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**An ARK Without a Crew -  
Floats with a Leak**

Ronnie E Cooper, President and  
Director, on behalf of all ARK  
Directors

This message emphasizes ARK's need for help. Brenda and I have decided not to run for officers--Treasurer and President, respectively--at the May, 2007 election. This was announced at the December 11 ARK meeting. We are going to share the opportunities with you.

We will continue to be volunteers. After 12 years I am unable to speak and write as much as I should to maximize the impact of ARK. The Directors agree we need to get more focused on the ministry of supporting a Biblical World View in Creation, Science, History, and Biblical Apologetics.

Our leak is in not having enough volunteers to serve and grow.

Since the initial announcement, we have identified 54 individual responsibilities the two of us were doing, that should be covered with 12 to 54 volunteers. The descriptions and time requirements for these are at the end of this newsletter. Time required is relatively little, if many people help. We need to get this generation and the next two generations involved in this foundational ministry and, for us, it starts NOW.

Another possibility is that some of these needs could be fulfilled by paid missionary/ies. Please prayerfully consider what you can do -- time or money donations. We also welcome comments.

Further information will be posted to our web page newsletter link. You may also call us at (937) 256-2759.

**Please read further details on  
future ARK Crew inside of this  
newsletter.**

**ARKY's Bookstore  
After Inventory Clearance Sale  
In stock items only!**

**10% - 75% OFF**

**January 9 - 30  
Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday  
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm**

**Feb. ONLY,  
Saturday 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm  
Other times by appointment**

**Everything reduced as never  
before. Hurry for best selection.**

## ARKY's Activities

**-Jan 8:** 7:00 pm - 8:35 pm. **Where Is the Missing Carbon 14?** with Dr. Charlie Brewster at Eastmont Freewill Baptist Church, 1<sup>st</sup> TRIAL period location for two months, 1645 Spaulding Rd, (East Dayton) Dayton, OH. Ph: (937) 256-ARKY. Carbon 14 is used extensively to date former living things. But the method assume Carbon 14 volume is stable. It has not reached a stable volume and is a good dating technique for the post flood world. Learn several important issues about this commonly used, but misunderstood element.

**Jan 20: 7:30 pm. What's Important About Noah's ARK?** Akron Fossils and Science Center, 2080 S Cleveland-Massillon Rd, Copley (near Akron), Ohio. Ron Cooper will compare today's times with what the Bible warns us will be like the people did in the time of Noah. We will say to ourselves: It is not true; it is a story with a fairy tale ending. It couldn't be done. All the different animals won't fit in a little boat, etc. There was no worldwide flood. There were many small ones. The Lord is not coming again. Where is the proof of any of this? (330) 665-DINO

**-Feb 12:** 7:00 pm - 8:35 pm. **Christians in a Post Modern World** with Ron Cooper at Eastmont Freewill Baptist Church, Final TRIAL period location, 1645 Spaulding Rd, (East Dayton) Dayton, OH. Ph: (937) 256-ARKY. How to Biblically understand and witness to the post-modern generation. Postmodernism is a complex process with one simple absolute - There are no absolutes! Its mantra is relative truth. As a worldview, it accepts and encourages the fragmentation of contemporary history and traditions. Its greatest flaw is saying that there is no God or absolute truth, which is false and illogical/unprovable. But we must go beyond superfluous faith in the Bible to combat it and win this battle. This faith starts with understanding Creation, the role of families, and how to use the Gospel to

change lives one at a time all over the world.

**\*Mar 12:** 7:00 pm until 8:35 pm. **A Thousand Years in a Day** with Dr. G Thomas Sharp DVD at ARKY House.

This program guides you through the seconds, minutes and days of the eye-opening action of catastrophic earth slides, tidal-like waves, mud flows and other residual effects of the history making Mt. St. Helens Catastrophe. You will see with your own eyes, the ability of catastrophic action do the work of thousands of years, in just one day!

**Mar 22-24:** 5:00 pm until 5:00 pm. (2 days later) Cincinnati Homeschool Convention with Ken Ham & others at Landmark Cincinnati, 1600 Glendale-Milford Rd: <http://www.CincinnatiHomeschoolConvention.com>

**\*Apr 9:** 7:00 pm until 8:35 pm. ARKY Monthly meeting. Program to be announced.

**Apr 27:** 11:30 am until 5:35 pm. Twelfth Dayton Resource & Curriculum Fair (12<sup>th</sup> DRCF) at Hillside Chapel, 3515 Shakertown Rd, Beavercreek, OH. Ph: (937) 256-ARKY.

### ARK Presentations Available

ARK speakers teach Biblical principles about creation and what true experimental, observable, repeatable, falsifiable science shows. Creation by an intelligent God is supported 10:1 better by the data than evolutionism as true science. Call 937-256-2759 (ARKY) to schedule a presentation and let us know what you need.

Typical Presentations  
Available from ARKY

- 6 Days of Creation
- Noah's Ark - God's Flood
- Christians in a Post Modern World
- Mt St Helens Was a Small Catastrophe
- This Is the Day for the Family
- Where Is the Missing Carbon 14?



### ARKY's Bookstore

Bookstore hours manned by volunteers are:

**Jan - Tuesday** 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm;  
**Jan - Thursday** 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm;  
**Jan/Feb - Saturday** 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm;  
**OTHER TIMES BY APPOINTMENT**

### ARKY's Bookstore Coupon

2002 S Smithville Rd

Dayton OH (937) 256-2759

*Bring this entire coupon each month for maximum savings.*

**Free Gift Wrapping** for ARKY purchases.

*Does NOT apply to previously reduced items or in combination with other coupons/discounts, or special orders.*

<b>40% off</b> max 1 Item <b>Jan 07</b>	<b>35% off</b> max 1 Item <b>Feb 07</b>	<b>50% off</b> max 1 Item <b>Mar 07</b>
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### Did You Know?

Things are changing and with a number of the creation books/videos going into reprint or out of print, you can have a good creation library for \$50.00 or a great one for \$100.00. This is especially so now with our inventory clearance sale.

**\*Indicates regular ARK meeting at ARKY House, 2002 S Smithville Rd, Dayton, OH. One mile South of US 35, just past Wayne Ave. Park on side or at the Tin Shop., Dayton, OH. Ph: (937) 256-ARKY.**

**Membership NOT required to attend meetings!**

All "CURRENT EVENTS" are updated on web page at <http://www.arky.org>.

Permission to copy newsletter articles or information is given.

**General Fund Financial Statement**

Balance 1/1/06 \$3,548.72

**Receipts**

Memberships 1,832.00  
 Contributions 3,263.97  
 Speaker Gifts 0.00  
 Projects – CC 900.00  
 DRCF 4,611.00  
 Refunds 0.00  
 Equipment sold 100.00  
 Internet Sales 519.73  
 Non-Tax Sales 2,878.93  
 Taxable Sales 18,347.43  
 Sales tax collected 1,257.59  
 Shipping & Handling 88.32  
 Misc. 15.25  
 Total 37,363.75

**Disbursements**

Newsletter/CC 1,667.12  
 Tithes&Gifts 509.60  
 Office/Store 5,175.81  
 Equipment 1,045.39  
 DRCF 1,118.68  
 Exhibiting 4,718.62  
 Inventory 15,517.42  
 Sales Tax Paid 1,170.15  
 Web 1,089.40  
 Museum Trailer 573.98  
 Returns 8.84  
 Misc. 597.25  
 Property Tax Hold 1,000.00  
 Total 34,192.26  
**Balance 12/31/06 3,171.49**

**Building Fund**

**Balance 1/1/06 (-1,424.84)**  
 Receipts 11,883.23  
 Expenses 10,340.37  
**Balance 12/31/06 118.02**  
 Net Balance, Both Funds **3,289.51**

**NOTE**

**Building Fund is just out of the red. Help us by purchasing from the store and/or by making cash donations to the building fund.**

**After Inventory Clearance**

Jan 9-30, Tu, Th, Sa, 1-5 pm  
 Feb Sat 1-5 pm & Appointments

**Percentages Off Regular Prices**

<b>Groupings</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>Member</b>
“Back” Display	40%	40%
“Middle” Display	50%	50%
Anything not listed	25%	25%
Audios-Sets	50%	50%
Audios-Single	50%	50%
Bibles	15%	<b>20%</b>
Cards	10%	10%
CD/DVD/Software	15%	<b>20%</b>
Clothing	20%	20%
Gift bags	50%	50%
Hardback Books	25%	25%
Master Books	15%	<b>32%</b>
<b>Meeting Room</b>	<b>75%</b>	<b>75%</b>
Posters	20%	20%
<b>Processing Room</b>	<b>Free</b>	<b>Free</b>
Rose Publishing	15%	<b>32%</b>
Softback books	20%	20%
String tagged items	50%	50%
Stuffed Animals, Lg	50%	50%
Stuffed Animals, Sm	15%	<b>20%</b>
Tracts	Buy 3, 4 <sup>th</sup> Free	
<b>Used Cookbooks, <i>Make a donation</i></b>		
Wallbuilders	15%	<b>32%</b>

5% Surcharge for Debit/Credit Cards

**Winter Orange Tea**

- 2 C Water
- 1 stick cinnamon
- 5 cloves
- Half of an orange peel
- Juice from one orange
- 2 bags of Orange tea

Put the 1<sup>st</sup> four ingredients in a saucepan. Cook on medium heat for 5 minutes or until simmering, turn off heat. Add fresh orange juice and tea bags. Cover, let stand 5 minutes. Drink.

**ARK Supporter Benefits**

1. **20% discount:** minimum on all purchases;
2. **Quarterly newsletter:** ARK members receive news and expansion plans;
3. **National support:** 10% of supporters’ general donations is given to Answers in Genesis, our voluntary support for a national Biblical creation science organization;
4. **Webpage:** [www.arky.org](http://www.arky.org) provides logical, Biblical information to a world saturated with an unbiblical, ill-suited naturalism for the needs of people;
5. **Monthly ARK meetings:** interesting speakers or DVD program on a variety of subjects, provided FREE to the community.
6. **Major speaker programs;** sponsored into the area or promoted by ARK;
7. **Local ARK speakers:** available for community and church events;
8. **Encouragement and Answers:** for belief in the Biblical Creator;
9. **Leadership training:** periodically opportunity to learn how to serve in your church or school or study group;
10. **Public materials:** make available Creation resources – books, audios, and DVDs to public;
11. **Lending library:** at ARKY house for supporters;
12. **Bookstore available:** during regular hours and by appointment.
13. **Bookstore honors specials:** when offered by AiG, ICR, and WallBuilder if items are in stock.

## Who Are We

The Ark Foundation of Dayton,  
Inc.

We are a non-profit organization set up to Educate, Train, Encourage and Assist All People To Understand How Great Is Our Creator & Designer—God.

We are organized to affect the public dialog on issues of science and religion in our community. We concentrate on presenting information and assumptions behind the two major worldviews with their weaknesses and strengths. Our standard is that the Bible is correct, not like the changing scientific community. We see true science in accord with the Bible, instead of fitting the Bible into the constantly changing Scientific Dogma.

Statement of Faith: We believe in the Word of God as stated in the Bible to be literal in context or as interpreted by itself. Specifically we believe the Genesis account of a seven (6 work + 1 rest) day literal creation week, death coming as a result of Sin, a global flood, and the Hope of the Resurrection. We believe Biblical Truth first, scientific theory second, especially since it defines itself as always changing. We believe good science flows from an honest understanding of Biblical Truth and in questionable areas is a servant of the Bible. We believe God is who He says He is and are committed to exposing these truths to the general public.

## Articles of Incorporation

The ARK Foundation of Dayton,  
Inc.

The purpose or purposes for which this corporation is formed and organized is exclusively for charitable, religious, education and/or scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (C) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law), including for such purposes:

To promote, educate, train, encourage, support and assist all people to understand the institution of the family, and its proper role, the importance of the church to past, present and future public good, the need and value of supporting good government, the wonder and design of the creation and the value of a Godly education.

## We Desire

1. To recognize the public good as defined by our founding fathers in Biblical principles. We need and value those sources of our Freedoms. We assist all people in a knowledgeable understanding of the important historical heritage we have.

2. To teach and promote the public good of historical truth from our ancestors and from our Creator God of the design and wonder of a Godly education on family, church, government.

## Wisdom Words

*What has been will be again, what has been done will be done again; there is nothing new under the sun. (Ec 1:9)*

Are we deluded to think new is better? The best should be passed on again and it is old. Wisdom is not a new beginning, else it has been a forgotten end. Wisdom is from old, from God Himself. Yet we who are old can be new creatures. *Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new. (2Co 5:17)* Then to be new and wise we must turn from our wicked ways and agree with God against ourself and really have a Happy New Year!

## Be an ARK Supporter!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Addr: \_\_\_\_\_

City, ST ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Ph: ( ) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Church: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Building Pledge: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per \_\_\_\_\_

Membership:  One  Spousal  Family

**ARK individual membership is only \$25/year (\$30 couple, \$40 family).** To receive this newsletter quarterly for free, please complete the address form and put "Jesus" in amount. (Please include mailing label, if you have one.)

***Do not withhold good from those who deserve it, when it is in your power to act. Proverbs 3:27***



## AiG Creation Research Paper Challenge 2007

Students aged 14-21 can win a \$50,000 scholarship to Liberty University.

[www.answersingenesis.org/cec/research-paper-challenge/default.asp](http://www.answersingenesis.org/cec/research-paper-challenge/default.asp)

### How You Can Help Action Steps:

**Pray.** Ask for our Heavenly Father's blessings on needs.

**Ask Questions.** A dumb question is the one not asked!

**Tell others.** YOUR influence on others helps most. Our growth depends on your recommendations.

**Support ARK financially** with your donations and consider a monthly pledge. Memberships pay the bills and allow you to be a regular recipient of news.

**Sign up for ARK's Email group.** Your name and Email address allows us to send infrequent news that merits your interest. Choose news for either creation and/or home school at [arkfoundation@arky.org](mailto:arkfoundation@arky.org).

### An Unused Opportunity

We have an underused asset. It is the 10 seat special effects theater trailer. We need a team to use it with children's programs. We need people who will maintain it. We need people who will develop programs for it.

**Otherwise** we need to find another home for it - where it will be used!

Do you have a heart for Creation and Children's ministries that extends beyond your driveway or Church? Can you volunteer? Can you tell others?

## The ARKY Path

### POSITIVE:

Ps 16:11 Thou wilt shew me the path of life: in thy presence is fulness of joy; at thy right hand there are pleasures for evermore.

Ps 27:11 Teach me thy way, O LORD, and lead me in a plain path, because of mine enemies.

Ps 119:35 Make me to go in the path of thy commandments; for therein do I delight.

Ps 119:105 Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.

Ps 139:3 Thou compassed my path and my lying down, and art acquainted with all my ways.

Ps 142:3 When my spirit was overwhelmed within me, then thou knewest my path. In the way wherein I walked have they privily laid a snare for me.

Pr 2:9 Then shalt thou understand righteousness, and judgment, and equity; yea, every good path.

Pr 4:18 But the path of the just is as the shining light, that shineth more and more unto the perfect day.

Pr 4:26 Ponder the path of thy feet, and let all thy ways be established.

### NEGATIVE:

Proverbs 16:25 tells us, "There is a way that seems right to a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death."

Pr 1:15 My son, walk not thou in the way with them; refrain thy foot from their path:

Pr 4:14 Enter not into the path of the wicked, and go not in the way of evil men.

## God and the Scientist

God is sitting in heaven when a scientist prays to Him, "God, we don't need you anymore. Science has finally figured out a way to create life out of nothing. In other words, we can now do what you did in the 'beginning.'"

"Oh, is that so? Tell me," replies God.

"Well," says the scientist, "we can take dirt and form it into the likeness of you and breathe life into it, thus creating man."

"Well, that's interesting, show Me."

So the scientist bends down to the earth and starts to mold the soil.

"No, no, no," interrupts God, "Get your own dirt."

### A Tony Blair Perspective:

In case we find ourselves starting to believe all the anti-American sentiment and negativity, we should remember England's Prime Minister Tony Blair's words during a recent interview. When asked by one of his Parliament members why he believes so much in America, he said:

"A simple way to take measure of a country is to look at how many want in... And how many want out." Only two defining forces have ever offered to die for you:

1. Jesus Christ
2. The American G. I.

One died for your soul, the other for your freedom.

You might want to pass this on, as many seem to forget both of them.

AMEN!

## A Cup of Coffee

A group of alumni, highly established in their careers, got together to visit their old university professor. Conversation soon turned into complaints about stress in work and life. Offering his guests coffee, the professor went to the kitchen and returned with a large pot of coffee and an assortment of cups - porcelain, plastic, glass, crystal, some plain looking, some expensive, some exquisite - telling them to help themselves to the coffee. When all the students had a cup of coffee in hand, the professor said: "If you noticed, all the nice looking expensive cups were taken up, leaving behind the plain and cheap ones. While it is normal for you to want only the best for yourselves, that is the source of your problems and stress. Be assured that the cup itself adds no quality to the coffee. In most cases it is just more expensive and in some cases even hides what we drink. What all of you really wanted was coffee, not the cup, but you consciously went for the best cups... And then you began eyeing each other's cups.

"Now consider this: Life is the coffee; the jobs, money and position in society are the cups. They are just tools to hold and contain Life, and the type of cup we have does not define, nor change the quality of Life we live. Sometimes, by concentrating only on the cup, we fail to enjoy the coffee God has provided us." God brews the coffee, not the cups..... Enjoy your coffee!

"The happiest people don't have the best of everything. They just make the best of everything." Live simply. Love generously. Care

deeply. Speak kindly. Leave the rest to God.

[Editor's note: The coffee was served and the cups selected, not to drink coffee, but because the service enhanced the visit to the professor. A Godly professor and a Godly school are God's real objectives. We are His servants to help that get done. Just like enjoying the coffee or enjoying what ARK has been able to accomplish, we will miss the true mission of ARK, if we only focus on our cups. We need your help. Can you serve with ARK or help pay the bills of those who do?]

## Religion and Original Intent

CONSTITUTION OF VIRGINIA, June 29, 1776 (written by James Madison and George Mason): BILL OF RIGHTS, SECTION 16. That religion, or the duty which we owe to our Creator, and the manner of discharging it, can be directed only by reason and conviction, not by force or violence; and therefore all men are equally entitled to the free exercise of religion, according to the dictates of conscience; and that it is the mutual duty of all to practice Christian forbearance, love, and charity towards each other.

CONSTITUTION OF NEW JERSEY, 1776: ARTICLE 19: That there shall be no establishment of any one religious sect in this Province, in preference to another; and that no Protestant inhabitant of this Colony shall be denied the enjoyment of any civil right, merely on account of his religious principles; but that all persons, professing a belief in the faith of any Protestant sect, who shall demean themselves peaceably under the government...shall be capable of being elected into any office of profit or trust.

## WE REAP WHAT WE SOW

In light of the many jokes we send to one another for a laugh, this is a little different: This is not intended to be a joke; it's not funny, it's intended to get you thinking. Billy Graham's daughter was interviewed on the Early Show and Jane Clayson asked her "How Could God Let Something Like This Happen?" (regarding Katrina)

Anne Graham gave an extremely profound and insightful response. She said, "I believe God is deeply saddened by this, just as we are, but for years we've been telling God to get out of our schools, to get out of our government and to get out of our lives.

And being the gentleman He is, I believe He has calmly backed out. How can we expect God to give us His blessing and His protection if we demand He leave us alone?" In light of recent events, terrorists attack, school shootings, etc. I think it started when Madeleine Murray O'Hare (she was murdered, her body found recently) complained she didn't want prayer in our schools, and we said OK.

Then someone said you better not read the Bible in school. The Bible says thou shalt not kill, thou shalt not steal, and love your neighbor as yourself. And we said OK.

Then Dr. Benjamin Spock said we shouldn't spank our children when they misbehave because their little personalities would be warped and we might damage their self-esteem (Dr. Spock's son committed suicide). We said an expert should know what he's talking about and we said OK.

Now we're asking ourselves why our children have no conscience, why they don't know right from wrong, and why it doesn't bother them to kill strangers, their classmates, and themselves.

Probably, if we think about it long and hard enough, we can figure it out. I think it has a great deal to do with "We Reap What We Sow."

Funny how simple it is for people to trash God and then wonder why the world's going to hell.

Funny how we believe what the newspapers say, but question what the Bible says.

Funny how you can send 'jokes' through e-mail and they spread like wildfire but when you start sending messages regarding the Lord, people think twice about sharing.

Funny how lewd, crude, vulgar and obscene articles pass freely through cyberspace, but public discussion of God is suppressed in the school and workplace.

Are you laughing?

Funny how when you forward this message, you will not send it to many on your address list because you're not sure what they believe, or what they will think of you for sending it.

Funny how we can be more worried about what other people think of us than what God thinks of us.

## ARKY Crew Jobs

<b>Job</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Hrs</b>	<b>Per</b>
ARK Email News Group	Produce Email groups	1	Mailing
ARK Meeting Organizer	Coordinates details for meetings	4	Meeting
ARK Meeting Planner	Plans ARK meetings for year	8	Year
Activity Driver	Drives tow vehicle to/from events with trailer	8	Event
Administrator	As required	12	Month
Advertising	Citizen, Blue Pages	8	Year
Advisor	As required	12	Year
Ambassador	Ambassador to Other Creation Groups	48	Year
*Building, Cleaning	Clean floors, remove trash, clean surfaces	2	Month
*Buyer, Bookstore	Research, evaluate, buy, create price tags, create purchase orders	4	Month
Chief Fund Raiser	Plan, write, and speak for fund raising events	2	Month
*Clerk 1, Bookstore	Clerk and Display work in store	12	Month
*Clerk 2, Bookstore	Clerk and enter store data in computer	12	Month
*Clerk 3, Bookstore	Clerk and prepare purchase lists	12	Month
Clerk 4, Bookstore	Clerk & unpacks merchandise, verifies shipping list and compares to purchase order, apply price tags	12	Month
Clerk 5, Bookstore	Backup clerks when sick or away	12	Month
Clerk 6, Bookstore	Backup clerks when sick or away	12	Month
Computer Installer	Install/move any computer equipment	8	Quarter
Computer Maintainer	Software/Operation System maintenance on PCs	8	Quarter
*Convention Local Help	Local person to help load and unload/setup	5	Event
Convention Scheduler	Completes application forms, schedules workers, evaluates potential locations	1	Event
Convention Worker	Travels to locations, load & unload materials	48	Event
Correspondence	Answer inquires and questions	2	Month
DRCF Coordinator	Runs the DRCF and all aspects	18	Event
DRCF Vendor Organizer	Contacts vendors, schedules, layouts & elec	80	Year
DRCF Classes Planner	Plans and schedules all classes	60	Year
DRCF Volunteers Coor	Works with all volunteers to keep schedules	6	Event
Database Programmer	Programs Paradox DB for centralized management	2	Month
Database Reporting	Runs standard reports	1	Month
Database entry	Entry new or updated information into database	3	Month
Directors (5+)	Assists President in ensuring plans can be done	8	Quarter
Editor	Web content and ARK Newsletter	4	Mailing
Email Returns	Fixes bad Emails, calls/writes people to correct	6	Mailing
Equipment Mover	Move any equipment needing moved	2	Event
Financial Secretary	Pickup and sort mail, pickup store sales reports, deposit checks/cash, prepares sales tax reports	20	Month
Furniture Mover	Move any finitude needing moved	1	Event
*Gift & Craft Maker	Hand make products for gift shop	50	Quarter
*Library	Enter and maintain library records	8	Month
Maintenance, Building	Maintain and improve building	8	Month
Maintenance, Equipment	Maintain and improve equipment	2	Month
*Maintenance, Plants	Plants, cultivates, trims, weeds Flowers & Shrubs	2	Season
Maintenance, Snow	Remove snow on sidewalks & parking lot	2	Snow
*Maintenance, Yard	Mow yard weekly as needed	1	Season
Manager, Bookstore	Oversees operations, knows all functions, schedules clerks, organize, approve invoices, plan	12	Week
Media Manager	Does media contacts and news release for ARK	120	Year
Meetings, Special	Plans other events in area and makes them happen	12	Event
Newsletter Distribution	Picks up printed copies, staples, folds, tapes, applies mailing labels, delivers to PO with forms	5	Mailing
Newsletter Labels	Produce Mailing List labels for PO mailings	1	Mailing
*Newsletter Printer	Receives final copy from editor, and prints it	2	Mailing

*Newsletter Proof Reader	Proof reads ads, articles, news, information, and final copy of newsletter	4	Mailing
Office Manager	As required	12	Month
President	Coordinate all aspects and solves problems	16	Year
Property Inventory Mgr	Maintain accurate inventory of all property (not retail)	4	Quarter
Scheduling	Speakers, Teachers, Classes	4	Week
Speakers (11)	Speaks on behalf of ARK on established mission	12	Event
Teachers (6+)	Teaches programs to enhance a Biblical World View	3	Event
Telephone Solicitor	Calls fresh and old contacts for events and needs	4	Month
Trailer Maintenance	General maintenance, safety, record keeping	1	Month
Trailer Load/Unloading	Helps load/unload vehicle/trailer for events or movement	3	Event
Trainer, Bookstore	Trains clerks: invoices, cash register, charge card, assist customers	4	Month
*Treasurer	Pay bills, write checks, prepares tax returns, prepares monthly reports	7	Month
Visionary	Plans and review direction for ARK and advises Directors	24	Year
Web Graphics	Design, convert, make web graphics or for other media	12	Month
*Web Master	Designs and incorporates standard look and improvements to web	24	Month
Web Writer	Writes content pages	2	Month
Writer	Writes articles or ads	2	Month

**\* Star Positions Taken or under consideration. Call 937-256-2759 to volunteer.**

Multiple volunteers is ideal to prevent overload, SO PLEASE CONSIDER ALL POSITIONS AND MULTIPLE ONES!

## **Twelfth Annual Dayton Resource and Curriculum Fair (12<sup>th</sup> DRCF)**

**Friday, April 27, 2007**

at Hillside Chapel, 3515 Shakertown Rd, Beavercreek, OH

No Charge for Admission. ARKY is a 501(c)(3) non-profit group that accepts donations.

- Same reliable vendors expected with a wide variety of products for home schooling.
- All information will be posted to ARKY.ORG web site to keep current.
- Food available on site.
- ARKY is in need of volunteers, if we are to continue sponsoring.
- Please contact 937-256-2759 to volunteer for any ARKY projects.
- All classes are free, except art classes below.

**Visual Manna Classes** (register with VM direct. If a group wants to schedule a workshop the day before, please contact VM direct.)

If you want to preregister, send a check to Visual Manna, P.O. Box 553, Salem, MO 65560 or call VM with a credit card at 1-888-2757309. You will receive a receipt as your ticket. Students receive wonderful handouts to take home. Cost is \$10.00 per child - \$5.00 of the cost is supplies and handouts.

9:00 to 11:00 Older students ages 9 and up...some advanced 8 year olds may apply. All supplies are included. Our first project will be were there dinosaurs on the ark? We will teach how to do one point perspective in making the ark. We will teach mixing and blending color with a color wheel rainbow. Students will have a finished work of art about this topic. Master artist to look at will be Miller. Our second project will be castles and dragons. Students will learn two point perspective making an old stone castle. We will also draw a dinosaur (Utah Raptor) to put in the picture. Master artist will be Raphael and "St George and the Dragon." Did man and the dinosaurs exist together? We believe so!

9:00 to 11:00 Younger students ages 4 through 8 will do 4 projects using oil pastels, dauber markers, cut paper, scissors, glue, markers, etc. The first project is Noah's Ark and the Color wheel. Little ones do torn paper water in different shades of blue, an ark and a color wheel rainbow. The second project is Insects in Amber. Children learn to draw insects using basic shapes and do this on amber paper and then put this on a brown tree. They learn cool colors and hot colors. The third project is the Coelacanth. They do a picture where the fish is kissing the fossil. This was supposed to be our ancestor, but is now alive and well and not even on the endangered animal list. The fourth project is drawing dinosaurs. Students learn how to draw dinosaurs and make a dinosaur landscape using basic shapes.

1:00 to 3:30. This afternoon class is for older students who will learn to draw a variety of dinosaurs including comic strip dinosaurs. They will learn shading, shadow and texture. They will learn how to use scale and atmospheric perspective to make their picture look real. Students will make an elaborate finished drawing of a dinosaur. We will also learn how to sculpt a dinosaur out of terra cotta clay. Making a fossil and making it look real is also a project in this workshop.

3:30 to 6:00. This afternoon class is for younger children and includes doing a dinosaur looking back in time, how to do a comic strip dinosaur, how to sculpt a dinosaur and make a dinosaur footprint that they can take home with them.