

Newark Community Church
37590 Sycamore Street
Newark, CA 94560

Teaching Hearts @ Home

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Information &
Registration
Form
2009-2010



The Homeschool
Support Group
of Newark
Community Church
Newark, CA

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom, and as you sing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to God. And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him. —Colossians 3:16-17

Parent Support Group Meeting Topics 2009-2010

Meetings are held monthly on the first Thursday, 7:00 p.m. at Newark Community Church, 37590 Sycamore Street, Newark

Date	Topic*	Speaker*
Sept 3, 2009	Goal Setting, Records, & Forms	Panel Discussion
Oct 1, 2009	TH@H Fathers' Edition (Dads Only)	Panel Discussion
Nov 5, 2009	Helping Your Children Develop a Relationship With God	Dee Murphy
Dec 3, 2009	Christmas Tea	—
Jan 7, 2010**	Encouragement for Moms	Sharon Collard
Feb 4, 2010	Deep Learning vs. Shallow Learning	Mike Winther
Mar 4, 2010	Teaching Art	<i>In the Round</i>
Apr 1, 2010	Couples' Communication (Couples encouraged to attend)	Esther Wei
May 6, 2010	DIY Curriculum	Constance Gertsch
June 3, 2010	Money, Money, Money	Joe & Jo Smith
July 1, 2010	Holes & Gaps	<i>In the Round</i>
Aug 5, 2010	Family Night @ the Park	—

*Subject to change

Join us online! www.groups.yahoo.com/teachinghearts

Register at teachinghearts-subscribe@yahoogroups.com to receive meeting reminders and other homeschool-oriented opportunities. Questions? Please email teachinghearts-owner@yahoogroups.com

Welcome!

If you are searching for a place to meet other homeschooling parents in the Tri-City and surrounding areas, Teaching Hearts @ Home may just be the place for you.

Our mission is *to provide Godly encouragement, nurturing, and networking to parents in order to maximize our efforts in the call we share to teach and raise our children with a Biblical worldview.*

Activities & Services

- ◆ Parent support group meetings – held monthly on the first Thursday, 7:00 p.m. at Newark Community Church (NCC) at 37590 Sycamore St, Newark, CA
- ◆ HSLDA membership discount
- ◆ RAFT membership discount
- ◆ Quarterly newsletter
- ◆ Lending Library
- ◆ Additional opportunities for learning and fellowship

Organization

Teaching Hearts @ Home is under the authority of the board of Newark Community Church. Our group is led by a volunteer team of Christian homeschooling parents. This team plans meetings, invites speakers, organizes workshops and other events. To learn more, email Marie Ung at mrsdig@aol.com.

Funding

Teaching Hearts @ Home relies only on members' donations. Your donations provide special speakers, library materials, church-use, refreshment supplies, newsletter resources, and other support.

We request a donation of \$20 per year but welcome any amount you can give. All memberships run from September to August. If joining after September, please ask about a prorated donation.

We are NOT an independent study program, a private school, a legal covering or a record keeping service.

Legal Rights

The following organizations protect our legal right to homeschool. We encourage you to support them financially and through prayer.

- ◆ **Home School Legal Defense Association (HSLDA)**—Provides legal counsel and covers all attorney fees in case of legal action over home- schooling issues. Phone 540-338-5600 or www.hsllda.org
- ◆ **Family Protection Ministry**—Monitors and alerts California home schooling families of pertinent legislation. FPM is supported by contributions from the home school community. Phone 916-786-3523.
- ◆ **Christian Home Educators Association of California (CHEA)**—A statewide Christian support organization for homeschoolers. Phone 800-564-CHEA or www.cheaofca.org

Suggested Reading

- ◆ *An Introduction to Home Education*
Published by CHEA
- ◆ *For the Children's Sake*
by Susan Schaeffer-Macaulay
- ◆ *Better Late Than Early*
by Raymond & Dorothy Moore
- ◆ *Educating the Whole-Hearted Child*
by Sally & Clay Clarkson

Membership Form

Complete this form and mail it with a check payable to **Newark Community Church** memo **TH@H** to:

Teaching Hearts @ Home
c/o Newark Community Church
37590 Sycamore St.
Newark, CA 94560

Today's date _____

Last Name _____

First Name _____

Birthdate (mm/dd) _____

Spouse's Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

- I would like to request a waiver of the \$20 requested donation.
- I would prefer to receive an electronic copy of the newsletter.

