



humane education happenings

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IT'S NOT TOO LATE.....

...TO NOMINATE A TEACHER for NAAHE's 1986 Humane Education Teacher of the Year Award. However, you must hurry as the nominations close January 17, 1986. If you subscribe to NAAHE's magazine Children & Animals, see page 20 for details - if you do not, contact me at the above address and I'll send you the information.



VIEW A VIDEO.....

...of Bev Armstrong and Charlotte Moore, Kids and Critters, in action at the 1984 HSUS Annual Conference in San Diego, CA. John Dommers, director of The HSUS New England Regional Office, is responsible for capturing this "one of a kind" act on film and has gifted the Western Humane Educators' Assoc. with the only copy. If you've never seen one of Bev and Charlotte's idea packed workshop segments, here's your chance. WHEA, including members Bev and Charlotte, would like to share the video with any of you who would like to see it. To be added to the waiting list, send your request along with a \$5. check made out to WHEA to The HSUS West Coast Regional Office at the above address. The \$5. is to cover postage and handling. NOTE: WHEA has no objection to your copying the video for your personal use.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY ALBERT SCHWEITZER

January 14 marks the birthday of Dr. Albert Schweitzer whose ethic of Reverence for Life continues to motivate and inspire countless individuals to this day.

To celebrate - Ask students to research Schweitzer's attitudes regarding animals. After sharing all the quotes they have found, ask them to illustrate their favorites. Then, use the illustrations to design a class display or bulletin board. School and/or public libraries should have adequate information on hand for this activity. If yours does not, a useful resource is Animals, Nature, and Albert Schweitzer by Ann Cottrell Free. Copies of this book are available from The HSUS, 2100 L St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037 for \$3.50 each. I also have a good article on Dr. Schweitzer and a list of quotes I'll be happy to send you. Send a SASE with your request to the West Coast Regional Office to receive these materials. Last, but possibly best, contact the Albert Schweitzer Center, Box 611, Great Barrington, MA 01230 for additional resources and information.

"Kindness works simply and perseveringly; it is the furthest-reaching and most effective of all forces."

Dr. Albert Schweitzer



