



LIKE TO RAISE YOUR OWN CHICKENS AND HAVE FRESH EGGS IN THE MORNING?

Let me tell you, 'It's something special!

Holding that miracle in your hands, sometimes still warm.

Into the morning pan with a splash of golden sun filled with essential health.

What a way to start school or work!

In Papa John's case, it was the mid 60's as we settled into our Lafayette home with nearby schools of state acclaim. A Diablo Valley College ecology teacher offered his research for building a sustainable chicken palace (coop). I felt the adrenaline rush from deep inside as I momentarily relived my childhood caring for poultry and selling extra eggs to appreciative neighbors. The rest is history - More than 40 years later, I still look forward to feeding the chickens in the evening and collecting the eggs.

I'll bet you have thought at sometime, "Gosh, wouldn't it be fun to have our own chickens!" Then, questions or doubts arise, and the idea disappears. If you're reading this article now, then seriously entertain your fantasy once again, and this time, take the next step.

Sign your family up for Papa John's Workshop: Raise Your Own Hens.

In 2010, 102 folks, including children and young adults, attended the workshops.

About the Seasons! Spring is the best time to buy week old chicks, because those born between mid-March and May are usually the most healthy. Recognizing this, Papa John will again offer workshops in January and February of 2011. Following the workshop your family will have 2 months to construct a 'sustainable' chicken coop using plans provided. Then, in April, you are ready to purchase and enjoy your chicks.

REGISTRATION - for the January 2011 Workshops will begin in November.

Have a great day ~ Papa John

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