Chat Transcript for

Helping Homeschoolers in the Library, Part 2

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Sandi Cronce: (4/18/2012 09:44) Loud and clear Sophie!

Joanne Roukens: (09:44) Good morning everyone! This is Joanne Roukens. I am providing tech support this morning. If you have any problems with your audio/video during the program, we find that exiting and re-entering the meeting room fixes most things. If your problem persists or you are having another tech issue, please call me at 201-874-6885.

Sophie Brookover: (09:44) Thanks, Sandi! And good morning, everyone!

Sophie Brookover: (09:45) I'm really looking forward to this webinar, and I even have some resources to share with you all.

Sophie Brookover: (09:45) All of the materials from last week are now available for you to peruse at our website: <http://librarylinknj.org/content/helping-homeschoolers-library>

kathi kelley: (09:46) I have no audio!

Sophie Brookover: (09:47) Kathi, how about now?

kathi kelley: (09:47) Yes, Thank You

kathi kelley: (09:48) Kathi Kelley from Burlington County Library - we have a large Homeschooling population and the more we know the more we can offer them

Sophie Brookover: (09:48) Great!

Sophie Brookover: (09:49) Which branch? We had a bunch of BCLS folks with us last time.

kathi kelley: (09:50) Headquarters

Sophie Brookover: (09:50) Excellent! THanks for joining us!

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fran housten: (09:57) are we on yet?

Joanne Roukens: (09:58) Fran - can you hear Sophie?

Joanne Roukens: (09:58) LOL!

Sophie Brookover: (09:58) Fran, if you cannot hear me, I suggest exiting & re-entering the room.

Sophie Brookover: (09:59) I hope that helps!

Dawn Bladzinski: (09:59) Just checking out watat.com and see you are moving. Good luck. Where to?

Dawn Bladzinski: (10:00) excellent

Joanne Roukens: (10:00) 201-874-6885

Joanne Roukens: (10:01) yep

fran housten: (10:04) nothing yet are you talking?

Sandi Cronce: (10:04) They just started Fran

fran housten: (10:04) nuts

Joanne Roukens: (10:04) Fran - call me - 201-874-6885

Sophie Brookover: (10:11) Google.com should now be open in your browser behind this window.

Sophie Brookover: (10:13) <http://www.camdencountylibrary.org/parents#homeschoolers> -- this must be Andrea Cline's handiwork! :-)

Carolyn Aversano: (10:13) homeschoolfacts.com

Dawn Bladzinski: (10:13) <http://www.homeschool-life.com/nj/bright/>

Sophie Brookover: (10:13) I have another resource to suggest for your pathfinder, Andrea: <http://www.ecsj.org/>

Katharina Radcliffe: (10:13) <http://jerseyhomeschool.net>

Nancy Breece: (10:14) FreedomQuest Alternative in Medford NJ

Marie Downes: (10:14) Gloucester County Christian Home School Association

Elaine Pollak: (10:14) homeschoolers support network

Nancy Breece: (10:14) Families Learning Together in Jackson NJ

Julie Bramley: (10:14) <http://www.homeschoolinginnewjersey.com/>

Sophie Brookover: (10:15) Pat, do you need assistance?

kathi kelley: (10:15) homeschool world home-school.com

Elyse Schear: (10:15) <http://www.homeeddirectory.com/homeschooling-support-groups/new-jersey>

Jen Williams: (10:15) <http://homeschoolcentral.com/support/new_jersey_homeschool.htm>

Sophie Brookover: (10:16) Yeah, I found a lot of outdated stuff last time, but there's quite a bit out there.

Kathy Mulholland - Freehold: (10:21) Libraries should NOT make people cry! Geesh.

Sophie Brookover: (10:22) Whew!

Pat Morrow: (10:26) No, o.k. here. Thanks.

Sophie Brookover: (10:26) Good! We noticed your hand up earlier. Glad to know all is well. :-)

Sandi Cronce: (10:30) Which organizations have you partnered with?

Sophie Brookover: (10:35) it will!

Sophie Brookover: (10:38) It's super-popular among librarians.

Sophie Brookover: (10:38) About 1/3 of us.

Sophie Brookover: (10:38) It's all about organization!

Julie Bramley: (10:39) the visual aspect of pinterest is very appealing.

Sophie Brookover: (10:39) I think it's super-useful for showcasing what libraries are doing -- programming, storytimes, flannel boards, book displays...

Julie Bramley: (10:39) grab it with your eyes!!

Sophie Brookover: (10:39) yes!

Julie Bramley: (10:40) I have a library crafts board to post ideas for future programs. It's a great resource.

Sophie Brookover: (10:40) Here's the puzzle: <http://pinterest.com/pin/131026670378557992/>

Adrienne Furness: (10:40) <http://pinterest.com/pin/27795722669825009/>

Jen Servello: (10:41) just scrolled past it!

Sophie Brookover: (10:41) amazing!

Dawn Bladzinski: (10:41) I had to dissect a small shark in bio class

Sophie Brookover: (10:41) you can click that link in the middle of the page if you want!

Sandi Cronce: (10:43) Do you ever limit your attendees to just homeschoolers, or do you mix and match your programs?

beverly jacob: (10:43) I had someone contact me last week about doing a writing workshop.

beverly jacob: (10:44) Yes

Sophie Brookover: (10:44) The NEH.

andrea cline: (10:44) My homeschool group is meeting as we speak for a lego program.

Sophie Brookover: (10:46) Picturing America info: <http://picturingamerica.neh.gov/>

beverly jacob: (10:46) The person was a teacher who wants to present it.

beverly jacob: (10:46) Our library system participated in Picturing America.

Dawn Bladzinski: (10:47) can you tell us more about the bulletin board display in your pic

Dawn Bladzinski: (10:47) yes

Carolyn Aversano: (10:53) are any homeschool periodicals available through EBSCO?

Sophie Brookover: (10:54) Which titles do you like best?

Julie Bramley: (10:54) Could you tell us any periodical titles that you may have at your library?

Julie Bramley: (10:54) Thank you.

Rebecca Crawford: (10:55) here's a link for some homeschooling periodicals titles <http://www.homeschool-life.com/sysfiles/member/custom_public/custom.cfm?memberid=370&customid=3284>

Sophie Brookover: (10:55) Was that Life Learning? They seem to have a March/April 2012 issue out: <http://www.lifelearningmagazine.com/index.htm>

Sophie Brookover: (10:56) They're pubbing as PDF.

Sophie Brookover: (10:56) Subscriptions are available, though it's not the same.

Sophie Brookover: (10:56) But they could be printed out & maybe laminated?

beverly jacob: (10:57) Try to include publications for Special Needs children

Sophie Brookover: (10:57) I'm very fond of Amanda Soule: <http://soulemama.typepad.com>

beverly jacob: (10:58) I was interviewed by them.

Carolyn Aversano: (11:04) our copies look really old... are they updated?

Sophie Brookover: (11:06) I'm sorry -- my link didn't resolve properly. Here it is again if you had the same problem: <http://www.worldbook.com/typical-course-of-study?wbredirect=1&Itemid=216>

Sophie Brookover: (11:07) It sent me to just the home page, but when I clicked hte link on your slide, it worked!

Sophie Brookover: (11:07) Maybe it was just me!

Sophie Brookover: (11:10) <http://cathyduffyreviews.com/science/ranger-rick.htm> -- Cathy warns against "environmentalists' agendas". Hm.

Sophie Brookover: (11:10) Yeah, I appreciate her being upfront about it!

Carolyn Aversano: (11:11) Money Matters for Teens under Economics

beverly jacob: (11:11) I am on the special needs site.

Rebecca Crawford: (11:11) there are no publication dates in her reviews.

beverly jacob: (11:12) I question whether the parent is qualified to do an assessment without a professional.

Sophie Brookover: (11:12) I like her Instant Key section at the bottom of the reviews.

Dawn Bladzinski: (11:13) Homeschooling Your Struggling Learner [Paperback] Kathy Kuhl Kathy Kuhl (Author) › Visit Amazon's Kathy Kuhl PageFind all the books, read about the author, and more.See search results for this author Are you an author? Learn about Author Central (Author) Good reviews by Dr. Silver and Lavoie specialists in learning differences

beverly jacob: (11:14) HSLDA has a publication on homeschooling your struggling learner.

Sophie Brookover: (11:14) She also has a nice little pathfinder including all different approaches to homeschooling: <http://cathyduffyreviews.com/approaches-to-education/approaches-to-education-index.htm>

Dawn Bladzinski: (11:16) I was going to ask about spine labels before. We have made our own for special education and autism but do you recommend any?

Dawn Bladzinski: (11:16) Yes

Dawn Bladzinski: (11:16) That's what we do too. It works fine.

Dawn Bladzinski: (11:17) I like to use librarything.com to collate special collections that are easy to find on short notice

beverly jacob: (11:18) Thanks, Dawn.

Kathy Mulholland - Freehold: (11:18) [Thanks; must sign-out...appreciate the info/ideas.]

Sophie Brookover: (11:18) dThanks, Kathy!

Dawn Bladzinski: (11:19) we just create our own special tags in library thing (I used it for summer reading, autism, juvenile books with spanish words, concept books, etc) good because it shows cover art too

beverly jacob: (11:20) I have kits for special needs children and I will now promote them for HS's. Thanks!

Dawn Bladzinski: (11:20) science kits have consumable materials or not? any particular company?

Dawn Bladzinski: (11:20) thanks for sharing

Lina Crowell: (11:21) Thank-you for the resources and ideas. This has been very interesting.

beverly jacob: (11:22) Lakeshore and Beyond Play are excellent sources.

Dawn Bladzinski: (11:22) just one barcode for whole kit or each items separate barcode?

Dawn Bladzinski: (11:22) very organized

Katharina Radcliffe: (11:23) Thanks again for a very informative webinar!

Sophie Brookover: (11:24) Thanks for attending! We'll post materials to the page for this webinar in the next day or so!

Sophie Brookover: (11:24) I'll make sure to post links there, too.

Sophie Brookover: (11:25) [adrienne.furness@gmail.com](mailto:adrienne.furness@gmail.com)

Sophie Brookover: (11:25) I'm switching over to the evaluation slide now!

Glynis Wray: (11:26) Thank you

Sophie Brookover: (11:26) I'll be sending out CE certificates later today, as well.

Dawn Bladzinski: (11:27) It was an awesome webinar.

Susanna Chan: (11:27) Thank you!

Julie Bramley: (11:28) Thank you for all of the information! :)