



2010 Commencement Registration Packet

- If your family is a member of a local LEAH chapter, you are eligible to participate in our annual LI/NYC LEAH commencement ceremony, to be held this year at Our Saviour Lutheran Church in Centereach, on May 1, 2010, at 6:00 p.m.
- This ceremony will give you, the parent, the opportunity to present a diploma to your graduating student. During the presentation of the diploma, you will also have two to three minutes to honor your student by sharing with the audience a favorite scripture verse picked by the graduate, his or her future plans, past achievements, ministries, activities, etc.
- During the ceremony we will be presenting a slideshow of the graduates. For this we will need five pictures of your child, for example: birth, five years, ten years, fifteen years, and a recent picture or any picture that has a special meaning to you.
- We will have special music and an inspirational speaker to encourage us all.
- We will have a rehearsal prior to the ceremony, the date and time of which to be announced.

Questions?

Email: thebunch@optonline.net

Telephone: 631-821-1876

An Important Note from the Board of NYS LEAH to the Graduates and their Families

- The purpose of the commencement ceremony is to allow a special time to acknowledge the Lord's part in each family's homeschooling efforts, and to give Him glory and honor, praise and thanksgiving for guiding each family through the years of homeschooling.
- In keeping with that purpose, we will guard against anything which might disrupt this special time by establishing some rules which are designed to protect those who want to participate in a reverent time of acknowledging God's goodness. We urge graduates to carefully consider how they present themselves. Is it honoring to God? Does it show love and respect to your Christian brothers and sisters who may hold to a different dress standard? If in doubt, the graduate is urged to ask questions to clarify beforehand, rather than be disappointed on the day of the event.
- To uphold the honor and dignity of the occasion, we will request the following standards for the graduates:

Ladies:

Please wear a modest dress, jewelry, hairstyle, makeup, and dress shoes.

Gentlemen:

Please wear dress pants, dress shirt, tie, and dress shoes. Please wear modest jewelry and a modest hairstyle.

Again, any questions please feel free to ask!

The LI/NYC Region 10 LEAH Convention Standing Committee of the NYS LEAH board:

Rudy & Elizabeth Hugo

Bill & Christine Weyer

Registration Form

Full name of graduate for diploma _____

Name of LEAH chapter _____

Name of parent(s) _____

Email address _____

Home address _____

Telephone _____

Number of attendees:

Grad ____ Grad's Parents ____ Siblings ____ Other guests ____

Height and weight of graduate (for gown ordering) _____

The full registration fee is \$60.00 This fee covers the cost for a royal blue gown, cap and tassel, a diploma in a padded case, and a gift for the graduate to give their parents after they are presented with their diploma.

We must receive the following by February 1, 2010:

1. A check for \$60.00 made out to: Catherine Barlow
2. Five pictures for the slideshow
3. This registration form filled out and sent to:

LI/NYC LEAH Commencement
c/o Cathy Barlow
2 Ryan Court
Ridge, NY 11961

