### **WPA + Local Groups = Stronger Together**

When your members join or renew with WPA **and** your local homeschool support group at the same time, **everyone wins** -- \$5 of their WPA membership fee stays with your local homeschool support group!

The process is simple: Your members join or renew with both organizations, using one simple Partnership Form and one check payable to your group. And then on the 20th of each month, you mail copies of all the forms with one check payable to WPA, less the \$5 per member which your local group gets to keep!

#### Q: What is WPA?

**A:** WPA is a state-wide, inclusive, grassroots organization dedicated to protecting the right of parents to provide an education to their children according to their principles and beliefs. Learn more at www.homeschooling-wpa.org.

#### Q: Why does WPA offer this partnership program?

**A:** WPA recognizes the vital work local homeschool support groups do to support homeschoolers throughout Wisconsin, and we want to help you continue to help others!

# Q: Does my group have to agree to anything to participate in this partnership program?

**A:** No. WPA simply asks that your group make every effort to provide current and accurate information about Wisconsin homeschool law. And this is simple to do when you refer people to the tremendous amount of current and accurate information available on the WPA website at <a href="https://www.homeschooling-wpa.org">www.homeschooling-wpa.org</a>. Some groups choose to require membership in WPA as part of their own membership agreements, but that is purely voluntary.

### Q: What if our group has online registration and payment for members?

A: Online integration is simple enough with most websites. You can add a line-item to your online membership form for WPA Membership at \$35/year and an optional WPA Donation blank, and make sure that you provide and collect all the information on the printable Partnership Form. Please contact our Membership Coordinator at <a href="mailto:membership@homeschooling-wpa.org">membership@homeschooling-wpa.org</a> with additional questions about your group's membership process.

#### Q: What are the benefits of WPA membership?

**A:** You can find answers to this and other questions about membership on our website at <a href="https://www.homeschooling-wpa.org/membership/">www.homeschooling-wpa.org/membership/</a>

#### Q: How much does WPA membership cost?

**A:** Membership in WPA costs \$35/year whether a family joins WPA directly or via their local group. The only difference is that if they join through their local group, the group gets to keep \$5 of that membership fee, and then forwards the other \$30 to WPA.

# Q: Is WPA aligned with any particular ideology, curriculum, or homeschooling approach?

**A:** No. WPA is a state-wide, inclusive, grassroots organization supporting ALL homeschoolers. WPA provides information about homeschooling in Wisconsin. It is the responsibility of each homeschool administrator/parent or guardian to read original source material and make decisions on compliance for themselves. WPA does not provide legal advice or counsel and does not endorse or provide curriculum suggestions or specific materials for any particular educational approach.

#### Q: Is our personal information safe with WPA?

**A:** Yes. WPA does not provide, sell, or rent ANY personal information (names, address, phone number, email address, etc.) to anyone outside the organization.

## Q: Is there an online form for submitting partnership program members?

**A:** An online form is in development. We will let you know as soon as it is available!

Local Support Group Strong Homeschool Families

Wisconsin Parents Association

Being a member of a **local homeschool support group** gives you opportunities

to establish local relationships, share ideas and experiences, and build a day-to-day network of support. Being a member of Wisconsin Parents Association (WPA)

means you're part of the state-wide, inclusive, grassroots organization dedicated to protecting the right of parents to provide an education to their children according to their own principles and beliefs.

