



FHE and GSLAHE Homeschool Resource Fair September 15, 2018

Special Thanks to Organizations Participating in the Fair

American Heritage Girls, Barefoot Books, Barnes and Noble, Blue Nights Basketball, Botanical Gardens, Boy Scouts & Cub Scouts, Bradford Art, Brain Discovery, Chess Club, Christian Light, Circus Harmony, Classical Conversations, Concordia Turners, Cross Country, Dayspring Arts & Education, Gavel Club/Toastmasters, Girl Scouts and Daisy Troop, High Stepz Dance Company, Inspire Artistry, Intensity Volleyball, Jubilation Chorale, Kinetic Tapestry, Lighthouse Youth Theater, Magic House, Missouri Department of Conservation, Missouri History Museum, Patriettes Basketball, Patriots Basketball and Baseball, Providence Fine Arts, River City Robots, Special Needs resources, St Charles Bowling, St Louis Area Homeschool Shooting Sports, St Louis Homeschool Quiz Bowl, St Louis Panthers Volleyball, St Louis Zoo, Strings Attached, Take3 Christian Theater, The Family Vision, The Pillar Foundation, Trail Life USA

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Support Groups, Co-ops and Learning Centers: Cedar Hill, CPC Homeschool Network, HELPS, Homeschooler Link, North County Secular, SCCHE, SHARE, SHINE St Charles, St Louis Homeschool Network

■ Museums & Historic Sites

City Museum <https://www.citymuseum.org/>

On Wednesdays and Thursdays in September and October, City Museum welcomes homeschoolers with a special rate and activity just for you! Reserved groups will receive admission for \$10.00 plus tax per person with NO MINIMUM NUMBER required! What's more, if you can provide us with a copy of your group's state issued sales tax exemption letter when making the reservation, we'll offer an additional discount. Once you're here for your homeschool visit, go play on your own, or bring a sack lunch to Architectural Hall, introduce yourself and 'hang out' with the other homeschool groups visiting that day. Please call our groups office at (314) 231-2489 ext. 601 to make your reservation.

Mastodon State Historic Site

<https://mostateparks.com/park/mastodon-state-historic-site>

New France: The Other Colonial America

The Bolduc House Museum

Ste Genevieve <https://www.frenchcoloniallife.org/>

The Historic Daniel Boone Home

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Missouri Association for Creation

Homeschool Day at the Zoo, Sept 24-25

<http://www.missouricreation.org/2018/05/mac-homeschool-day-at-the-zoo-fall-2018/>

Iron Spike Model Train Museum

1498 High Street, Washington 63090 636-283-5166

A local resource for educational field trips about American History and railroad research center. <https://www.ironspike.org/>

Missouri Department of Conservation

Contact Kim Cole at Kim.Cole@mdc.mo.gov OR <https://mdc.mo.gov/>

St Louis Science Center <https://www.slsc.org/> Planetarium

<https://www.slsc.org/james-s-mcdonnell-planetarium/>

Don't forget about the Public Telescope Viewings on the first Friday night of the month, weather permitting. Free events.



■ Extras

St Louis Bible Quizzing

<https://www.facebook.com/stlbq/>

Driving Lessons

Homeschooling father of eight children. I have a fully insured driver's training service in the St. Louis area. Training will include: reviewing the Missouri Driver's License guide; taking practice written tests; learning how to change a tire; and one on one driver training in all types of traffic situations. Contact Tom Heisserer at 8jsdrivertraining@gmail.com or call 314-837-4337

The Family Vision

A nonprofit Christian ministry which operates a lending library and a Homeschool consignment outlet, and offers a variety of homeschool classes/activities. Located in St Peters. <http://www.thefamilyvision.org/>

■ Fine Arts Programs

Take 3 Christian Theater

take3christiantheater@gmail.com

Take 3 Christian Theater's goal is to educate, edify, and entertain to the glory of God by preparing a Broadway style musical production to be performed in the spring of 2019. Spring production is "Narnia". Classes are held at The Pillar Foundation in Ellisville. <https://www.facebook.com/Take3ChristianTheater/>

Strings Attached Project

The Strings Attached project provides low-cost, grant-subsidized music lessons in guitar, ukulele, mandolin to youth ages 5 to 17 using American roots music. Lessons take place at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Ferguson. Please contact us at stringsattachedproject@hotmail.com or visit our blog at www.stringsattached.info

Reinbrook Studio- Art with Miss Margie

<http://www.reinbrook.com/>

Inspire Artistry (Arnold)

Friday art classes from 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. and run for 4 week to complete a painting. <http://fbcarnoldweb.myshelby.org/default.aspx?page=3404>

Kay's Music Studio

Sullivan, MO <http://www.kaysmusicstudio.com/>

Bradford Art (North County)

Contact Dena Bradford at tdzmi05@att.net



■ Extras

Robotics

Team #1094 The Channel Cats is a FIRST Robotics Competition (FRC) team currently located at the Missouri State Technical College building at Lewis & Clark Career Center, 2450 Zumbuhl Rd, St. Charles, MO 63301 and meets most Thursdays from 7-9 pm, depending on the season, please contact first. FRC is the FIRST Robotics Program geared toward high school students; However, the Channel Cats Accept younger, mature students. <http://www.rivercityrobots.org/>

The Magic House

The Magic House is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to engaging all children with hands-on learning experiences that spark imagination, pique curiosity, enhance creativity and develop problem-solving skills within a place of beauty, wonder, joy and magic. <https://www.magichouse.org/>

The Pillar Foundation

Since 1996, Pillar has been a great asset to the St. Louis area homeschooling community--a unique and special place. Studying and sharing America's rich Christian heritage and equipping high school students with a Christian worldview is what helps prepare students as leaders to meet the real world with real answers. For class schedule, please go to the website for additional information. <https://www.thepillar.org/welcome>

Brain Discovery

An exciting neuroscience outreach program for young students (4th-6th grade), Led by Washington University scientists. <http://pages.wustl.edu/braindiscovery>

Barefoot Books

We sell diverse and inclusive books, games and activities that encourage creativity, acceptance, empathy, and manners. Mindful Kids card deck is perfect for busy kids. Practicing mindfulness increases focus and concentration, teaches children to self-regulate emotions, and develops empathy, self-awareness, and kindness.

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barefootreadingfun@gmail.com
www.barefootbooks.com/Ashlee-Mattingly



■ Museums & Historic Sites

St Louis County Parks and Recreation

Museums, Art & History

<https://www.stlouisco.com/ParksandRecreation/MuseumsArtHistory>

Laumeier Sculpture Park

General Daniel Bissell House

Jefferson Barracks Historic Site & Museums

Faust Park Historic Village and Thornhill Grounds

St Louis Carousel and Butterfly House at Faust Park

Fort Belle Fontaine

Frank Lloyd Wright House in Ebsworth Park

Museum of the Dog in Queeny Park

Museum of Transportation

St Louis Art Museum <http://www.slam.org/>

The Art Museum is not only for studying art. Touring the galleries is a great way to make your history lessons come alive. Stop by for Family Sundays and make a craft or go on a scavenger hunt. Free Fridays for the special paid exhibits. Other classes also available along with setting up group field trips.

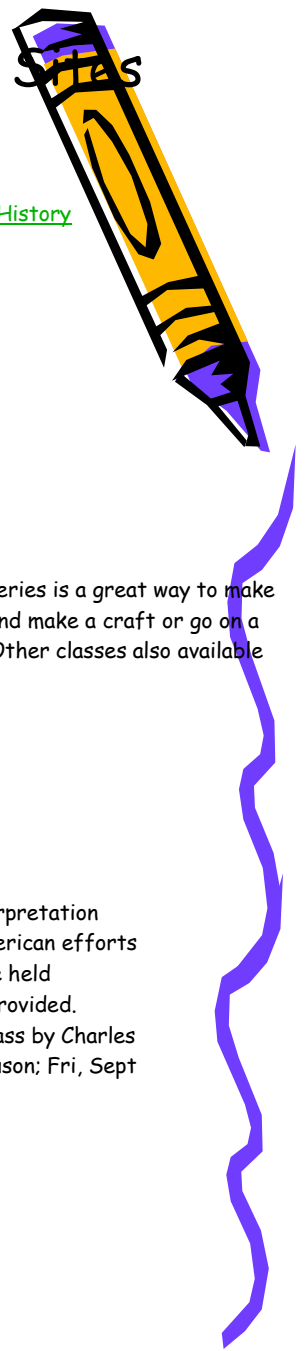
Grants Farm

<https://www.grantsfarm.com/>

Ulysses S Grant National Historic Site

<https://www.nps.gov/ulsg/index.htm>

The park is offering 3 evenings of dramatic first person interpretation exploring themes of slavery, Reconstruction, and African American efforts to secure freedom and civil rights. The free programs will be held outdoors, under a tent, on the park grounds. Seating will be provided. Reservations are not needed. Wed, Sept 19-Frederick Douglass by Charles Pace; Thur, Sept 20-Martin Luther King Jr. by Stephan Ferguson; Fri, Sept 21-Harriet Tubman by Kathryn Harris



■ Boy Scouts

***Boy Scouts of America - Troop 387**

St. John United Church of Christ, 332 Old Sulphur Springs Road, Manchester, MO 63011
Time: Thursdays, 7:00 p.m.

<https://troop387mo.shutterstock.com/>

Ron Devinitz, Troop Membership Chair 314-602-8501
ronald.devinitz@mastercard.com
Christian troop of at least 50% homeschoolers.

***Boy Scouts of America - Cub Scout Pack 387**

St. John United Church of Christ, 332 Old Sulphur Springs Road, Manchester, MO 63011

Time: First and Third Thursdays, 6:45 p.m.

Gwen Amiri, Pack Trainer (Membership)

314.348.3980

gdolynaa@yahoo.com

Christian Pack - majority are homeschooled

***Boy Scouts of American - Cub Scout Pack 67**

Meets Tuesdays at 7 pm

Abiding Savior Lutheran Church, at Butler Hill near 55

Contact: Scott Miller

Email: scottmiller540@yahoo.com

***Boy Scouts of America - Troop 72**

Meets in St. Peters www.bsa72stcharles.wordpress.com

***Boy Scouts of America - Troop 957**

<http://www.bsa957.org/>

Boy Scouts of America (for additional troop information)

<https://www.scouting.org/>



■ Sports

St Charles Bowling Lanes

Youth Leagues are setting up homeschool bowling classes and are willing to create an actual class for PE.

Contact Laura Whitcomb at <http://www.stcharleslanes.com/>

Rock Roll-O-Rena Skating Rink (Arnold)

Full homeschool roller skating schedule from 1-3. \$4 to skate, regular skate rental \$2m rollerblades \$3.75. Dates: Sept 11, Oct 9, Nov 13

<http://rockrollorena.com/wordpress1/>

Parkland Gymnastics

4339 Showplace Dr, Farmington 63640 Homeschool class on Mondays from 9:00-10:00 for under 6 years old and from 10:00-11:00 for 6 and older.

Contact: 573-756-7702

Homeschool Swim

Ste Genevieve Community Center <http://sgccc.com/>

Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:00-noon.

<http://sgccc.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/08/Fall-Pool-Schedule-2018.pdf>

Homeschool Gym (Farmington Civic Center)

Ages 5 and up, \$3 / child per week, 1:00-2:30

Structured with 2 PE teachers leading warm ups and sport activities. Starts up on Sept 4. Contact the Civic Center for information.

<http://www.fmtn.org/352/Recreation-Programs>

Homeschool Gym

The Ridge Church, 51 Highway M, Villa Ridge

Wednesdays from 11:00-1:00 in the southern most building (gym)

Team Central Gymnastics (West County)

Homeschool classes <http://www.teamcentral.org/homeschool.html>

Olympia Gym Ninja Classes

248 Mid Rivers Center, St Peters

636-970-1800 OR <http://www.olympiadgymnastics.org/>

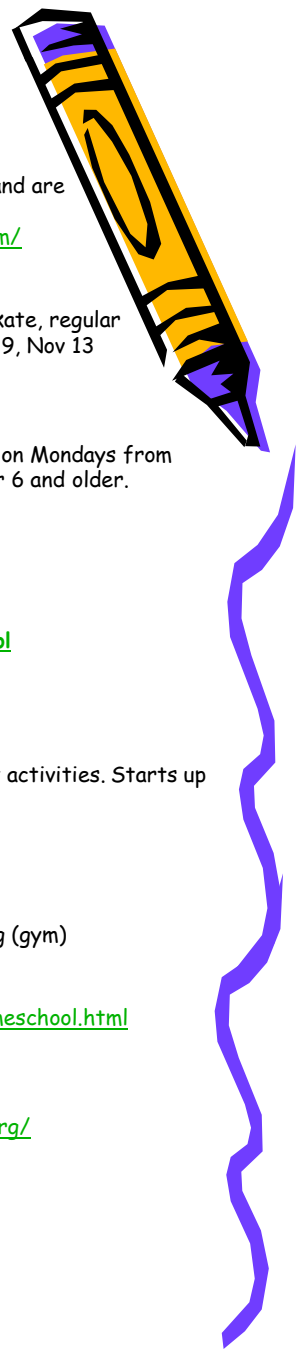
Oasis Lanes (Union)

<https://bowloasislanes.com/> Homeschool Bowling Club

Sky Zone Trampoline Park

<https://www.skyzone.com/>

Various homeschool classes and group events.



■ Sports

Archery Program

The Ridge Church, 256 Canaan Rd, Gerald 573-764-2505
Girls and Boys, 2nd -8th grade, every Monday at 6:30 from Sept 10-Oct 22
Contact: theridge_gerald@yahoo.com

St Louis United Boys Soccer

Contact Jim Hoving at jhoving@hrgreen.com Or 815-693-8911

Patriettes Girls Basketball

https://www.homeschool-life.com/814/index_public or stlpatriettes@gmail.com

Patriots Basketball Contact Judy Maichel at mjmaichel@juno.com

Blue Knights Basketball redtreechurch@gmail.com

Patriettes Basketball (girls) Contact Daniel Carr at dcarr@canaanstl.org

Patriots Baseball stlpatsbaseball@att.net

Intensity Volleyball stlintensity@gmail.com

St Louis Panthers Volleyball Stlpanthersvolleyball@gmail.com

Central Panthers Football

integrity1000@yahoo.com Or Contact Gary Brehe at gary.brehe@veolia.com

Rockin' Jump Trampoline Park (Shrewsbury)

Home School Fridays from noon -3:00
<https://rockinjump.com/shrewsbury/event/rockin-home-schoolers/>

Strong Tower Ranch (Wright City)

Horsemanship and Day Camps <https://www.strongtowerranch.org/>

Ace Stable

Riding lessons, trail rides, summer camps, etc <http://www.cestable.com/>

Castlewood Stables

We specialize in taking riders from beginners to early advanced with a program that includes a foundation of Riding, Training and Knowledge so that you can have the Foundation necessary for whatever direction you want to take your equestrian journey.

<http://www.castlewoodstables.com/>



■ Girl Scouts

*Girl Scout Troop 2648

Leaders: Becky Kern-Ryan BeckyKernryan@gmail.com, Octavia Pitts Opitts@gmail.com, Rebecca Andersen Andersenrn@gmail.com, Samantha Stille Samanthajstille@gmail.com

Meets biweekly on Fridays at St. Stephens Episcopal Church on Darst in Ferguson plus monthly field trips. Homeschool troop for K-10th graders - Daisies through Seniors.

*Girl Scout Troop 223 (unconfirmed)

Leader: Barb Hall
314-638-3168
e-mail GandBHall@Juno.com

Based out of Green Park Church in South County. Brownies' troop only. Meets on Tuesdays.

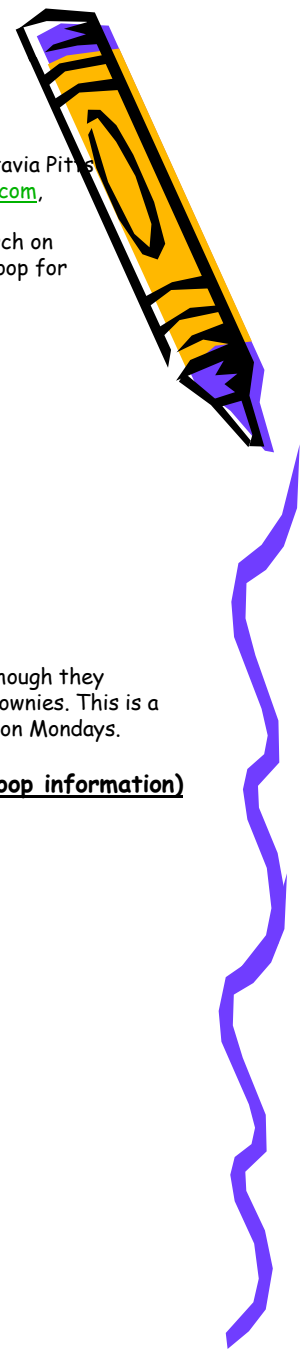
*Girl Scout Troop 1776 (unconfirmed)

Leader: Tia Callas
508-423-8327
e-mail tiacallas@gmail.com

Based out of Ballwin. Currently the troop consists of a 1st grade Daisy troop, though they welcome Kindergarteners and are open to expanding to Brownies. This is a mix of schooled and homeschooled girls. The troop meets on Mondays.

Girl Scouts of Eastern Missouri (for other troop information)

<http://www.girlscoutsem.org/>



■ Trail Life (boys)

Christian scouting club for boys focused on leadership, character, and adventure <http://www.trailifeusa.com/>

***Trail Life Troop - Southgate Christian Church -**

Trail Life USA

9820 Watson Road, Crestwood, MO 63126

Troop meetings: 1st & 3rd Tuesdays 6:45 - 8:15

First Meeting: Tuesday, Sept. 4th

Contact: Bill Wade 314-398-4106

***Trail Life Troop - Fenton (unconfirmed)**

Heritage Classical Academy

1694 Smizer Station Road, Fenton, MO 63026

2nd and 4th Tuesday, 7 pm

Contact: Jeff Harris: jj12harris@att.net or Jacob

Weller: jacobweller86@gmail.com

***Trail Life troop - Collinsville, IL**

Contact Rene Pitts for info: pittsfamily2@charter.net

■ 4-H Clubs

<https://4-h.org/>

Check the website for local groups in your area.



■ American Heritage Girls

For girls ages 5-18; embraces Christian values and encourages family involvement.

<https://www.americanheritagegirls.org/>

***American Heritage Girls Troop MO2005 (very active)**

South County Baptist Church

12995 Tesson Ferry Road, St Louis, Mo 63128

Meetings: 1st and 3rd Tuesdays Time: 6:30-8:00

Contact: Amy Madsen , e-mail: amylynmadsen@gmail.com

***American Heritage Girls, Troop MO3130**

Dardenne Prairie, MO

Contact Christy Westover at ahgchristy@gmail.com for

Information

***American Heritage Girls**

Kirk of the Hills Presbyterian Church in Clayton

Thursdays, 6:30-8:00

Contact: Jennifer Mazzone at ahgmo9522@gmail.com

***American Heritage Girls MO1410**

Jackson Crossroads Church

4400 East Jackson Blvd., Jackson, MO 63755

Contact: Crystal Strand at ncjc11@yahoo.com

***American Heritage Girls**

Collinsville, IL and one in Illinois that meets at the Grange.

First Baptist Church of Collinsville

Contact Rene Pitts for info: pittsfamily2@charter.net

***American Heritage Girls (unconfirmed)**

St. Paul in Fenton, MO has an AHG troop.

Contact Carrie Lorentz at 636-305-3499

