



Starting January 11, 2012
The Oaks School
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parenting matters



Alfie Kohn
Hundreds of television and radio appearances, a dozen books and counting, and now Kohn brings his thoughtful and engaging presentation to The Oaks School on January 11th.



Ruth Beaglehole
For more than 50 years Ruth has been thinking about how to raise children free from physical and emotional hurts. She's sharing some of that wisdom Feb. 27th & May 7th



Brian Joseph
Brian is a teacher, writer, facilitator of cross cultural dialogue, and Director of Programming at Echo Parenting & Education. A dad of 3, he speaks about Raising Boys on March 5th

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JANUARY 11, 2012, 4pm - Reception to follow

ALFIE KOHN on UNCONDITIONAL PARENTING

SOLD OUT

Parenting without rewards or punishments? No praise either? Unconditional parenting means that kids never need to do anything to *earn* the love of their parents. World renowned speaker Alfie Kohn makes a case for raising kids without punitive and unkind methods. Alfie has been featured on hundreds of television and radio programs, and is the author of 12 books, including *UNCONDITIONAL PARENTING: Moving from Rewards and Punishments to Love and Reason*.



FEBRUARY 27, 2012, 7pm

RUTH BEAGLEHOLE on RAISING GIRLS

From a very young age, girls are inundated with messages that they should “act like a lady” at the expense of their own unique self. Helping to empower girls to be authentic, feeling, thinking people who are confident and loving means developing and expanding our own ideas about gender and power. Ruth is the founder and executive director of Echo Parenting & Education and in this two hour session will offer concrete tools to help adults support girls.



MARCH 5, 2012, 7pm

BRIAN JOSEPH on RAISING BOYS

The adage “boys will be boys” allows us to neglect our responsibility to teach boys how to solve problems peacefully. Helping boys develop their emotional intelligence can diminish the association of violence with masculinity, and increase their capacity to love. Brian is a founding parent of the Peace School Cooperative Preschool in Los Angeles and director of teaching at Echo Parenting & Education. Here he offers many tools for supporting boys to be emotionally intelligent.



MAY 7, 2012, 7pm

RUTH BEAGLEHOLE on ANGER

Have you regretted things that said or did while you were angry with your children? Been frustrated with how they express anger with you? Every parent and every child has experienced deep feelings of frustration and rage. Ruth will examine the roots of anger and strategize about how to help children (and adults!) safely navigate these feelings.



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