



DISTRICT 128

FOUNDATION FOR LEARNING

Libertyville High School - Vernon Hills High School

Foundation Footnotes

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Spring 2011

Foundation Celebrates 2010-11 Innovation Grant Winners



The District 128 Foundation for Learning announced the winners of its 2010-11 Innovation Grants at a luncheon held Nov. 24 at the District 128 Administration Center. Trustees and grant recipients pictured are District 128 Superintendent **Prentiss Lea**, Foundation for Learning Trustee **Judy Sugarman**, **Monica Tolva**, **Vince DeLuca** (accepting for Corey Atwell), **Kelly Garrison**, **Liz Wietrzak**, **Amy O'Neill**, **Rebecca Austin**, **Sheila Russell**, **Sherri Rukes**, Foundation Chairperson **Anne Landgraf**, Foundation Project Committee Member **Kathy Peterson**, and Trustee **Scott Luce**. Award-winners not pictured: Corey Atwell, Adam Lueken, and Joshua Ravenscraft. Read more about the exciting programs that will be funded by these grants on our website, d128foundation.org. (photo by S. Cloud)

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**Lace Up
Learning 4
5K Run/Walk**
District 128 Foundation for Learning

Kick Off the Summer at the 2011 Lace Up 4 Learning 5K Run/Walk

The District 128 Foundation for Learning is pleased to announce its first community fund raising event. The First Lace Up for Learning 5K Run/Walk will be held on Monday, May 30, at Old School Forest Preserve in Libertyville. Race time is 8:00 a.m.

Runners and walkers may register online beginning March 18 at: www.signmeup.com.

The Foundation is still welcoming sponsors and volunteers for the event. If you are interested in helping sponsor the event, please contact Mary Todoric at 847-247-4513 or mary.todoric@d128.org.

We Need You!

The Foundation is seeking volunteers to serve on subcommittees and help in planning and running future fund raising events. If you are interested, contact us at foundation@d128.org.

Foundation Provides Extraordinary Opportunities for Students

Founded in 2007, the District 128 Foundation for Learning provides resources for innovative and creative instructional ideas that enrich the experiences and programs for students in Community High School District 128.

The Foundation was established in 2007 as a 501 (c) (3) non-profit, autonomous, tax-exempt organization and is led by a group of local community leaders in business and education who believe that we can never do enough to prepare our youth for the future.

Making a donation to the District 128 Foundation for Learning is a powerful way for alumni, parents, community members and interested companies to support learning experiences in the classroom above and beyond those financed through public dollars.

Look for the boxes on the registration form to add your \$25 or \$50 donation. Your tax deductible contribution will help to fund innovative opportunities for our students in the upcoming school year.

Is Your Employer a Matching Company?

Matching companies allow for their employees to maximize their contributions to organizations like the District 128 Foundation for Learning, by matching the dollar amount the employee donates. For a list of some area employers who offer matching programs, visit the Foundation website at d128foundation.org and click on the "donors" link.

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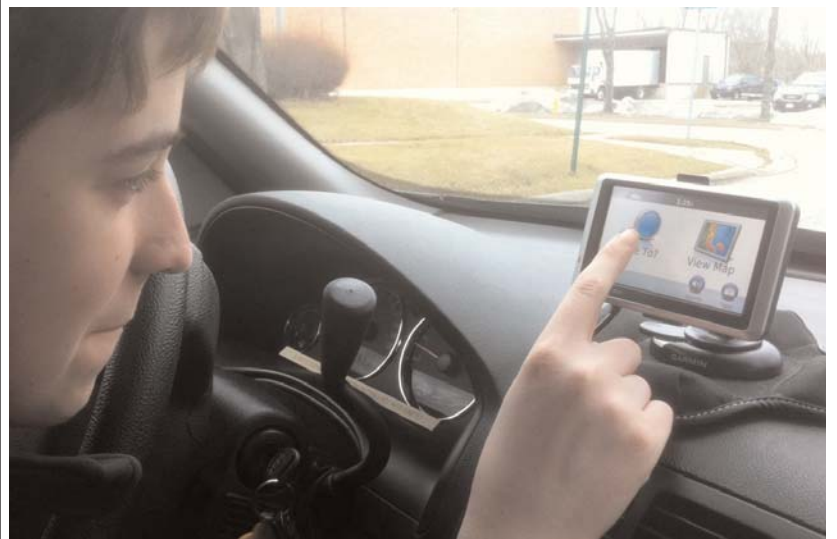
Our Mission

To enhance and enrich the instructional program in Community High School District 128.

Innovation Grants Impact on Students



VHHS students posed for a series of "READ" posters to promote the availability of Nooks in the Library Media Center. The Nooks, funded through an Innovation Grant, provide students and staff the option to experience literature in a new technological format. (photos by M. Tolva)



An LHS driver education student uses one of the GPS units purchased through an Innovation Grant. Students are taught how to use the technology safely and how to utilize features that can help in case of emergencies. Teachers also use the units to enhance projects related to trip planning and map reading. (photo by B. Wilcox)