

CONFERENCE AGENDA

- 8:30-9:00 Check In
9:00-12:30 ▶ **Welcome & Introduction to the Conference** ~ Michael Bradrick
▶ *"Washington Homeschool Law-What Homeschool Support Group Leaders Need to Know"* ~ Scott & DiAnna Brannan
▶ * **TOWN HALL MEETING #1** ~ Bryan Pollock, Moderator
▶ *"Maintaining Biblical Vision in Homeschooling"* ~ Dick Karman
12:30-1:30 **BUFFET LUNCHEON**
1:30-4:30 ▶ *"What's all the Fuss? Independent Homeschooling versus Public School-at-Home Programs"* ~ Brannans
▶ * **TOWN HALL MEETING #2** ~ Bryan Pollock, Moderator
▶ *"2007 Legislative Update with Q&A"* ~ Brannans
▶ *"Tools for Christian Leadership-or Things I Wish I Could Remember When God Calls on Me"* ~ Dick Karman

Featured Speaker: Dick Karman

Dick and Dorothy Karman of Portland, OR began homeschooling in 1983. In 1984 they became leaders of a Portland-based support group, and in 1985 they founded the Oregon Christian Home Education Association Network. They've served in the OCEANetwork ever since. In addition, they have served for years on the board of The ALLIANCE (The National Alliance of Christian Home Education Leadership). Dick retired after 28 years as a Portland police officer and now works as an administrative analyst for the Clackamas County Sheriff's office. Dorothy teaches biology and chemistry to homeschool students. The Karmans' praise the Lord that their now-adult children are walking with the Lord and they have two young grandsons.

A 3-ring binder containing helpful leadership information from CHN, HSLDA, & CHRISTIAN HERITAGE will be provided to attendees at no charge. If you are not able to attend, these binders along with CD's of the speaking sessions will be available to support group leaders at the April 12-14th, 2007 Christian Heritage Homeschool Conference or by contacting Christian Heritage through the website below. A small fee will be charged for the binder & CD's after the January 13 Leaders' Conference.

* The Town Hall Meeting is an open forum for conference attendees to share their experiences & insight on a select list of questions submitted in advance by attendees and deemed to be significant & of common interest to all. The discussions will be moderated and comments will be limited to two minutes per individual per topic.

For more information on Christian Heritage and CHN, please visit our websites:

www.ChristianHeritageOnline.org
www.chnow.org

CHRISTIAN HERITAGE HOME EDUCATORS OF WASHINGTON
and

CHRISTIAN HOMESCHOOL NETWORK (CHN)

invite up to two individuals or married couples currently serving as leaders in your support group to be our guests at the

HOMESCHOOL SUPPORT GROUP LEADERS' CONFERENCE

8:30 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

January 13, 2007

Trinity Baptist Church in Redmond, WA

(See www.TBCRenton.org for directions - or phone 425-228-5430)



The purposes of this conference are: 1) to provide encouragement & refreshment to homeschool support group leaders, 2) to provide needed current information about WA State homeschool law, the upcoming legislative session, and other crucial issues facing WA homeschoolers, 3) to provide support group leaders with information and helps necessary to better serve the families in their groups, 4) to provide an opportunity for fellowship and networking among Washington homeschool leaders.

If you are able to attend, we ask you to do the following:

- RSVP by Jan. 5th to ContactUs@ChristianHeritageOnline.org. Or you may respond by phone (360) 354-3293 or by mail to CHRISTIAN HERITAGE, 5347 Barr Rd., Ferndale, WA 98248. There is no charge for this event.
- Please include the following for person(s) who will be attending from your group: 1) Support Group Name, 2) First & Last Names of those attending & mailing addresses, 3) phone numbers, and e-mail addresses so the Town Hall Questions can be distributed for consideration before the conference.
- By Jan. 5th, please e-mail us any questions that would be pertinent & helpful to most homeschool support group leaders and that you would like to see addressed in Town Hall Meeting.
- If possible, bring samples of your newsletters, or e-newsletters, or other publications to share with the other group leaders.

Please feel free to share this invitation with leaders of Washington State homeschool support groups other than your own!

CHN Founders & Directors: Scott & DiAnna Brannan

*Scott and DiAnna Brannan of Kent, WA have been married twenty-two years and have two teenage children who have been homeschooled from infancy. Over the years the Brannans have served in several capacities within the homeschool community. They are founders of the **Christian Homeschool Network of Washington** (www.chnow.org). The CHN mission is to communicate legislative and local issues that effect homeschooling in the state of Washington. Scott works as an IT specialist for SAFECO Insurance.*

Christian Heritage Board Members:

Michael Bradrick - President

Michael & Susan Bradrick are blessed to be parents of nine children who love & serve the Lord, ages 36-17. The Bradrick family has homeschooled since 1981 and over the years have spoken together at many homeschool groups and conferences nationwide. They are founders and directors of Family Discipleship Ministries and co-founders of Christian Heritage Home Educators of Washington. The family lives on a small farm near Montesano, WA where they raise pastured meat products and delight in sharing ministry & hospitality with the many who come their way. Michael is also a woodworker by trade. The Bradricks are greatly blessed to be grandparents of (presently) fifteen—all of whom are being home educated.

Bryan Pollock - Vice President

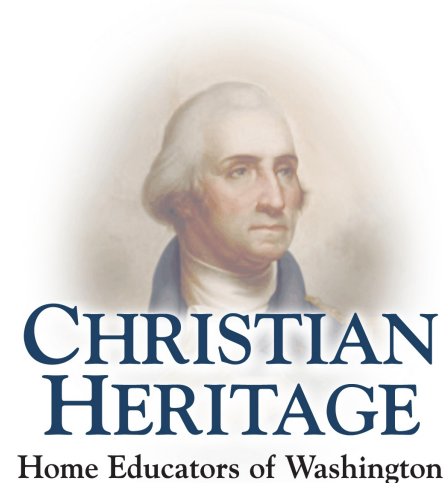
Bryan & Susan Pollock of Tacoma have been married for 19 years and are parents of nine children, ranging from 17 to a baby due in February. They have homeschooled for 16 years and have served together in the Christian and homeschooling community in many capacities. When not involved in the daily demands and delights of ministry, both at home and at church, the Pollocks find time to enjoy music (piano, bagpipe, and violin) and participate in historic reenacting at Fort Nisqually near Tacoma. Bryan is pastor of Pilgrim Bible Church in Steilacoom, WA.

Tim Roth - Secretary

Tim & Ruth Roth began their homeschooling journey nineteen years ago and are the proud parents of seven sons and two daughters, ages 6-27. Their two oldest sons are in full time ministry and their oldest daughter will be married in February. Tim has served as a pastor for 32 years and currently pastors South Kitsap Alliance Church in Port Orchard, WA. He enjoys filling the roles of father, teacher, pastor, and chaplain for the local Fire Department. The Roth family actively ministers together to people in their church, in their community, and in the homeschooling community across the state.

Neil Craig - Treasurer

In 1982, Neil and Mary Craig began homeschooling their five children who now range in age from 31-17. Neil and Mary are reaping the benefits of homeschooling as each of their children loves the Lord and is serving Him. They are expecting their first grandchild in March. Neil served for ten years at Back to the Bible Broadcast as their arranger/accompanist and Director of Music, after which the Craig family worked with Russian orphans for seven years, living in Moscow, Russia and Indianapolis, Indiana. The Craigs currently reside in Spokane, Washington where Neil owns and operates a Fed Ex route. Music continues to be an important part of their lives and ministry – they love to sing and play their musical instruments together!



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JANUARY 13, 2007

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