

26th Annual Provincial Convention



February 24 & 25, 2017
Queensbury Convention Centre
Regina, Saskatchewan

#SHBECON2017

REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.SHBECON.CA

CONVENTION SCHEDULE

Friday 11:00 am Registration Opens 1:00 pm Opening Address

10:00 pm Convention Closes

Saturday 8:30 am Convention Opens

9:00 am Workshops Begin 5:00 pm Convention Closes

KEYNOTE SPEAKER STEVE DEMME



Steve and his wife Sandra have been married since 1979. They have been blessed with four sons, three lovely daughters-in-law, and three grandchildren. Their fourth son John has Down Syndrome and lives with them in PA.

.He has served in full or part time pastoral ministry for many years after graduating from Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary and has served on the board of Joni and Friends, Eastern PA. A former math teacher who has taught at all levels of math in public, private, and Christian schools, Steve is the author of Math-U-See and the founder of Building Faith Families.

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Building Faith Families

<u>WWW.SHBECON.CA</u> to register & for more convention info!

TEEN CONVENTION

For the Teen Convention, we have a great list of workshops for them to attend which include . . .

- * Grad Panel
- * Post-Secondary Panel
- *See old friends, meet new friends
- *Please visit website for more info as it gets updated <u>WWW.SHBECON.CA</u>

WORKSHOPS

A small sample of workshops include . . .

- * Mom's & Dad's panels (popular)
- * Homeschool Through Highschool
- * Unschooling
- * Using Technology To Homeschool on a budget

... and many more!!!

More workshops are coming. As they are confirmed, we will be adding them to the website. For a complete listing of presenters and topics, please go to www.shbecon.ca

Information is subject to change.

CHILDREN Convention

We are delighted to offer a children's program again this year. Children ages 5-12 are welcome to attend with their parent's. We will have for them...

- *Science Center workshop
- *Please visit website for more info as it comes in WWW.SHBECON.CA

CAN I REALLY DO THIS WORKSHOP

This popular homeschooling workshop is the ideal place to start. This workshop will answer questions from those who are thinking about homeschooling and from those who are ready to start their homeschooling journey. We will answer common questions like the following:

Is homeschooling legal? Am I qualified? Where do I start, and how do I start? Join us Friday, February 24, 2015, from 10:30–11:30am in **Salon A** at the Queensbury Convention Centre.

Register at register@shbe.info

This workshop is free, but to attend any other portion of the convention, you will need to register after the workshop.

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CONVENTION INFORMATION

For general inquiries: please contact Charity Mile at. shbe.convention2015@gmail.com

For registration inquiries: please contact Ara Keffer at register@shbe.info.

Visit <u>www.shbecon.ca</u> regularly for up-to-date info on the convention.

MEAL INFORMATION

Saturday lunch is included with your registration, if **REGISTERED by February 14th, 2015**. There are no meals for walk-ups.

The Queensbury Convention Centre policy dictates that <u>no outside food</u> is to be brought into the convention area. Thank you for honouring their policy.

EXHIBIT HALL *LATE NIGHT SHOPPING

Friday 11:00 am to *9:00 pm
Saturday 8:30 am to 3:30 pm

We are grateful for our exhibitors who come to the convention. Please support them!

The Exhibit Hall will be open the following hours:

USED BOOKS

One of the benefits of conference attendance is the privilege of being able to sell or purchase used curriculum at the convention. Please indicate in your registration form if you want to sell used books, and an inventory code and form will be emailed to you. For further information or any questions, please contact Karen Henrion at register@shbe.info. You must be a SHBE member to sell at the convention!

HOMESCHOOL COMPLETION RECOGNITION CEREMONY

We are pleased to once again host the Homeschool Completion Recognition Ceremony. The ceremony will take place on Friday evening in honour of students completing formal homeschool studies in the spring of 2017. Both parents and grads will be introduced.

For more information or to participate in this event, please contact KAREN HENRION at recognition@shbe.info by February 1st, 2015.

GRANDPARENTS

This year we are allowing grandparents to attend at a reduced rate. This includes those who have graduated <u>all</u> of their children & want to attend with their child who is now homeschooling. The fee will cover your weekend, including Lunch on Saturday.

SASKATCHEWAN HOME BASED EDUCATORS (SHBE)

SHBE . . .

- -ls a provincial volunteer umbrella organization that actively represents home educators to all levels of government.
- -Has a monthly e-newsletter for its members.
- -Holds an annual convention and curriculum fair with workshops on various topics relating to home based educators.
- -Gives encouragement and support to home-educating families.
- -Has an internet website with links to home-educating resources: www.shbe.info.

The volunteer directors of SHBE are home educators and are available to help you.

Saskatchewan Home Based Educators Box 8541, Saskatoon, SK, S7K 6K6

Accommodations

We have reserved a block of rooms at the newly built <u>Days Inn Airport West</u> and <u>Home Inn and</u> <u>Suites</u>. Rates are <u>\$139.00</u> a night and both hotels include a hot continental breakfast daily and waterslides, with many more amenities! There is the option of a standard room with 2 Queen-size beds, and they have even set aside a <u>few</u> family suites, and executive King suites, so book early to take advantage of those if you need them! Both hotels are a short drive from our convention centre.

Please call to book and mention SHBE, online bookings will not be counted in our block. By booking with the SHBE name you are directly supporting Saskatchewan Home Based Educators and our convention! Call the Days Inn @ 306-584-3297 or Home Inn and Suites @ 306-546-4663

REGISTRATION FORM Mother's full name Father's full name (if attending) Teens' full names 13 & up (if attending) Children's names 5-12 (if attending) Grandparent's name (if attending) Address _____ City/Town _____ Postal Code _____ Phone Number (_____) _____ Email address _____ School division you reside in (For membership and election purposes) Check here if you would like a Used Book Inventory Code & form mailed to you.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

No one-day or Shopping-only fees.

Attendees are welcome to attend all or a portion of the convention, as their schedules permit; however, we are unable to provide <u>ANY</u> discounts other than the early bird discount.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

Send all payments to:

SHBE Convention 915 Shannon Road, Regina, Saskatchewan, S4S 5K3

CONVENTION RATES

SHBE Membership of \$35 for 2017–2018 is <u>included</u> with adult registration (one per family). Register <u>by February 1st, 2017</u>, for the <u>early bird discount</u> & lunch. REGISTER by February 14th & lunch on Saturday will be included but **NO** discount.

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Adult Couple	\$180	
Teens (13 & over)_	x \$50	
Children (5-12)	x\$50	
Early Bird Discount Less \$25 -before February 1st, 2017 Subtotal		
Grandparent or Alumni Parent	x \$50	
Homeschool Grad	sx \$50	
-pursuing post secondary or living at home		
Total Enclosed		\$
(This amount includes your annual membership)		

Payment MUST accompany registration. NO post-dated cheques. Please make cheques payable to SHBE.

Please <u>DO NOT</u> mail in registration after <u>February 14, 2017</u>, as it will not be processed. Please register when you come to the convention.

SHBE MEMBERSHIP ONLY INFORMATION

Only fill out if you are NOT going to convention but want to purchase a membership

If you are unable to attend the convention, please consider purchasing or renewing your **2017–2018 SHBE Membership for \$35.** Your support of SHBE enables us to continue to lobby from a position of strength on behalf of home based educators in Saskatchewan.

Name	
Address	
City	Postal Code
Phone Number (_)
Email address	

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Please Note - By providing an e-mail address you are consenting to being contacted for things related to your SHBE membership. You can opt out of SHBE communications at any time by e-mailing a request to be removed from the mailing list to the helpdesk at help@shbe.info

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Refunds:

Up to February 14, 2017, all but \$50 per form will be refunded upon written request to register@shbe.info. After that date, **NO REFUNDS** will be given.