

Folk Dance, Used Curriculum Sale, Speech & Debate Info,  
Creation Quest & Glen's Gizmos Summer Classes,  
MomStrong Conference, Theater and More



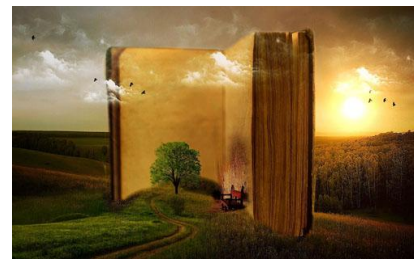
## June 2018 News & Events

Remember to check out the "Cool Links" at the bottom of the page like  
"Hand Tool Homeschool!"

Visit our Website

### CCHE Used Curriculum Sale June 16 (Alongside Other Fun Activities)

Shop private sellers' tables and the Firmly Planted Headwaters Bookstore. Also enjoy interactive science exhibits and perhaps some other surprises. [Click here](#) to rent your table space!



### Homeschool Speech & Debate Info Meeting June 11

Learn about NCFCA Speech and Debate. Get information on speeches with sample curriculum, time commitments, classes, summer camps, etc. Experienced students will demonstrate several of the speech categories so you can see them first hand. The meeting is 6-8:00 p.m. at Debie Noble's Home 16309 NE 44th St., Vanc. WA 98682. Questions? (360) 521-1004 Please [RSVP](#). Our local club is affiliated with the [National Christian Forensics and Communications Association](#).

### Glen's Gizmo's Homeschool Science Day Camp Aug. 6-10 Plus Outdoor Camps Update

#### Vancouver Day Camp:

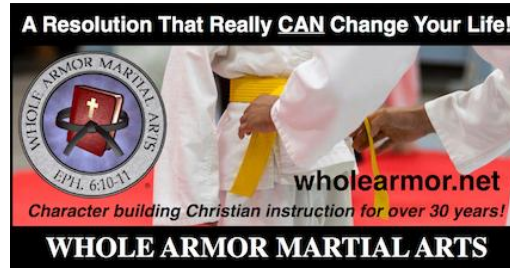
This camp runs 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. each day for five days. Grades 1-12 are welcome. The cost is \$110 per student. \$20 off per family if the parent stays and helps with the program. Families will need to pack their own sack lunches. [Watch for details here](#) as they will be posted soon.

#### Family Outdoor School Update:

There are still [open spots](#), and a possibility for a great discount! If 20 families register, the standard rate for a cabin will drop by \$100 per family. If 40 families register, it will drop by \$200 a family per cabin. Note: families who need a discount in order to participate can register with no obligation to pay if registration doesn't increase to 20

families.

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## "So Why Should I Consider Karate Lessons For Me or My Kids?"

by Ron Hagelganz, Whole Armor Martial Arts

... "why should you entertain the idea of martial arts lessons? [Let's see:](#)"

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## Register Now for Creation Quest Summer Classes

Audio Production 101, Creation Worldview Classes – Module 1 & 2, Sound Design, Basic Electronics, Audio Production 201, Pat & Mel's Amazing Experiments Beginning Digital Electronics. Classes for ages 10-adult. [Click here](#) for details.

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## Upcoming Events Hosted at the Firmly Planted Resource Center

**Music Department Performance June 5** - [Click here](#). Great way to sneak peak classes!

**Folk Dance June 16** - Guys are needed for the dances to work so bring plenty of guys! Otherwise, girls will be sitting out. Arrive at 5:00 p.m. for teaching time, or 6-10:00 p.m. for the dance. Recommended for ages 10 & up, *especially teens*. Parents are asked to stay if bringing younger kids. Dress casually but modestly with shorts under any skirts, etc. This event is free. Help with clean-up appreciated.

**Fall Preview Night June 26 at 6:30 p.m.** - Come learn about fall offerings, take a tour, meet teachers, and more.

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## Oregon Christian Home Education Conference June 22 & 23

You can still get in on this conference in Albany, OR. [Click here](#) for details.

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## "High-Paying Trade Jobs Sit Empty, While High School Grads Line Up For University"

by Ashley Gross & Jon Marcus

Like most other American high school students, Garret Morgan had it drummed into him constantly: Go to college. Get a bachelor's degree.

"All through my life it was, 'if you don't go to college you're going to end up on the streets,' "Morgan said. "Everybody's so gung-ho about going to college."

So he tried it for a while. [Click](#) to read the article.

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## Becoming MomStrong Conference w/Heidi St. John Oct. 6

Tickets on sale now for this conference: "Becoming MomStrong: How to Fight with All That's in You for Your Family and Your Faith." [Click here](#) for details.

## "10 Apps Kids Are Using That Parents Need to Know"

by April Requard

Not all social apps are bad. Most of the apps our kids use are truly an extension of your child's "real world" social life. For the most part, our kids talk to people they only talk to in "real life." With the influence of technology in our kids' social lives, we can't panic or over think every single thing, but we do need to empower each other and be aware of what our kids are doing when they are online and engaged in these apps. [Read on...](#)

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### Summer Theater Productions

#### Christian Youth Theater

["Disney Aladdin Jr."](#) Through June 9 in Vancouver

#### Journey Theater

["Disney Beauty and the Beast"](#) July 27-August 5 in Washougal

["Bye Bye Birdy"](#) Through June 10 in Portland

Also check these websites for upcoming summer camps.

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### Cool Links

#### Educational & Other

[Hand Tool Homeschool](#) - Bringing dads and kids together for woodworking projects.

[LegoLife](#) - A safe Lego community for posting Lego builds.

[Loyal Books](#) - 7000+ free books to stream or download.

[Adventures in Odyssey Club](#) - Unlimited streaming of 800 episodes, monthly content, etc.  
- Free 14-day trial.

#### Theater

[Christian Youth Theater](#) - Portland/Vancouver

[Journey Theater](#)

[Magenta Theater](#)

#### Stuff to Do

[School at Home Adventures Field Trips](#)

[Fort Vancouver Regional Library](#)

[Oregon Museum of Science & Industry](#)

[Oregon Zoo](#)

[Vancouver Water Resource Center](#)

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