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**TIPS - The Technology Feed Vol 5, #3 (December, 2005)**

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**TIPS - The Editor's Desk**

Brief musings on the implementation of technology integration in Fayette County Schools...from the Office of Instructional Technology



...from the desk of Jeffrey L. Jones, Site Admin

**Friday, December 02, 2005 9:40 AM: These are exciting times!**

Teachers, schools, and students are using online tools...with wonderful results!

- **Fayette County Forums:** The US Regions Project is still on-going, and look to Leanna Prater's "Flog" entry below for information about a collaboration with a class in The Netherlands!
- **The Point:** It's official, Fayette County's blogspace is hot! Another class from the Netherlands has joined Racheal Humbert's 4th grade class from Squires there! Overall, volume has increased three-fold over the last few weeks...and all of it *great student writing!* Ask how you can use this wonderful resource for your open response writing needs!
- **Literary Book Club:** This venerable resource is there to support online discourse between students on books and reading!

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And more is on the horizon! Look to January for roll-outs of a new literary magazine, and a new district-wide content management system for collaboration and resource sharing between offices, schools, classrooms, and teachers!

**Happy Holidays...**from the Office of Educational Technology!



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**STLP in FCPS**

A discussion of STLP activities, issues, and projects in Fayette County Schools.



...from the desk of Paula Whitmer

**Thursday, November 17, 2005 12:58 PM: Showcase University Results are Awesome!**

Congratulations to all of our STLP students and coordinators who participated in last week's University Showcase! I am so proud of each group that participated. You showed that wonderful things are happening with technology in our schools.

The results are in! The list below shows each school showcase project which was judged with the school name, project title, and project category. The ones listed in red earned at least 91 points and will be moving to the state STLP Competition in May. Again, congratulations to everyone!

- Athens Elementary: **Memory Moments** (Entrepreneurial)
- Beaumont Middle: **Super Silver CPU** (Community Service)
- Dunbar High Beaumont Middle School: **Each One, Teach One** (Instructional)
- Dunbar High: **Johnson Community Service** (Community Service)
- Dunbar High: **AM Tech** (Community Service)
- Dunbar High: **Equine Industry** (Instructional)
- Dunbar High: **Physics in a Flash** (Instructional)
- Dunbar High: **Optical Camera** (Entrepreneurial)
- Garden Springs Elementary: **Technology Makes Every Penny Count!** (Entrepreneurial)
- Henry Clay High: **Virtual Tour of Henry Clay** (Community Service)
- James Lane Allen Elementary: **Techno Tigers** (Community Service)
- Jessie Clark Middle: **Jessie Clark Prepares for Emergencies** (Instructional)
- Jessie Clark Middle: **Jessie Clark: A Virtual Tour** (Instructional)
- Johnson Elementary: **Johnson Elementary is iSAFE** (Instructional)
- Johnson Elementary: **Johnson Elementary Field Trips** (Community Service)

Great job, everybody!

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**The Forum Blog**

The Forum Blog (and other e-communication stuff)



...from the desk of Leanna Prater

**Thursday, December 01, 2005 8:08 AM: Collaborative Learning**

Have you ever thought that completing a project with a class across the ocean would be a hard thing to do? Our forums make collaborating with classes anywhere in the world easy! Kelli Little's 5th graders at Athens Elementary have been working with students in Carol LeMieux's class at the American International School of Rotterdam, Netherlands. Their joint project involves writing and creating a clay animated movie. With 5 pages of student postings, it is obvious everyone is contributing their thoughts! Here are some clips from their discussion:

Question (posted by Ms. LeMieux-Netherlands): Should the star of our animated film be a person, animal or object. Please vote for one and explain why and what you imagine him/her or it to look like. Also be original. Do not take ideas from current TV, books, movies, comics etc.

KY Student: I think the star should be a monkey warrior with a red sash...

Netherland Student: The star of our animated film should be a object. This is because it would be funny. It would look like a pencil with eyes and mouth.It can talk and see. The pencil should be big and yellow.

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