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CHALC Provides **learning co-ops & sports**, leadership events & support, **a website for each of our groups**, liability insurance for co-op activities, **educational developments & tips**, updates on homeschool legislation, **annual graduation ceremony**, music, art, & other lessons, **field trip announcements**, homeschool evaluators listing, **recognition of student achievement**, local resources & events, **homeschooling discounts...** even more items of interest to homeschoolers!

CHALC Homeschool Group Membership for the 2022/2023 school year is just \$25/family! If a family is in more than one CHALC Homeschool group, a rebate will automatically be sent in the Spring.

The various positions on the CHALC Board are filled by fellow volunteer homeschool parents. If you would like to learn more about the Board and its activities, e-mail us. Co-op members are invited to attend opening devotions and share a public comment at board meetings. Please reach out to us if you're interested. Meeting sites may change.

2014 Graduates...

Check out chalc.org for graduation info or e-mail chalc.graduation@gmail.com.

Learn about graduating with CHALC at our annual informational ice cream social! Details inside.

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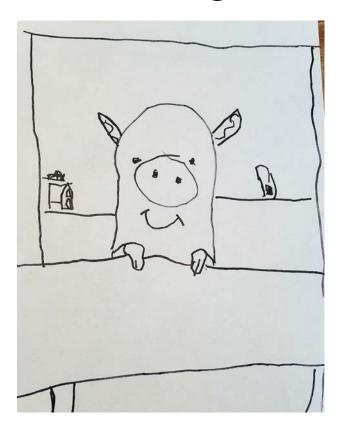
Contact us at mail@chalc.org.

It's your time to shine!

Open to Grades K-12:

Enter your artwork or creative project to **win a \$15 gift card** in EVERY issue! All you have to do is send a photo of your project or artwork to scrawls@chalc.org, and you're entered to win the random drawing.

Congrats to June's winner!



Camden Lenhard Grade 2



2024 Graduates' Ice Cream Social Enjoy an evening of ice cream

Enjoy an evening of ice cream sundaes, old & new friends, graduation information, and fun!

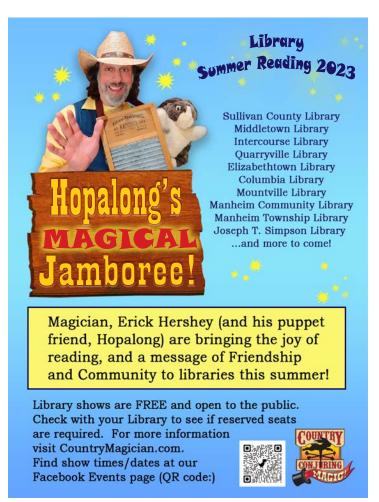
Tuesday, August 22 6:00pm - 8:00pm Kiwanis 2 Pavilion Neffsville Community Park

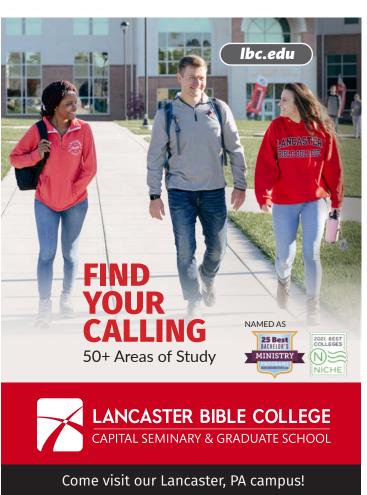
Matt Monticchio Music Lessons

- All levels and styles
- Piano, Improvisation, Composition, Theory

My name is Matt Monticchio. I have been active as a pianist, composer, teacher, performer, and church music director in the Central PA area for over 20 years. I have degrees in music education and a masters in music composition. I blend classical, jazz, improvisation, reading music, playing by ear, and music theory and history: Lessons are given at Lancaster and York locations.

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Christian Homeschool Association of Scholastic Excellence

Our mission is to equip and encourage parents who have chosen to homeschool their children by providing educational classroom opportunities in a Christ-centered environment. Classes meet on Mondays from 8:30 am to 2:00 pm at East Fairview Church of the Brethren in Manheim.

Information about C.H.A.S.E., visit our website at www.chaseacademy.org
 Julie Hostetter, Director

chasehomeschoolcoop@gmail.com
 Leadership Team: Krista Armold,
 Judith Cook, Cindy Ebersole,
 and Jana Gurtler

Upcoming Park Days:



May 22- Amos Herr
June 12- Long's Park
June 26- Overlook
July 10- Rapho Park
July 24- Tree House of Lititz
Aug 7- Daniel's Den

Fall Semester 2023

Sept. 11	First Day of Chase for Fall Semester
Sept. 18, 25	Chase Days
Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30	Chase Days
Nov.6, 13, 20	Chase Days
Nov. 27	No in person meeting
Dec. 4	Chase Day
Dec. 11	Last Day of Chase for Fall Semester

CORNERSTONE

Lower Tier

June 2023

www.CornerstoneLowerTier.com lower.tier@cornerstonehomeschoolers.com RoseAnn Kuhns Co-Director

Lauri Shumaker Co-Director

Cornerstone Lower Tier serves families with children in the nursery - 8th grade with enrichment classes, gym, choir, field trips, and opportunities to fellowship in a christian environment. We meet for eight weeks in the fall and eight weeks in the spring. All participating members are expected to serve by monitoring, teaching, and cleaning. Please visit our website for more information, and feel free to mail questions to the Directors.





"Thank You, God, for the wonderful world You created for us to learn about and enjoy."

We enjoyed field trips this year to several different places. Two of them were Gettysburg Battlefield and Longwood Gardens.



Our Calendar of Events:

- June 6 Park Day at Mt. Joy Borough Park "Joy Land"
- June 21 Park Day at East Lampeter Park
- July 6 Park Day at Daniel's Den
- July 18 Park Day at Freedom Memorial Park

It is impossible for a man to learn what he thinks he already knows.

Epictetus

June/July 2023



www.homeschool-life.com/pa/cornerstone upper.tier@cornerstonehomeschoolers.com Anne Flinchbaugh Richey Director

Cornerstone Upper Tier is a 30-week, Christian educational program for students in **7th-12th grades** and meets **Thursdays at Grace Baptist Church**. Classes are taught by professionals in the areas of Science, Literature, Writing, Art, World Languages, Social Studies, and Electives. Cornerstone Upper Tier is committed to providing a **regular rotation of core academic classes** necessary for graduation and a variety of elective classes to help you meet your educational goals. **Please visit our website** for more information.

May the Lord keep watch between you and me when we are away from each other.

ENJOY THE SUMMER!



Upper Tier students and teachers gather for a photo on the last day of classes.

Saturday, June 10th 2023 4:00pm – 7:00pm Upper Tier Long's Park Social Planned by Student Council

You are invited to join us in building your transcripts and your friendships!

June July 2023



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Featured Classes

- World Languages Multi-year courses in Spanish, French & German plus an introduction to Hebrew.
- Stand Alone Science Labs Can be taken to supplement Apologia science texts General Science, Physical Science, Biology, as well as Environmental Science.
- Space Exploration STEM intensive full-year science class.
- History Options Art History, Music History, High School World History.
- English Middle School Literature, Creative Writing
- Electives Photography, Bible Depicting, Fencing, Yearbook

CHECK LIVE REGISTRATION MATRIX ON WEBSITE FOR MOST CURRENT AVAILABILITY

2023-2024 Dates

Fall 2023

August 24 New member orientation, 31 September 7, 14, 21, 28 October 5, 12, 19, 26 November 2, 9, 16, 30 December 7, 14

Spring 2024

January 4, 11, 18, 25 February 1, 8, 15, 22,29 March 7, 14, 21 March 28 is spring break April 4, 11, 18, 25 snow makeup

	Cornersto	one Upper Tier 202	3-2024 Tentative Cl	ass So	chedule	
8-8:55	9-9:55	10-10:55	11-11:55	lunch	12:30-1:25	1:30-2:25
*Environ. Sci. Lab (12 weeks)	*General Sci Lab (12 weeks)	*Yearbook	Middle School Character Building Literature (s)		Middle School Character Building Lit (f)(s)(7 wks)	
*Biology Lab (12 weeks)	*Physical Sci Lab (12 weeks)	*Bible Depicting (f) *Photography (s)	*Academic Writing			
PSAT Prep (4 weeks)	Biology A	*General Science	Environmental Sci.		Biology B	
Chemistry Lab (26 weeks)	Chemistry	*Physical Science	Physics			*Space Exploration
MUS Algebra 2	*MUS Pre Algebra	MUS Geometry	Saxon Algebra 1			
*Spanish 1A	Psychology	Consumer Math	Creative Writing (& Poetry) (f)		Pre- Calculus	
*Civics(f) *Geography (s)	*Old Test History (f) *New Test History (s)	Sci Fi Literature	*Castles,Kings,Battles(f) *Art History (s)		*Writers Workshop	*Grammar & Essay
*World History & Literature	*U.S. History & Literature	*Academic Writing	*Middle School Literature (f)(s)			*Shakespeare (f) *Jane Austen Lit (s)
	*Vocal Ensemble	Watercolor & Painting	*Music History (f) *Music Theory (s)		HS American History	HS World History
*Gym (f)(s)	*Master of Defense (f)(s)	*Master of Defense (f)(s)	*Home Repair (f)(s)		*Woodworking I & II	
Watercolor & Painting	*Artistic Crafts		*Sewing I & II (f)(s)		Advanced Art	*Basic Art
	Spanish 3	Spanish 2	Spanish 1B		*Spanish 1A	Spanish 4
	*Intro to French	French 2	French 1B		*French 1A	French 3
*Hebrew		German 1B	*Intro to German		*German 1A	German 4

^{*}Appropriate for middle school students (f) Fall semester (s) Spring semester



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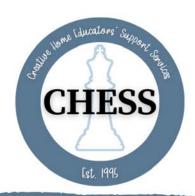
My name is Julia Roper. I am a **private piano teacher in the Lancaster area**. I am currently seeking to expand my student base for lessons this summer into the fall school year. My background is mostly in classical music with performance and accompaniment experience throughout high school and college.



EDITOR'S CHOICE!

I have experience teaching kids to teens both privately and through SWAN4Kids, a local nonprofit music organization in the area. My rate is \$20/half hour, and I do most lessons at my house in Manheim Township.

I welcome **beginner to advanced students**. I have openings both mornings and afternoons, especially on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Fridays. If any of your parents would like to get in contact, my email is **roperjulia1@gmail.com** and my phone number is **717-575-9320**.



Looking for a supportive Homeschool Co-op that feels like family? Try CHESS!

CHESS is a friendly, faith-based community located in Elizabethtown offering valuable learning support for families.

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Conestoga Valley Homeschoolers

www.homeschool-life.com/pa/cvhomeschoolers/

CV Homeschoolers, a Christian-based, parent-run co-op meets ten weeks from September through November and ten weeks from February through April on Thursday afternoons.

We offer Nursery and Preschool. Grades K-6 have choir, gym, and an elective each semester. Grades 7 and up have two or three electives each semester with music/choir in the spring. Electives include academic and non-academic classes.

Membership fee includes ALL classes for ALL of your children for both semesters. Some classes may require that you purchase certain books or pay additional fees to cover needed supplies, but we always try to offer a "no-additional cost" class option for every period and age group.



Our parents volunteer to teach the classes and fill helper positions. We rely on parent participation and offer activities that parents are willing to organize and staff. This keeps our costs low and affordable for all family sizes and incomes.

Conestoga House and Gardens

June 20, 2023 - 1:00 PM

1608 Marietta Ave., Lancaster, PA 17603

Annual Mom's Day at Conestoga House and Gardens

The gardens open at noon, and we'll plan on eating at 1, so please arrive by then. Britt Shouey will provide plates, cups, napkins, and silverware. Please bring your favorite summer dish/dessert/drink and a utensil to serve it!

*TO PURCHASE TICKETS, PLEASE VISIT https://conestogahouse.com

AND PURCHASE A SINGLE DAY ADMISSION FOR THAT DAY. IT'S \$10 PER PERSON UNLESS YOU ALREADY HAVE A MEMBERSHIP. TICKETS GO QUICKLY, SO IF YOU'RE THINKING OF GOING, HOP ON THE WEBSITE, AND PURCHASE SOON!

Can't wait to spend another day with you all in such a beautiful location!

CV Homeschoolers Summer Park Tour 2023

We will meet from 10:00 - 2:00 pm every other Thursday. Please feel free to bring a picnic lunch along to enjoy with friends!

April 13 - Overlook Park - 2040 Lititz Pike, Lancaster

April 27 - Lititz Tree House - 300 W. Orange St., Lititz

May 11 - Rapho Township - 960 Strickler Rd., Mt. Joy

May 25 - Amos Herr Park - 1700 Nissley Rd., Landisville

June 8 - Intercourse Community Park - 3730 Old Philadelphia Pike, Gordanville

June 22 - Muddy Run - 172 Betheseda Church Rd W, Holtwood

July 6 - Lloyd H. Roland Memorial Park - 221 N. 11th St., Akron

July 20 - Paradise Park - 6 London Vale Rd., Gordanville

August 3 - Lititz Springs Park - 18 N. Broad St., Lititz

August 17 - East Lampeter Township Community Park - 230 Hobson Rd., Lancaster

August 31 - Memorial Park - 297 Park Ave., Quarryville

September 7 - Daniels Den Playground - 530 Central Manor Rd., Lancaster

Find your place in Jesus' Peaceful Revolution.





June 5th - June 10th

High School Week brings together students from across the country to our campus in downtown Boston for five days of community, learning, and faith-building. What You'll Get:

- 1. Explore Downtown Boston
- 2. Attend Sample College Classes
- 3. Stay in our Back Bay Dorms
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Reserve Your Spot @ sattler.edu/events





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• East Fairview COB

Manheim, PA

Purpose

Our goal is to have Christ formed within our children.

My dear children, for whom I am again in the pains of childbirth until Christ is formed in you. -Galations 4:19

About Us

- -26 week academic co-op
- -Meet on Tuesdays
- -9 AM 2:30 PM
- -Upper classes receive all needed instruction for science, history, writing and literature
- -High school students may attend without a parent
- -Moms enjoy connecting in a family atmosphere

Extras

-Accepting registrations until July 31, 2023

MACH

Manheim Area Christian Homeschoolers

https://www.homeschool-life.com/pa/mach

Class Dates 2023-2024

October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 September: 12, 19, 26 November: 7, 14, 21 December: winter break January: 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 February: 6, 13, 20, 27

March: 12, 19, 26 April: 2, 9, 16

AM Class Schedule

	9 – 10 am	10 - 11 am	11 – 12 am	12:30 - 1:30
Nursery	Child Care Provided	Child Care Provided	Child Care Provided	
2 & 3's	Storytime	Snack & Activity	Playtime/Gross Motor Skill Activities	
Preschool (3 ½ -5)	Alphabet time	Activity & Snack	Motor Skill Activities	
Kindergarten-2nd Grade	Science	History	Gym (K-2nd)	
3 rd Grade	Science: Apologia Flying Creatures of the 5th Day	Gym (3-6)	US History	
4th Grade	Science: Apologia Zoology 2 (Swimming Creatures)	Gym (3-6)	PA History	
5 th & 6 th Grades	Science: BJU 6/Apologia Exploring Creation with Astronomy	Gym (3-6)	Ancient Civilizations	
7 th & 8 th Grades	Earth Science	American History (With 9 th)	Writing and Literature	
9 th Grade	Physical Science with lab (may begin at 8:40 some mornings)	American History (with 7 th & 8th)	Writing and Literature	
10 th – 12 th Grades	Biology w/ lab (May start at 8:40 some weeks)	English w/ British Lit. Emphasis	Modern World History and World Religions	Spanish I

Summer Park Days

-May 23: Grubb Lake Park

-June 20: Amos Herr Park

-July 18: Daniel's Den

-August 15: TBD

Members' Family Picnic

September 10, 2023









Fall & Spring Elective Schedule

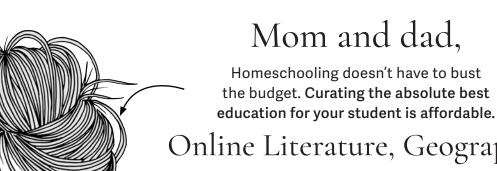
	LECTIVE JLE 2023	SPRING E SCHEDU	
12:30 - 1:30	1:30 - 2:30	12:30 - 1:30	1:30 - 2:30
Music & Movement (Ages 3 - grade 1)	Open Nursery	Music & Movement (Ages 3 - grade 1)	Open Nursery
Gym Games / Presidents (grades 2 - 6)	Elementary Art (grades 2 - 6)	Gym Games / Presidents (grades 2 - 6)	Health /CPR (grades 2 - 6)
Spanish I (grades 8-12)	Volleyball (grades 7 - 12)	Spanish I (grades 8-12)	Volleyball (grades 7 - 12)
Financial Class (grades 9-12)			

Class Descriptions

Please refer to our website for specific descriptions: https://www.homeschool-life.com/pa/mach

At MACH our classes are on a scheduled rotational basis. You will receive all the necessary training in science, history, and physical education in the elementary grades. In the secondary grades your child will receive all the necessary training in science, history, and in writing and literature.



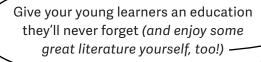


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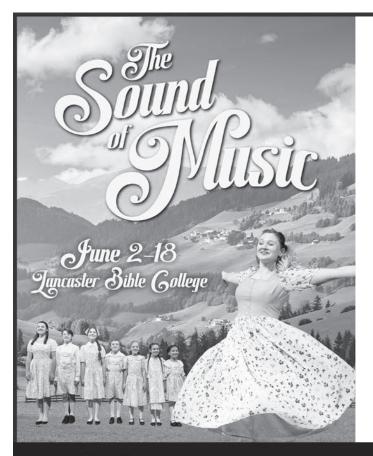
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MONDAY NIGHT **DROP-IN CLASSES**



JUNE 5 REBECCA GENTRY 5:00-6:00pm Ages 8-13 7:15-8:15pm Ages 11-18



JUNE 12 AUTUMN PHILLIPS 5:00-6:00pm Ages 8-13 Ages 11-18 7:15-8:15pm



SCOTT WORLEY 5:00-6:00pm Ages 8-13 7:15-8:15pm Ages 11-18

All classes pay-what-you-will!

For more information, including a list of upcoming classes and instructors, visit SERVANTSTAGE.ORG/MONDAYS

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Firmly Planted Classical Community









We are a **Christ-centered**, **classical co-op** meeting for 24 core weeks (in Millersville on Monday's) dedicated to intentional community and like-minded discipleship of our children for the Gospel's sake.





To facilitate the **Grammar Stage** (ages 4-12) in community we:

- -Introduce <u>weekly memorization</u> across seven subject areas.
- -Practice <u>public speaking</u> and <u>active listening</u> skills at age-appropriate levels.
- -Grow in the foundational skills of and appreciation for classical visual arts and music.
- -Experience hands-on science accompanied by Socratic dialogue.





To prepare for the logic and rhetoric stages (during **grades 4-6**) we offer <u>English grammar</u>, <u>applied conceptual mathematical</u> games and challenges, and <u>writing composition</u> (utilizing the Institute for Excellence in Writing program).

Membership is limited. Currently accepting applications.

Contact: firmly.planted.classical@gmail.com









He will be like a tree **firmly planted** by streams of water, which yields its fruit in its season and its leaf does not wither; and in whatever he does he prospers. **Praim** 1:3





Want to have more control over your schedule & choose which opportunities your students are involved in? Then **Lititz Home Educators** could be right for you! Go to **www.lititzhomeeducators.com** to learn more about our unique co-op.

** This is a parents only meetup **



The Educators Affiliation of Christian Homeschoolers www. teachhomeschoolers.com



TEACH exists to enhance and encourage home-centered, parentdirected Christian education in Northeastern Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

TEACH seeks to enhance the teaching and nurturing skills of home education parents through organized classes, field trips, and supplementary resources.

As members of TEACH co-op you can choose any or all of the programs available that could be instrumental to your homeschooling journey.

Schedule:

August 1 - Registration Deadline for Fall Classes September 5 - First Day of Fall Classes

Field Trips: will resume in the fall

Forest School:

June 2 - Big Hike Friday/Kelly's Run Loop

June 9 - Program Friday/Stream Study

June 16 - Nature Craft Friday/Mud Pies @ Landis Woods Park

June 23 - Book Club Friday/The BFG @ Shenks Ferry

June 30 - Summer Celebration with the Mast Family

July 7 - Program Friday/Fireflies

July 14 - Nature Craft Friday/Nature Threading @ Climber's Run

July 28 - Book Club Friday/Firefly Hollow @ Nolde Forest

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER FOR **CLASSES AND OTHER ACTIVITIES, VIST**

www.homeschool-life.com/PA/TEACH

General Questions? email Tammy Cress at teachomeschooler@gmail.com

TEACH OFFERS

Organized classes

We are a parent run co-op that provides two 10 week semesters in the fall and spring (Some upper-level academic classes run for 30 weeks.)

We meet on Tuesdays from 9am-2pm. Choose the classes that best suit your family's needs, you can stay for one hour or the full five hours. Parents are expected to stay the whole time and serve for at least one hour. Questions please contact Katie Walker at bethanygracecoop@gmail.com

Sports

- Soccer
- Basketball

Questions please contact Amy Mease at damease95@gmail.com

Track & Field Day

is hosted once a year in May with races and activities for all ages Kindergarten - high school.

Field Trip Group

Once a month trip planned during the school year.

Questions about this program or to register, contact Samantha Hanks at teachcellgroups@gmail.com

Forest School

Outdoor adventures planned weekly during the school year. There is a long hike Friday, nature project Friday, educational program Friday and a book club Friday. Questions about this program please contact Amy Rhoads at forestschooladventures@gmail.com

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TEACH 2023 - 2024 Classes Visit www.teachhomeschoolers.com for complete information and to register. Registration Deadline: August 15, 2023

	COURSE A	COURSE B	COURSE C	COURSE D	COURSE E	COURSE F	COURSE G	COURSE H	COURSEI	COURSEJ	COURSE K	COURSE M	-	COURSE N
9:00-10:00	Adventure Little Kids Pre-K - 1st Missy Landes	Math Games & Uttermost Activities Parts of th Pre-K - 1st Earth Jewel Martin K - 3rd	Uttermost Parts of the Earth K - 3rd	Game Time! 1st - 4th Corinne Groff	Immersion Spanish - Part 1 3rd - 5th Lillian Santiago	Calligraphy and Mixed M Creative Lettering 5th - 8th 4th - Adult Joanna E Joan Benjamin	Mixed Media Art Sth - 8th Joanna Eberly	Middle & High Anatomy & School Choir Physiology 6th - Adult (Apologia) Hannah Part 1	Anatomy & Physiology (Apologia) Part 1	Chess Club 7th - 12th Letitia Weaver	Pies, Crisps and Crumbles 7th - 12th			
									M. Jarvis, A. Coulson		Cress			
10:00-11:00	Pollywogs Pre-School Samantha Hanks	Uttermost Parts of the Earth Pre-School - K Ruth Zentner	Row With Me (F.I.A.R) K - 2nd Janelle High	Elementary Chorus 1st - 6th Virginia Thorpe	7 C's of History 2nd - 6th Dawn Caracio	Tails From History Anatomy & 3rd - 5th Physiology Tanya Bollinger (Apologia) P M. Jarvís, A. Coulson Coulson	Anatomy & Physiology (Apologia) Part 1 3rd - 5th M. Jarvis, A. Coulson	Life Draw II Sth - 12th Joan Benjamin	PA Art History 5th - Adult John Everhart	Immersion Writing the Spanish - Part Research 1 Paper Gth - 8th 7th - 9th Lillian Christine Santiago Miklas	Writing the Research Paper 7th - 9th Christine Miklas			
11:00-12:00	11:00-12:00 Munchkin Gym Beginner 1 Language Pre-K - K Pre-K - 1st Amy Rhoads Jewel Marr	Beginner Fundame Language Arts of Music Pre-K - 1st K - 2nd Jewel Martin Virginia T	Fundamentals of Music K - 2nd Virginia Thorpe	Heroes of the Faith Part III 2nd - 6th Dawn Caracio	Finding the Fruit Writing the in Me Research Pa 3rd - 4th 4th - 6th Melissa Tappin Christine Mi	Writing the Research Paper 4th - 6th Christine Miklas	Life Draw I 4th - 12th Joan Benjamin	Crochet for Beginners 4th - Adult Leah Smith	Basics of Quilting 5th - Adult R. Flynn, L. Berglund	Games Galore! 5th - 12th Amy Eberly	Gym Games 6th - 12th Ruth Zentner			
12:00-13:00	Wiggly Worms Elem Pre-School - 1st Gym Lisa Mast K - 5t Ruth	Elementary Gym K - 5th Ruth Zentner	Adventure Boys 2nd - 6th Missy Landes	Adventure Boys Elementary Art 2nd - 6th 4th - 6th Missy Landes Gail Miller	Christ to Now: History of Christianity 4th - 8th Marcyanna Fox	The Daring Class for Girls 4th - 8th Amy Eberly	Board Game Theory 4th - Adult Jamie Eberly	Music Around Life Draw III the World 5th - 12th 5th - 8th Joan Virginia Benjamin Thorpe	Life Draw III 5th - 12th Joan Benjamin	Laura Ingalls 6th - 8th Renee Flynn		CPR/first aid 7th - Adult Rebecca Schulze		
13:00-14:00	13:00-14:00 ABC fun for littles Pre-K- K Katrina Mowrey	Munchkin Gym 2 1st - 2nd Amy Rhoads	Finding the Fruit in Me 1st - 2nd Melissa Tappin	Turn of the 20th Century American History 2nd - 5th Shallon Rohrer	Backyard Games Worms 3rd - 6th 3rd - 6tl Amy Eberly Lisa Ma	Worms 3rd - 6th Lisa Mast	Needle Felting 101 3rd - 6th Dawn Caracio	Create Your Own Board Game - Part 1 4th - Adult Jamie Eberly	Sewing class (Self)Port Sth - Adult and Figur Renee Flynn, Drawing Laurie 5th - Adu Berglund Joan Benjamir	Sewing class (Self)Portrait Sth - Adult and Figure Annee Fiynn, Drawing Laurie 5th - Adult Berglund Joan Benjamin	The History of Christian Civilization Part 1 6th - 12th Joel Saint			Intro to Classical Singing 9th - 12th Marcyanna Fox

2023-202	2023-2024 Year 30 Week Classes	Week Clas	ses				
	COURSEQ	COURSE K	COURSEL	COURSE M	COURSE N	COURSE O	COURSE P
9:00-10:00			Geometry 9th - 12th Jennifer Eberly	Apologia Biology Lab Class 9th - 12th Darlene McCosby	Pre-engineering Electricity 9th - 12th Larry Everhart		
10:00-11:00			German 1A 7th - Adult Shallon Rohrer	Meteorology 8th - 12th Larry Everhart	Church History through the Ages from 33 A.D. to 1517 A.D. 9th - 12th Melissa Horning	Church History Apologia Anatomy through the Ages & Physiology Lab from 33 A.D. to Class 1617 A.D. 12th Darlene McCosby Melissa Horning	
11:00-12:00	Pre- engineering Electronics 10th - 12th Larry Everhart		A Studio for a Well-Rounded Art Critic 6th - Adult John Everhart	German 1B 8th - Adult Shallon Rohrer	Algebra 1 8th - 10th Jennifer Eberly	Veterinary Science 10th - 12th Darlene McCosby	Literature for Life 9th - 12th Melissa Horning
12:00-13:00	Apologia Physics Lab 11th - 12th Larry Everhart	Comic Illustration & The Art of Portraiture 6th - 12th John Everhart	Pre-Algebra 7th - 9th Jennifer Eberly		Basic Grammar and Writing 9th - 12th Melissa Horning	Apologia Chemistry Lab 9th - 12th Darlene McCosby	Your Yearbook 9th - 12th Meredith Jarvis
13:00-14:00	Apologia Physics Lab Continued (2 hr. class) 11th - 12th		Sculpture 7th - 12th Letitia Weaver	A Studio Introduction to Architecture & Interior Design 9th - 12th			Apologia Chemistry Lab Continued (2 hr. class) 9th - 12th Darlene McCosby



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Lancaster Alliance Church 210 Pitney Road, Lancaster

SUMMER CALENDAR:

Jun 12th: TOG Swim Day

Every Tuesday from Jun 6th - Aug 29th (excluding July 4th): Outdoor Day

Enrollment for new families for 2023-2024 is now closed. Enrollment for the 2024-2025 school year will open in Feb 2024.











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CO-OP DAYS INCLUDE

Parent led Classes

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RSVP IS REQUIRED FOR EACH EVENT 717-341-5256

Tuesday May 23: Kayaking at Middle Creek Lake

Bring your own vessel or rent one from "Middle Creek Kayaks". This is a wonderful introduction to kayaking as well as a good opportunity to birdwatch or fish from the shore.

Friday, June 9: Middle Creek Wildlife Preserve Hike & Visitor's Center Tour

Pack a lunch and join us as we go on a short (stroller friendly hike) enjoy a picnic together and tour the visitor's center.

Thursday, July 20: Family Picnic & Water Play at Mill Creek in Lancaster, PA

Whole families will gather for a campfire potluck supper, fishing, tubing, kayaking, swimming, archery, and meadow games

We will meet from 10-12pm at varying local parks. Contact our Park Coordinator at 419-786-9249 for the week's location.



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FORMAT: Moms teach or help in classes for two hours and join "Prayer & Share," a time of fellowship & encouragement with other moms, for a third hour. Elementary (nursery thru 6th) meets 8 weeks each fall and spring; nursery provided. Second Level academic classes meet 12 weeks each semester.

TIME: We meet on Wednesdays with required devotions and announcements starting at 8:45 am. Classes begin at 9 am. We have three class periods for 55 minutes each, ending at noon. All families are welcome to enjoy their lunches together afterwards.

MEMBERSHIP: Includes classes, track & field day, standardized testing option, CHEX Showcase, social events & more.

Fall Semester Classes

Whole group meets:

9/13, 9/20, 9/27, 10/4, 10/18, 10/25, 11/1, 11/8

<u>Additional 12- & 24-week class dates:</u> 9/6, 11/15, 11/29, 12/6

LOCATION: Calvary Baptist Church, 530 Milton Road, Lancaster (off Lampeter Road), centrally located near Rt. 30. We use CBC's facilities, but we are not affiliated with the church.

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Membership Options

<u>Full Membership:</u> Families with students of any age are eligible for Full Membership. Both parents and students attend CHEX on Wednesday mornings. Students take classes during all three hours. Parents participate in Prayer and Share time, teach and assist in classes, and volunteer in other roles. Full membership is based on number of students in the family with the fee capped after 4 students.

<u>Drop-off Membership:</u> High School students and their siblings are eligible for drop-off membership. Parents are not required to be present at CHEX on Wednesdays. Drop-off membership fee is based on number of classes taken.

Registration payments due July 1

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FALL SEMESTER 2023

Aug. 30	UL-15 week classes begin
Sept. 6	UL-10 week classes begin
Oct. 18	UL-15 week virtual day UL-10 Fall Break
Nov. 15	UL-10 week classes end
Nov. 22	Thanksgiving Break
Dec. 13	UL-15 week classes end

SPRING SEMESTER 2024

Jan. 3	UL-15 week classes begin
Feb. 7	UL-10 week classes begin
March 27	Spring Break/Snow Make-up
Apr. 17	UL-10 & UL-15 week classes end



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REGISTRATION FOR FALL CLASSES CLOSES ON AUGUST lst.

9	-	Option 1	Option 2	oe fees for ULB classes are waiv Option 3	Option 4	Option 5	Option 6
9:20am - 10:20am	Session 1 Fall	Chemistry Cliff Zeller Waltlist	Pre-Algebra Greg Hershberger 30 weeks	Art History Ellen Campbell 30 weeks	Survivel Using Math and Engineering Mark Campbell 15 weeks	Waithst	
	Spring				Mechanical Drawing Mark Campbell 15 weeks	Intro to Crochet* Miriam Bowers 10 weeks	
10:25am - 11:55am	Session 2 Fall	Biology Cliff Zeller 30 weeks	Physical Science Mark Campbell 30 weeks	Theater Arts (CO-OP TRACK ONLY) T.A. Team 20+ weeks	World History Ellen Campbell 30 weeks	Culinary Arts 1*	
1 1	Spring			201 Weeks		Manced Culinary Arts* 10 weeks	
- wdi	Session 3 Fall	Consumer Math Mark Campbell 30 weeks	Algebra II Greg Hershberger 30 weeks	Photography & Graphic Design Kevin Goss	Intro to Teaching Ellen Campbell 15 weeks	Middle School Health Leigh Ann Rohrer 15 weeks	Wood Carving* Lanc. Woodcarvers 10 weeks
12::50pm - 1:50pm	Spring			15 or 30 weeks option	Research Writing Ellen Campbell 15 weeks	PA History Cliff Zeller 15 weeks	Drawing Amanda Zook 15 weeks
1:55pm- 2:55pm	Session 4 Fall		ssion 4 Mark Campbell Ellen Campbell 15 weeks 15 weeks	Artistic Crafts Kevin Goss 15 or 30 weeks option	Waterst 10 weeks	Anatomy & Physiology Leigh Ann Rohrer 15 weeks	Elegant Essay* Alice Neison 10 weeks
2:5	Spring Computer Programming Ellen Campbell Mark Campbell 15 weeks 15 weeks		Advanced Volleyball Janette Stauffer Lisa Zook 10 weeks		Speech* 15 weeks		
- md	Session 5 Fall	Event Planning Rev. Joe Burchill 10 weeks	Krav Maga William McGee 10 weeks	Painting Kevin Goss 15 or 30 weeks option			
3:00pm - 4:00pm	Spring	Basketball 10 weeks	Dance Sampler Jen Hahn, Facilitaor 10 weeks				



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>>> CHALC Groups

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A Christian co-op offering weekly classes. We meet on Mondays from 8:30 - 2:00 at East Fairview COB in Manheim. Classes are a 30-week commitment. Opportunities include academic and elective courses, music, sports, and field trips. Our mission is to equip and encourage parents who have chosen to homeschool their children by providing educational classroom opportunities in a Christ-centered environment. Members must participate by teaching or helping in classes for the benefit of the group.

CHEX (Christian Homeschoolers Exchange)

www.chexhomeschool.org

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CHEX is a group of homeschool families joining together to fellowship, encourage each other in our life's journeys, and provide excellent group learning opportunities for our children. We meet as a whole group on Wednesday mornings from 8:45am - 12:00pm at Calvary Baptist Church in Lancaster, 8 weeks in the fall and 8 weeks in the winter. High school academic and some elective classes meet an additional 8 weeks for a total of 24 weeks.

Conestoga Valley Homeschoolers

www.homeschool-life.com/pa/cvhomeschoolers/

We're a Christian-based, parent-run co-op that meets ten weeks from September through November and ten weeks from February through April on Thursday afternoons. We offer Nursery and Preschool. Grades K-6 have choir, gym, and an elective each semester. Grades 7 & up have two or three electives each semester with music/ choir in the spring. Electives include academic and non-academic classes.

Membership fee includes ALL classes for ALL of your children for both semesters. Some classes may require that you purchase certain books or pay additional fees, but we always try to offer a no-additional cost class option for every period and age group. We rely on parent participation and offer activities that parents are willing to organize and staff. This keeps our costs low & affordable for all family sizes & incomes.

Cornerstone Upper Tier

http://www.homeschool-life.com/pa/cornerstone

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Upper Tier is a 30-week, Christian, educational program for students in 7th-12th grades that meets on Thursdays. Classes are taught by professionals in the areas of science, literature, writing, art, world languages, social studies, and electives. Tuition is required. Annual registration begins in April for best class availability. Rolling registration accepted. Space still available.

Cornerstone Lower Tier

www.homeschool-life.com/PA/cornerstonelowertier/

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Cornerstone Homeschoolers Lower Tier is a Christian organization that seeks to provide quality educational opportunities along with support for families that are homeschooling their children. The Lower Tier is a co-op type structure where parents provide gym, choir, and enrichment classes for Nursery - 8th Grade. We meet 16 weeks on Thursday afternoons from 12:00- 4:00pm at Grace Baptist Church in Lancaster. Students may participate in track & field day, Valentine's exchange, picnics, field trips, choral concerts, and the learning fair. Because we are run by member parents, all participating students must have a parent who is an active participant in planning, teaching, monitoring and cleaning up.



Faith Outreach Homeschoolers of East Donegal

Not accepting new members at this time.

Firm Foundations Academy

Contact: Sarah Northup

www.firmfoundationsacademy.com

At Firm Foundations, we believe that children are made in the image of God, "Imago Dei," and that all students, including those that struggle to learn traditionally, should have access to schooling that teaches truth, beauty, and goodness. We offer a classically minded hybrid homeschool program that seeks to glorify God through educating all students. We meet in Ephrata, PA and serve families in Lancaster County and surrounding areas. Students attend Firm Foundations two days a week and work from home on structured assignments three days a week. We employ high academic standards based on the classical philosophy of education and utilize curricula and a methodology that purposes to educate the whole child. Our goal is to provide a sense of community, support, and resources to help all students within our program to have a positive and enriching educational experience.

Firmly Planted Classical Community

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We are a Christ-centered, classical co-op meeting for 24 core weeks dedicated to intentional community and like-minded discipleship of our children for the Gospel's sake. To facilitate the Grammar Stage (ages 4-12) in community we: Introduce weekly memorization across seven subject areas. -Practice public speaking and active listening skills at age-appropriate levels. -Grow in the foundational skills of and appreciation for classical art and music. -Experience hands-on science accompanied by Socratic dialogue. To prepare for the logic and rhetoric stages (during grades 4-6) we offer English grammar, applied conceptual mathematical games and challenges, and writing composition (utilizing the Institute for Excellence in Writing program). Membership is limited. Currently accepting applications.

Kingdom Homeschool Services

Contact: Susana Brown

https://www.homeschool-life.com/PA/kingdom/

We are a group that functions with the help of parents. Qualified teachers are brought in to teach all subjects during the day. We offer different programs to help support various family needs as their journey through their homeschool adventure.

Learning Station

www.homeschool-life.com/pa/lscoop

Contact: Stacy Dieffenbach (Co-op), Jen Hahn (Upper-Level)

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Learning Station supports homeschool families by providing a cooperative learning environment in which students develop academically and socially in a Christian community. Learning Station meets at Lancaster Evangelical Free Church in Lititz, PA. Classes meet on Wednesdays. Co-op track is open to families with students from infant through 12th grade, while upper-level only track is open to students in 7th through 12th grade. To learn more about Learning Station, visit www.homeschool-life.com/pa/lscoop/ and click on the FAQ link.

Manheim Area Christian Homeschoolers

www.homeschool-life.com/pa/mach

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MACH is a 26 week Christian-based co-op offering classes for nursery through high school. We strive to provide quality academic and elective courses to help facilitate and support families in their homeschooling endeavors. We meet on Tuesdays at East Fairview Church of the Brethren. Academic classes are held in the morning from 9am-12pm, with optional elective classes held in the afternoons from 12:30pm - 2:30pm. Members are required to participate by teaching and helping in classes. An option for high school students to attend without a parental participation in MACH is available.

Second Plane Homeschool Collective

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Second Plane Homeschool Collective is a Christian hybrid, Montessori-inspired homeschool group that meets up to 2.5 days a week for 15 weeks in the fall and 15 weeks in the spring. Parents partner with a Pennsylvania certified teacher to create a continuous learning experience from the community classroom to home learning.

TEACH (The Educators Affiliation of Christian Homeschoolers)

www.homeschool-life.com/pa/teach

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TEACH provides support for homeschooling families in Lancaster and southern Berks counties. Our support is distinctively Christian and includes co-op classes, cell groups, sports teams, music, field trips, and special events. We accept new participants but require each member to commit to volunteering in a way that benefits the group.

Treasures of Grace Home Educators

www.homeschool-life.com/pa/treasuresofgrace

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The mission of Treasures of Grace Educational Home School Association is to support the member home-schooling families through friendship development, encouragement, and prayer; and to provide an opportunity for students to explore subjects which are best experienced in a group setting. Treasures of Grace meets bi-monthly for a total of 16 weeks of co-op. Co-op time is from 9:00-12:30. We offer classes for nursery through high school. Members pay an annual fee. We meet on Tuesdays at Lancaster Alliance Church, 210 Pitney Road, Lancaster, PA.

Vine and Branches Homeschoolers

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WHO IS THE GROUP FOR: Christian homeschooling families that seek community and shared learning experiences as a supplement to their home-based schooling. This is a cooperative rooted in faith in Jesus and the truths in His Word. WHERE: Northwestern Lancaster County meeting in Ephrata at Dove Westgate Church! WHEN: Main gatherings will be on Wednesdays starting at 9:00 AM. We aim to offer 3 learning sessions including 2 classroom based and 1 session for physical education. There will also be a short group devotion time and a shared lunch together. We will meet approximately 10 weeks in Autumn and Spring.





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