

Our Mission Statement:

"To encourage and support Home-Learning families and to educate others on the benefits of home-education."

Membership Benefits:

- Attend daytime and evening meetings sometimes featuring guest speakers.
- Access to the online Membership Phone List (Confidential for homeschooling purposes only).
- Provide an opportunity to gain access to our group's FREE Yahoo Website which informs members of CHE updates programs, fieldtrips and events. You register for this web access after you become a member.
- Enjoy access to our CHE homeschooling library.
- Access to our most valuable resource: OUR MEMBERS! This provides you with the opportunity to create new friendships with other home-educators.

Volunteer Opportunities:

'Cochrane Home Educators' is run *entirely* by volunteers. Here is a partial list of the many volunteer opportunities within our support group. Please be willing to help in some capacity at some time. Look for contact names for these opportunities throughout the year. We can all make a difference.

Executive Positions:

(Generally Considered a 2 Year Commitment)

- President
- Treasurer
- Membership Registrar
- Librarian/Secretary
- Yahoo Registrar

Program Coordinators:

- Children's Program
- P.E. Program
- Teen Group
- Swimming
- New Home Schooling Information
- Website

Committees for Special Events:

- Welcome Back BBQ in September
- Adult Meetings/Guest Speakers
- Christmas Party
- February Fair (Cultural/Science/other)
- Sports Day
- Graduation

Other ideas are welcome!

For Use of Registrar Only

Date Received: _____ RCPT

Cheque #: _____ DB

Membership #: _____ YAH/TEEN

Cochrane Home Educators



2009/2010

Membership Form

Mail to:

Cochrane Home Educators
Box 505
Cochrane, Alberta
T4C 1A7
Ph # 403.932.6083

Website: www.cochranehomeeducators.com

Who Are We?

We are a diverse group of parents from all walks of life, with varied backgrounds and experiences. We aim to provide a support group to exchange and provide ideas and resources.

What Do We Believe?

We believe . . .

- Any parent is qualified to help his or her child learn.
- All you need is a natural curiosity, a desire to learn, the courage to develop ideas and share them with your children.
- Home education is a 365 day a year life experience.
- Flexibility is a necessity and an asset.
- Children learn at their own pace.
- In the development of the independent nature of our children.
- In multi-level socialization, with a strong family influence.

It is the policy of 'Cochrane Home Educators' that a person must be a member in good standing to be involved in any CHE activities.

Membership Dues:

2009/2010 Year \$50.00

*Please note that this cost includes the children's program that runs during our daytime adult meetings.

Membership Information:

(Please Print Clearly)

Last Name: _____

Mother: _____

Father: _____

Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Fax: _____

Email: _____

Yahoo (required for Yahoo)

Username: _____

Address: _____

Town: _____

Postal Code: _____

The 2009/2010 School Year will be our _____ year of Home Schooling.

School Board We Are Registered With: _____

****Please make cheques payable to:
'Cochrane Home Educators'**

Registration on Yahoo is optional.

~I need to be registered. ____

~I need help. ____

Child's Name (list oldest to youngest)	Year Born (optional)	Approx. Grade for 2009/2010 (Optional)

Child's Last Name: _____
(If different from Mother's)

Your Home School Approach:

Please check any that apply to you:

- Eclectic
- Structured in our approach
- Less structured in our approach
- Use unit studies approach
- We are "unschoolers"
- Use mainly Alberta Education Curriculum

List your Favorite Curriculum and Resources:
