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Harlan County homeschoolers stand firm - By Jan Fletcher

As early as 1648, American settlers established the tradition of the “bucket brigade” in New Amsterdam (later New York). Local officials distributed hundreds of buckets to the populace. Prominent citizens, appointed to the “Rattle Watch,” volunteered to patrol the streets nightly, while holding large, wooden rattles. When a fire was spotted, the men spun the rattles, and citizens quickly mobilized into bucket brigades. Strong men passed the filled buckets from the water source to the fire, while women and children returned the empty buckets back down the line.

When a new conflagration threatened to engulf homeschool families in Harlan County this spring, members of a Harlan County support group formed their own bucket brigade. As a result, they successfully quenched the latest attack on homeschoolers in Kentucky.

In April, Harlan County school officials put local homeschool families on notice: prepare for home visits. For the first time, however, a new twist was added. Crichton Comer, a state Department of Education official, intended to go door to door with Nancy Bryant, the Director of Pupil Personnel for Harlan County. According to Home School Legal Defense Association, Comer has claimed only 50 percent of homeschoolers are doing an adequate job,

Scott Somerville, Home School Legal Defense Association staff attorney, said the visits “may be no more than a ‘crackdown’ intended to force children out of homeschools into public schools.” Harlan County homeschoolers suspected the new demand to visit all homeschoolers may have been related to Harlan County’s plans to merge the town’s existing three high schools into one, expensive new

central high school.

Whatever the reason for the intended visits, the “Rattle Watch” went into action. Don Woolett, of Christian Home Educators of Kentucky, arrived in Harlan, prepared to mobilize and encourage homeschooling families to stand firm and defend their rights. Under pressure from school officials, one family had agreed to meet school officials at the local library. “I talked to them,” said Woolett. “They were going to submit. They ended up not submitting.”

Woolett came armed with facts on homeschool rights in Kentucky, which was the “water” necessary to put out the fire. “It was a pretty good meeting — very productive,” he said. “About 25 families came and I gave them the normal run-down, according to the Best Practices.” The Best Practices is a document that outlines interactions between DPP’s and homeschool families, as well as the responsibility of homeschooling families to submit the letter of intent to the local school district. Woolett told Harlan County homeschoolers to refuse to let school officials into their homes unless they had a warrant, and suggested they tape record interactions with school officials. “I highlighted certain aspects of Best Practices,” said Woolett. “Overall, I thought they were familiar with Best

Practices, but not as educated as to specific details.”

A similar situation occurred several years ago in Meade County, said Woolett, when officials stated their intent to visit all homeschoolers, except no one was involved from the state Department of Education. “It resolves when people start standing firm, saying, ‘these are my rights, and I know what my rights are.’ Usually the system will back off.”

The key to the Harlan support group’s success is that they lined up together, and stood together — just like the bucket brigades of America’s colonial past.

Woolett reminds homeschoolers that school officials have admitted to him that they go after homeschoolers who are not connected to local support groups or state organizations. “They go after those who try to wing it on their own. They’ve told me, ‘If we find someone who’s not connected, we’re going after

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KHEA Articles by YOU!

The next KHEA Newsletter is expected to be published in late Aug./early Sept. Have you ever thought about writing an article for the KHEA newsletter? We’d love to have more membership involvement as to what goes in the Newsletter. If you have an announcement you would like to submit, or an article to submit to the Fall KHEA newsletter, please send it to kheanews@wk.net by August 1st.

KHEA’s contact info has changed!

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Lunch with KDE Homeschool Liaison

I recently had lunch with Mr. Crichton Comer, who is the Kentucky Department of Education liaison to homeschools. Connie Laffin and I have met Mr. Comer on a couple of other occasions and we thought it would be a good idea to get to know him better and to give him the opportunity to get to know us as well.

We had a good talk. One of the things that we definitely agree on is the importance of the Best Practice Document. Mr. Comer says that he is sending copies to DPPs who request information. He believes that many questions about homeschooling can be answered by reading the document. This is the best reason for all homeschoolers to make sure they have a copy of the Best Practice Document. Read it and be familiar with what it contains! The Best Practice Document is the first place to go for answers to questions about your homeschooling rights and responsibilities.

- Bill Monroe, KHEA Board

Need to join HSLDA? (Home School Legal Defense Association)

You can access an application online at www.hslda.org. KHEA members may use the KHEA discount number, # 291057, to receive a 15% discount on HSLDA membership.

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them. 'The biggest weapon the system has is intimidation and scare tactics,' said Woolett.

This strategy was confirmed in Harlan County. Woolett said he knew of at least one family, who was not a member of the local support group, and who submitted to the home visit.

Just as America's early settlers vigilantly patrolled the streets for signs of fire, and lined up together, as families, to fight the flames, preserving homeschool freedoms require the same kind of vigilance. Connie Laffin, with the Kentucky Home Education Association, recently said many educators believe that there are substantial numbers of people abusing their children by using homeschooling as a cover for truancy. "The episode in Harlan County affirms

\$\$\$\$ Home Schooling on a Budget \$\$\$\$

By Betty Porter

When I talk to those who are considering home schooling, I often hear the words "I can't afford to home school." I can understand why they think that, but a person doesn't have to buy a \$500 curriculum to effectively teach their children at home. If that were the case, there would be an exceptionally minute amount of families home schooling. Most home schoolers live on only one income, which already is a financial strain in today's lifestyle.

There are many low cost or free home schooling resources on the Internet. You just need to know where to look. For those who do not have Internet access at home, there is always the option of accessing it at your local public library.

I have compiled a list of some of my favorite low cost or free Internet resources:

www.gutenberg.net - Download public domain books to print

www.sosmath.com - Advanced math lessons

www.missmaggie.com - weekly science lesson plans

www.schoolsexpress.com - free worksheets & themed units

www.amblesideonline.homestead.com - Free Charlotte Mason based curriculum

www.easytestmaker.com - make & print your own tests

www.homeschoolhelper.com/index.html - free lesson plans

www.abcteach.com - free worksheets & lesson plans

www.vegsource.com/homeschool - a great site to purchase used curriculum

www.homeschoolbookdepot.homestead.com - another site to buy used curriculum

www.yahoo.com/groups - do a search for "homeschool books" to find many used book & curriculum sites

Anyone can homeschool successfully without breaking the bank in the process.

Seminar for Children with Learning Difficulties

Mr. Hunsberger, founder of Little Sparrows Ministries (LSM), special education teacher of 30 years, and homeschooling father of three children, will be presenting a three-day Seminar regarding learning problems. Mr. Hunsberger approaches learning problems from a biblical perspective. He will be specifically addressing reading, spelling, & math. The purposes of LSM is to provide parents and others with the knowledge, understanding, and resources needed to train and educate their children to their fullest potential: spiritually, intellectually and physically (I Thess. 5:23).

July 24, 2003, Thursday, 6:00 to 9:00 pm

July 25, 2003, Friday, 9:00 to 4:30 pm

July 26, 2003, Saturday, 9:00 to 4:30 pm

Location: PBA, 350 Elaine Drive, Lexington, Kentucky (Behind Kentucky Inn which is across from St. Joseph's Hospital.)

Fee: Love Offering. The following is a quote from his brochure: "LSM does not charge for any of its services. Attendance to workshops and seminars is free. There is a minimal charge for materials; however we do not require anyone to purchase the materials as a requirement for attending the workshop."

Contact: Robin Maddux, 859-277-4160, e-mail: trmaddux@juno.com

Stacey Foster, 859-887-0749

Teresa Fields, 859-266-0643, e-mail: jfields@safebrowse.com

that the real battle is in each county," said Laffin.

The answer is for each and every county to have its own homeschool bucket brigade, ready to stand in line, effectively, cooperatively, and quickly defending homeschool freedoms. Consider getting involved in your local support group. If you don't have one in your county, there has never been a better time to start one.

CHEK has long term, strong ties to the Harlan County support group. KHEA applauds CHEK for working along side of Harlan County homeschoolers to mobilize them and instruct them about their rights and responsibilities under the Best Practices Document agreement. This is one example of the kind of grassroots involvement that Kentucky homeschoolers need cultivate. - Connie Laffin

Support Group Spotlight

KHEA is starting a new feature in our newsletter. Over the next year, we hope to put a spotlight on all of our affiliated support groups to let you know where they are and what they are doing. If you live near one of these groups, we would encourage you to visit them and get to know what they have to offer. If you are looking for support groups across the state, you can find an additional listing on our website at www.khea.8k.com.

Bluegrass Home Educators – Nelson Co.

On June 10th, 2003, we held our “First Annual Bluegrass Home Educators Promotion Day.” We had a cook-out, followed by certificate presentations, a congratulatory cake and finally a family soft-ball game. Parents praised their children for meeting yearly goals and husbands doted on their wives for a job well done. A great time was had by all in attendance. Bluegrass Home Educators support group meets in Bardstown. For more information of the group’s happenings, you may contact Chairperson Karen Clayton at ksclayton@centralky.com.

The Learning Center – Richmond, KY

The Learning Center for homeschoolers is a cooperative learning community. We recognize that each of us is a natural learner with particular interests, learning styles and paces. We provide a playful, creative environment where children and adults are encouraged to take responsibility for themselves and others as learners. We meet twice weekly in Richmond from August through May. For further information contact Thyne Rutrough at (859) 625-9437 or andythyne_rutrough@hotmail.com.

Marshall County Support Group

The Marshall County group is a group of 30 or more interdenominational families seeking God’s best for their individual families. The Marshall moms prefer meeting informally at the Mike Miller Park in Draffenville, KY. Other activities include: the Helping Hands 4-H club which meets in Benton, KY and includes 6-14 yr.-olds; an Academic Co-op for K-12 grades; the regional Geo-Bee and field trips. For more information, contact Dean Lynch, chas449@mchsi.com or 270-898-8344.

Home-schooler is a role model for community

*Editorial is reprinted from the **Bowling Green Daily News***

It would be hard to match the compassion and thoughtfulness of Anna Irons, an 18-year-old home-schooled high school senior who is truly an angel to some children in her community.

In Wednesday’s Daily News, reporter Alicia Carmichael told Irons’ story (“Packed with love”). It is a story of initiative, ingenuity and genuine concern for children at Dishman-McGinnis Elementary School who need a little extra help.

Irons, along with some help from local 4-H leaders, applied for and received a grant to feed hungry children. Thanks to Irons, 40 children at the school have been getting a backpack filled with food each Friday. The backpacks are then returned to the school on Monday and refilled the following weekend.

While Irons has done some mission work in Chicago and St. Louis, she also has not failed to see a need in her own community. That need has been met, we believe, with the same vigor and love that Irons has shown in large cities in faraway places.

Because of her dedicated efforts, dozens of children have had nourishing food on the weekends. Irons turned much of the money over to the school to make the dollars stretch as far as they could. But she did more. She got with the school’s cafeteria manager who helped get items that would be nourishing yet would not spoil.

Her acts of kindness will never be forgotten by the Dishman-McGinnis children. Because her parents, Warren and Nancy Irons, taught her the value of hard work that benefits others, they too are a blessing.

The greatest part of this story is that Anna Irons saw a need and helped meet it. In doing so, she made much better use of grant funding than most of the politicians would have thought could be done.

Citizens of character who, like Irons, work hard and remain sympathetic to the plight of those less fortunate demonstrate the very best of American values. Beyond that, they demonstrate what it means to care and work to make this a better world.

KHEA Members: Tell us what you think of this fundraising idea...

KHEA members: Tell us what you think about raising funds for KHEA through the KHEA website. Amazon.com and christianbook.com both offer an affiliate program. If KHEA puts links for these e-commerce sites on our site, and click-throughs from those links to Amazon.com or Christianbook.com result in purchases, KHEA would earn a percentage of the sales. Depending on the product purchased, and the type of link, Amazon pays from 2.5 to 15 percent of the sale. (For example, if a particular book is featured, the payment is higher for that link, than for a general link to Amazon.com.) Christianbook.com pays a flat 6 percent.

KHEA members, by clicking through the link button on KHEA’s site, would ensure that their internet purchases through these two sites would earn KHEA a percentage of that sale. The internet site will charge you the same amount for the materials you order, regardless of whether you enter the site through our website or directly. The difference is that when you enter through our website, instead of keeping the entire profit, the internet company would send KHEA a small percent of the purchase price. E-mail Jan Fletcher, godloves@duo-county.com, with your feedback on this idea. Board members will discuss the idea at the next board meeting.



On-line Chemistry Class

I am offering an online chemistry class to home school students. The class materials are \$90.00, and my teaching fee is \$10.00 monthly (8 months). Alternatively, parents may pay \$65.00 up front for a bit of a discount.

Instead of meeting once/week as with a conventional coop class, students will receive their assignments online. The teaching materials consist of a comprehensive set of 10-15 minute videos on CD-Rom. I will be available in an online classroom 3 evenings out of the week to help students “one on one”. The classroom has an interactive whiteboard, chat, and voice over IP. For more information, contact Johnathan Barnes at 859-626-3157, or visit my website at http://www.sgsolutions.org/new_page_24.htm

Also, there is an optional lab component. There is no extra teaching fee for the lab, only the cost of the lab kit.

**13th Annual Christian Home
Educators Conference
July 11th - 12th, 2003**

The Location will again be at:

Valley View Baptist Church
8911 Old Third Street Road
Louisville, Kentucky 40272

The Keynote Speaker will be:

Scott W. Somerville, Esq., HSLDA
Attorney for Kentucky, as well as a
Christian Home School Father.

Somerville will be speaking on
"The History and Future of American
Education," "The Struggle to Be Free,"
"Charter Schools," and "The Outcome
Based Agenda." Again this year, HSLDA
is offering a special incentive for new
members.

First-time members who join
HSLDA at the 2003 CHEK Conference
will receive a free book. Invite three of
your friends to come to the conference and
sign up as new members. If they note on
their applications that you referred them,
you'll receive a free year of membership
when their memberships are approved!

For more information about the
2003 CHEK Conference, please con-
tact CHEK at 270-358-9270, email
CHEK@KVNET.org, or visit http:
//www.chek.org.

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2003. One winner will be chosen by random
drawing for a set of three books in each of
the four languages. Destination Books is a
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Homeschool Debate in Kentucky

It is a quiet movement, but it is growing quickly. Most of you are not aware, but Kentucky has several groups who are developing Debate/ Speech clubs for their home school children. They are just getting started, but they are turning into a force to be reckoned with.....

In May, I had the great pleasure of attending Kentucky's first (and hopefully annual) Kentucky Closed Tournament held as a qualifier for students to be sent to the NCFCA National tournament. Ten teams were in attendance at the tournament held in Owensboro, and all ten teams were primed and ready to earn their way to the "Nationals". Through that event and other out-of-state tournaments, Kentucky sent three debate teams and two people participating in Speech to the National event.

NCFCA debate is a great experience for the students who get involved. Students debate on issues that fit under the group's yearly resolution. Last year, the resolution was that "the United States should change its trade policy in one or both of the following areas — Africa and the Middle East. Students involved spend much of their school time doing research, writing, and studying the history and government of the areas involved. They grow in their thinking skills and ability to "think on their feet." Those involved love it! They get to travel to tournaments in nearby states and get to know other teens living near them and across the nation.

You can check out these 2 websites for more info on NCFCA. www.ncfca.org and www.commforchrist.com. If you would like information about homeschool debate teams in the state of Kentucky, you can call Tammy Bozarth in Owensboro at 270-684-0425 or email her at mabofam@adelphia.net.

Write, Inc. announces SpiderSmart program!!!!

For the past fifteen years, Write, Inc. has played a crucial part in the development of reading and writing skills for students of all ages and abilities. We know that reading and writing skills are essential in every subject and level of study. It is our belief that teaching the two skills in an integrated framework is the most effective method. With this conviction in mind, Write, Inc. has developed the SpiderSmart program – an effective, interactive, web-based program designed to improve and strengthen students' reading and writing skills.

SpiderSmart students choose to read three books a month from over 1,500 diverse titles, each one designated by grade level and genre. Students may then log onto our web site to access individualized assignments for the books they have received. Most assignments are broken into vocabulary, comprehension question, and essay components unique to each book. Our teachers respond extensively to every student's work, providing encouragement, corrections, instruction, and advice. Based on teachers' comments, the students may revise and improve their writing.

The SpiderSmart program distinctively fits the needs of homeschoolers. The program is available twenty-four hours a day, which provides the flexibility homeschoolers need. We invite you and your children to explore this dynamic educational opportunity on our website at www.spidersmart.com. At Write, Inc., we build skills to last a lifetime of learning. Jeannie Jung, Write, Inc.

The Music Institute of Lexington

The Music Institute of Lexington was founded in 1997 to bring the finest music instruction to our community. MIL is staffed by a fully certified and experienced faculty and will be the first accredited community music school, through the National Guild, in Kentucky. We are excited about the enrichment that our organization will bring not only to individuals but also to the community as a whole.

This past fall we found a permanent home when a partnership was formed with the Church of the Apostles to provide a facility for music instruction. This is enabling us to expand our programs and we would love to have the home school community be a part of MIL. We offer lessons on all instruments and voice. We also have an extensive early childhood music program and group classes on many instruments. Classes offered include family music, voice class, keyboard, and introductory percussion class. Please call for additional information or any questions you may have at (859) 273-9991.



Time to select your KHEA Board members.

Well, it is that time of year again – time to elect KHEA Board members. The KHEA by-laws define the Board as having 7 members.

Since we have three returning Board members, we still have openings for four more Board members. It is our desire that all of you see KHEA as an organization that represents its members. We are all in this together. The KHEA Board and all of the KHEA members are dynamically dependent on one another. The Board represents the members and is itself made up of KHEA members. The KHEA membership depends on

the Board to set policy, keep abreast of legislative challenges, encourage local support groups, provide home schooling information, etc. The Board relies on some of the ordinary, everyday KHEA members to provide the people who eventually become Board members.

All of our Board members were and still are ordinary home schoolers who have participated in leadership in their local support group.

When I started to consider serving on the KHEA Board, I felt so unworthy. I was interested in serving, but I was very concerned that if I volunteered for

the Board, I wouldn't have time for my family and my support group. I just knew that those KHEA Board members were so much more able than I was. I had put them up on a pedestal. But KHEA Board members are just ordinary people like you. Many of us have had to give up leadership roles in our local support groups. We still have time to participate in our local support groups and church activities, and we still find time to home school.

We aren't perfect people with more free time than you have. We just do the best we can in our KHEA Board commitments. If we had a full Board, we could all share the responsibilities among us in a healthy, balanced fashion. Whenever we fall below having seven members, the Board members we have are forced to carry more than their normal load. So we do things late, and sometimes we make mistakes. We aren't being lazy... we just need more help from you -- our members.

As of this writing, we only have 4 Board members for the 2003-2004 school year. We truly need your help. Our by-laws state that the Board has the power and privilege of appointing new Board members to fill any vacant seats. If we find good, worthy candidates for the Board, we will be glad to appoint them. How about you? Have you been thinking about serving on the KHEA Board?

Some of you are thinking that if you don't do it, then someone else will. Well, it is time to take a leap of faith and contact me for a list of Board responsibilities. I'd be very glad to talk to you. I'm hoping that this is the year that some of you will become involved in serving the membership of KHEA through Board membership. We still need you.

Connie Laffin, laffinatu2@hotmail.com,
270-782-7384

Jan Fletcher

Hi, I'm Jan Fletcher. I live in Adair County. My husband, Charlie, and I began homeschooling in 1992, when our oldest was seven. We have homeschooled all five of our children ever since. Our son is now entering his third year at Campbellsville University. Our four daughters range in age from 6 to 16. I've been a freelance journalist, working from home, since 1987. Previous to moving to Kentucky in 1994, I served on a city council in Oregon, and worked as a correspondent for a statewide daily newspaper. I've given workshops on home business at two statewide homeschooling conferences, and served as president of a local support group in Taylor County. I've "unschooled," and used structured curriculum; I've homeschooled through sickness and through health; through poverty and plenty -- and I KNOW HOMESCHOOLING WORKS for parents and children, and I believe in it with all my heart. I believe in supporting everyone who wants to legitimately homeschool their children, no matter their philosophy, or background. I would like to encourage the development of strong support groups in Southeastern and Southcentral Kentucky. I would also like to help further develop a KHEA statewide informational infrastructure that is proactive and responsive to the needs of homeschoolers for advocacy and pertinent, timely information.

✂ Cut here and mail.

Board Members

Vote (x) for as many as you would on the Board:

_____ Jan Fletcher



Please return this completed ballot back to us at the following address:

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Thank you so much!



Special flyer for you to post in this issue!

SPREAD THE NEWS ABOUT KHEA

In this issue is a reproducible flyer promoting KHEA. We encourage support group leaders to place a copy of this flyer in your local library or on a community bulletin board. You can also find a printable flyer on the KHEA website: www.khea8k.com.

Kentucky Home Education Association (KHEA) Membership

P.O. Box 51591, Bowling Green, KY 42102-5891 (270) 779-6574 www.KHEA.8k.com kheahomeschool@hotmail.com
We realize that offering 2 different types of membership can be a bit confusing to some people. If you have any questions, please contact one of the following KHEA Board Members and we will try to clarify the situation. The two DIFFERENT application forms follow. If you are interested in KHEA membership, please choose the form that fits your situation

Membership Benefits: Individual Membership - \$15.00 per family

You will receive the KHEA Newsletter and access to members of the KHEA Board. As always, you receive the satisfaction of knowing that your support will build a better "legal climate" for home schooling in your state and your hometown. You will receive a KHEA membership card, and can use our HSLDA discount number for a \$15.00 discount on HSLDA membership. You will find an Individual Membership Application attached. If you are an individual and do not belong to a local support group, you should consider finding 3 other home school families and start meeting as a support group. Your total fee for the 4 families would be \$40. This is \$15 less than the four families would owe in dues if they all joined individually.

KHEA Individual Family Membership Application \$15.00 / family

PLEASE CHECK ONE:

CONTRIBUTOR (A believer & supporter of home schooling) *A contributor receives all benefits of Individual Family Membership except voting privileges.*

FAMILY MEMBERSHIP (must be signed below)

I certify that I am (or will be) actively home schooling at least one child who lives in my home during the period covered in this application. I will exercise diligence in teaching any such home schooled child(ren) in a responsible way. I am a resident of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

FATHER'S NAME _____

MOTHER'S NAME _____

STREET ADDRESS _____

CITY / STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

PHONE NUMBER _____

COUNTY _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

Number of home schooled children _____

Are you a member of HSLDA?

yes no

(Your \$15 annual KHEA fee allows you to deduct \$15 from the annual \$100 HSLDA fee.)

Have you sent your letter of intent to home school to the local school superintendent?

yes no

(You must do that within the first two weeks.)

Are you a member of a local support group?

yes no

Could you give us a contact person for your support group?

NAME _____

PHONE _____

May KHEA give your name and phone # to other home schoolers in your area?

yes no

DETACH
and **MAIL THIS APPLICATION**
and \$ 15 TO:

KHEA
P.O. Box 51591
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Membership Benefits : Support Group Membership - \$5.00/family

Each support group will receive an email copy of the KHEA Newsletter which they will be responsible to distribute to their KHEA member families. We will list your support group on our website. If we are contacted by someone who lives in your area, we will refer them to your support group. Because you are a KHEA member support group, we will be glad to send a KHEA Board Member to your group for advice or as a speaker when you request this. Your members will receive a KHEA membership card and will be able to use our HSLDA discount number for a \$15.00 discount on HSLDA membership. Of course, we will continue to lobby in Frankfort on your behalf. We also will provide a Winter Support Group Leaders Conference to train and encourage your leaders. Your support group leaders will be able to attend at little or no cost to them.

KHEA SUPPORT GROUP
Membership Application

SUPPORT GROUP NAME

County(ies) your support group serves:

SUPPORT GROUP CONTACT PERSON:

This person's name will be listed on our website so that people who want information about your support group can contact you.

NAME

ADDRESS (for our records only)

ZIP CODE _____

PHONE (include area code)

E-MAIL (optional)

PHONE (include area code)

E-MAIL (*must* be included)

Check whichever one applies:

_____ We are sending in our \$25.00 annual affiliation fee at this time.

_____ We are sending in the \$5.00 per family for _____ families from our group.

_____ Total sent

DETACH
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To Whom should we send your KHEA Newsletters?

(This person **MUST** have e-mail access, however THIS name *will not* appear on our website without your consent.)

NAME

ADDRESS

ZIP CODE _____

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