty: homeschools as the monasteries of the new dark ages.

Read holds a Masters and Doctoral degree in Media Ecology from New York University, where he wrote his dissertation on religious and corporate symbolism under the advisorship of the late Neil Postman. A college professor for eight years, he lectures extensively on media, culture, and religion to university, church, high school and civic organizations. He is contributing editor for The New Pantagruel (www.newpantagruel.com), founder and publisher of the award-winning film interpretation site Metaphilm (www.metaphilm.com). He and his wife Rachel homeschool their six children in rural Brooks, Maine. See the web site: <http://www.homeeducator.com/Conference/readschuchardt> for information about his books and essays.



Shirley M.R. Minster, M.S. Ed., is a Master Degree certified teacher who holds credentials in education, educational guidance, and counseling. As an ardent supporter of homeschooling and individualized learning programs, she uses her extensive credentials to advocate for individual families and the right to choose the educational program that works best for the children. She has been called upon to provide expert legal testimony on behalf of homeschooled children. Shirley's valuable insight into child development and the dynamics of the homeschooling family has guided many parents to achieve success.

She is founder of Home Education & Family Services, a full-time service organization offering a wide variety of helps and resources for homeschooling families, and Royal Academy, a unique alternative to traditional schools that is based upon the model of parental involvement in the education of their children. Shirley has worked in the field of education and with homeschooling families located throughout the world for over 25 years.

Shirley regularly travels to other states and countries offering individualized testing, portfolio reviews, curriculum design, and consultations as well as presenting workshops, seminars, and addresses at educational conferences. Visit the web site: <http://www.homeeducator.com/HEFS> for more information about Shirley's work and services.

2006 New England Homeschool & Family Learning Conference Speakers



Diana (and Bill) Waring have been married since 1979, have three of the best children in the world, have homeschooled forever, and have a passion for encouraging parents to enjoy their homeschooling/parenting adventure. Diana is well-known for her encouraging, fast-paced and humorous books and CD's on homeschooling and world history. For twenty-five years she has been a student of the art of home education, learning from her mentors, her children, and her mistakes. Bill is a former public school teacher with a ministry of serving the homeschool community. They bring a level of professional expertise and in-the-trenches experience to invigorate afresh both new and veteran homeschoolers. Her titles include: Beyond Survival: A Guide to Abundant Life Homeschooling. For more information about all of Diana's books and resources including unit studies and curriculum sets visit her web site: <http://www.dianawaring.com>.

Kathi Kearney, M.A. Ed., currently teaches gifted students at the Noble VI School in Berwick, ME and is also a Professional Associate with the Gifted Development Center in Denver, CO. She is the founder of the Hollingworth Center for Highly Gifted Children, a national resource and support network for exceptionally gifted children and their families. She was an instructor in talented and gifted education at Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa for two years. Kathi has worked with children as a teacher and administrator in a wide variety of settings, urban and rural, in public, private, religious, and home schools. She is the Past Chair of the Conceptual Foundations Division of the National Association for Gifted Children (NAGC), and has contributed scholarly journal articles on such topics as assessment, the highly gifted child, rural and distance learning, minority groups in gifted education, and Leta Hollingworth's work on children with IQ scores above 180. Her most recent research project involved conducting validation studies of the new Stanford Binet Fifth Edition for Riverside Publishing.



Deborah Stevenson, mother of two children, Samantha and Cassandra, realized that homeschooling is what all parents do from the time children are born, and that it was a natural thing to continue to do so. So she did. Deborah became involved in legal work as a result of homeschooling her children. She became involved in protecting her right to homeschool as a parent before she began attending law school. She currently practices Education law and Appellate law privately in addition to working as Executive Director of NHELD. Ms. Stevenson formed Connecticut Citizens to Uphold the Right to Educate (C.U.R.E.) in 1989 in order to assist all parents in the state to retain their right to instruct their children at home without government interference. In 2003, when Deborah realized that there was a continuing effort by an organization to promote the adoption of federal regulation of homeschooling, she decided to form National Home Education Legal Defense. A national organization was necessary to inform and assist parents in all states in halting federal regulation and retaining authority in the states to instruct their children in freedom. Visit the NHELD: <http://www.nheld.com>



When **Dale Bartlett** wrote Have Kids - Will Travel, he never intended on becoming a nationally known author. The book was written using six years of research and experience traveling the world with their children and coming up with new and unique ways to do it both inexpensively and free. The Bartlett's have traveled extensively throughout the United States spending as little as \$700. for the entire family to visit destinations like New England and New York for two and a half weeks. That included airfare, hotels, car, food and more.

They have also visited many other countries including, England, France, Germany, Switzerland, Austria and Italy, with free airfare, free places to stay. Bartlett says: "I believe that with the proper planning and knowing the right travel secrets, any family could travel anywhere in the world for less than it cost to go camping..." The Bartlett's have used this experience to incorporate their travels with the homeschooling of their children. It is amazing how the history comes to life as you walk in the footsteps of great men and women and experience it through travel. The Bartlett's website at www.havekids-will-travel.com.



Lynn Scully is the founder and developer of the get IT Independent Tutorial SAT preparation course which comes complete on DVD. Lynn's 16 years of tutoring experience range from the elementary level through the master's level and has covered many topics. With all her lessons rooted in the progression of Technique - Capability - Creativity, Lynn's students learn quickly and appreciate her structured teaching style. Whether the subject is mathematics, science, reading, writing or basic

study skills, Lynn knows that if a student is presented a clearly explained technique, he will become capable-and then can move on to creative thinking. Lynn remains actively involved with students and currently works at Blair Academy in Blairstown, NJ. Lynn holds an engineering degree from Virginia Tech and has four children still at home. Visit her web site for more information: <http://www.getsatprep.com>



Thomas Clark is a life-long teacher of Mathematics and Science with 35 years experience at all levels, from elementary through adult. He began his career with twelve years of classroom teaching, including a full year of graduate study, and then served for five years as the State Mathematics Supervisor for the Indiana Department of Education.

He was commissioned to author several mathematical resources for the Houghton-Mifflin Publishing Co. and for the Addison Wesley Publishing Co. His unique awareness of the needs of both teachers and students is a combination that helped him win many awards. He is now president of VideoText Interactive, a company that specializes in bringing the textbook to life through technology. The company's first major program, Algebra: A Complete Course, has been completed and field tested, receiving enthusiastic response from the U.S. and abroad. Visit his web site: <http://www.videotext.com> for more information.



Jim and Cindy McDermott have been blessed with eleven children and are expecting their 12th child in June. They have homeschooled all who are old enough through high school. Their oldest son recently graduated from college. The McDermotts have homeschooled under less than ideal circumstances: two working parents, very limited budget, babies and toddlers around, and homeschooling up to 7 children at the same time. Jim and Cindy also publish SALT Magazine and have written a book entitled The Christian Family: In the world but not of it. For more information about Jim and Cindy please visit their web site:

<http://www.saltmagazine.com>



Cheryl and Derek Carter have been joyfully married for seventeen years and homeschool three wonderful children. Cheryl R. Carter is Founder/ Director of "Organize Your Life," an organization that helps women, moms in particular, reach their maximum effectiveness and productivity. She is a former elementary school teacher and the author of five books on time management and organization. Derek Carter is the President of Foundations for Family Success, a ministry which serves today's fast paced families. The ministry conducts practical workshops and seminars on marriage, parenting and families. He is a Clinical Member of the National Association of Christian Counselors and has worked with families in crisis for over fifteen years. Together, he and Cheryl are active in the Long Island, Greater New York Home School community and lead workshops at many family and homeschool conferences. For more information visit <http://www.momtime.net>.



Josh Shaine

Josh returns as a popular speaker on giftedness. He has been teaching gifted children in homes, hospitals, schools, and enrichment programs for over 25 years. For 6 years, he was the headmaster of an alternative school for gifted 7th-12th grade students who were not surviving in traditional educational settings. He is currently on the boards of Kids College in New Hampshire and the MA Association for Advancement of Individual Potential. He is currently the organizer of the Beyond IQ Conferences: <http://www.giftedconferenceplanners.com>

Leslie Darrell, M.S. CCC-SLP

Leslie is a speech language pathologist with extensive experience working with children, adolescents and adults. She currently works as a therapist in the public school system in Maine and also practices privately. Her services have enabled children and adolescents with a wide range of conditions (non-verbal learning disabilities, autism, aspergers, auditory processing disorders, articulation difficulties, etc.) to lead productive, fulfilling lives. Her workshops will focus on evaluation and correction of speech disorders.

Karen Wallingford

Karen has 15 years teaching and tutoring experience. Currently, she individualizes at-home lessons with activity-based learning in science, math and writing. Her specialty is working with children with Asperger's and ADHD. She holds an B.A. in Psychology and an M.A. in Natural Science.

Karen will be teaching parents techniques that will spark a child's interest in learning.

For More Information Please Visit the Conference Web Site: <http://www.homeeducator.com/conferences.htm>

From Start to Finish: a Guide Dog's Training
presented by Bessie Sheehan



Working with a puppy and a trained (finished) Guide Dog right on site, Bessie will explain what it takes for one of these dogs to make it through this fascinating program and be teamed with the human for whom the dog will become that person's eyes as well as a cherished companion. Visit <http://cdc.guidingeyes.org/> for more information about the Guiding Eyes for the Blind programs. (Saturday, July 15) (See Schedule page 16)

Children's Let's Write! Workshops
presented by Cathy Canen (July 15)

Cathy Canen has taught writing skills from kindergarten to high-school and will be leading small group (12-15 children) sessions. Children's creativity will be sparked as their "cognitive light-bulbs" are turned on through this fun and interactive young writer's workshop. This workshop is best for ages 8 through 12. Each children will leave feeling more confident about their ability to think, organize and write.

Cathy has been teaching writing for many years for grades K-12 and beyond. She will be using the *Writing Strands* lessons and methods. (See Schedule page 16)

Please Note:

Sessions for Teens and Children are continuing to be organized. Check the conference web site often for updates: www.homeeducator.com/conferences.htm. The young people's activities will be held on both days of the conference. However, most are scheduled for our regular conference day which is Saturday, July 15. Jim Weiss is always a favorite. Some activities are listed here and more are on our web site. Many are suitable for the entire family.

As always, we must emphasize the importance of parents being responsible for their children at all times. It is important to note that the children's sessions are learning experiences and not child care. Because there is no child care available, very young children might be happier at home with a caring relative. Infants are welcome and there is a "Quiet Room" for parents to look after the needs of their babies.

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American Sign Language - It's Not What You Think
presented by Manuel Marten (July 15)

These workshops will be tailored to two age groups: children ages 6 - 12 and teens ages 13 and up. Each fun 'hands-on' workshops will include an introduction to ASL as a recognized language and basic instruction of the alphabet, names and basic sign language relevant to those in attendance.

Visit: <http://www.rideaf.net/asl/homeschoolers/> for information on Manuel Marten and his seminars and classes. (Children and Teens) (See Schedule page 16)

Children and Teens: Yo-Yo Mama and the Spinheads

Yo-Yo Mama & The SpinHeads will delight you with their demonstration of all levels of yo-yo skills, from beginner all the way to tricks performed at the World Level YoYo Championships! Yo-Yo Mama is homeschooling mother Alicia Ameer and she says, "Life is more like a yo-yo than a box of chocolates!" Together with her cast of yo-yoers, the "Spinheads" she will perform yo-yo tricks like "The Sleeper," the "UFO," "Rock The Baby," and more. Workshops include yo-yo demonstrations, lessons and games. This is suitable for all ages. Yo-Yo Mama is available for special programs. For more information visit www.yoyomamas.com or call 508-753-3482.

Teens: Young Writer's Workshops: Get Those Pencils Moving!
presented by Kathy Palmer (July 15)

Kathy will lead a workshops for teens helping them to understand that everyone, regardless of learning styles or reluctance associated with the writing process can learn to write and enjoy doing it! Kathy's easy-going, good-natured style and engaging methods transforms creative writing into a joyful and purposeful pursuit. Kathy homeschooled her son for 12 years and now writes for a living and tutors students. She especially enjoys working with homeschoolers. (See Schedule page 16)

Teens: Odyssey of the Mind
presented by Fern Brown and Brian Wagar

This interactive workshop give students a chance to test their creative problem solving talents and have fun! Join coaches Fern Brown, director of Maine Adventures in Creativity and Brian Wagar, director of Connecticut Odyssey of the Mind as they lead you in hands-on, "minds-on", spontaneous problem solving activities. They will also be presenting a workshop for parents about starting and coaching an Odyssey of the Mind group. For more information about this international organization visit: <http://www.odysseyofthemind.com> (See Schedule page 16)

2006 New England Conference Registration Form				Attendee Information (first and last names please)	
Friday - Book Fair Only (Pre-registration) Register by May 31, 2006 at 5 p.m.		2-DAY FULL Conference (Pre-registration) Register by May 31, 2006 at 5 p.m.		Attendee #1	
Individual	\$25.00 X ____ = ____	Husband/Wife	\$75.00 X ____ = ____	Attendee # 2	
Teen	\$20.00 X ____ = ____	Individual	\$50.00 X ____ = ____	Teen #1	
Child	\$ 7.50 X ____ = ____	Teen(s) each	\$20.00 X ____ = ____	Teen #2 (Include additional on a separate sheet of paper please.)	
	Total = ____	Child (each)	\$7.50 X ____ = ____	Street Address (Number and Street)	
			Total = ____	City _____ Zip _____	
Friday - Book Fair Only (Regular Price) AFTER May 31, 2006 and at-the-door		2-DAY Full Conference (Regular Price) AFTER May 31, 2006 and at-the-door		Telephone _____	
Individual	\$30.00 X ____ = ____	Husband/Wife	\$85.00 X ____ = ____	Email Address _____	
Teen	\$25.00 X ____ = ____	Individual	\$60.00 X ____ = ____		
Child	\$10.00 X ____ = ____	Teen(s) each	\$25.00 X ____ = ____		
	Total = ____	Child (each)	\$10.00 X ____ = ____		
Payment Information (Please note: There are no refunds after May 31.) Cash _____ Check# _____ Visa/Mastercard _____ Name _____ Expiration _____ Vcode _____ Signature _____ (3-digit # on signautre line)		Mail or fax this form with payment to: Home Education & Family Services P.O. Box 1056, Gray, ME 04039 Tel: 207-657-2800 Fax: 207-657-2404			

2006 Conference Highlights Continued

Teens: Earthwatch Science Expeditions Workshops

Every very year, hundreds of talented high school and college students contribute their time, experience, and energy as Earthwatch volunteers. Student volunteers step beyond the classroom and become personally involved in field research. They work with leading scientists and gain first-hand experience in data collection techniques. This is an ideal opportunity for homeschooled students.



A research expedition as an educational experience provides the hands-on experience of collecting data alongside scientists. The two main options for teenagers are to join an expedition on their own or to create a group expedition specifically for home school students who are accompanied by a parent/educator to help facilitate the learning process. For more information about their educational programs both in the field and online, visit their web site: <http://www.earthwatch.org/>.

An Earthwatch Educator will present workshops about the opportunities for high school students offered by Earthwatch Institute. (See schedule below.)

EXHIBITORS (to date) Contact them at the web site below.

- Alpha Omega Publishing
- BestQuest Teaching Systems
- Big Yellow Box by Crayola
- Book Cellar (The)
- Bright Minds ~ at Home
- BYU Independent Study
- Bunker Hill: A Novel - The Author
- Captivation Inc.
- Discovery Toys
- Earthwatch Institute
- English for Life: The Madsen Method
- FizzBang Science
- FRC Museum & Comm. Education
- Foundations for Family Success
- GetItSATPrep Independent Tutorial
- Gifted Conferences - Beyond IQ
- Guiding Eyes for the Blind
- Greathall Productions
- Have Kids Will Travel
- Hedge Hog Farms
- Historic Handworks
- History Alive!
- Home Education & Family Services
- JOCRF - WordBooks - Vocabulary
- KidRich - Movement/Dance
- Lindamood-Bell Learning Processes
- LouLin, LLC
- Map of the Month
- Michaelmas Press
- Moo Cow Fan Club
- Mosaic Co-Housing Community
- NEST Family Entertainment
- National Home Educ. Legal Defense
- Odyssey of the Mind
- Organize Your Life!
- Power-Glide Foreign Language Courses
- Rhode Island School for the Deaf/ASL
- Royal Academy
- Safe-T Classroom Products
- SALT Magazine and Press
- Sensory Resources
- ShillerMath: How Kids Learn Math
- Simon's Rock College of Bard
- Teaching Trends
- Total Language Plus
- United Educators (Britannica)
- Usborne Books
- VideoText Interactive
- Vintage Radio & Comm. Museum, CT
- Voyagers, Inc
- Writing Strands
- Yo-Yo Mama

Contact the exhibitors: <http://www.homeeducator.com/Conference/vendors06.htm>

Friday, July 14 - Schedule (Tentative) • Walk-In Registration 8:00 a.m. • Exhibit Hall 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Key: (C) Children's Workshop; (T) Teen Workshop; (FP) Family/Parenting; (H) How-To Topic; (O) Organizing; (SN) Special Needs; (HS) High School; (G) Gifted

9:30 - 10:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	1:00 - 2:00 p.m.	2:30 - 3:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.	Friday Evening Sessions
History Alive! Diana Waring	Family: Up Close & Personal with Jim Weiss	History Alive! Diana Waring	Know the Law NHELD	Exhibit Hall	6:30 pm. • Jim Weiss Performs •
Nutrition LouLin, LLC	Hands-On Science Captivation, Inc.	Hands-On Science Captivation, Inc.	Nutrition LouLin, LLC	Closes	7:10 - 8:30 p.m. Interest Track Seminars
How Kids Learn Math ShillerMath	A Creative Odyssey Odyssey of the Mind	How Kids Learn Math ShillerMath	Unit Studies Usborne Books		Media, Culture & Family Dr. Read Schuchardt (F/P)
Cognitive Functions Lindamood Bell Learning	SAT Preparation GetItSAT Tutorial	Movement: A Child's First Language - KidRich	Cognitive Functions Lindamood Bell Learning		Organize Your Home! Cheryl Carter (O/P)
Learning is Neurological English for Life	Teach Using Literature Total Language Plus	Make a Good Speller English for Life	Foreign Language Learning Power-Glide		Life in the "Gifted" Family Kathi Kearney (G)
Mosaic Commons Family-Friendly Living	(C) Build A Crystal Radio (2 hrs) Vintage Radio Museum	Mosaic Commons Family-Friendly Living	(C) Build A Crystal Radio (2 hrs) Vintage Radio Museum		Prepare for College & Career Lynn Scully (HS)
Math'scool BestQuest	Algebra'scool BestQuest	Teaching Creative Writing Writing Strands	(T) Mind Games Odyssey of the Mind		Homeschool/ Special Needs Shirley Minster (SN)
Workshop	Family-Friendly Living Mosaic Community	(T) The American Revolution & Its Cast of Characters	Family-Friendly Living Mosaic Community		Children/Teen Sessions

Saturday, July 15 - Schedule (Tentative) • Registration 8:00 a.m. • Exhibit Hall 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Key: (C) Children's Workshop; (T) Teen Workshop; (FP) Family/Parenting; (H) How-To Topic; (O) Organizing; (SN) Special Needs; (HS) High School; (G) Gifted

9:15 - 10:15 a.m.	10:30 - 11:30 a.m.	11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.	1:00 - 2:00 p.m.	2:15 - 3:15 p.m.	3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Actively Enjoy Learning Diana Waring (H)	Teach History w Great Works Jim Weiss (H)	History: The Scenic Route Diana Waring (H)	Storytelling & Character Development Jim Weiss(H)	Roundtable Sessions Varied Topics (H)	Roundtable Sessions Varied Topics (H)
Understanding Media Dr. Read Schuchardt (H)	Guide Dog Training Bessie Sheehan (C, T, F)	Organize Your Life! Cheryl Carter (O)	The Supportive Dad Derek Carter (H)	Math: Tackling Trouble Spots • Tom Clark (H)	Parenting Potential Cheryl & Derek Carter (F/P)
Let's Focus on ADHD Shirley Minster (SN)	Speech & Language Leslie Darrel (HT, SN)	Teaching ADHD & Aspergers Karen Wallingford (SN)	Speech & Language Leslie Darrel (H, SN)	Seeing Through Cinema -Interpreting Film Dr. Read Mercer Schuchardt (H, T, F)	
Homeschooling Gifted Kathi Kearney (G)	What is Giftedness? Joah Shaine (G)	Testing for Giftedness Kathi Kearney (G)	Young Writer's Workshop Kathy Palmer (T)	Workshop Topic: Gifted Josh Shaine (G)	
Understanding Testing Lynn Scully (HS, H)	Homeschool Plans/Goals Shirley Minster (H/O)	Teenage Math Tom Clark (HS)	Transcripts/Records Shirley Minster (HS)	Got Teens? Diana Waring (HS)	The College Search Process Lynn Scully (HS)
Federal Legislation Deborah Stevenson (H)	Family Travel Adventures Dale Bartlett (H)	Win State Legislative Support Deborah Stevenson (H)	Family Travel Adventures Dale Bartlett (H)	Off the Beaten Path EarthWatch (T)	TBD
Large Family/Multi-Levels Jim & Cindy McDermott (H)	Teens: Mind Games Fern Brown (T)		Art as Midrash (F) Susan Levitin	Large Family/Multi-Levels Jim & Cindy McDermott (H)	TBD
Build A Crystal Radio (C) (2 hours)	Let's Write! (8 -12 y.o.) Cathy Canen (C)	Build A Crystal Radio (C) (2 hours)	Let's Write! (8 -12 y.o.) Cathy Canen (C)	Build A Crystal Radio (C) (2 hours)	
American Sign Language Manuel Marten (C)	Yo-Yo Mama	(T) Amer. Revolution 's Cast of Characters - Janet Uhlar-Tinney	Yo-Yo Mama	American Sign Language Manuel Marten (T)	