

FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH

For What It's Worth (FWIW) is a service for members of the Oklahoma Homebuyer Education Association. We welcome your responses or other information you would like to share with us. Send items to Tricia Auberle at HomebuyerEd@okacaa.org

Where have all the members gone?! As of this writing only 34 out of our 84 OHEA members have paid their dues. I will send out a notice between March 19 and March 21 to those who remain unpaid, and the deadline will be extended to April 13. If you do not hear from me by the 21st we have received your payment and all is well. Either that or your email address isn't updated so, coworkers, please check to make sure everyone is receiving *For What It's Worth*. Member services and certifications will be suspended if dues are not received by Friday, April 13. Our sincere thanks to those of you who have already renewed. We appreciate you!

OHEA registration system online. You can now register online through our parent organization's website. Here is the URL: <https://okacaa.org/events/homebuyer-education-professional-certification/>

Make sure to scroll down if you don't see the event you are looking for.

There are three reasons why we think this will serve our members better than what we have been doing.

1. The system uses PayPal, allowing you to pay easily by credit card or request an invoice.
2. You create a profile the first time you use the system. After that you don't have to enter all your contact information every time you register (although you can edit it at any time).
3. You can register people who share contact info without entering the contact info multiple times.

There is one thing to keep in mind, however. While you create your profile the system will send you an email. It originates from our service provider so, if your security settings are like mine, it may divert that email to your JUNK or SPAM folder. Just take a look there if you don't see it right away.

Comprehensive Continuing Education is scheduled for May 9 – 10. This is the easy way to complete your continuing education requirements on time. Just attend one of the two-day sessions we offer each year for each of the three years you are certified. We start a little later on Day One (10:00) and end a little earlier on Day Two (3:30) to give everyone extra time for the commute. Registration is available through the URL above.

Term of the Month: Reserve Account – money set aside for irregular expenses including repairs and replacements. (This is not a savings account as this money does not represent saving up for something you want. It is money reserved for the maintenance of your home and other irregular expenses.)

2018 OHEA Events Schedule. Here is the revised schedule of OHEA trainings, continuing education, and the OHEA Conference. Activities may change and are subject to funding and minimum participation.

April 23 – 27	OHEA Train the Trainer classroom session (Registration form attached – please share!)
May 9 – 10	Comprehensive Continuing Education (Register online!)
October 1 – 5	OHEA Train the Trainer classroom session
November 7	15 th Annual Homebuyer Education Conference
November 8	Comprehensive Continuing Education morning workshop

Activities are held at the Oklahoma Weatherization Training Center, 605 Centennial Blvd., Edmond, OK 7301