

10:30 A.M. *All Seminars are 50 minutes unless otherwise noted*

Room A - "Laying Down the Rails" - Tonya Henrich (SMHEA): Cultivating good habits in your child requires intentional effort. These habits will eventually form his character. Come and learn how to lay down tracks to smooth and easy days.

Room B - "A Story to Tell to the Nations: How to Publish and Market Your Work to the World" - (Innovo Publishing): Hear a clear explanation of how to get started, how much it costs, and what questions you should be asking. We'll equip you to avoid common pitfalls and overcome difficult obstacles that many Christian authors, artists, and ministries face in getting their books, ebooks, and audio books published and globally distributed.

Room C - "Getting Started in Home Education" - Shelly Powers (SMHEA): Never done it? Don't have a clue? This workshop is designed to help you begin the adventure. (80 minutes)(Repeated Saturday 9:30AM)

Room D - "Home School Leadership Forum" - Cory Bennett (SMHEA): Calling all home school leaders. Cory and other SMHEA leaders will be directing discussion on current issues in the homeschooling community including support, groups, cooperatives, umbrella schools. In the process we will all better prepare for future.

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Room B - "Spell to Write and Read" - (Growing Scholars): *Spell to Write and Read* will teach you the difference between whole language and phonics and teach you how to teach spelling to remedial students as well as good spellers. *Spell to Write and Read* is considered one of the absolute best spelling and reading programs on the market today. Come learn how it can help you in your home school.

Room C - "Preparing Tomorrow's World Changers Today!" - (Economic Thinking): Do you believe that the United States is on the right track economically and politically? If you believe our children can, and possibly should, make a difference in our country's political and economic landscape, this workshop is for you! We'll discuss innovative, culturally relevant methods of approaching complex "headline" topics that will make economics come alive for students and parents.

Room D - "Classical Education Made Simple" - (Classical Conversations): Thomas Paine's "Common Sense," published for the average 13-year-old in 1776, is now beyond the comprehension of many contemporary college students. Why? Come learn how you, the normal home school parent, can use classical methods to help your students achieve an extraordinary education.

Room E - "UT Martin Dual Enrollment" - (UT Martin): UT Martin has the largest dual enrollment program in Tennessee. Learn how your junior or senior can enroll in our online classes and receive both high school and college credit for the same course.

2:00 P.M.

Room A - "Hang On - You Can Make It!" - (Notgrass Company): Veteran homeschooling mom, writer, and speaker, Charlene Notgrass

encourages homeschooling moms to be assured of God's love, to stay the course, and to know that the investment of their lives in the training of their children is worth the effort. No parents, children, or families are perfect; but God can still work powerfully through you to fulfill His will in your home. Charlene is the author of "Daily Encouragement for Homeschooling Mothers" and many Bible-based curriculum resources.

Room B - "Curriculum for Home School Music" - (Bravura Music Academy): See what Bravura offers as a music curriculum for homeschoolers with our Young Musicians and Music Adventurers introductory classes. We will have some of our students demonstrate where we go from these introductory classes to private instruction on specific instruments.

Room C - "Introduction to Speech and Debate" - (SMHEA): Introduce your children to the exciting world competitive speech and debate and discover an exciting way to develop their communication skills as well as their critical thinking in a fun and challenging environment. Come discover how this journey through the art of rhetoric can help develop articulate, passionately Christ-centered individuals who are able to compellingly engage their culture with the truth. Demonstrations by past competitors will be featured. (Repeated Saturday at 9:30AM)

Room D - "Holy Cow! These Science Experiments Are Fantastic!" - (Holy Cow Science): Add fun to your science curriculum with these "udderly" fantastic science experiment kits for grades 1-12. The experiments can be used with multiple children of different ages and can be repeated. All experiments are based on the scientific method of inquiry and include materials. Come learn how these experiment will work for you AND see what's new.

Room E - "The Way You Wish You'd Been Taught" - (Sonlight): An introduction to literature based education and how using Sonlight will help you meet your educational goals for your children.

3:00 P.M.

Room A - "Alphabet Soup: ADHD, ADD, LD, ETC." - Brenda Murphy (SailAway Learning): Just what *do* all those letters stand for and how can you deal with them if your child, or you, are 'in the soup?' This workshop will share some of the latest findings as well as explain how these conditions affect a child's ability to learn and a teacher's ability to teach.

Room B - "Real Life + Real Books = Real Education" - (Lifetime Books and Gifts): Can it be so simple? Time and again home school families have given their children a great education through real life experiences and a love of reading. Find out what works and how you, too, can enjoy this journey. Great seminar for beginning and veteran homeschoolers!

Room C - "Teaching High School at Home" - Cory Bennett (SMHEA): Accelerated education? Early Graduation? Dual Credits? Teaching high school involves important decisions, accurate records, and more difficult academic subjects. The time to plan for high school is in the middle school years. We explore exciting high school options, and help parents to confidently direct their student's high school experience.

Room D - "Experience Excellence in Writing" (Excellence in Writing): Come and discover award-winning Excellence in Writing, a method of teaching composition that really works. Using this program, students of all ages will learn to write stories, reports, and essays with style. This workshop will give you an overview of the program and show you how you can get started. (Repeated Saturday at 11:00AM)

Room E - "Etiquette Training for the Beginner" - (The Etiquette Factory): Come and learn from a certified etiquette instructor and master motivator, Monica Irvine, how to begin teaching your young children from pre-school through age 10, the art of etiquette. Etiquette skills take time to perfect, so it's NEVER TOO EARLY TO START. You will be so grateful you attended this discussion and will leave with confidence and excitement to implement these ideas into your home.

Friday, June 25, 2010 (Continued)

4:00 P.M.

Room A - "For the Eyes Only - For the Ears Only" - Brenda Murphy (SailAway Learning): Wonder why your smart child makes Cs, Ds, and Fs? It may be the way their eyes and ears work - or rather don't work. Problems in these areas are often misdiagnosed. Vision and auditory sub-skills can cause vision and hearing to help or hinder learning. Most problems are probably fixable. Learn how the intricate components of the vision and auditory systems must function properly for learning to take place.

Room B - "Teaching Your Child Music" - (Ebaru Publishing): Even an parent with little or no musical background can effectively teach his or her child music. This workshop, with lots of demonstrations, introduces a fun and easy approach to incorporate music into your curriculum. Music bonds the family, lifts the heart and is a wonderful way to give back to the community"

Room C - "Getting Ready for College" - Cory Bennett (SMHEA): College: yes, no, or maybe? College at Home? How do I find the right college? What criteria should be considered when choosing a college? The ideal time to begin thinking about these issues is during the middle school years. This seminar will help you develop a road map for this significant decision.

Room D - "Home Education and the Law" - Stewart Crane (SMHEA): Homeschooling laws for the State of Tennessee will be explained and your questions will be answered by an attorney and home educating father. Stewart will also discuss current issues that threaten Tennessee home education freedom.

Room E - "Integrating Language Arts with Literature" - (Total Language Plus): Using literature you can build an integrated study incorporating vocabulary, spelling, grammar, comprehension, critical thinking, and writing assignments. Learn how to study these subjects in a practical way, without busy work.

Saturday, June 26, 2010

9:30 A.M.

Room A - "Introduction to Speech and Debate" - (SMHEA): Introduce your children to the exciting world competitive speech and debate and discover an exciting way to develop their communication skills as well as their critical thinking in a fun and challenging environment. Come discover how this journey through the art of rhetoric can help develop articulate, passionately Christ-centered individuals who are able to compellingly engage their culture with the truth. Demonstrations by past competitors will be featured. (Repeated from Friday at 2:00PM)

Room B - "Bluegrass Music Lessons for Homeschoolers" - (Kipper Stitt Music): Bluegrass is an "American Roots" music with a rich heritage and a strong historical connection to East Tennessee. Students will learn individual music skills and develop techniques for performing with others.

Room C - "Getting Started in Home Education" - (Shelly Powers, SMHEA): Never done it? Don't have a clue? This workshop is designed to help you begin the adventure. (80 minutes) (Repeated from Friday 10:30AM)

Room D - "What Does a Relaxed Day Look Like? Finally Answered!" (Lifetime Books and Gifts): Do you follow a relaxed approach to education or wish you could? Perhaps you are unsure if you are doing it right or even how to do it. Are you doing enough? People want to know, "Really, how do I do it?" Shirley Solis answers this question as she shares what relaxed homeschooling looks like for her family.

Room E - "TLC - Think, Love, Correct" - Cheryl Massey (SMHEA): Learn how using a (thinking) love to establish discipline and order in your home lays a foundation for successful learning.

11:00 A.M.

Room A - "Understanding the Constitution" - (Homeschool Legal Advantage): Modern judges have expanded the scope of the Constitution through evolving judicial review. Will this help or hurt the rights of parents? Learn some key principles homeschoolers must know to preserve the freedom to home school.

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Room C - "Getting It Together" - (SMHEA): Constructing lesson plans, organizing paperwork, and keeping track of books and assignments can be quite a challenge. This workshop will provide practical tips to keep your home school ship afloat and in working order.

Room D - "Funschooling" - (Homeschool Legacy): No matter the age, learning should be FUN! Your kids can have FUN! You can have FUN! Come find out how you can easily inject the joy of learning into your homeschool life without changing your present curriculum, while incorporating easy, step-by-step, no-prep Once-a-Week Unit Studies designed for the whole family to enjoy!

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Room B - "Seeing joy...Hearing beauty...Touching lives" - (Bravura Music Academy): See what Bravura offers as a music curriculum for homeschoolers with our Young Musicians and Music Adventurers introductory classes. Learn what we have to offer your family through music education.

Room C - "Build the Unsinkable Educational Boat" - Brenda Murphy (SailAway Learning): Eighteen years, five boys, unmatched wisdom. Brenda Murphy shares the vital lessons learned that can keep your home school afloat and flourishing. Learn the true story that shaped her unique approaches to learning that launched her sons and scores of home educators on a voyage of academic achievement and success...despite the odds.

Room D - "Sharing the Gospel on a Child's Level" - (Child Evangelism Fellowship): 85% of people who become Christians do so between the ages of 4 to 12 years old. Do you know how to lead your child to Christ? This seminar will give you the knowledge and useful materials to do just that.