

2017 CHN Family Expo



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WELCOME TO EXPO 2017

Welcome to this year's Family Expo at the Great Wolf Lodge!

We have a great weekend lined up. We planned something for every age group. There are free activities on Thursday, a hoedown on Saturday, graduation on Sunday, and lots in between!

Dr. Arthur Benjamin and Blair Lee, our keynote and featured speakers, are scheduled throughout the weekend, but check it so you don't miss them. Blair Lee will also give our commencement address during graduation. The CHN Board of Trustees kick off this year's Expo with a special presentation on Friday morning.

We encourage you to stop in the Exhibit Hall and support the participating vendors. You'll find some great favorites, like Excellence in Education and the Comic Shop, and some new vendors, such as Fort Cross Old Timely Adventure and Rainforest Café, along with a couple charters and learning centers. The Exhibit Hall is open on Friday and Saturday beginning at 10:00 a.m.

New this year, the Used Curriculum & Family Entrepreneurial Sale is in two shifts, 11:00am and 3pm, in the pre-function area on Saturday. To find out who is participating, when, and what they are offering, just visit the website. And making a comeback this year – the Project Fair is Friday at 6pm.

Please read your Welcome Letter in your registration packet, as it should answer many questions and explain some very important rules. If you have any questions, Rhonda at the registration desk is available to help.



**HAVE A
GREAT WEEKEND!**



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Have a Great Time at the CHN Family Expo

- Remember to wear your **NAME BADGE!** All attendees need one and it must be visible! If you lose yours, stop by the Registration Desk for a new badge.
- A **PARENT NAME**, cell and/or room number will be helpful on the back of your children's badges (in case they go AWOL).
- Please be courteous and observe common-sense rules, as well as the following hotel rules:

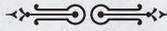
• NO RUNNING in the Hotel, Conference Area, and Stairs, please!!

• NO-SMOKING INSIDE THE HOTEL

• Quiet hours: 9pm in guest room halls

California Homeschool Network

Mission Statement



- California Homeschool Network is an inclusive, statewide homeschooling organization serving families across a diverse spectrum of homeschooling styles and philosophies.
- California Homeschool Network exists to protect the fundamental right of the family to educate its children in the manner it deems appropriate without regulation or interference by federal, state or local agencies.
- California Homeschool Network monitors and responds to legislation which may pose a threat to homeschooling, and, to this end, maintains a dialogue with local, state, and national homeschooling organizations.
- California Homeschool Network serves to inform and empower homeschooling families, educate the public and foster community among home educators in the state of California.

Sessions:

Mathemagics! – Dr. Arthur Benjamin, Keynote Speaker

Dr. Arthur Benjamin (see bio on page 17)

Dr. Arthur Benjamin is a mathematician and a magician. In his entertaining and fast-paced performance, he will demonstrate and explain how to mentally add and multiply numbers faster than a calculator, how to figure out the day of the week of any date in history, and other amazing feats of mind. He has presented his mixture of math and magic to audiences all over the world.

The Benefit of Homeschooling, It's Innovative, It's Eclectic, It's Organic, It's Academic

Blair Lee, Featured Speaker (see bio on page 17)

There is a revolution going on in education. It's called homeschooling. More and more parents are choosing to homeschool, because the benefits of gifting your child with an education handcrafted to focus on their unique set of strengths, weaknesses, and passions are undeniable.

There are some academic subjects that everybody should know, but even within these subjects there is room to be flexible in a child-led manner. There are other subjects that deserve time and attention because of the skill and desire of that one student creating an education that is as unique as each student. The benefits of this type of education are impressive, leading to an intellectual engagement with academics and a passionate love of learning. Creating a unique education might seem scary and intimidating, but it is easier than you think. Join me to talk about the how and why of a unique, eclectic, academic education.

Project-Based Learning: Through the Lens of Politics and Activism

Blair Lee, Featured Speaker (see bio on page 17)

Project-based learning is an approach to learning where students actively engage and immerse themselves in an area of study. Using project-based learning students focus on a large and dynamic subject area, like American politics during an election year and study it in a profound way, while working on essential skill building. This approach enhances learning, because it requires the application of skills kids spend years learning to real-world situations. Join me for a talk focused on how to create a meaningful academic project that incorporates many disciplines as a part of the project. My son and I used project-based learning to learn about politics and activism. This talk will include information about how to get your child involved in those as well.

Blair Lee, Featured Speaker (see bio on page 17)

Homeschooling high school can be rewarding, frustrating, and daunting all at the same time. For parents who would like to create a unique and profound high school education for their teens it can be particularly nerve wracking. Join educator and homeschooling parent Blair Lee as she discusses how you can create a handcrafted education for your teen that is personally meaningful and academically rich.

Homeschooling with a Charter – Expo Sponsor

Presented by Inspire Charter School

Inspire's Family Liaison Team host a Q&A panel to answer your charter school questions.

“Everyone is Their Own Story”

CHN Board of Trustees, Featured Presentation

Here is your chance to ask questions about Charters. How they differ, what testing options are available, is there flexibility with scheduling, and even what a person should consider when choosing to use a Charter, are a few questions you may want to have explained.

CHN Member Meeting – CHN Board of Trustees

At this CHN Member Meeting, this year's Expo is the focus, along with plans for next year and volunteer positions.

CHN President Pam Dowling leads the meeting.

10 Great Tinkering/STEAM Projects for Home

Deborah Sigel (see bio on page 28)

Tinkering, an iterative process of building, testing, breaking, and rebuilding, is a great way to encourage kids to be creative, and teach them hands-on problem solving techniques used by real scientists and engineers. We'll cover 10 fun hands-on projects for different ages and areas of STEAM ranging from playing with screws, to taking things apart, mixing art and physics with toast, and making functioning machines in wood and scrap materials. We will demonstrate various tools and projects, and have time for participants to try some of them out too.

Belly Dancing

Talitha Sherman (see bio on page 28)

Oh how we love to dance! Join me to learn some magical Middle Eastern moves. We will do some light stretching and warming up, then shake and shimmy to our hips delight. This session will get you ready to show off new skills at the family and teen dances!

Mark Pursel (see bio on page 26)

Child abduction and exploitation is becoming an ever increasing problem in our country with the latest statistics reporting over 800,000 missing children last year! On top of that, 1 out of 3 kids will be attacked physically before the age of 18.

This powerful course is made for young children ages three through twelve and their parents to give them the best possible chance to avoid dangers and if they find themselves in danger how to get away!

Activities will include: Sgt. Safety video presentation; Simple Break Away Self-Defense Instruction; Role Playing with Possible Stranger Dangers; Methods to Deal With Bullies; Child Abduction Safety Tips; Using 911; Fire Safety; How to instructions for parents on filling out a safety ID kit.

This workshop will raise the awareness level on child safety issues and provide the opportunity to children and their parents to learn about possible dangers and what to do about them!

Dads Session

Martin Forte (see bio on page 21)

Join Marty and other dads as they discuss all the aspects of being a homeschool dad. Find out about those pressing issues like finances, relaxed housekeeping, dads' participation, keeping a healthy relationship with family and other issues. This is an audience participation meeting with lots of information and humor.

Dad's Social Time

Martin Forte (see bio on page 21)

Come meet other homeschooling dads!

Deschooling - Undoing the Lies.

Sue Patterson (see bio on page 26)

Let's get rid of all the myths and untruths that schools have taught us about learning. We've been conditioned to believe we need so much more than is really necessary.

Don't Go It Alone:

The Untapped Power of Community in Homeschooling

Heidi Christianson (see bio on page 19)

When someone asks me what is the most important thing to successfully homeschool I always have to tell them it is community. YOU need it, not just your kids. This will be the key to avoiding burnout and you will be amazed at the synergy that occurs when people come together for a common purpose. Learn the how and why of finding your tribe.

Susan Nowicke (see bio on page 25)

Come meet some amazing creatures with EcoVivarium, a LIVING MUSEUM featuring live reptiles, amphibians and arthropods.

Educación en el hogar 101 en español Homeschooling 101 in Spanish

Maria Egbert (see bio on page 20)

Educación en el hogar 101 en español

¿Desean saber como empezar a educar sus hijos en casa cumpliendo con la ley? Vengan a aprender sus derechos y opciones en esta sesion gratis.

Homeschooling 101 in Spanish

You want to know how to begin to educate your children at home complying with the law? Come learn your rights and options in this free session.

Educating Teens with Confidence

Heidi Christianson (see bio on page 19)

It seems that everyone is afraid of teaching teens. What if I told you that these are the BEST years of homeschooling? Imagine having deep conversations that explore philosophy and current events with your youth. They want to hear what you have to say; they ask questions and share their thoughts and ideas. You learn so much yourself in these years and both grow in unexpected ways. Doesn't this vision win hands down as compared to the typical teen age behavior that we've come to expect?

Family Self Defense Seminar

Mark Pursel (see bio on page 26)

This seminar will include both lecture and hands on self-defense practice.

The lecture will focus on the four "A"'s of safety: Be AWARE of dangerous situations; AVOID dangerous situations; Be ASSERTIVE to deter possible suspects; ATTACK only if necessary as a last resort to protect yourself or your family.

The self-defense practice will include highly effective self-defense techniques to vital target areas that are easy to learn and use.

Forming a Co-op

Abby Lai (see bio on page 24)

One way to make home schooling easier is to do it with friends! Why do it alone when you can share in the resources, talents, experiences and strengths of like-minded parents and children. Co-ops can be an extremely fun day of affordable classes (and a time of rest for you)! Learn about various co-op models both big and small along with tips to get your group started.

Fort Cross Old Timey Adventures Hoedown

Jesse & Doreen Cross (see bio on page 19)

Join us for a family hoedown – the best barn dance hootenanny you ever did see!

Grandparents Session

Martin & Caroline Forte (see bio on page 21)

Join Marty and Carolyn (real live homeschool grandparents) and other grandparents as they discuss the important role of grandparents. Any grandparents that are on the fence about the wisdom of their children homeschooling the grandkids are encouraged and welcomed to attend.

This is a great time to learn about homeschooling and the importance of the grandparents contributing and participating in the homeschool lifestyle of their children.

Hidden History - The Importance of Local Storytelling

Chris Epting (see bio on page 20)

Hidden Orange County - history matters! Especially local history. The stories that make up our profound Southern California legacy, critical as they are, are oft untold in school sessions, both home and away.

Session: How to Communication with Your Legislator

Marty Forte (see bio on page 21)

Description: Learn how to effectively communicate with your legislator when homeschooling issue arise.

How to Teach Creative Writing (and love it)

Chris Hansen (see bio on page 22)

Guiding your child in creativity is important. But many parents don't know how to teach creative writing and feel that they would do a poor job if they tried. It requires a unique perspective and a different set of skills than the ones used in other subjects. Come and be introduced to the tools that will make teaching this subject easy and enjoyable. In fact, it might even become your favorite subject.

How Play Can Change the World

Kristin Shepherd (see bio on page 27)

Research shows that play influences our growth, development and well-being. Enriching an environment with loose parts for free play is an ideal learning environment. Learn how to enrich your environment and create a culture of play that promotes resilience, creativity, collaboration, communication and critical thinking.

Homeschooling 101

Maria Egbert (see bio on page 20)

Considering homeschooling? New to homeschooling? Have questions about how to get started? Come join the Homeschooling 101 session to learn the legal options to homeschool in California, homeschooling basics and your legal rights.

Homeschooling 101 in English - session will be followed by Q&A

Pam Dowling (see bio on page 19)

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This session is free to the public - registration or RSVP is not required. Children are welcome!

Homeschooling 102: How to independent homeschool

Pam Dowling (see bio on page 19)

This session will cover how to fill out the PSA line by line. Record keeping and how to homeschool basics.

Homeschooling 411 - Options in SoCal & Beyond

Hannah Rosenthal (see bio on page 27)

Tap into the wealth of opportunities in our area. A Power Point presentation of lots of info as well as how to get info for park days, enrichment and academic classes, field trip ideas, co-ops, special programs, learning resources, etc. Have the enriched homeschooling experience that you always wished for your family. Lots of ideas and examples. I can also help with specific questions of where to find what, etc.

Homeschooling Visual Arts

Spramani Elaun (see bio on page 20)

In this discussion, Spramani Elaun reviews: • What a visual art education is for children through adolescents' years. • Mediums best for visual art learning. • What lesson plans should cover. • And best homeschool advice on supporting visual art learning.

How to Communication with Your Legislator

Marty Forte (see bio on page 21)

Learn how to effectively communicate with your legislator when homeschooling issue arise.

Laurel Morphis, Carol Palmer, and Kiley Petersen (see bio on page 30)

Raising a family should be a joyful journey. The school year starts in our homes to squeals of excitement! Organizing curriculum around an exhilarating narrative captures our children's imaginations while enabling them to make meaningful academic connections and build character. The shared experience exploring deliberately chosen core values unites our families and creates a powerful and positive family culture. Our children are fully engaged in the learning process because they enjoy learning. And we are confident with our tool belts full of ways to ignite that passion again and again.

Life After Homeschooling

Pam Dowling (see bio on page 19)

Casual meet up for moms to discuss life after homeschooling. Moms can express the struggles they are facing and glean ideas from others, who share how they dealt with this new phase of life.

LifePrep Academy: Designing College and Career Pathways

Eric Moore (see bio on page 25)

LifePrep Academy is a virtual and interactive web-based tool that parents and homeschoolers can follow to help ease the transition to college and career pathways. The curriculum includes information about career readiness, college preparation, financial aid, life skills, school to work options and among other topics.

Meet-Up: Trends in Homeschool Special Education

Pam Ragland (see bio on page 27)

This meet up covers trends and requirements for special needs kids in homeschool charters in regards to special needs. Case studies and bring your questions.

Our Hidden USA Flags

Beatrice Jones (see bio on page 24)

Through the ages symbols of African American examples of demonstrated leadership, heroic actions and even presence in historical critical roles in the USA is unveiled in its Flags. Here you will be given such a look backward and encouraged to Flag the Flags and share that Black History revealed and no longer hidden.

Steven Angel (see bio on page 17)

The Drumming For Your Life Institute is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit founded in 2002 dedicated to using the power of rhythm to help children and adults develop the emotional, academic, and social skills needed to succeed in school and in life.

Saving for College

Robert Basile (see bio on page 18)

My goal is to shine a light on some of the considerations guests need to make as they begin to formulate a college savings plan. And participants may be a parent, parent to be, grandparent, or maybe just a financial junkie. And that's all good. Because when it comes to funding a college education, it sometimes takes a cast of characters to get the ball rolling early and keep it in motion until your independence-seeking, knowledge-hungry, adult-in training packs it up and begins her college adventure.

Secular Homeschooling

Lisa Barry (see bio on page 18) **Talitha Sherman** (see bio on page 28)

Atheist, agnostic, freethinking and skeptical parents can find it challenging to navigate the often very religious homeschool environment. How can one determine whether or not the science class being recommended will include creationist claims? How to find out if the health class being offered by a fellow homeschool parent will include pseudoscientific recommendations? How to choose resources that promote critical thinking over faith? Lisa and Talitha have been part of building a secular homeschool community and parenting without religion for decades. Join us for a round table discussion, get support, share ideas, and go back to your own homeschool groups empowered to find the right options for your families.

So Your Kid Likes Technology

Edward Li (see bio on page 25)

This workshop would cover activities you can do at home, available classes, interesting apps and other activities to help satisfy your child's thirst for tech.

Teaching How to Think: Individualized Learning to Find Passion & Purpose

Heidi Christianson (see bio on page 19)

You know your child is born to do something special, but how do you create a learning environment that allows them to find that passion and purpose? Taking the best of time tested teaching philosophies you can engage, strengthen and empower your child to adapt easily to whatever the world throws their way.

Teaching Sex Ed

Lisa Barry (see bio on page 18)

What is the subject you dread teaching the most? Math? Science? Or sex? From toddlers to teens the questions about sex are always there but this doesn't need to be a scary subject.

The Game Curriculum

Caroline Forte (see bio on page 20)

The Game Curriculum is a guide to using games and activities to stimulate and enhance learning at any age. Come learn how you can make games the core of your curriculum in the early years and a big part of your learning activities even in the high school years. The key is picking the right games for your children. This session will give you guidelines and encouragement.

Teddy Roosevelt in California

Chris Epting (see bio on page 20)

In 1903, President Theodore Roosevelt made his very first trip to California. While here, he spent three magical days camping at Yosemite with naturalist John Muir. It was this trip that planted the seeds for the creation of the National Parks.

Traveling and Homeschooling

Tricia Vaughan (see bio on page 28)

1) Are you interested in traveling while homeschooling, or in homeschooling while traveling? We will discuss the hows and whys of traveling and homeschooling. 2) We often think of children when we think of an autism diagnosis. What happens when you are an adult who is diagnosed with neurological differences that are on the autism spectrum?

Understanding Your Child's Learning Style

Martin Forte (see bio on page 21)

Explore the various learning styles and how they really affect your child's ability to master subject matter. We will investigate the five essential aspects of learning styles including dispositions, talents, modalities, interests, and environments.

With this deeper understanding of your child's unique learning style, you can have a more successful teaching experience, a closer tie with your children and save hundreds of dollars on wrong curriculum choices.

Why have your child learn to code

Gregory Beutler (see bio on page 18)

In an increasingly technological world, computer science skills are extremely marketable. In fact, I know of several high school students who learned to code and who are saving for college or to start a business by doing freelance coding work. I prefer this session to be interactive and have everyone present also code with me so they should bring laptops/chromebooks to write code.

Install the Scratch software onto your laptops beforehand. The software link is below:

<https://scratch.mit.edu/scratch2download/>

Yes, you CAN homeschool your special needs child!

Erika & Zekariah Schron (see bio on page 27)

As parents, we all worry whether our children are 'keeping up,' but it's even more of a concern when our children are considered different, whether disabled, gifted or both. Erika and Zekariah will provide insight on their journey of homeschooling: tips for academics, therapies at home, learning styles, educational methods, and more. Zek will also provide his perspective from growing up as a special needs child, homeschooling and how to see things from your child's perspective too.

You Can Homeschool the High School Years

Mayli Levin (see bio on page 25)

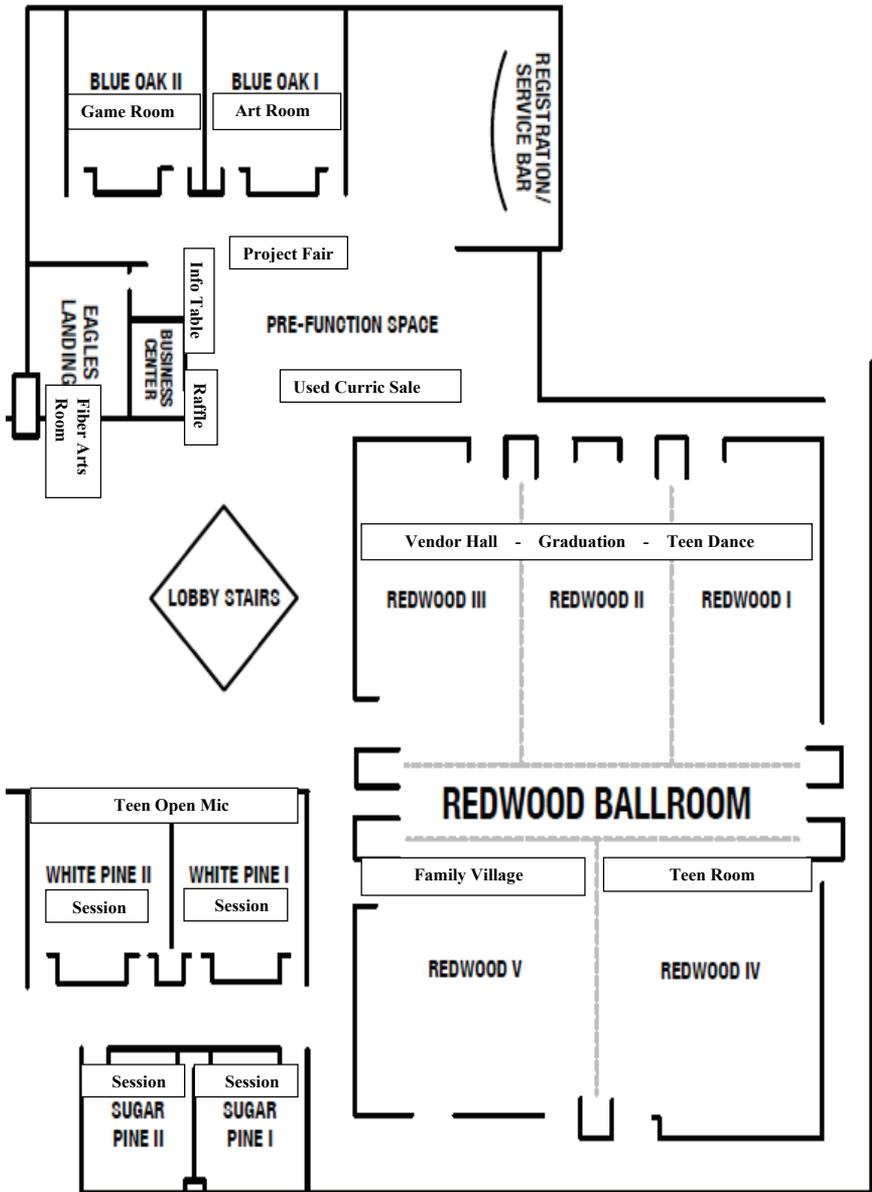
Take the mystery out of Homeschooling in High School, ease your fears and find out you can do it! Topics will touch on: *How to motivate your teens *How can I expect to teach subjects like Algebra and Biology? *What about the big High School Experience like sports and prom? *What will my teens miss? *What really is High School Socialization? How can I create the perfect learning program customized just for my high schooler? *Charter school or PSA: Cost benefit Analysis *Where can I find support? How can I create a perfect program, customized just for my teen? Keys to Early Graduation and a Head Start in College * What do Colleges look for now? * All about Concurrent Enrollment *What is A-G and does it really matter? *Navigating the UC system or NOT. *Why AP Exams? *Out-of-the box choices for All kids.

Yes! You CAN unschool through the teen years!

Sue Patterson (see bio on page 26)

You've been having fun with your kids, but now that adolescence rolls around, you feel it's time to buckle down! That's what we have to do to get ready for college or careers, right? WRONG! Find out how an unschooling approach really can work with your teenagers!

Welcome to the CHN Family Expo





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Activity Areas at the CHN Family Expo...

Check schedule for details on specific sessions for each area!

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Art Room — Blue Oak I: The Art Room is designed for your child to come explore different mediums throughout the conference with a professional art teacher available for light guidance. High-quality, earth-friendly supplies are available like non-toxic paints, watercolor, watercolor pencils, pastels, acrylics, papers, drawing supplies, modeling clay, paper mache, and so much more!

Family Village — Redwood V: The Family Village is dedicated to free play, open crafting, social space and creative sessions for the entire family! Scheduled activities include culture show & tell, hoedown, living reptile museum, musical petting zoo, and Recess Revolution's Free Play.

Fiber Arts — Boardroom/Eagles Landing: Learn or enhance skills in knitting, crocheting, quilting, needlepointing, felting, wrap & stitch basket making, spinning, off-loom weaving, rainbow loom bracelets, plastic canvas bookmarks, ... and more in the Fiber Arts Room! You can also bring your own projects to Open Sessions to ask questions and enjoy creative time with your friends!

Game Room — Blue Oak II: The Game Room will include console games, and PC games. Stop by to participate in the annual Super Smash Bros. Tournament, a Minecraft LAN game, Magic: The Gathering draft, Mario Kart Tournament, and much more! AND sign- up onsite to host your own session . . . demonstrate/play a game you enjoy playing OR one you created! Table top/Board games are in a separate room this year. Check your schedule.

Teen Room — Redwood IV: Age 13 and up. You must be wearing a teen or young adult badge to be admitted. Unscheduled/always available activities include: Teen Lounge, Coloring Mandalas, Legos, Board Games, Card Games, Xbox 360, Makey Makey, Foosball, Air Hockey! Teen sessions will be held in the Teen Room and other locations, and includes jewelry making, henna tattoos, book/clothing swap, duct tape creations, dance classes, fan fiction workshop, slam poetry, karaoke, basic car maintenance, Hungry Hungry Human Hippos, and so much more!

Table Top/Board Games Rooms: Those wishing to play table top/board games without the noise found in the Game Room, this is for you! Check the schedule for the day/time that the rooms are available for this use.

Adulting Time — Sugar Pine I: Without the young ones around. Games played in here include Cards Against Humanity, so please beware of this.

All Ages — Sugar Pine II: Open to everyone and has various games to include the younger ones.

Speakers & Presenters:

Dr. Arthur Benjamin - Keynote

Dr. Arthur Benjamin is the Smallwood Family Professor of Mathematics at Harvey Mudd College. He has been repeatedly honored by the Mathematical Association of America for his teaching and writing, and was recently selected by Princeton Review as one of The Best 300 Professors in America. He is also a professional magician and one of the world's fastest mental calculators. Dr. Benjamin has given 3 TED talks which have been viewed over 12 million times. He has demonstrated and explained his calculating talents to audiences all over the world and has appeared on numerous television programs, including The Today Show, CNN, and The Colbert Report. He has been featured in Scientific American, Omni, Discover, People, Esquire, New York Times, Los Angeles Times, and Reader's Digest. Reader's Digest calls him "America's Best Math Whiz." His newest book is called "The Magic of Math: Solving for X and Figuring out why!"

Blair Lee - Featured Speaker

Blair Lee M.S. is the founder of SEA Homeschoolers and author for the critically acclaimed R.E.A.L. Science Odyssey Series. Blair has been handcrafting the education of her non-linear thinker for over 11 years. During that time, she has learned as much about how learning happens from him as he has learned from her. Blair is a passionate advocate of innovative academics using secular materials. Through her speaking and writing, her goal is to empower homeschoolers to dare to be innovative and create something unique and academically-rich when handcrafting their child's journey through learning. You can follow her at <http://seahomeschoolers.com/>. You can learn more about Blair Lee's "Evolution in Homeschooling" <http://ghfblog.com/viewpoints/an-evolution-in-homeschooling-its-secular-eclectic-and-academic/>.

In fact, at the expo, you can join us for a family hoedown at 10:00 am on Saturday September 9 in the Family Village. It's the best barn dance hootenanny you ever did see! And at our booth, you will also be able to do some activities that we brought from Fort Cross. They're yours to keep and take home! Come visit us, we'd love to get to know you better! Check out our website, and like us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/fortcrosscamping

Steven Angel

Steven Angel is the President, founder, and creator of programs of the Drumming for Your Life Institute (DFYL), a non-profit organization based in Downey, California. Steven, started playing drums at age three. His first performance was with legendary Buddy Rich's band when he was six years old. By 12, Steven's band opened for Herman's Hermits and The Animals playing in front of 5,000 to 25,000 fans while

on tour in the US and Canada. At 16, Steven recorded an album with Jimi Hendrix's bass player, Noel Redding with Hendrix playing on one of the tracks. In his early 40s Steven decided to use his understanding of rhythm to help kids with challenges in school. In 2001, Steven created the Reading & Rhythm program which uses rhythm and educational tools in language arts to help students achieve higher grades and build their self-esteem. Since 2002, Steven has implemented the Reading & Rhythm program as an in-school and after-school program and has successfully brought the program to over 50 schools, 15 learning centers, family centers and libraries, as well as 10 detention camps and 2 juvenile halls.

Lisa Cortez Barry

In her life before children, Lisa Cortez Barry studied early childhood development and taught pre-school while she continued her studies and became a Child Care Associate for the City of Los Angeles. Eventually she gave up that glamorous life and became a mom and a La Leche Leader. Homeschool life kicked in a few years later and that means constantly learning new subjects – like sex!

Robert Basile

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Gregory Beutler

Greg Beutler Ed has led the Positive growth and development of children in the After School program by Enriching developmental and academic needs by providing an engaging Science Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) enrichment experience. Mr Beutler actively creates an environment that promotes inclusion, diversity and belonging through meaningful planning, community collaborations and on-going training and development. Through his company Techscool.org has taught over 2000 kids and teachers how to code in the last 3 years.

Heidi Christianson

Heidi Christianson has been homeschooling her 5 boys for 15 years and has been involved in Leadership Education for over 10 years. Her love of the Leadership Education paradigm has led her on a journey that has included helping found her local commonwealth school (a homeschool community), writing her own curriculum, public speaking, and putting on several conferences. She currently is the principle mentor for her commonwealth, a student advisor with a charter school, and a Leadership Education Mentoring Institute trainer.

Jesse and Doreen Cross – Fort Cross Old Timey Adventures

We are Jesse and Doreen Cross! We love kids and families, so we are currently loving our living history business that specializes in hands-on educational activities! We host field trips, overnight events, birthday parties, and all sorts of other fun stuff. Some of the activities you might experience in our programs are hayrides, hoedowns, tomahawk throwing, archery, cider pressing, candle dipping, petting zoo, agritourism, and a lot more!

Pam Dowling

When Pam Dowling is not busy with CHN, dabbling in bookkeeping, she is teaching beginning sewing to homeschoolers! She finds it very rewarding and at times very entertaining. The things kids say! She started her homeschooling journey in 2002 and now her son will be graduating college this June, has a driver's license and is employed! They do make it. Homeschooling, like parenting isn't something you do, it's something you experience. She wouldn't trade it for anything in the world. She's grateful to have the opportunity to stay connected to this wonderful community through her teaching and serving on the CHN board of Trustees. CHN provides her with speaking opportunities that she never thought would be something she would immensely enjoy. Given that public speaking is supposed to be people's number one fear. But, after she spoke for over two hours at the 2014 Expo and had a dad come up to her after and tell her that he didn't think they could homeschool their child. They were afraid since they lived across the street from the school, but now they knew what their rights were and they knew they could do it! Then he asked if he could hug her. She was hooked. It's the most rewarding part of volunteering for her. Helping to produce Expo is also very rewarding. Expo brings so much to homeschooling families, new and experienced. She is very proud to serve on the CHN Board of Trustee and help CHN fulfill its mission statement.

Maria Egbert

Maria Egbert has homeschooled her now grown 4 sons for 14 years. She has been a volunteer for CHN for 14 years serving as a local contact and CHN Trustee twice. She has taught classes in various subjects including science, American Sign Language, art, math, and literature. She currently teaches for Celebration Education and Dehesa Charter School. Her hobbies are reading, hiking, rock climbing, physical fitness, and going on new adventures.

Spramani Elaun

Homeschool mom Spramani Elaun is an American natural art teacher and author of several art education books for children. Spramani Elaun has nurtured visual art lessons for thousands of children. She is founder of Nature of Art For Kids® Art School, an Earth-friendly non-toxic paint manufacturer, and founder of Colour Blocks™—the original square block recycled crayon company—and Art Kids Zone venues across the West Coast. Spramani and her family live in North County San Diego. She has home educated both her children daughter Laurun now 17 years, and son Elex 15 since birth.

Chris Epting

Chris Epting is the best-selling author of 28 books about American history, pop culture, travel, baseball, rock and roll and other popular topics that have kept readers and audiences delighted and enthralled all over the country for years. He's also an award-winning journalist and newspaper columnist that has written for the Los Angeles Times, Preservation magazine, Westways, Travel+Leisure and many other publications, while appearing on many radio and TV programs.

Caroline Forte

Carolyn Forte is a session speaker; and you can visit her Excellence in Education booth in the Vendor Hall on Friday and Saturday. EiE Academy is a private satellite program designed to provide an umbrella of protection and participation in the private sector of homeschooling. Through EiE Academy our families enjoy the freedom of educational choice. We are able to assist families from any style ranging from school at home to unschooling. Our specialty is to be able to customize a curriculum to meet your family needs and circumstance. Since we are not a public charter or school we are able to provide many more options and freedoms. We are an inclusive organization and are unique in that we do not have mandatory meetings or testing allowing us to work on an individual basis with our families. Through the Excellence In Education resource center families are able to participate in field trips, classes, seminars and learning style assessments. Contact Marty or Carolyn Forte at 9626) 821-0025 or go to our website www.eieacademy.com Carolyn

Forte is Principal of EIE Academy and owner with her husband, Martin of Excellence In Education Resource Center in Monrovia, California. She earned a B.A. in Music History from Whittier College. From 1982-1994, she directed elementary Sunday school music at the Crystal Cathedral. For five of those years, she was also co-director of the elementary Sunday school. She holds a life teaching credential for California and has taught grades K, 1, 2 and 6 in public and private day schools. For 14 years, she homeschooled her two daughters, Tenaya (38) and Tylene (36), both of whom are college graduates and now married with three kids each. Developer and author of the "The Game Curriculum" as well as a certified Learning Style Coach.

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Martin Forte, along with his wife Carolyn, owns and operates EIE Academy and Excellence In Education Resource Center in Monrovia, California. Martin and his wife successfully homeschooled their two daughters for 14 years. Both girls are college graduates and married with children. Martin has been a homeschool spokesman and advocate for more than 20 years, appearing on numerous radio and television programs and speaking at homeschool conventions as well as one of the co-founders of the California Homeschool Network. He is also a certified Learning Style Coach with his wife Carolyn.

Thursday Special Events!

- ✧ Homeschool 101 (English) session and Q&A – 7pm – White Pines I & II
- ✧ Homeschool 101 (Spanish) session and Q&A – 7pm – Sugar Pine II
- ✧ Recess Revolution Free Play – 6:30pm – Family Village (Redwood V)
- ✧ Table top/Board Games 2pm – 3:30pm, 5pm-6:30pm – Sugar Pines I & II

Beth Giansante - Program Artwork Artist

Beth Giansante was homeschooled from ages 6 to 18, ending when she started college. She was an active member of EIE Academy and local park days, and was a regular at CHN Expo from 2006 until her high school graduation in 2012. She currently attends Mt. San Antonio College, where she is currently studying for an AS in animation. Beth enjoys drawing, writing, playing video games, and cats.

Rhonda Hamilton

Rhonda Hamilton has been homeschooling her kiddos since 2000, which began with her oldest only, then the rest of the crew. The kids are almost finished: the third graduating this year, and the fourth has only 2 years left. She just graduated with her MBA, demonstrating to her children, no matter what goes on in life, goals can be achieved even if it takes a bit! Almost from the beginning of their homeschooling journey, Rhonda volunteered for CHN, first as a local contact and slowly helping more: CHN Email Hostess, Elections Chair, Webmaster, Board of Trustee (serving as Secretary and now as Treasurer), Expo Registration Coordinator, and this year - Expo Committee Chair. Being able to help others learn more about homeschooling and choose the best option available to their unique situations is why she loves being so active in CHN.

Chris Hansen

Chris Hansen is a novelist and the author of *The Pirates Guide to the Grammar of Story*, a Creative Writing Curriculum for homeschoolers. Before becoming a full-time published author, he spent over a decade training filmmakers and novelists

Friday Special Events!

- ✧ **Vendor Hall – 10am-5pm** – Redwoods I-III
- ✧ **Family Movie – 9:30pm** – Family Village (Redwood V)
- ✧ **Volunteer Reception – 12pm** – Sugar Pine I
- ✧ **Culture Show & Tell, 10:30am** – Family Village (Redwood V)
- ✧ **OCMA Band & Musical Petting Zoo, 3pm** – Family Village (Redwood V)
- ✧ **Table top/Board Games, 6pm** – Sugar Pines I & II
- ✧ **Family Talent Show, 6:30pm** – Family Village (Redwood V)
- ✧ **Teen Open Mic – 8:30pm** – White Pines I & II
- ✧ **Project Fair – 6pm** – Pre-Function Area

in creativity. He was the executive director of the Piko Fellowship in Screenwriting, a long term residency program for writers in film and television. Then as a founding member and senior advisor to the Wedgwood Circle, he joined a team of artists, including major motion picture and television producers, Oscar and Grammy winners, the producers of Broadway plays such as Les Miserable, leading comic book writers, video game developers, and the makers of the Narnia movies to create entertainment that had a positive influence on world culture.

Bequi Howarth

An unschooling mom of two teens who have never been to school, Bequi Howarth has been on many wonderful adventures including but, by no means limited to, Interpreter for the Deaf, ukulele player, organizer of the OC Mini Maker Faire, various spontaneous road trips, raising chickens, all the trains in California and being an apprentice to a farrier.

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Saturday Morning/Afternoon Events

- ✧ **Vendor Hall – 10am-4:30pm** – Redwoods III
- ✧ **Fort Cross Old Timey Adventures Hoedown**
10am – Family Village (Redwood V)
- ✧ **Used Curriculum & Family Entrepreneurial Sale**
11am & 3pm – Pre-Function Area
- ✧ **EcoVivarium – 1pm** – Family Village (Redwood V)

Beatrice Jones

Born: July 30, 1941 Los Angeles California; Marital Status: single with one daughter and a granddaughter age 7; Education: BS,MA, US Army Captain 1959-1976; Employment: Senoj American African Flags 1993-2016, Owner, Industrial Relations Manager Proctor and Gamble, CBS,S an Jose State University, Member & Officer of PTA,NCNW-OC, NAVA, NAACP,ASALH, NABMW; Made oral presentations for Chapman College, Sons of Italy, Jack and Jill Inc, Sororities, Juneteenth Celebrations, Black History and W omens Events throughout Calif , Ghana and in South Africa over the years. Today I tech a class of OC Learning Black History in Huntington Beach CA that meets 2 and 4th Saturdays.

Abby Lai

Director of Homeschool Coaches; A wife and homeschooling mother of two pre-teen boys, Abby Lai loves how home schooling enables families to be closer. Understanding that the role of a homeschooler is no easy job, she has been involved in creating, participating and leading various co-ops – each aimed at supporting the homeschooling parent. Abby values having a “village” to help raise her boys especially in recognizing her own inadequacies in teaching upper level math, science and technology. Pulling in various resources, utilizing great teachers and partnering with other parents has been a major strategy in educating her children. In 2012, Lai started Home School Coaches to further support the goals of home schooling parents. Abby has a Bachelor’s degree in Business Administration Marketing Management from Cal Poly Pomona and a Masters in Public Health from the University of Southern California.

Saturday Evening Event!

- ✧ **Teen Dance – 9pm** – Redwoods I-III
- ✧ **Family Dance – 7pm** – Family Village (Redwood V)
- ✧ **CHN Member Meeting – 6pm** – White Pine I
- ✧ **Young Adult Mixer – 9pm** – Sugar Pine II
- ✧ **Table top/Board Games – 6pm** – Sugar Pines I & II
- ✧ **Family Movie – 9:30pm** – Family Village (Redwood V)

Mayli Levin

Mayli D. Levin M.Ed., homeschooling since early 1990s, grew up in a family of traditional educators but saw a better way. Mayli was told her kids would never be accepted into college but instead her kids graduated homeschool high school with associate's degrees, high honors at community college and scholarships awaiting. Her youngest daughter was accepted into an ivy league school, but chose to graduate UCSC at 20 years old Summa Cum Laude in Business Economics. Mayli has worked as the high school director/ admin side of several public charters and knows the ins and outs of how to make the system work for the out-of-the-box students that colleges and Universities are currently seeking.

Edward Li

Co-Founder and Chief Encourager of Barnabas Robotics. Edward has spent the last 10 years working in hardware and software start-ups. Through this experience, he has led teams in design, operations, and business development. His current focus is to empower others by sharing a message of hope through technology and education. He enjoys working with youth and engaging with the community within Pasadena and the greater Los Angeles area. Edward sees a future where people of all ages and cultures can build things in collaboration that promote education and strengthen communities. He graduated from UC Berkeley with a B.S. in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science in 2005.

Eric Moore

Eric Moore has spent more than 20 years working with organizations that engage families and empower youth by providing them with resources and information that historically would be provided by high school counselors.

EcoVivarium - Susan Nowicke

Visit Susan Nowicke at the EcoVivarium booth and meet some amazing creatures on Saturday in Family Village (Redwood V) from 1pm-5pm. EcoVivarium® is a new LIVING MUSEUM featuring live reptiles, amphibians and arthropods located in downtown Escondido, California. Join us for a face-to-face or even hands-on introductions to our amazing Animal Ambassadors from around the world! Cuddle with an Anaconda or snuggle up with a cousin of the Komodo dragon! Snap a picture with our Literacy Dragon team or touch an endangered species. Find out how you can visit foreign lands and cultures at our new facility and study the influence our Ambassadors have had on religions, art, history, and science and how we can influence their future! Susan Nowicke is the founder and president of EcoVivarium, an educational 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation. Having homeschooled four of her children through high school graduation, she applied their creative, out-of-the-box style of teaching to reach

schooled kids that struggle with traditional teaching methods and homeschoolers and adults looking for a splash of excitement in their educational adventures. She has nearly 20 years of teaching experience and is excited to share her passion for EcoVivarium's amazing Animal Ambassadors, 98% of whom are rescue animals! Join Susan and the EcoVivarium team and Step In To Their World...®

Sue Patterson

Sue, wife and mom to three grown unschoolers, began their homeschooling journey in 1996 when they discovered schools were not going to be a good fit. After 20 years of helping families and connecting with others in the homeschooling community, she is excited to share her insights and experiences with us.

Sue has a coaching practice where she helps families that are new on their own homeschooling paths or further down the road but struggling with making it work. She shows families how life can be so much fuller and richer if they can shed so many of the schoolish thoughts that hold them back.

Find out more about working with Sue 1:1, in groups, or through her DIY courses at www.SuePatterson.com

Editor of our own Homeschooler Post, Sue also published a fabulous book, *Homeschooled Teens*. If you have fears about the teen years, you'll want to read what 75 young people have to say about their lives as homeschooled teens. Sue is active on social media, hosting the widely popular Facebook group, Unschooling Mom2Mom. Join her there or on Instagram @UnschoolingMom2Mom or Twitter @Sue5.

Laurel Morphis, Carol Palmer & Kiley Petersen

Carol Palmer, Kiley Petersen and Laurel Morphis are three moms with a combined 28 years of homeschooling experience and a total of 13 kids ranging in age from 20 to 1. They've used inspiration from Harry Potter, Star Wars, Doctor Who, the Avengers, Doctor Seuss, Disneyland, world cuisine, The Lego Movie, Wild Wild West, Percy Jackson and more to plan their own home school curricula year after year.

Mark Pursel

Sergeant Mark Pursel is a 24-year veteran with the Los Angeles Police Department. As a previous detective, his investigative assignments have included child abuse, sexual assault, missing persons, robbery, and crimes against persons. Mark's current duties include serving as a training coordinator and teaching police defensive tactics. Mark and his wife, Cora, are the parents of six children from the ages of 20 through 10. They have home schooled their children for the last ten years. Their oldest two children are currently in college. In addition to his police experience, Mark began studying martial arts thirty years ago. He is currently a third degree black belt in taekwondo and a certified martial arts instructor. For the last eight years, Mark has taught free martial art classes to underserved children at various LAPD stations.

Mark also routinely teaches free community child safety workshops and women's self - defense classes. Mark has been recognized by the City of Los Angeles and the California State Assembly for his self - defense classes and safety seminars.

Pam Ragland

Pam Ragland is a mom who has navigated the special education world for her own 2 kids--in full time public charters, private, and in homeschool. Pam started Aiming Higher Quantum Success in 2000, and learned by accident as she helped her own son be free of many challenges of Autism, and her daughter be free of many of the challenges of ADHD--with her healing recipe called Quantum Thought Shifting™. Because her son appears "so normal", getting him the proper help has been extra challenging. Never one to give up – Pam learned what his rights are and how to insist he receives them. Now Pam has started the first ever association for parents, to learn about and change laws impacting special needs children – The Association for Autistic and ADD Parents (AAP).

Hannah Rosenthal

Hannah Rosenthal been homeschooling her kids for 5 years. She did not plan on it, it kind of just happened. Hours of frantic research and sleepless nights brought wealth of homeschooling resources and ideas for her family and families around her. Hannah was a journalist and an editor in Israel, a photographer and a photography teacher, who taught in many major museums around LA. She is well traveled and homeschooling her kids doing lots of field trip, the Arts. She organized the first homeschool underwater robotics team, and a homeschool classes: Physics let by a Space-X Engineer. Chemistry Graduate. She has been taking her kids to see lots of performances during school tear- all for free or next to nothing.

Erika & Zekariah Schron

Erika has been involved with special needs since a child and became a special needs mom in 1995 with their oldest son being diagnosed as autistic at age 3 and they began homeschooling in 1997. All 3 of their boys had special and gifted needs and have graduated from homeschooling. Erika has been moderating online support groups, advocating, consulting, writing & speaking about special needs, autism, giftedness, 2e and homeschooling since 1999 as Journey of Learning Academy. Zekariah is almost 25, graduated from homeschool in 2010 and has Autism, SPD, Hypotonia, Dysgraphia & Dyscalculia. He has continued to pursue his gifts in History and more.

Kristin Shepherd

Kristin Shepherd is passionate about introducing the benefits of free play to families and all of those who work with children. She has spoken at conferences across the country focused on play, learning and after school care. Kristin holds a teaching

credential, a Master's degree in Reading and Literacy and recently completed a Master's degree in Play and Playwork, although she admits that she has learned more from homeschooling her 9-year-old, curious, expressive and energetic son than anything else.

Talitha Sherman

Talitha has four children, Kira 20 homeschooled all the way through and is in college, Sadie 18 homeschooled until entering a science based charter and leaves for college in the fall, Hazel 14 and Theo 10 still enjoy homeschooling. Our family journey now includes divorce and a working mom. Talitha is also a henna artist, tattoo apprentice, belly dancer, and former childbirth and breastfeeding educator.

Deborah Sigel

Deborah Sigel is a mechanical engineer and organizer for Kids Building Things (KBT). KBT is a small volunteer run organization in the Pasadena area that provides hands-on workshops to kids (and families) on how to use tools, how things work, and how to transition ideas into fabricated things. Deb is a mechanical engineering consultant working at Second Sight Medical Products designing retinal implants to return sight to the blind. She previously worked at an underwater robotics startup and NASA JPL as a mechanical and aerospace engineer. She previously taught 2 years of Intro to Engineering at Clark Magnet HS in GUSD as part of the CTE program. Deb has a BS in mechanical and aerospace engineering, and a masters in aerospace engineering and robotics. When not working in engineering or teaching with KBT, she makes art in 2D media as well as woodcarving and silver metalsmithing (with a torch), and enables her 4-year-old to use tools.

Tricia Vaughan

Tricia Vaughan, former English teacher, radio announcer, and advertising salesperson, did a lot of stuff before becoming aware of her position on the autism spectrum. Based in the San Fernando Valley, she and her homeschooling family travel I-40 and other roads across the country a few times each year.

Sunday Special Events!

- ✧ **Graduation Meeting – 9am** – Redwoods I-III
- ✧ **Graduation Rehearsal – 10:30am** – Redwoods I-III
- ✧ **Table top/Board Games – 12pm** – Sugar Pines I & II
- ✧ **Graduation – 2pm** – Redwoods I-III

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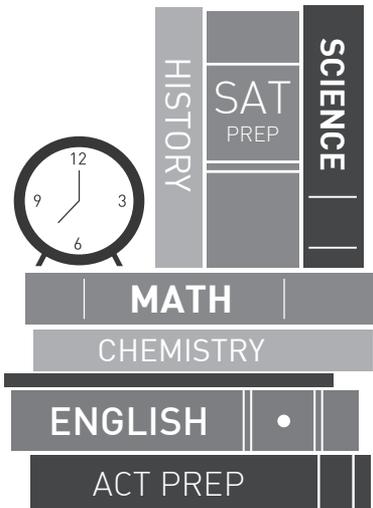
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