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Vision

The vision of the Loudoun School/Business Partnership Executive Council is to be a progressive leader in establishing effective and creative partnerships. Indicators of the Council's success will be if:

- partnerships are thriving
- students are learning current and relevant skills
- students are leaders and committed to their communities
- students are learning interactive and technology skills
- schools are responsive to partnerships and actively integrate "best of practices" into their curricula
- businesses benefit from having a well-qualified workforce.

Mission Statement

The mission of the Loudoun School/Business Partnership Executive Council, a non-profit organization, is to provide the leadership to promote the development and success of partnerships between the Loudoun County Public Schools and businesses to ensure that the students are prepared to contribute successfully to the ever-changing business and community environments.

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Partner School:	Lincoln Elementary School
School Contact:	Albert S. Johnson, Principal
Phone:	540-338-6860
Year Partnership Began:	2001
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	For years Abernathy and Spencer has provided Lincoln with flowers for the schools exterior, classrooms and office. They give us discounts for plants and landscaping supplies for the school grounds. In addition to materials, they provide technical expertise.
Benefits to the Company:	Advertisement- We acknowledge Abernathy and Spencer in the School newsletter, at school functions and in the school yearbook.
Benefits to the School:	They have greatly enhanced the appearance of the school and school grounds.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	The All American Steakhouse 43145 Broadlands Center, Building E, Suite 103 Ashburn, VA 20148
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Partner School:	Stone Bridge High School
School Contact:	James E. Person, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2200
Year Partnership Began:	2004
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Since our partnership began with The Original Steakhouse and Sports Theatre five years ago, Stone Bridge High School has been fortunate enough to be the recipient of wonderful food and catering services, often at reduced price and in some cases complimentary donations. The All American Steakhouse has provided our staff with several luncheons for a variety of events. Most recently, they provided lunch for 60 staff members on a Saturday Exam Review Day in January 2008. This year the original steakhouse made a large donation to help with the cost of awards for the football team. They also donated food for the hospitality room for the district girls volleyball tournament, district gymnastic tournament and Holiday Basketball tournament. They have donated gift certificates for their restaurant for faculty appreciation and have catered several athletic tournaments while contributing to various programs. They have also assisted in fundraising dinners.
Benefits to the Company:	The All American Steakhouse has been recognized in various Stone Bridge publications including monthly school newsletters and sports programs for their contributions. They have been recommended to other schools who now have established their own forms of partnerships. In at least one instance a Stone Bridge organization served as hosts and waiters to bring in more business while sharing some proceeds as a result of their efforts. The restaurant also has been able to find reliable employees from the students at Stone Bridge.

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Benefits to the School:

Besides providing quality food for staff and catering special events, The All American Steakhouse also maintains a section in their display case dedicated to Stone Bridge High School. They have gone to great lengths and continue to do so to ensure our school is accommodated whenever an occasion arises.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Allegra Print & Imaging 4425 Brookfield Corporate Drive, Suite 700 Chantilly, VA 20151
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Partner School:	Dominion High School
School Contact:	Jamie Braxton, Assistant Principal Terri Williams, Activities Coordinator
Phone:	571-434-4400
Year Partnership Began:	2002-03
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Mr. Flynn has been working with Dominion High School since the year before the school's doors was opened. At no charge, he prints school flyers, inserts, forms, and invitations to special events. Allegra also produces over 1,000 copies of the school's monthly newsletter, <i>The Titan Times</i> . His service has helped the school implement a number of new programs and activities, including support for the school's goal-setting initiative.
Benefits to the Company:	Mr. Flynn receives monthly thanks in the school newsletter. The company gains community goodwill and advertising in the newsletter. However, Mr. Flynn is an extremely humble and unassuming man. Therefore, the most significant benefit to the company is in this case an intangible one, the personal satisfaction the owner receives from these tremendous contributions to the success of Dominion High School.
Benefits to the School:	The ongoing service that Allegra Print & Imaging provides to Dominion High School empowers the school to communicate effectively with the community. The professional services provided by Allegra are very frequently provided at little or no cost to the school, which allows the school to convey a polished image to the community at large, while redirecting limited school funds to other important priorities. The professional efforts of Allegra have also provided timely support for the school's quarterly goal-setting initiative, which was largely responsible for the significant increase in student achievement that has been realized in the high school over the past four academic terms.

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Business:	Allegra Printing & Imaging 4425 Brookfield Corporate Drive, Suite 700 Chantilly, VA 20151
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Phone:	703-378-0020
Partner School:	LCPS Pupil Service/Transition Services
School Contact:	Michel Dorsey, Transition Teacher/Business Liaison
Phone:	571-252-1312
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Allegra Print & Imaging has been supporting Loudoun County Public Schools in a number of ways for years. This year has not been an exception. They decided to offer a printing grant to nonprofit organizations called the FootPRINT Fund that would alleviate budget constraints. Fortunately, after an extensive application and panel review, Loudoun County Career and Transition Services was awarded a grant of \$1000 from the FootPRINT Fund toward printing services for the year 2010. The success of our program depends upon our ability to communicate with the business community to develop awareness of the value and talents of our students with special needs. Educated communication will allow businesses to envision our students as a part of their productive work force and will prevent this prescreened applicant pool from being overlooked. This grant will allow our team of professionals the ability to offer high quality program literature that will open the doors of communication without negatively impacting our budget.
Benefits to the Company:	Allegra Print & Imaging enjoys the benefit of supporting the mission of Loudoun County Public Schools.
Benefits to the School:	As a result of the grant, Transition Services will be able to distribute polished, high quality marketing material without creating a budget shortfall. Focused marketing efforts with the proper tools will lead to a larger number of students acquiring a diverse set of work experiences. The students will gain the opportunity to interact with a multitude of businesses as program awareness continues to grow.

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School Contact:	Teri Finn, Principal
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Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	In the summer of 2008 Sterling Elementary School formed a partnership with AOL. The goal was for AOL employees to donate volunteer hours in specialized areas to help support the students and teachers, as well as the facilities. AOL has provided landscaping services to prepare for the opening of the new school year, weekly clerical work in the teacher workroom, organization of the school supply closet and they recently completed a school courtyard renovation which included the addition of a pond and reader's theater stage for students. In addition AOL tutors work with intermediate students every Wednesday in an after school homework club and organize athletic intramurals throughout the year.
Benefits to the Company:	Provide volunteer hours by utilizing specialized talents/interests of individual employees.
Benefits to the School:	Students at Sterling Elementary are provided one on one homework support/mentoring and the opportunity to participate in after school intramurals. AOL saves the faculty and staff numerous hours by completing clerical work and additional facility beautification projects.

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Business:	The Art Institute of Washington-Northern VA The Corporate Office Park at Dulles Town Center 21000 Atlantic Blvd, Suite 100 Sterling, VA 20166
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Year Partnership Began:	2009-2010
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Our First Annual LCPS/ Art Institute of Washington Student "Senior" Art Show will open on March 1, 2010 in the gallery at the Art Institute, Sterling campus. High School seniors from across Loudoun County will have the opportunity to exhibit one piece of two dimensional art for a period of a few months. At the opening, the student art selected by the Loudoun Education Foundation to be purchased for the central office art gallery will be announced. The Loudoun Education Foundation provides the student winner with a cash award to further their arts education.
Benefits to the Company:	Students and community who attend the exhibit will have an opportunity to learn more about The Art Institute of Washington.
Benefits to the School:	LCPS high school seniors will have an opportunity to display their art in a professional gallery. Students will have an opportunity to learn more about The Washington Art Institute and possibly receive scholarships to attend.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Ashburn Children's Dentistry 44025 Pipeline Plaza Ashburn, VA 20147
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Phone:	703-723-3349
Partner School:	Ashburn Elementary School
School Contact:	Michelle Walthour, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2350
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Dr. Dean-Duru has performed our annual dental screening for over 100 children for the past four years. She has identified serious dental issues for several of these children which left untreated could impact their general health status.
Benefits to the Company:	For many children, Dr. Dean-Duru provides the first and only dental care of their life. She performs this with kindness and professionalism. This is the way she supports the welfare of children in the community.
Benefits to the School:	Ashburn Elementary students benefit from this dental support as far as maintaining an atmosphere of overall wellness. A healthy child is a student who is able to focus and meet the challenges of their academic day.

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Partner School:	Broad Run High School
School Contact:	Janet Ward
Phone:	571-252-2300
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	ARI makes follow up observations of minor planets (asteroids) all through the night with a 24" telescope and digital astronomical camera. These are probable asteroids that have been tracked by many different scientists around the world for years and need a final confirmation before they are accepted by the MPC and JPL. They submit the images the next morning to IASC or the students for processing.
Benefits to the Company:	The students process the images for ARI
Benefits to the School:	The students learn how to process the images.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Best Buy 609 Potomac Station Drive, NE Leesburg, VA 20176
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Partner School:	Harper Park Middle School
School Contact:	Don Keener
Phone:	571-252-2820
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Best Buy continues to be very supportive of Harper Park Middle School. Best Buy has provided a laptop computer and a number of iPods for Harper Park. The laptop has been the key component to implementing our new sign-in system which has greatly enhanced our safety and security. In addition, Best Buy provided the school with a number of iPods as awards to students for programs at the school. The iPods have been used for incentives and motivational support. Best Buy is committed to enhancing the technology for our students at HPMS. They have offered the Geek Squad to improve and educate our students' understanding of new technologies. With continued efforts we look forward to more ideas to improve our students' access to new and innovative technology. Best Buy is determined to be a supportive community member to the education of the students of HPMS.
Benefits to the Company:	Best Buy receives recognition for contributing to the school through its support of the school's efforts to increase student achievement and promote a positive and safe school climate.
Benefits to the School:	The technology provided by Best Buy has assisted Harper Park with providing students with incentives to do their best in programs sponsored by the school. The new check-in system helps Harper Park maintain a safe school environment. The technology also has assisted Harper Park with reinforcing key concepts to students in an arena outside of the typical classroom setting.

2010 Partnership Profiles

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School Contact:	Patricia McGinly, Principal Chantal Gaspie, PTA President
Phone:	571-252-2240
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>When the BLOOM grocery store opened in the new shopping center near Belmont Station Elementary School, the PTA reached out to them to be a business partner with the school. One of the projects the school was very interested in was an edible schoolyard. Inspired by Michele Obama's Edible White House Garden which is tended by DC school children and the book, <i>Edible Schoolyard A Universal Idea</i> by Alice Waters, the school prepared a proposal for a <u>Blooming Buddies Edible Schoolyard</u>.</p> <p>In the spring of 2009, Rick Faulkingham of the Food Lion Corporate Offices in the DC area, called with the news that the company was very interested in partnering with Belmont Station for the edible schoolyard project and pledged \$2500 in start up funds. The PTA and school staff began the project in earnest at that time. With the funds provided by Bloom and with the approval of Jeff Platenburg, LCPS Assistant Superintendent of Support Services, construction began and was completed in July 2009. Mickey Hough and Jim Compher, LCPS Support Services employees provided some advice and elbow grease regarding the actual garden boxes, the PTA's Barbara Corrado, Heidi Stone, and Chris Kiser took care of the bids for the picket fence, and Luck Stone (a Belmont Station business partner for six consecutive years) provided the huge boulders to protect the project from cars and the stone for walking paths around the garden boxes. Our PTA President's family "the Gaspie Men" (Dad Tori, Josh 5th Grade, and Zach 3rd Grade) painted the picket fence every evening to prepare for school to start. As the garden began to come together, the children returned for the 2009-2010 school year and staff members, including teachers, assistants, and custodians, volunteered to help the children</p>

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Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):

with their garden chores.

Kindergarten teacher, Aileen Crispell had asked in the spring of 2009 if they could have a "kinder garden". The Blooming Buddies Edible Schoolyard and the Kinder Garden became one project, fourth graders and kindergartners became gardening buddies, and the planting began. The children planted a nice variety of vegetables from seeds and some from small plants and even a few flowers. They tended the garden through August and September wearing their "Blooming Buddies" aprons and visors. It was inspirational to watch them care for the garden and react to the growing vegetables. The spinach grown from seeds was amazing and the pictures of this crop are unbelievable. Everyone was very excited for the dedication of the Blooming Buddies Edible Schoolyard which took place on October 8th.

On that day, the Bloom/Food Lion Corporate Executives and our local Bloom managers were invited for lunch in the library. The children harvested their crops the day before, worked in the kitchen with Zikreta Bekric, Belmont Station Cafeteria Manager and her staff, to clean and prepare the vegetables to be served in a spinach salad and dairy free quiche. The dedication luncheon was wonderful. Every fourth grader and every kindergartner enjoyed a salad and quiche snack and lunch was served to our custodial staff and our Bloom Partners.

Benefits to the School:

The Blooming Buddies Edible Schoolyard has been a wonderful teaching, learning, and growing project. Watching the crops and the children BLOOM in that garden has been a sheer joy for everyone in the Belmont Station Community.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Bloom 609 East Main Street #2710 Purcellville, VA 20132
Business Contact:	Michael Friend
Phone:	540-338-1811
Partner School:	Loudoun Valley High School
School Contact:	Susan Ross, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2400
Year Partnership Began:	2004
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Each winter holiday for the past four years Bloom has supplied us with 45 turkeys at a very low cost. These turkeys are given to all of our classified staff as a token of appreciation for all they do for the Loudoun Valley community.
Benefits to the Company:	Positive public relations and connections to positive staff appreciation at Loudoun Valley.
Benefits to the School:	Low cost way to show staff appreciation.

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Business:	Blue Ridge Area Food Bank P.O. Box 3142 1802 Roberts Street Winchester, VA 22604-2342
Business Contact:	Mary Jane Blaine
Phone:	540-665-0770
Partner School:	Guilford Elementary School
School Contact:	Richard Rudnick, Assistant Principal
Phone:	571-434-4550
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Guilford Elementary would like to recognize the Blue Ridge Area Food Bank. They provide food weekly for over two hundred students through our backpack program. They also provided food for our first FREE Thanksgiving dinner.
Benefits to the Company:	The Blue Ridge Area Food Bank is able to keep the food local and support families which would otherwise not have much food.
Benefits to the School:	<p>Guilford Elementary is able to feed over two hundred students each Saturday and Sunday. We are able to provide a lunch and dinner and snacks for the weekend. The school is able to make sure that students have nutritious meals and not go hungry over the weekends and holidays.</p> <p>We will be able to provide for about 250 students by the end of the school year.</p>

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Bonefish Grill 43135 Broadlands Ashburn, VA 20148
Business Contact:	John Samponga
Phone:	703-723-8246
Partner School:	Ashburn Elementary School
School Contact:	Michelle Walthour, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2350
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	This is our fifth year with our partnership with Bonefish Grill and it has impacted our school in very positive ways. Bonefish is committed to community involvement and therefore willingly supports Ashburn Elementary School. Our partnership with them is primarily to support and recognize our staff. They provide an offsite team building experience for teachers by preparing meals for the team at their local restaurant. On other occasions, they provide dinners for two that are used to recognize the positive contributions and successes of faculty members during staff meetings and other special events.
Benefits to the Company:	Bonefish has a history of supporting schools as part of their community out-reach program. Having a partnership with Ashburn provides an avenue and opportunity for them to fulfill part of their mission. It also provides goodwill in the Ashburn community where they are located and exposes the restaurant to prospective new clientele.
Benefits to the School:	The meals Bonefish donate to the school provide a morale boost to the staff. This year's partnership, provided support to our instructional program. The potential for teachers to earn a team dinner to Bone Fish Grill generated enormous team spirit and enthusiasm for implementing new instructional strategies. The team dinners give staff members an opportunity to get together in a collegial setting outside of the school environment.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Brambleton Group, LLC 42395 Ryan Road, Suite 301 Brambleton, VA 20148
Business Contact:	Kim Adams
Phone:	703-722-2860
Partner School:	Legacy Elementary School
School Contact:	Dr. Stacy Connors, Assistant Principal
Phone:	703-957-4425
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Brambleton Group L.L.C. held their 1 st Annual Brambleton Jingle Bell Family Walk/Run on Saturday, 11/28/09. This was a community event where many Legacy families participated. After the walk/run, Brambleton Group L.L.C. made a very generous \$3500 donation to our school to go towards the new track.
Benefits to the Company:	The Brambleton Group L.L.C. benefitted from the PTO's advertising of the event, which encouraged many Legacy families to participate.
Benefits to the School:	Getting us \$3500 closer to the goal of a new track!

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Britto Orthodontics 4080 Lafayette Center Dr., Suite 160B Chantilly, VA 20151
Business Contact:	Dr. Ajit Britto Dr. Mala Britto
Phone:	703-501-4471
Partner School:	Little River Elementary School
School Contact:	Joyce Hardcastle, Principal
Phone:	703-957-4360
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The company has paid for each of our students in grades 2-5 to have agendas in which to record their homework assignments. These agendas help children set goals, plan their weeks and months, and prioritize assignments. These agendas are given at no cost to the children of Little River thanks to the generous donation of Britto Orthodontics.
Benefits to the Company:	A sense of giving back to the school.
Benefits to the School:	The students have a book to record daily assignments in and it is provided free of charge.

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Business: The Builders Foundation

Business Contact: Chris Brogdon
Keith Wallace

Phone: www.buildersfoundation.org

Partner School: Harmony Intermediate School

School Contact: Kelley Hines, Dean

Phone: 540-751-2500

Year Partnership Began: 2009

Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies): The Builder's Foundation is a non-profit organization that began as a simple golf outing 8 years ago amongst friends. They received such a big response from participants to do it again, that they decided to make it a fundraiser the following year where they raised money for Special Olympics. They were so successful again that they decided to make it an annual event. Because of their success, they made the decision to expand their beneficiaries and began donating to other worthy groups or individuals in need. They are a big supporter of Special Olympics and the "Beat the Odds" scholarship program. Their Foundation was created for the improvement of life qualities for certain children and families that may need special help.

Some examples of the assistance they have provided are:

When a member of the Board heard that Rhonda Lough, Harmony's parent liaison, was helping families in the community, he offered the help of their foundation. Since their initial meeting, the Builder's Foundation has been instrumental in helping some of the Harmony families in a way that she was not. The Foundation has changed the lives of two Harmony families by providing them with financial support. The financial support allowed one mother an opportunity to move her children and herself out of an abusive household and another mother from having to move her family into a Shelter. Without the financial support from the Builder's Foundation, these families would have had nowhere to go.

Over the holidays, the Foundation also helped in providing gift cards for approximately 22 families in need. These gift cards enabled families to purchase food during the holiday season, to provide gifts for children who would have gone without and to enable the purchase of warm clothes and necessities.

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Description of School/Business
Partnership Activity(ies):

The Builder's Foundation is an amazing group of people who believe in investing in the future of our children. They are completely non-profit and there are no paid employees. They are truly unsung heroes who deserve the recognition for their generosity and thoughtfulness of others.

Benefits to the Company:

The Builder's Foundation receives the benefit of knowing that they assisted in the improvement of life's qualities for certain children and families that may need special help. Their goal has been to provide grants for quality of life issues such as special recreation, medical help, housing, or special education and they met this goal when they provided assistance to our families.

Benefits to the School:

Harmony's struggling families have an opportunity to receive assistance with dignity when faced with economic or emotional hardships.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Bullock & Associates, CPAs 831 A South King Street Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Joe Bullock
Phone:	703-771-1234
Partner School:	Loudoun County High School
School Contact:	Tammy Bullock, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-200
Year Partnership Began:	2005
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Over the past five years, Bullock & Associates have provided information for accounting students and in 2009 provided a college scholarship for a student pursuing a career in accounting to become a Certified Public Accountant.
Benefits to the Company:	Business & Associates benefit as a social responsibility to the community it serves.
Benefits to the School:	LCHS students gain knowledge, insight, career information as well financial support in pursuing a degree.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	The Bob Caines Team ReMax Realty 20937 Ashburn Road, Suite 200 Ashburn, VA 20147
Business Contact:	Bob Caines
Phone:	703-547-0665
Partner School:	Round Hill Elementary School
School Contact:	Nancy McManus, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2450
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Bob Caines has been a positive member of our Round Hill community. In our community, he is always volunteering at school activities as well as gives financial support to enrich the curriculum at Round Hill. This year, the Bob Caines team gave a generous donation to enrich our science curriculum to allow for our teachers to create and purchase supplies for hands-on activities with the science curriculum. In working with staff and families of Round Hill, if he sells a home in our attendance area to a family, he will donate money to Round Hill Elementary.
Benefits to the Company:	As a real estate agent, Mr. Caines has to work to sell homes in areas where families want to live. In this economy homes are harder to sell and everything matters; the community, schools, amenities. In giving back to the community, he is trying to build a strong foundation on which to sell more homes.
Benefits to the School:	We benefit through the generosity of Mr. Caines with his time and financial support. Our students gain by having additional opportunities to learn the science curriculum through enrichment activities. We gain by having Mr. Caines volunteer with our students.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Cardinal Bank 30 Catoctin Circle, SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Dianne Capilongo
Phone:	703-771-3353
Partner School:	Loudoun County High School
School Contact:	Tammy Bullock, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2000
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Donating to the Loudoun County High School Future Business Leaders of America Club.
Benefits to the Company:	Cardinal Bank benefits from a social responsibility activity.
Benefits to the School:	The students' benefits from the funds, which are used for educational field trips related to business.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Cah & Associates 47524 Compton Circle Potomac Falls, VA 20165-5105
Business Contact:	Charles Hasper, CPA
Phone:	703-282-0512
Partner School:	Loudoun County High School
School Contact:	Tammy Bullock, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2000
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Charles Hasper has been a guest speaker in Accounting and Advanced Accounting classes discussing career opportunities in the field of Accounting and Finance.
Benefits to the Company:	Cah & Associates benefits from a social responsibility activity.
Benefits to the School:	The students benefit by learning career opportunities in the accounting and financial fields.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Chantel's Cakes & Pastries 506 Shaw Road, Unit 308 Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Dennis Stanley, Sr., Owner
Phone:	703-709-1488
Partner School:	LCPS Pupil Services/Transition Services
School Contact:	Michelle Dorsey, Transition Teacher/Business Liaison
Phone:	571-252-1312
Year Partnership Began:	2010
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Transition Services is committed to gaining a variety of work experiences to meet the interests of our students. When Mr. Stanley learned of our program, he wanted to hear more. After a meeting Mr. Stanley was thrilled to help our students gain inspiring work experience. He moved quickly and very decisively hired one of our students only one day after an interview. Although every work experience is a strong learning tool, it is most fulfilling when students are able to earn a competitive wage.
Benefits to the Company:	Mr. Stanley enjoys supporting the growth of our students and our community. He has a student who is productive, conscientious, and committed to powerful customer service.
Benefits to the School:	The student is earning a wage that supports the talents offered to the business which enhances the student's marketability.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Chantilly Turf Farm 23862 Evergreen Mills Road Chantilly, VA 20152
Business Contact:	Mark Weekley
Phone:	703-327-0908
Partner School:	Mercer Middle School
School Contact:	John Duellman, Principal
Phone:	703-957-4340
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Chantilly Turf Farms has been a major provider of turf in Loudoun and Fairfax counties for many years. In the summer of 2009 they assisted Mercer Middle School and the Mercer PTA in repairing nearly 1000 square feet of severely compromised sod. They donated and delivered the sod, and assisted in laying the sod on one of the hottest days of the summer.
Benefits to the Company:	They continue to benefit by establishing and maintaining a growing client base as they are recognized frequently by the school.
Benefits to the School:	The new sod allows Mercer Middle School to remain a beautiful school in which students take great pride.

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Business:

Charlie the Certified Therapy Dog
Contact: Ann Wells- Owner
112 D Street, East
Purcellville, VA 20132
540-338-8076

Books-A-Million (Leesburg, VA)
Contact: Lucy - Manager
59 Catoctin Circle, SE
Leesburg, VA 20176
703-771-2585

Partner School:

Emerick Elementary School

School Contact:

Deborah Cookus, Principal

Phone:

540-751-2440

Year Partnership Began:

2008

Description of School/Business
Partnership Activity(ies):

Emerick Elementary (Purcellville, VA) has developed a year-long reading incentive with a current parent of our school and Books-A-Million of Leesburg, VA. This opportunity provides students with low reading ability to have some private time to read to a registered therapy dog. This situation provides a non threatening/encouraging environment for a beginning reader to practice skills.

Dogs are special to children, but here at Emerick, one dog is very special. Emerick's "Charlie" visits often, sometimes a couple times in one day. He holds the AKC Canine Good Citizen and Therapy Dogs International Certifications. Charlie is a GoldenDoodle who loves being read to and coming to school. His owner, Ann Wells, has partnered with Emerick to help students.

Mrs. Leslie Kash, Emerick's reading specialist, has had Charlie visiting for quite awhile. He helps boys and girls learn to read.

Charlie has a good listening ear. Children love reading to Charlie because he never criticizes them. When children are with him they are able to read in a nonjudgmental atmosphere. It is much easier to practice reading with his supportive and loving presence.

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Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):

Charlie is not just a good reader. He loves helping children who are upset or sick. He stops by the clinic to see if his visit can encourage students to feel better and to walk with him back to their class. He waits for children who find it hard to come to school. Knowing he will be waiting is just the encouragement some of Emerick's little ones need. Even older students respond to Charlie's attention. He encourages some of them to get to school on time and to have homework completed. Teachers have seen attitudes completely change when students get to visit with Charlie.

At Emerick we know that Charlie isn't magic, but he sure is able to perform magic! He provides something that adults cannot. As he enters the school's office, all adults present jump up to greet him. Just like any staff member, Charlie signs in and when he has completed all of his duties, he signs out for the day. Charlie leaves Emerick with a wag of the tail, and all who have seen him have a smile on their face.

"Charlie" the therapy dog has become a vital member of the Emerick Family. He has his own quiet corner outside of the reading specialist's office to visit with his reading friends. Although Charlie is only able to read with a small group of students, the entire Emerick Family feels a connection with Charlie. This is evident when he walks into the building. All of the students look forward to seeing him in the hallway. Each student greets him with excitement and he responds in kind.

Charlie and his owner (Mrs. Ann Wells) have completed extensive coursework through "Therapy Dogs International, Inc.". He is certified and registered with TDI. Inc. as a volunteer therapy dog team. TDI is the oldest registry for therapy dogs in the United States. Attached you will find pictures of Charlie that have been collected from his past year at Emerick.

We have begun a dual partnership with both Charlie and Books-A-Million of Leesburg, Virginia for the 2009-10 school year. Books-A-Million of Leesburg has provided our school with gift cards to serve as rewards for student work and achievement in the area of reading.

Benefits to the Company:

Books-A-Million benefits from students who would in turn frequent their store more often.

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Benefits to the School:

We also hope to continue our partnership in upcoming years with more incentives:

For example-

- a. Assorted books offered by Books-A-Million to students
- b. Books delivered from Books-A-Million by an employee centered on a theme. The presenter can therefore, distribute the books and read the book with the children.

This is a SUPER "win-win situation" for both school and businesses. We extend an open invitation for you to see Charlie at work.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Cheers Sports 20099 Ashbrook Place, Suite 110 Ashburn, VA 20147
Business Contact:	Denny Petrella
Phone:	703-723-3111
Partner School:	Stone Bridge High School
School Contact:	James E. Person, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2200
Year Partnership Began:	2000
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Cheers Sports continues to support Stone Bridge High School in several ways. Along with financial donations, sponsorships, volunteers, and equipment, Cheers sponsored two football games hosted by Stone Bridge. Denny Petrella and Joe Donatella were at every Stone Bridge football playoff game. Cheers provided shirts for the volleyball fans to support the volleyball team. Cheers Sports is a major contributor to the athletic program at Stone Bridge.
Benefits to the Company:	Cheers Sports is widely used throughout the Ashburn Community. Cheers receives publicity through athletic programs and newsletter recognition.
Benefits to the School:	Along with athletic and financial support Stone Bridge is given by Cheers, the owners and staff set positive examples for our students through giving back to the community.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	The Cheesecake Factory 21076 Dulles Town Circle Dulles, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Mr. John Iannucci, General Manager
Phone:	703-444-9002
Partner School:	Farmwell Station Middle School
School Contact:	Ms. Tonya Edwards, Assistant Principal
Phone:	571-252-2320
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The Cheesecake Factory provided lunch for the top students who had the most sales for the fall fundraiser.
Benefits to the Company:	Advertisement and an article in the school newsletter exposed the community to this restaurant at the Dulles Town Center. The positive experience with The Cheesecake Factory personnel was an indication that students and staff would want to frequent this restaurant in the future. This event, and the customer service provided, indicated to Farmwell that The Cheesecake Factory is truly interested in promoting education in Loudoun County Public Schools.
Benefits to the School:	By providing lunch to the top-selling fundraiser students, Farmwell Station was able to use the monies saved to enhance their educational programs. The students not only experienced a delicious lunch, but were exposed to how a restaurant operates. The managerial staff showed how to make customers feel special, the chef provided an overview of the foods served, and the waiters are an example to the students of how to graciously and patiently wait on customers.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Children's Dentistry at Pleasant Valley 4080 Lafayette Center, Suite 160A Chantilly, VA 20151
Business Contact:	Dr. Ajit Britto Dr. Mala Britto
Phone:	703-230-1000
Partner School:	Mercer Middle School
School Contact:	John Duellman, Principal
Phone:	703-957-4340
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Dr. Mala Britto and Dr. Ajit Britto moved their dentistry practice to Chantilly and have quickly established themselves as a charitable, community-centered business. In 2009, Dr. Britto and Dr. Britto were major financial contributors for the Mercer Holiday Coalition fund. This fund was established to support Mercer students and their families in need during the holiday season. This season, the Mercer Holiday Coalition supported 11 families in need by providing gift cards.
Benefits to the Company:	Dr. Britto and Dr. Britto have increased their client base by adding teachers and families as well as Mercer parents and their children. They have built upon their reputation as a community centerpiece.
Benefits to the School:	The toughest time of the year for parents and student in financial need is during the holiday season. Through their generosity, Dr. Britto and Dr. Britto ensured that these families would be able to purchase meals, clothing or gifts for their children. These gifts have had an immense impact.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Chick-fil-A 46920 Community Plaza, Unit 1184 Sterling, VA 20164
Business Contact:	Ellie Kim & Lainyi Kniffin
Phone:	703-444-1901
Partner School:	Dominion High School
School Contact:	Sandi Tucker, Marketing Teacher
Phone:	571-434-4400
Year Partnership Began:	2003-04
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Chick-fil-A supports the entire Dominion Cluster of schools. This support begins with Chick-fil-A's direct financial support to cluster schools through Community Nights that are held multiple times per year. Chick-fil-A offers schools within the Dominion Cluster a significant percentage of their proceeds during each community night. Chick-fil-A has donated thousands of dollars to Dominion Cluster schools. These proceeds benefit local school efforts, as well as the Cluster's New Beginning's Initiative, which connects families to the schools. Chick-fil-A is also a faithful supporter of the Breakfast Club, donating 100 breakfast sandwiches every Tuesday. Finally, Chick-fil-A has provided lunch for Zero Day, the school's annual August orientation.
Benefits to the Company:	Chick-fil-A is a community dining icon. During community nights, the restaurant is typically packed with customers from Dominion Cluster schools. School groups are available to perform and serve at special events hosted by Chick-fil-A.
Benefits to the School:	The financial support offered to Dominion High School and its neighboring schools supports the engagement of families who have not traditionally been involved in school. Families are invited to a meal that is paid for by the money generated from the Chick-fil-A community nights. These families meet school staff members, collect valuable information about the school's expectations, and are exposed to community resources that can support the achievement of their students. Contributions to the Dominion High School Breakfast Club ensure that students have a nutritious breakfast before beginning their academic day.

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Business:	Chick-fil-A 45440 Dulles Crossing Plaza Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Bill Diggs, Store Operator John Barton , Marketing Director
Phone:	703-444-0300
Partner School:	Potomac Falls High School
School Contact:	Kathy Chrisman, Marketing Teacher
Phone:	571-434-3200
Year Partnership Began:	2004
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Chick-fil-A has offered its services to PFHS and has been an incredible community partner. They have donated breakfast to the faculty and staff, senior class, and for various other events. Chick-fil-A has made donations and sponsored major school-community events, such as sponsoring the basketball tournament for "A Night at the Falls", feeding donors at our annual Blood Drive, helped with a collection for VA Tech in the spring of 2007, sponsored coupons for Buckle up for Safety, assists various organizations with car washes on their site, donated breakfast to feed 80 judges and proctors for DECA Competition, and serves as a community business and work location for several students. One PFHS student was accepted into the management of the corporation, and had the opportunity of training employees in new stores throughout the country last summer before she left for college. The manager has given a presentation annually on customer service and the award-winning store that he operates to the marketing students. Our students that work at Chick-fil-A have learned the major importance of outstanding customer service and the details, which make a difference in making a business successful. They have a great appreciation for the foundation of the company and have obtained the knowledge that will allow them to channel pride and understanding of their workplace into their performance.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	<p>Business will increase as a result of their generosity to our school and community. Teachers and students will keep them in mind as a stop for breakfast, not just lunch and dinner. Their kindness has made everyone aware of how much they have given back for outstanding community relations. Student employees have helped staff the restaurant, and serve as management.</p>

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Benefits to the School:

PFHS knows that they can count on Chick-fil-A for whatever we may need in the way of feeding teams, fundraisers, as an employer, and a true interest in helping the school. The management helps without hesitation and it is a true pleasure to work with them.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Christopher Newton Foundation
Business Contact:	Amy Newton
Phone:	703-216-8004
Partner School:	Newton-Lee Elementary School
School Contact:	Becky Mosley, Music Teacher
Phone:	571-252-1535
Year Partnership Began:	2005
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Mrs. Amy Newton and her family have been a supporter of the music program at Newton-Lee since its opening in 2005. Named for her husband, Christopher, Newton-Lee has been one place Amy has honored his memory by contributing to one of his favorite things in school - music.
Benefits to the Company:	To preserve the memory of Christopher Newton-Lee.
Benefits to the School:	The children at Newton-Lee enjoy extra equipment and instruments donated by the Christopher Newton Foundation. World Music Drums, additional xylophones and metallophones, steel drums, percussion tables, choir chimes, hand drums, gongs, and other miscellaneous small percussion instruments have been donated. Amy Newton has become a partner in music for the students at Newton-Lee.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	CiCi's Pizza 500 Fort Evans Road, NE Leesburg, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Mr. Paul Miller
Phone:	703-443-8071
Partner School:	Ball's Bluff Elementary School
School Contact:	Dr. Melinda Carper
Phone:	571-252-2880
Year Partnership Began:	2008-2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	CiCi's Pizza supports the local community where their company associates and customers live. For the 2009-2010 academic year CiCi's Pizza formed a partnership with Ball's Bluff Elementary and generously donated kids meal coupons to support our Positive Behavior Support Plan. Each month, our students are recognized for their citizenship and behavior at a special breakfast. The program recognizes students who make good choices, respect adults and peers, help classmates, and follow school rules. Each student being recognized receives a CiCi's Pizza coupon.
Benefits to the Company:	Ball's Bluff Elementary and CiCi's Pizza are important parts of the community. The support the school receives from CiCi's Pizza has bridged a relationship between family, school, and business. Their support provides them with an opportunity to promote their business and encourage our students to develop good citizenship skills.
Benefits to the School:	The support we received from CiCi's Pizza provides our students an opportunity to improve their self confidence and self-esteem. This positive reinforcement approach provides opportunities for the staff to recognize our students for their exemplary behaviors. Also, our students have an opportunity to interact with a community business and represent Ball's Bluff Elementary School.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Cisco 13635 Dulles Technology Dr Herndon, VA 20171
Business Contact:	John Megger
Phone:	703-484-5456
Partner School:	Monroe Technology Center
School Contact:	Wagner Grier, Principal Rodney Krone, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2080
Year Partnership Began:	2002
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The Partnership with Cisco began when MTC moved from Electricity (Residential Wiring) to Computer Networking Administration. Cisco has been very active of MTC providing guest speakers to several classes, administering the Internetworking contest for the SkillsUSA district 10 contests for the past 5 years, and hosting company tours for classes.
Benefits to the Company:	The partnership that Cisco has with MTC allows business to see what students are achieving and to promote local employment opportunities. MTC provides a means for the company to give back to the community it serves.
Benefits to the School:	<p>MTC benefits a lot from this partnership. Students are able to see exactly what industry does with the knowledge MTC gives them. Tours of the facility allows students to partner with a tech and see what their daily duties are. The students are also able to see others at work to peak their interest in areas they may not have been aware of.</p> <p>MTC has a reputation throughout the state for hosting a fair and challenging district contest. This reputation is only possible because Cisco does all the work and allows the teacher to remain neutral. Many contests are not fair because the local school already has knowledge of the contest scope. MTC and the district benefit from having a fair contest so that it sends a positive message from district 10 to the state competition.</p>

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Business:	The Claude Moore Charitable Foundation 11350 Random Hills Road, Suite 520 Fairfax, VA 22030-7429
Business Contact:	Lynn Tadlock, Director of Grants
Phone:	703-947-1147
Partner School:	Loudoun County Public Schools Monroe Technology Center
School Contact:	Wagner Grier, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2080
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>In the Spring of 2006, The Claude Moore Charitable Foundation approached the Loudoun County Public Schools with an idea and an opportunity to develop a new and innovative program with the fields of health and medical sciences. This program would prepare high school students for high-wage, high-demand careers within the health and medical sciences. The development of the Claude Moore Scholars program is the first of its kind in Virginia and the nation. This three-year program prepares students to enter careers in medical laboratory technology, nursing, pharmacy technology, and radiology technology. Students earn college credit while still enrolled in high school and prepare for professional credentials and licensures within each specialized field. The instructional program is in its second year of operation. To date, The Claude Moore Charitable Foundation has given over \$250,000.00 to fund this exciting and successful program by covering the costs of instructors, instructional materials, instructional equipment & technology, and textbooks. This career pathway has also been designated as one of four programs to be included within the Loudoun Governor's Career and Technical Academy which is housed at the Monroe Technology Center in Leesburg, Virginia.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	<p>In partnership with the Inova Health System, this program will help to create a new pipeline of highly educated healthcare professionals that will fill high-wage, high-demand jobs within the fields of health and medical sciences.</p>
Benefits to the School:	<p>Grant funding to begin the development and operation of innovative instructional programs for high school students within the fields of health and medical sciences.</p>

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Colorcraft of Virginia, Inc. 22645 Sally Ride Drive Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Jim Mayes Meredith Mayes
Phone:	703-709-2270
Partner School:	LCPS Head Start
School Contact:	Carol Basham
Phone:	571-252-2110
Year Partnership Began:	1996
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	For thirteen years the employees of COLORCRAFT have provided winter holiday assistance to Head Start families and their children who are most in need. Tremendous joy comes to these families because of the generous commitment of the corporation and its employees. Any family adopted by COLORCRAFT receives an overflowing carload of necessities and niceties and enjoys an unforgettable holiday experience.
Benefits to the Company:	The COLORCRAFT "family" experiences the joy of working together to support those who are in need and can enjoy a sense of satisfaction in that they enrich dearly the lives of others.
Benefits to the School:	Our chosen families enjoy a memorable holiday and much needed support and resources.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Color Craft of Virginia 22067 Sally Ride Drive Sterling, VA 20164
Business Contact:	Jim Mayes, President
Phone:	703-709-2270
Partner School:	Monroe Technology Center
School Contact:	Pam Smith, Graphic Communications Instructor
Phone:	571-252-2080
Year Partnership Began:	2004
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Jim Mayes, president of Colorcraft of Virginia has been instrumental in the success of the Graphic Communications program at Monroe Technology Center. He serves as chairman on the Graphic Communications advisory committee. Mr. Mayes does not know what the word "No" means when it comes to benefit the student of this program. He has spoken in front of the Board of Supervisors on behalf of our proposed new school and budget issues. He sponsors opportunities for the instructor to attend educational events that would otherwise be unobtainable.</p> <p>Each year the company hosts an annual Open House in August, which gives the students and their families an opportunity to meet each other, the instructor and tour a commercial printing facility. Mr. Mayes also donates materials needed by the department and opens his facility for tours and shadowing opportunities throughout the school year, Monroe's second year students who display exceptional qualities may be offered an internship in the spring of their second year which may turn into summer employment.</p> <p>Mr. Mayes is also an involved volunteer, judge and supporter of SkillsUSA competition and sponsored not only the Graphic Communications students but the entire Monroe Technology Center student body who have attended the state competition for the past two years.</p>

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Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):

Amanda Goddard, a former student of Monroe won the State Pin Design competition at SkillsUSA. She is currently attending NVCC and Mr. Mayes has provided scholarship money to her each semester.

Mr. Mayes' leadership has evolved in the way his employees see the partnership with Monroe. Many ColorCraft employees participate in a job-shadowing day with Graphic Communication students to offer real world learning and the latest technology for students to observe.

Jim Mayes is a mentor, advisor and friend to students and staff at the Monroe Technology Center. He asks nothing in return. His reward is to see students learn and succeed in a career that they enjoy and will challenge them and keep them a lifetime learner.

Benefits to the Company:

ColorCraft currently employs Monroe Technology Center graduates, one of which has been with the company for over 10 years. With this type of partnership, the company will have a working relationship with knowledgeable graduates for possible future employment.

Benefits to the School:

The students not only gain real world experience but are also kept up to date with the latest technology and printing and graphic trends.

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Business:	Communicate By Design, Inc. 1323 Shepard Drive, Suite J Sterling, VA 20164
Business Contact:	Elyse Galik, President Richard Galik, Vice President/Chief Operating Officer
Phone:	571-434-1950
Partner School:	LCPS Pupil Services/Transition Services
School Contact:	Michelle Dorsey, Transition Teacher/Business Liaison
Phone:	571-252-1312
Year Partnership Began:	2010
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The Loudoun County Career and Transition Services Program is thrilled to have the creative partnership of Communicate By Design. Our service is expanding to coordinate with the business community in order to secure work experience for our transition students. Communicate By Design, empathetic to the marketing needs of our program, offered their services. This is a new partnership and we foresee great outcomes.
Benefits to the Company:	Communicate By Design will enjoy the opportunity to open employment doors for our students through professional artistic marketing design.
Benefits to the School:	Our Transition students will enjoy an expanded variety of work experiences which will lead to future financial independence.

2010 Partnership Profiles



Business:	Concept Marketing, Inc 14101 Parke-Long Ct. Suite Z Chantilly, VA 20151
Business Contact:	Jeff Geurin, President
Phone:	703-263-7984
Partner School:	Monroe Technology Center
School Contact:	Pam Smith, Graphic Communications Instructor
Phone:	571-252-2080
Year Partnership Began:	2004
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Jeff Geurin, President of Concept Marketing, Inc. has been instrumental in the success of the Graphic Communications program at Monroe Technology Center. A former graduate of the Graphic Communication program, Mr. Geurin serves on the advisory committee, serves as a guest speaker and helps the students prepare for competitions. The team from Concept Marketing, Inc. dedicated several hours to the PrintEd accreditation process obtained by the Graphic Communications department in December 2009. Mr. Geurin also developed and implemented the SkillsUSA District 10 Advertising Design Competition for the past several years.
Benefits to the Company:	Concept Marketing, Inc. mentors the young adults who are entering the field of graphic communications. With this type of partnership, the company will have a working relationship with knowledgeable graduates for possible future employment.
Benefits to the School:	Since Mr. Geurin is a former graduate, he is a dedicated individual who wants to give back to the school and the entire Loudoun County Public School system. The students not only gain useful information but relate the experiences that Mr. Geurin had while attending Monroe Technology Center; pursuit to continue his education and build a successful career in the industry.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Costco 1300 Edwards Ferry Road Leesburg, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Pam Enright Dave Stremic
Phone:	703-669-5060
Partner School:	Harper Park Middle School
School Contact:	Don Keener
Phone:	571-252-2820
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The goal of the program is to promote a positive climate for our school. Costco provides incentives for students, and it demonstrates support of the staff and school by supplying pastries and other treats for a monthly breakfast for staff and other school activities.
Benefits to the Company:	Costco receives recognition for contributing to the school and for supporting the schools efforts to enhance staff, school climate, and morale.
Benefits to the School:	Costco's willingness to donate to our school helps create a positive climate and energy boost for our staff, while also assisting with the creation of a positive learning environment for our students.

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Business:	Costco 1300 Edwards Ferry Rd Leesburg, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Jim Barr
Phone:	703-669-5060
Partner School:	Evergreen Mill Elementary School
School Contact:	Mark Bauer, Physical Education Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2900
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Our annual grades K-5 field day is held each school year in the month of June. During this time, Costco donated food for more than 35 volunteers who run the field day stations. We were able to feed all our volunteers' lunch on both days.
Benefits to the Company:	This partnership helped generate more business because our school is located nearby. They have opened the door for other possible events at our school. Our PTA will also use Costco for their large quantity purchases for events.
Benefits to the School:	Being able to feed our volunteers for free allows us to use our budgeted money for our field day equipment and materials. Volunteers are crucial for helping run our field day stations and being able to offer a thank you treat makes it worthwhile for the entire school community.

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Business:	Costco 21398 Price/Cascades Plaza Sterling, Virginia 20164
Business Contact:	Daryl Leuck
Phone:	703-406-6500
Partner School:	Rolling Ridge Elementary School
School Contact:	Andrew Davis, Principal
Phone:	571-434-4540
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Rolling Ridge is in its first year of partnership with the Sterling Costco. The goal of this partnership is to provide for economically disadvantaged students whose families struggle to provide for their family. Starting in the fall of 2009, Costco began donating food to Rolling Ridge Elementary to help support our families. The food supplies helped to allow Rolling Ridge to begin a Backpack Buddies program that sends food home with students over the weekend. Their support is significant because Rolling Ridge Elementary depends solely on donations from churches and businesses in order to provide the food for the program.</p> <p>Costco has generously donated enough food to sponsor two weekend backpack distributions. Each distribution served approximately 74 students.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	Costco is able to support the local community through its donations, but more importantly provide for children in the immediate area who need help.
Benefits to the School:	Rolling Ridge Elementary School's economically disadvantaged students have benefited tremendously from the support provided by Costco. They are provided a backpack full of food almost every weekend to help them stay nourished while not in school. We cannot thank Daryl and Sterling Costco enough for their very generous donation and support of this vital community support project.

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Business:	Creative Recovery, LLC 201-C Royal St. SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Tammy Carter
Phone:	703-737-0735
Partner School:	Loudoun County High School
School Contact:	Arlene Lewis
Phone:	571-252-2000
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Tammy Carter has been supporting the Honors First Program since it began in the summer of 2006. She purchases all the Antigone books for each student for which I have no budget.
Benefits to the Company:	Ms. Carter Supports the school to show good will and to be an active contributing member of the Leesburg community. Her business does not receive special recognition other than the School Business Partnership Breakfast.
Benefits to the School:	Ms. Carter was instrumental in establishing the Honors First Program. It was completely unfunded the first year, from my salary to needed materials. Ms. Carter believed in the program and happily supported it.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Deli South 38 Catoctin Circle Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Chris Scharrer, Owner
Phone:	703-779-0590
Partner School:	Hamilton Elementary School
School Contact:	Robert L. Marple, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2570
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Mr. Scharrer has donated his time and talents to support Hamilton Elementary School. Mr. Scharrer provided spaghetti, meatballs, and garlic bread for our first annual Spaghetti Dinner in conjunction with the Hamilton ES Book Fair. We worked very diligently to promote this event and we had great attendance. Most impressive was the fact that nearly all of our staff members showed up to help serve our families and support this event. Many families commented on just how wonderful the event was, as it worked to cultivate a great school/community relationship. This event also helped to support our Book Fair. I felt this was a great way to welcome the community into our school and build lasting relationships through great food, great company, and a great environment. Mr. Scharrer has also catered several of our staff incentive lunches and his warmth, generosity and caring demeanor toward our students and staff has made this relationship one that I am sure will only grow and become more mutually beneficial over time.
Benefits to the Company:	The benefits to Deli South and Mr. Scharrer include but are not limited to, advertisement in fliers, public awareness, contact with surrounding neighborhoods, opportunity to give back to students and educators, community relations, public relations, and exposure to the product, which is delicious food!
Benefits to the School:	The School benefitted from Mr. Scharrer's generosity, as he made a contribution to our school following the Spaghetti Dinner. Mr. Scharrer also has cultivated strong relationships with our staff and is a valued member of our school business partnership alliance. We look forward to continuing this partnership and working together in the future with Deli South-the best sandwiches in Loudoun!

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Dicks Sporting Goods Store 21070 Dulles Town Circle Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Eric Nieman
Phone:	571-434-0046
Partner School:	LCPS Pupil Services
School Contact:	Ivette Borges, Transition Teacher
Phone:	703-203-2339
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>The CAST (Community and Schools Together) program would like to highlight the great partnership formed over the last four years with Dicks Sporting Goods Store, located in the Dulles Town Center. The CAST program was in its pilot year and our students were interested in acquiring a sports-related job. The manager at Dicks Sporting Goods Store, at that time, hired our very first student on a part- time basis. The company was also open to that idea of having a job coach with the student the entire time until the student was fully trained and independent. The student performed so well that he became a full-time employee with benefits. The company was pleased with the student so the following year, Dicks Sporting Goods Store hired two more students from the program. The other students are still working at the store. One is working on a full-time basis with benefits and the other student is employed on a part-time basis.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	<p>Dicks Sporting Goods Store is able to provide a diverse work force by hiring students with special needs. Acknowledging and hiring students with diverse needs is reaching a huge market that may be untapped. The company also allows for team building relationships with the students. The students become dedicated employees. Additionally, the program has provided the company support from the teacher and job coaches.</p>
Benefits to the School:	<p>The students gain experience in the work force. They become productive working citizens. By working independently the student's self-esteem and self-confidence improves. At their jobs they also have a chance to interact with their coworkers and community members, therefore, building relationships with people. Overall, the students become active members in their communities.</p>

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Business:	Dominion Electric Supply Company 15 Fairfax Street Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Mike Bush
Phone:	703-777-1555
Partner School:	Monroe Technology Center
School Contact:	Wagner Grier, Principal Rodney Krone, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2080
Year Partnership Began:	2000
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>The partnership began early in the history of the school when the company was Leesburg Electric. Leesburg Electric was bought by Dominion Electric (DE) and the partnership continued when the teacher changed at MTC. DE has set MTC up with tool reps to get the best pricing available on tools for both the student and the school. DE has also arranged guest speakers to speak to students on upcoming technologies and tools. DE has arranged for students to receive offsite training alongside local contractors and business owners. DE has provided gifts for the student of the year awards for the past several years.</p> <p>DE has been involved in the house building project for MTC in providing excellent pricing for materials as well as tools for the school.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	The partnership that DE has with MTC allows business to see what students are achieving and to promote local employment opportunities. MTC provides a means for the company to give back to the community it serves.
Benefits to the School:	Students are able to get a firsthand look at tools and technology before it is released to the general public. MTC is able to provide a better education to the students by affording more materials for the student.

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Business:	Dulles Town Center 21100 Dulles Town Circle Suite 234 Dulles, VA 20166-2400
Business Contact:	Jackie Young, Marketing Manager
Phone:	703-404-7100
Partner School:	Art Program, Central Office
School Contact:	Melissa A. Pagano-Kumpf
Phone:	571-252-1580
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	LCPS and Dulles Town Center have expanded the partnership to include an ongoing student art exhibit. Approximately four times per year, twenty five students have the opportunity to have their art masterpiece on display at the DTC. The exhibit hangs in two locations; the main entrance and the Nordstrom wing. Thousands of people from the D.C. metro area and afar have the opportunity to see just how creative LCPS students are!
Benefits to the Company:	Our community will come out to see student art and shop at the DTC. Our DTC strives to reflect the diverse community we live in and this becomes more apparent with the student art hanging on the walls!
Benefits to the School:	Our students have the opportunity to exhibit their art to be seen by thousands of people.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Dulles Town Center 21100 Dulles Town Circle Suite 234 Dulles, VA 20166-2400
Business Contact:	Jackie Young, Marketing Manager
Phone:	703-404-7100
Partner School:	Art Program, Central Office
School Contact:	Melissa A. Pagano-Kumpf
Phone:	571-252-1580
Year Partnership Began:	2000
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>On opening night, we kick off the five day Arts Festival, the Dulles Town Center will recognize one student for designing the Arts Festival T-Shirt. All award recipients receive a festival shirt donated by the Dulles Town Center. All high school students receiving an award of merit are recognized with a blue ribbon.</p> <p>The Annual Arts Festival is open during mall hours, which allows for higher visibility of the exhibits and performing groups. An overwhelming number of LCPS staff, parents and community members work together to make the Arts Festival simply outstanding.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	The high volume of students and community who attend the Arts Festival will play a role in the increased sales during the events. Shoppers will have the opportunity to shop and enjoy a top-notch festival.
Benefits to the School:	The Dulles Town Center provides LCPS with a wonderful space, a stage, festival T-shirts, publicity, and overall support of our arts program.

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Business:	Ellington and Holbert Family Dentistry 46175 Westlake Drive #130 Potomac Falls, VA 20165
Business Contact:	Drs. Ellington & Holbert
Phone:	703-444-5108
Partner School:	Forest Grove Elementary School
School Contact:	Sharon Rukes - Health Clinic Assistant
Phone:	571-434-4560
Year Partnership Began:	2005-2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Drs. Ellington and Holbert visit local schools educating students about good dental health. During their visits they show videos, demonstrate proper tooth brushing skills, and hand out gift bags with toothbrushes and accessories. Each May, they open their doors for a day of free dental care. Schools are asked to schedule appointments for students who require dental work but cannot afford to get it.
Benefits to the Company:	Informing children about dental care is obviously very important to Drs. Ellington and Holbert. Besides benefiting the community, their goodwill can translate into business for their practice.
Benefits to the School:	Having Drs. Ellington and Holbert visit the school to speak about dental care reinforces lessons taught in class about health. The students love seeing them come and enjoy receiving the gift bags. The free dental day they offer has been used successfully for several years by Forest Grove students.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Falcons Landing 20522 Falcons Landing Circle Potomac Falls, VA 20165
Business Contact:	Novella Whitehead
Phone:	703-404-5100
Partner School:	LCPS Head Start Program
School Contact:	Carol Basham
Phone:	571-252-2110
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Head Start would like to highlight the enthusiastic partnership that has grown over the last three years with Falcons Landing, a local retirement community owned and operated by the Air Force Retired Officers Community.</p> <p>Novella Whitehead, a community outreach volunteer, telephoned Head Start with the possibility of having residents of Falcons Landing read in our classrooms. A connection was instantly made!</p> <p>This year, twenty Falcons Landing residents read in five of our six classrooms! This means that there is a reader in these five classrooms almost every day.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	The residents of Falcons Landing enjoy the relationships they form with the three and four year-old students. They also are given the opportunity to understand the importance and impact that reading to young children has on a child's future reading skills.
Benefits to the School:	The students not only gain experience in interacting and building relationships with the senior community members but also enjoy the benefits of being read to on a regular basis.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	The Fields at Cascades/Kettler Management 21260 Huntington Sq Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Lori Negrin, Marketing Specialist
Phone:	703-404-2000
Partner School:	Potowmack Elementary School
School Contact:	Helen Lin, Parent Liaison
Phone:	571-434-3270
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Kettler Management oversees the management of the rental apartments known as the Fields of Cascades in Sterling. Students residing within this well-managed community attend Potowmack Elementary. Many of them can benefit from additional tutoring by teachers, but cannot attend after-school tutoring due to lack of transportation to bring them back home. In an effort to provide assistance to their community, and Kettler's regard for the well-being of members of their community, Potowmack Elementary and Kettler Management partnered to find a secure and safe environment for the elementary students to meet with teachers from the elementary school for tutoring each week.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	<p>Kettler, is one of the largest diversified Real Estate development companies in the Washington, DC region. Founded in 1977, Kettler develops planned communities, apartments, condominiums, and mixed-use projects. Kettler is also the largest developer of affordable rental housing in the Washington region. Kettler communities are noted for their positive and transformational impacts on the regions in which they are developed. Additionally, their communities are regarded for their land planning excellence, transportation improvements, diversified housing, creative mixed-use elements, and access to mass transit.</p> <p>In creating space within the management office and club house for the students and teachers to use each week for tutoring, Kettler aims to help young students achieve academically. Providing this outlet also helps the community ensure students are actively engaged in beneficial activities after school.</p>

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Benefits to the School:

Many of the students participating in the tutoring program have working parents who may not be able to provide the support they need for homework and studies. While parents would like for their students to attend tutoring after school, not having a means of transportation back to their homes presented a huge hurdle. Teachers willing to volunteer their time and services needed a space where they could meet with students. In providing the space, Kettler Management allowed parents, teachers and Potowmack Elementary to help students in need that otherwise would not receive assistance.

With the quiet space to learn and individualized tutoring, attending students have been able to complete assignments, ask questions and receive help in studying for tests as well as receive guidance on projects. Students attend weekly, one day a week, for about 1 hour. Four teachers from Potowmack attend each week. On average, the teacher to student ratio is 1:3 allowing for very individualized help.

Benefits to the Students:

Our students not only have an opportunity to ask questions and get help in what they don't understand, but they also get the homework and assignments done. Here are some comments from the students:

C: "I like the help and I'm not annoyed by my little brother when I do my homework here. It's quiet here."

M: "I get my homework done early!"

M-A: "I get my homework done and I'm not distracted by the TV."

D: "You get help from nice teachers and get to talk with your friends."

K: "The teachers help us do our homework."

C M: "The teachers help us and sometimes show us different ways to do math than our regular teachers. Sometimes we learn by seeing different ways to do something."

C A: "They help me with all kinds of assignments."

Ma: "I get my homework done early and know that it is right!"

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	The Fractured Prune 828 South King Street Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Troy Parkins
Phone:	703-779-2199
Partner School:	Evergreen Mill Elementary School
School Contact:	Mark Bauer, Physical Education Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2900
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Our annual grades K-5 field day is held each school year in the month of June. During this time, The Fractured Prune donated 12 dozen donuts for more than 50 volunteers who run the field day stations. With this donation, we were able to feed all our volunteers' breakfast on both days. Additionally, this establishment also sent over their mascot to come kick-off our field day activities.
Benefits to the Company:	This partnership helped generate more business because our school is located near their place of business. They have opened the door for other possible events at our school. Furthermore, there was also, newspaper coverage which promoted their business.
Benefits to the School:	Being able to feed our volunteers for free allows us to use our budgeted money for our field day equipment and materials. Volunteers are crucial for helping run our field day stations and being able to offer a thank you treat makes it worthwhile for the entire school community.

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Business:	Fuddruckers 44036 Pipeline Plaza Ashburn, VA 20147
Business Contact:	Jeena and Joey Yoon
Phone:	703-724-0990
Partner School:	Sanders Corner Elementary School
School Contact:	Barbara Stewart, Librarian
Phone:	571-252-2250
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>We have been working with Fuddruckers for a few years now beginning with restaurant nights where the restaurant gave back a percentage of sales on a particular night. We then invited Jeena (one of the owners) to participate on our School Improvement Committees. She not only participates, but brings great ideas. About two years ago she heard about our <i>I Read to the Principal</i> program and wanted to know more about how SHE could help. She came up with the idea to have a book drive to help support the program. We have now held two VERY successful September book drives at Fuddruckers. Everyone benefits as the community enjoys the fellowship of eating and meeting together, the school as a whole benefits as Jeena brings great ideas to the School Improvement process and the students benefit as they take home the books from the program. In addition, she supports the staff when we hold our June planning meetings for the coming year by hosting the meeting and feeding the members at the meeting. She also treats our student fall fund-raiser winners to lunch with the principal.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	<p>The name of Fuddruckers is well known to the community and having the restaurant nights brings their business to the attention of all the community members.</p>
Benefits to the School:	<p>The students benefit from the books donated to our <i>I Read to the Principal</i> program. Our goal is to continue to put books in the hands of our students. This is an expensive program to run and the help we receive from Fuddruckers helps keep the program alive. The PTA receives financial help from the restaurant nights and the families enjoy the chance to see their friends and neighbors.</p>

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Business:	Bryan Fulkerson State Farm Insurance Agency 11 Catoctin Circle, SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Kelly Fox
Phone:	703-779-7600
Partner School:	Loudoun County High School
School Contact:	Tammy Bullock, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2000
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	"Strapped for Cash". A selected day during National Teen Driver Safety Week, the State Farm Insurance agency handed out \$1.00 to each student and adult wearing a seatbelt from 8:00 am until 8:45 AM to encourage safe driving. They also handed out literature about safety.
Benefits to the Company:	The was a way to get their message out about National Teen Driver Safety Week and to encourage safe driving practices.
Benefits to the School:	The students who had their seatbelts on benefitted by receiving \$1.00 to reinforce good driving habits, and they also encouraged those students who did not wear their seatbelt to buckle up.

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Business:	GAM Printers 45969 Nokes Boulevard Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Nathaniel Grant
Phone:	703-450-4121
Partner School:	Broad Run High School
School Contact:	Tim Willmot
Phone:	571-252-2300
Year Partnership Began:	2001
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	They have printed the programs and posters for our main stage productions. They print our school newsletter at no cost. <i>GAM</i> also puts the mailing labels on them, and prepares them for mailing. The company prints over 1,000 copies of our publication, <i>Who's Who and What's What</i> . <i>GAM</i> also prints our fall sports program at a discounted price.
Benefits to the Company:	They have a back cover ad and recognition on all printed materials.
Benefits to the School:	Our drama students are recognized for their hard work and dedication. The printing of the newsletter helps the Broad Run Administration to effectively communicate with the parents and community.

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Business:	GAM Printers 45969 Nokes Blvd., Suite 130 Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Nathaniel Grant
Phone:	703-450-4121
Partner School:	Farmwell Station Middle School
School Contact:	Sherryl Loya, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2320
Year Partnership Began:	2000
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	GAM Printers continues to provide free printing of our school newsletter. This is a tremendous amount of work and resources on a monthly basis. GAM has always provided our school with quality printing.
Benefits to the Company:	GAM Printers receives formal recognition in our monthly newsletters and other publications.
Benefits to the School:	The parents, student, and staff of Farmwell Station Middle School are able to receive high quality printed materials at no cost.

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Business:	<i>GAM Printers</i> 45969 Nokes Blvd., Suite 130 Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Nathaniel Grant
Phone:	703-450-4121
Partner School:	Guilford Elementary School
School Contact:	David Stewart, Principal
Phone:	571-434-4550
Year Partnership Began:	2001
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<i>GAM prints the monthly school newsletter.</i>
Benefits to the Company:	<i>GAM is able to assist the school communicate with the community at no cost by printing our newsletter. Recognition is given each newsletter for their generosity.</i>
Benefits to the School:	<i>Our newsletters are more professional. GAM saves the school resources and time in printing it for Guilford.</i>

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Business:	<i>GAM Printers</i> 45969 Nokes Boulevard, Suite 130 Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	<i>Gina McGregor</i>
Phone:	703-450-4121
Partner School:	<i>Mercer Middle School</i>
School Contact:	<i>John Dulleman, Principal</i>
Phone:	703-957-4340
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<i>GAM Printers has donated the printing, time and mailing labels for Paw Prints, the monthly Mercer Middle School newsletter.</i>
Benefits to the Company:	<i>GAM continues to enhance their client base and image with Loudoun County Schools.</i>
Benefits to the School:	<i>Mercer Middle School prides itself on quality, professional communication and GAM is an integral in supporting this endeavor.</i>

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Business:	<i>GAM Printers, Inc.</i> 45969 Nokes Blvd., Suite 130 Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Nathaniel Grant
Phone:	703-450-4121
Partner School:	Mill Run Elementary School
School Contact:	Paul L. Vickers, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2160
Year Partnership Began:	2002
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Mill Run's monthly school newsletter provides valuable and timely information to parents. Each eight page issue is filled with school, county, PTO and other news and information and <i>GAM</i> prints our newsletter at no cost. Their generosity saves the school approximately \$4,500 annually in newsletter printing costs.
Benefits to the Company:	The company likes being part of the community and providing a service that is needed and appreciated. <i>GAM</i> is also treated to a holiday breakfast in their honor hosted by Mill Run Elementary.
Benefits to the School:	With over 800 children in the student body, it is important that parents get the timely information they need about what's going on in their child's school. The newsletter is one of our main avenues to reach parents about school testing schedules, county sponsored educational events, school events and the latest school news. With <i>GAM's</i> help we are able to share with parents school wide information as wells as information pertaining to their child's grade level.

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Business: GAM Printers
45969 Nokes Blvd., Suite 130
Sterling, VA 20166

Business Contact: Nathaniel Grant
Stephen Grant

Phone: 703-450-4121

Partner School: Seneca Ridge Middle School

School Contact: Eileen Chesnakas, Secretary

Phone: 571-434-4420

Year Partnership Began: 2002

Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies): Seneca Ridge Middle School (SRMS) appreciates and fully recognizes our partnership with GAM Printers, a full-service printing company located in Sterling, VA. Since our partnership began in 2003, GAM has always provided excellent service and advice for all of our various printing needs.

In particular, GAM has not only printed our newsletters at no cost to SRMS, but they have also addressed and bound them for bulk mailing. This has saved us many hours of manpower that would have otherwise been required for labeling and sorting the newsletters for mailing.

Over the years, GAM has provided the knowhow and patience needed to guide inexperienced staff into creating projects that not only look good, but project a professional image that reflects positively on the school. They have given discounts, knowing that there was a budget the school had to adhere to and advice on how to get the most for the amount of money that was allotted for a particular project. Without GAM's constant guidance, patience and generosity, SRMS would probably still be copying many of their printing projects such as the Annual Report, musical program and posters, newsletters, and Literary Magazine.

We are grateful for everything that GAM has done for SRMS. With their support SRMS has saved money which has been used to the benefit of other student programs, they have saved school staff time which allows staff to devote more time to students, and they have provided instructions and advice on how to complete and improve projects that have resulted in professional results.

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GAM has been such an asset to SRMS, that we feel they should be recognized as a valuable and needed business within Loudoun County.

Benefits to the Company:

GAM has been a major contributor to many of the schools in Loudoun County. What they have gained in return for all their support is a partnership that produces more business for them and a reputation within the community for their quality work and excellent customer service.

Benefits to the School:

SRMS continues to be able to send out quality printed information to their families at little or no cost to the school. This allows the school to keep the parents informed and update on current school events. In short, *GAM* makes us look good.

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Business:	GAPP Student Exchange Program Gymnasium Oschersleben, Germany 400 West Laurel Ave Sterling, VA 20164
Business Contact:	Birgit Lieb
Phone:	+1-212-439-8700
Partner School:	Park View High School
School Contact:	Ann B. Thorsen, GAPP Coordinator
Phone:	571-434-4500
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Park View has participated in a reciprocal German exchange program with Gymnasium Oschersleben located in Oschersleben, Germany since 2006. Before this we had an exchange with Allertal-Gymnasium in Eilsleben, Germany with the same teacher, but this school closed in 2004 because of school consolidation in the eastern part of Germany. Our next exchange will begin with the German students visit to Park View in the fall of 2010 and the Park View students' reciprocal visit to Oschersleben in the summer of 2011.</p> <p>Our exchange program has been set up so that we visit the Germans during the summer and then the German students visit Park View in the fall of the next year. This program is run according to the rules of the German American Partnership Program in New York, in conjunction with the Goethe Institute. The program requires that we attend school for ten days and stay for at least three weeks. During our stay we have the opportunity to explore the area that they live in which is located very near the former border of East and West Germany. We learn about the history of this area and visit several cities during our stay including Magdeburg, the capital of the state Sachsen-Anhalt, Halberstadt, Hötensleben and the cities where our host students live. At the end of our stay our group also takes a trip to Berlin and Munich before returning home. When the Germans visit us they participate in ten days of schools including homecoming activities, football games and extra- curricular activities with their partners. We take our exchange partners on two trips to Williamsburg and Busch Gardens and to Lancaster, Pennsylvania to visit the Amish.</p>

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Benefits to the Company/School: This reciprocal student exchange program gives the American and German students an opportunity to practice their language skills and experience the everyday life of the respective country, whose language they are learning in school. They learn about the differences and similarities between the two countries on a first- hand basis and have the opportunity to get to know a German student and their family and experience a unique educational experience as host and also as a guest.

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Business:	George Washington University - Ashburn Campus 20101 Academic Way Ashburn, VA 20147
Business Contact:	Dova Wilson, Community Relations
Phone:	703-726-3650
Partner School:	Art Program, Central Office
School Contact:	Melissa A Pagano-Kumpf
Phone:	571-252-1580
Year Partnership Began:	1999
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Each academic year the GWU Campus provides an exhibit space that features LCPS student art year round. In addition, a teacher exhibit has been incorporated into the program. The GW Ashburn Campus hosts a "Meet the Artist" reception to honor the student artists and teachers. The partnership between GWU and LPCS was developed to further encourage young people to pursue artistic endeavors and help support fine arts program in the local schools.
Benefits to the Company:	Exposes students, parents, teachers and the public in general to the GWU Ashburn Campus and to the many educational opportunities available.
Benefits to the School:	GWU provides LCPS with professional art gallery space. This annual exhibit allows LCPS the opportunity to highlight the outstanding art education program and to recognize selected student artists and teachers. The partnership is an example of the strong support from higher education for the visual arts program in our schools.

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Business:	Giant Foods 1000 East Main Street Purcellville, VA 20132
Business Contact:	Store Manager
Phone:	703-443-6360
Partner School:	Loudoun Valley High School
School Contact:	Susan A. Ross, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2400
Year Partnership Began:	
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Giant Bucks - Giant collects a percentage of sales and donates to the school of the customer's choice.
Benefits to the Company:	Positive public relations and support for the school in the community.
Benefits to the School:	Significant funds that has been used to make purchases for our library for the past four years.

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Business:	Tania Gonda Realty Weichert Realtors 21351 Ridgetop Circle, Suite 120 Dulles, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Tania Gonda
Phone:	703-627-5083
Partner School:	Farmwell Station Middle School
School Contact:	Sherryl Loya, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2320
Year Partnership Began:	2002
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Ms. Tania Gonda has donated refrigerator magnets annually. These magnets display all crucial telephone numbers for the school as well as the school calendar for the year and are very helpful to our parents.
Benefits to the Company:	Gonda Realty enjoys recognition from parents and the community.
Benefits to the School:	The students are able to take home a school calendar the first day of school that can be attached to their refrigerator. Parents often refer to the magnet when they need to call the school and for planning important events.

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Business:	Tania Gonda, ABR, CRS, GRI 21351 Ridgetop Circle, Ste. 120 Dulles, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Tania Gonda
Phone:	703-627-5083
Partner School:	Mill Run Elementary School
School Contact:	Paul L. Vickers, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2160
Year Partnership Began:	2000
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Tania Gonda's support of Mill Run continues even though her children are now high school students at Broad Run High School. Her sons were among the first classes when the school opened in 2000 and since that time she has been active in MRE as a sponsor. At her own expense, Tania prints magnets that contain the LCPS student calendar as well as other Mill Run calendar highlights, the school's address and important school contact telephone numbers to give to each child's parents. Parents and teachers love this magnet and keep it posted as an easy reference and organizational tool.
Benefits to the Company:	Tania has gained exposure throughout the community as a competent Realtor. Her involvement with Mill Run, and now Farmwell Station Middle School and Broad Run High School, has kept her current on community and school issues and events. That information can be passed along to her clients looking to purchase homes in the Mill Run school district area.
Benefits to the School:	Mill Run appreciates the contributions made by Tania Gonda. The fact that she still supports our school despite not having a student here shows her commitment to the community and her commitment to our public schools. All her donations and her school informational magnets in particular, provide valuable information to parents that they continually use and appreciate.

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Business:	Good Shepherd Alliance Thrift Store 20684 Ashburn Road Ashburn, VA 20147
Business Contact:	Jayda Roberts
Phone:	703-724-1555 x815
Partner School:	LCPS Head Start
School Contact:	Carol Basham
Phone:	571-252-2110
Year Partnership Began:	1997
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The Good Shepherd Alliance and Thrift Store has been invaluable in supporting the basic needs of clothing and furniture for some of Loudoun's most disadvantaged children and their families. Over the last twelve years, Good Shepherd has helped us provide for our children and families. Throughout the year we try to give families extra help to acquire clothing and household items. Good Shepherd has been a wonderful community partner by enabling us to help meet the needs of our families. The goal of our preschool program is to make a significant difference in the lives our students and their families. Our partnership helps us meet this goal. During this calendar year, Good Shepherd has helped at least 59 of our Head Start families.
Benefits to the Company:	This partnership provides opportunities for the Thrift Store to support preschool children and their families who are in need.
Benefits to the School:	We are able to provide much needed clothing and household items to children and their family.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Great Country Farms 18780 Foggy Bottom Road Bluemont, VA 20135
Business Contact:	Kate Zurschmeide
Phone:	540-554-2073
Partner School:	Briar Woods High School
School Contact:	Tom Mangan
Phone:	703-957-4400
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The business donated items to support the "Battle of the Books" event.
Benefits to the Company:	Great Country Farms benefits through good public relations, additional advertising, and the support of a positive school/community environment.
Benefits to the School:	The support received by the students participating in the program offers our students recognition for their hard work and success. The "Battle of the Books" event gives students an opportunity to read for pleasure, discuss books, and collaborate and interact with students sharing a love of reading.

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Business:	Great Country Farms 18780 Foggy Bottom Road Bluemont, VA 20135
Business Contact:	Kate Zurschmeide
Phone:	540-554-2073
Partner School:	Round Hill elementary School
School Contact:	Nancy McManus, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2450
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Great Country Farms and Round Hill Elementary partner in many ways for success of our students. No matter the activity Great Country Farms is always willing to lend a hand or an animal if needed. Over the years they have donated popcorn, food, and even a pig for our staff to kiss. During the school year the students visit the farm to learn about the life cycle of animals and learn about growing plants and vegetables. The students enjoy each fall carving pumpkins for the farm's annual festival of lights. On pumpkin carving day the classes enjoy using the pumpkins to complete estimating, reading and science activities. Each year for the past three years, Great Country Farms has hosted the Round Hill PTA Auction. During this event, the school has raised money to purchase four Whiteboards for use in our classrooms as well as other items for the classrooms.
Benefits to the Company:	Great County Farms benefits through the dedication and support of our community of students. Our families are constant participants in weekend events held at Great Country Farms. In the community Great Country Farms is seen as a strong supporter of all of County Schools as well as strong community members and leaders.
Benefits to the School:	The benefits to the school are numerous. In western Loudoun, the students have the opportunity to visit a working farm as well as view the life cycle firsthand with plants and animals. The school PTA also has the opportunity to use this beautiful venue for our annual fundraiser. Our parents and community members enjoy the evening at the Stables at Great Country Farms as well as it is great advertising for them. As members of the Round Hill Elementary community, Great Country Farms shares this learning environment with all of our students.

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Business:	The Green Tree Restaurant 15 South King Street Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Fabian Saeidi
Phone:	703-777-7246
Partner School:	Loudoun County High School
School Contact:	Tammy Bullock, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2000
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Providing lunches to Business Law students during field trip to the Loudoun County Courthouse.
Benefits to the Company:	The green Tree Restaurant benefits from a social responsibility activity.
Benefits to the School:	The students benefit with free lunches being provided while attending an educational field trip at the Loudoun County Courthouse.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Hair Port, LTD 46 Pidgeon Hill Drive Sterling, VA 20165
Business Contact:	Bill & Karen Bryan
Phone:	703-430-3400
Partner School:	Dominion High School
School Contact:	Jamie Braxton, Assistant Principal
Phone:	571-434-4400
Year Partnership Began:	2003-04
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	For years, the staff of Hair Port Salon and Day Spa has shown a genuine commitment to Loudoun County Public Schools and other charitable organizations. Over the past seven years, Dominion High School has been an extra-fortunate recipient of the salon's long-standing generosity. Hair Port consistently offers part-time employment opportunities to Dominion High School students, while a number of stylists on the staff are graduates of the program at Monroe Technology Center. Throughout Dominion High School's history, Hair Port has been the primary sponsor of the school's annual Stompfest. For the past three years, Hair Port has further supported student achievement at Dominion High School through primary sponsorship of the school's student agenda, an instructional support system that promotes high levels of academic achievement.
Benefits to the Company:	Hair Port employs highly qualified stylists who have been trained and educated by the fine institutions of Loudoun County Public Schools. These employees convey a highly professional image and are dependable contributors to the success of the salon. Hair Port also receives high visibility throughout the Titan community by virtue of their cover advertisement on the student agenda, which is owned personally by <i>each</i> and <i>every</i> Dominion High School student.

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Benefits to the School:

The academic success of *each* and *every* Titan is strongly supported by the provision of a full size student calendar and planner, which is funded largely through the generosity of Hair Port. The agenda not only empowers students to record assignments, due dates, and appointments, but also displays a comprehensive list of significant school events throughout the year. *Each* and *every* student at Dominion High School also uses her/his agenda to establish and monitor progress toward personal academic quarterly goals. The goal-setting initiative has been largely responsible for the overwhelming increases in student achievement that have been realized at Dominion High School. Part-time employment opportunities are also regularly afforded to students who have significant needs for entry level positions.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Harris Teeter Ryan Road Center 42415 Ryan Rd Ashburn, VA 20148
Business Contact:	Store manager
Phone:	703-542-8300
Partner School:	Briar Woods High School
School Contact:	Tom Mangan, Teacher
Phone:	703-957-4400
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The business donated items to support the "Battle of the Books" events.
Benefits to the Company:	Harris Teeter benefits through good public relations, additional advertising, and the support of a positive school/community environment.
Benefits to the School:	The support received by the students participating in the program offers our students recognition for their hard work and success. The "Battle of the Books" event gives students an opportunity to read for pleasure, discuss books, and collaborate and interact with students sharing a love of reading.

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Business:	Harris Teeter Ryan Road Center 42415 Ryan Road Ashburn, VA 20148
Business Contact:	Store Manager
Phone:	703-542-8300
Partner School:	Briar Woods High School Band Boosters
School Contact:	Duane Minnick
Phone:	703-957-4400
Year Partnership Began:	2005
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Harris Teeter has donated many goods the past 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ years to the Band for its various fundraising projects. We have a program of using the Vic cards to donate money to the band when people buy groceries.
Benefits to the Company:	Whenever the Band has an event where food is required, we try to purchase the goods from Harris Teeter. We mention at our concerts and events the support of Harris Teeter.
Benefits to the School:	A great partnership with a prominent business. Support of a major food store.

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Business:	Harris Teeter 20070 Ashburn Common Plaza Ashburn, VA 20147 Harris Teeter 19350 Winmeade Drive Lansdowne, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Mr. Bryon Muonio, Store Manager Ashburn Mr. Tim Porch, Store Manager Lansdowne
Phone:	571-223-0110/ 571-333-2495
Partner School:	Farmwell Station Middle School
School Contact:	Ms. Tonya Edwards, Assistant Principal
Phone:	571-252-2320
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Farmwell established a partnership with Harris Teeter to foster a community spirit with students, family and friends, while at the same time raising funds for the school. The partnership revealed all the educational opportunities available with their business, and , as a result, a Farmwell staff member was named the first winner of Harris Teeter's "Teachers of Excellence" award.
Benefits to the Company:	Farmwell Station promoted the VIC card for Harris Teeter to expose the community to the store, which resulted in new and repeat customers. The customers generated business for Harris Teeter, and allowed Harris Teeter the opportunity to demonstrate their friendly shopping atmosphere.
Benefits to the School:	The students and staff have benefited tremendously through this partnership. Harris Teeter has provided free ice cream to students new to Farmwell and to students for a job well-done on several occasions. A percentage of all store sales is given to Farmwell throughout the year with the option of doubling the amount. While promoting the VIC card, Harris Teeter donated food, giveaway items and helped secure a relationship with the community and Wingler retirement facility. This exposure, not only brought in revenue for the school, but it attracted community members to become active participants at Farmwell. The "Teachers of Excellence" award generated \$1000.00 to the school and \$1,000.00 to the teacher.

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Business:	Harris Teeter, Inc Together In Education Grant Program 701 Crestdale Drive Matthews, NC 28105
Business Contact:	Allison McCarrick
Phone:	800-432-6111
Partner School:	Monroe Technology Center
School Contact:	Wagner Grier, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2080
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The Harris Teeter Together In Education grant program has generously donated \$25,000.00 each year for the past three years to support and sponsor a career camp experience for middle school students enrolled in Loudoun County Public Schools. This week-long camp is held at the Monroe Technology Center. It provides students with an opportunity to focus on specific career interest areas and spend time in exploratory research activities related to those specific career programs that are taught at the Monroe Technology Center.
Benefits to the Company:	Because Harris Teeter is such a generous sponsor of the career camps, the Harris Teeter logo is placed on each camp t-shirt. Additionally, local Harris Teeter staffs have participated in the final camp awards and recognition ceremony. The LCPS Public Information Office has also prepared press releases that highlight the generous grant donations as well as the camp activities.
Benefits to the School:	In tight budget times, it is difficult to maintain extracurricular activities for students. This grant has allowed the Monroe Technology Center annual career camp to grow and flourish. Camp participants receive a rich and rewarding camp experience. Harris Teeter also sponsors a program only for Loudoun County Schools. The <i>Together In Education</i> program is a fund raising program for schools (public or private-preschool through 12 th grade) in our communities.

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Benefits to the School:

When customers purchase select Harris Teeter Brand products using their VIC card, Harris Teeter contributes a percentage of those purchase dollars to the schools of their choice. Schools use the money as they see fit on anything from basic supplies to band equipment or computers. Harris Teeter pays bonus dollars to Loudoun County Schools. If a school earns \$500, Harris Teeter pays them an additional \$500. If a school earns \$500.01, they earn an additional \$1,000 and any amount earned over \$1,000 they earn an additional \$2,000.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Haymarket Senators Baseball Team 42020 Village Center Plaza, Suite 120-50 Stoneridge, VA 20105
Business Contact:	Scott Newell, Owner
Phone:	703-303-4636
Partner School:	Arcola Elementary School
School Contact:	Dr. Clark Bowers, Principal
Phone:	703-957-4390
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Mr. Scott Newell, owner of the Haymarket Senators and his wife Jayme have supported Arcola Elementary in numerous ways. Last year, they supported our fifth grade graduation program by designing student shirts and underwriting part of the cost for the end of year 5 th grade student CD. Mrs. Newell actively served on the 5 th grade promotion committee and spent a significant amount of time making sure that the program was meaningful to our children. In addition, the Newell's have donated money to pay for shirts for our parent vs. teacher basketball games and last summer they invited our chorus members to sing our National Anthem at one of the baseball games. Students were given tickets to attend the game.
Benefits to the Company:	The Senators have benefitted from this involvement because the players on the team are from outside of the Washington region and are housed during the summer. The publicity from these donations of time and money are great public relations with parents that reside in the Arcola boundary zone as they often support the team by serving as a host family.
Benefits to the School:	The school has benefitted because some of the cost associated with these events were underwritten by Mr. Newell, on behalf of the Haymarket Senators, thus allowing us to use available funds for other programs. Our children benefitted by having a wonderful 5 th grade promotion.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Holiday Inn Leesburg at Carradoc Hall 1500 East Market Street Leesburg, VA 20176
Business Contact:	David Brooks, Manager
Phone:	703-771-9200
Partner School:	LCPS Pupil Services/Transition Services
School Contact:	Michelle Dorsey, Transition Teacher/Business Liaison
Phone:	571-252-1312
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The keys to successful transition include self advocacy, real world work experience, a resume, independent living skills, and connections with community businesses and resources. The ultimate goal is to empower students with disabilities to live and work independently. Loudoun County Career and Transition Services is dedicated to this goal. In order to be successful our students need hands on experience and an opportunity to discuss and process that work experience. Community Based Instruction (CBI) facilitates these learning goals. However, it can be difficult to convince a business to allow students with special needs to, in essence, set up a classroom at their work site. Students can miss critical learning elements when a CBI is not available. When Mr. Brooks learned of our need, he was more than happy to offer his facility to our students for a few hours per week.
Benefits to the Company:	Holiday Inn enjoys the opportunity to help our students with special needs learn and grow. In addition, company staff can make a better use of their time by focusing on tasks that require an executive level skill set.
Benefits to the School:	Students learn how to complete specific tasks at a real world work site thereby cultivating a strong work ethic.

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Business:	Inova Health Systems 2700 Prosperity Ave, Suite 100 Fairfax, VA 22031
Business Contact:	Donna Fortier, Director of Community Affairs Rod Williams, Vice President of Community Affairs
Phone:	703-858-8935 703-321-1965
Partner School:	Heritage High School Simpson Middle School
School Contact:	Margaret Huckaby, Principal Chad Runfola, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2800 571-252-2840
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Heritage High School and J.L. Simpson Middle School are excited to be working closely with Inova Health Systems. Inova Health Systems has helped Heritage High School and J.L. Simpson Middle School begin a student club called iPATH. iPath students have the opportunity to improve their own health by participating in weekly workouts with former NFL player Cliff Russell. Additionally, they discuss good nutrition and healthy life choices. Inova also opens its doors to the students by inviting them to visit and learn from Inova's programs and the dedicated professionals working for Inova Health Systems.
Benefits to the Company:	Inova Health Systems enjoys knowing that the they are providing another community service benefit to Loudoun County and assisting students early in life to make healthy choices that contribute to their overall wellness.
Benefits to the School:	Our schools are excited to have students participating in a unique partnership which brings them personal benefits, teaches them about healthy life choices, and gives them access to an organization that brings great benefits to the community.

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Business:	INOVA Loudoun Hospital Center 44045 Riverside Parkway Leesburg, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Charlene Martin
Phone:	703-858-8818
Partner School:	Art Program, Central Office
School Contact:	Melissa A. Pagano-Kumpf
Phone:	571-252-1580
Year Partnership Began:	1995
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The continuous exhibit of student artwork at the Loudoun Hospital Center rotates approximately four times throughout the entire year. The exhibit space provided allows for all to appreciate the talent, which our students display in various media and styles.
Benefits to the Company:	The exhibit brightens up the lives of those who are ill, and is appreciated by all who visit the hospital.
Benefits to the School:	LCPS has the opportunity to share with the community what we are doing in our outstanding art education program.

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Business:	International Asteroid Search Campaign (IASC) Hardin-Simmons University Abilene, Texas
Business Contact:	Patrick Miller Department of Mathematics
Phone:	325-670-1384
Partner School:	Broad Run High School
School Contact:	Janet Ward
Phone:	571-252-2300
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	This organization trains students and teachers on a Blackboard website to identify asteroid signatures using fresh night sky images and donated software called Astrometrica. If an asteroid is detected, the students fill out a report and IASC double checks it before submitting it to the Minor Planet Center (MPC) at Harvard. When MPC validates the signature of the asteroid, the Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL) computes an orbit and gives it a temporary name. The asteroid data can then be viewed worldwide to scientists and the public. After a few years the students can assign the asteroid a permanent name.
Benefits to the Company:	The scientists are free to work on important tasks, while the high school students do the more tedious lab work.
Benefits to the School:	IASC provides training and opportunities for high school students to work with scientists and current data. The asteroid belt is mapped with minor planet locations.

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Business:	Joe's Pizzeria 22360 Sterling Blvd Sterling, VA 20164
Business Contact:	Fareed Eways
Phone:	703-444-9500
Partner School:	Sully Elementary School
School Contact:	Timothy Martino, Principal
Phone:	571-434-4570
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Over the past two years Sully has enjoyed a wonderful partnership with Joe's Pizzeria and Fareed Eways. Joe's is located in the middle of the Sterling community and many Sully families enjoy gathering at Joe's.</p> <p>Sully's partnership with Joe's has been very beneficial. Joe's provides food for the K Readiness Program, 5th Grade Farewell Program, and Staff luncheons. Joe's also provides PTA fundraising opportunities. Mr. Eways always discounts prices and allows the school to fundraise through his fine meals. On more than one occasion Mr. Eways has provided gift certificates for families who have fallen on difficult circumstances.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	Joe's benefits from the recognition received when they sponsor activities. Joe's Pizzeria is mentioned in programs and newsletters for their constant support.
Benefits to the School:	Sully is fortunate to have a partnership with Joe's. Joe's allows us to provide enjoyable family evenings at very affordable costs.

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Business:	Junior Achievement of the National Capital Area, Inc 1725 I Street, NW, Suite 200 Washington, DC 20006
Business Contact:	Virginia Baird, Program Manager, Northern Virginia
Phone:	202-777-4471
Partner School:	Potowmack Elementary School
School Contact:	Judy Schmid, Parent Liaison
Phone:	571-434-3270
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Junior Achievement is the world's largest non-profit organization dedicated to educating students in grades K-12 about work readiness, entrepreneurship, and financial literacy through experiential, hands-on programs. JA's unique approach allows volunteers from the community to deliver the professionally developed, time-proven curriculum while sharing their experiences with students.</p> <p>JA's elementary school programs are the foundation of its K-12 curricula. At the elementary level, six sequential themes, each with five hands-on activities work to change student's lives by helping them understand business and economics. The elementary themes include <i>Ourselves, Our Families, Our Communities, Our City and Our Nation.</i></p>
Benefits to the Company:	<p>Junior Achievement's purpose it to prepare young people to succeed in a global economy as well as educate and inspire them to value free enterprise, business and economics to improve the quality of their lives. While serving the greater Northern Virginia area, Junior Achievement had not previously ventured into Loudoun County. Potowmack Elementary has provided them that opportunity which they hope will give them further exposure in the county allowing the program to educate additional Loudoun county students.</p>

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Business:	Dr. Michael A. Kavanaugh General Orthopedic Surgeon 244D Cornwell St., Suite 204 Leesburg, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Dr. Michael Kavanaugh
Phone:	703-777-3262
Partner School:	Monroe Technology Center Loudoun County School of Practical Nursing
School Contact:	Wagner Grier, Principal Karen Partlow, Director
Phone:	571-252-2080
Year Partnership Began:	1988
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>The Loudoun County of Practical Nursing and Dr. Kavanaugh have has a partnership since 1988. Dr. Kavanaugh has spoken yearly to the students of the Loudoun County School of Practical Nursing. Every year is an adventure. He has lectured on orthopedics and brought in x-rays. Dr. Kavanaugh has also had the class participate in mock hip and knee replacements. He had training equipment from Stryker Howmedia Osteonics delivered to the school and had students perform steps in the operations.</p> <p>Loudoun County School of Practical Nursing students have cared for Dr. Kavanaugh's patients after surgery on the Post-Surgical Unit of Inova Loudoun Hospital.</p> <p>Dr. Kavanaugh has also brought his knowledge and love of teaching to the students of the Claude Moore Scholars program. He has spoken to the students of the Introduction to Health and Medical Sciences course about the profession of becoming a doctor. The students from the Radiology Technology II program shadow the X-ray technician in his Cornwall office getting firsthand experience and knowledge of opportunities available in the health profession.</p>

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Benefits to the Company:

Dr. Kavanaugh has a strong belief in giving to the community and he truly enjoys teaching students. He has hired Sandy Mangione, LPN to work in his office. Sandy graduated from our program in 1988 and went to work for Dr. Kavanaugh in 2000. When our students are at the hospital they recognize Dr. Kavanaugh, and understand the surgery his patients have undergone and how to care for them.

Benefits to the School:

Dr. Kavanaugh would be an excellent teacher is he was not a doctor. Students get a great education in orthopedics from him with firsthand experience and then know how to care for orthopedic patients when at Inova Loudoun Hospital. In addition his office provides a fantastic shadowing experience.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Kids R First P.O. Box 3242 Reston, VA 20195
Business Contact:	Susan Ungerer Michelle DeCou-Landberg
Phone:	703-860-3639
Partner School:	Dominion High School
School Contact:	Kevin Terry, Director of Guidance
Phone:	571-434-4412
Year Partnership Began:	2002-03
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Kids R First is a non-profit organization founded with the mission to support less fortunate students in northern Virginia as they progress through the area's public schools. Kids R First annually donates tens of thousands of schools supplies to local schools in Loudoun and Fairfax counties. More recently, Kids R First has worked with Dominion High School to pilot a new program that supports needy students as they pursue post-secondary study. This new initiative involves additional financial contributions to local high schools, which, in turn, provide payment for college applications, college entrance exams, textbook purchases, and more. These resources make it possible for many students to attend college who would otherwise not possess the monetary resources to do so.
Benefits to the Company:	Kids R First's sole purpose for existence is to support student achievement and to create hope and aspiration for the future where it does not already exist. Their contributions to Dominion High School empower the organization to fulfill its mission. The partnership with Dominion High School has empowered Kids R First to experiment with their college support program with the help of a partner which shares their commitment to the success of less fortunate students. Dominion High School students and staff members occasionally support marketing efforts of Kids R First as they introduce their programs to prospective benefactors.

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Benefits to the School:

School supplies donated by Kids R First provide for the needs of dozens of students whose families qualify for free or reduced lunch or who have fallen upon difficult financial circumstances. Support for students who wish to pursue a college education helps our school create opportunities and aspirations for students who may not have previously considered continuing their education beyond high school.

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Business:	Kids R First P.O. Box 3242 Reston, VA 20195
Business Contact:	Susan Ungerer
Phone:	703-476-8265
Partner School:	Guilford Elementary School
School Contact:	Richard Rudnick
Phone:	571-434-4550
Year Partnership Began:	2003
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Guilford Elementary would like to recognize Kids R First for the past six years of service. This is a volunteer organization that is located in Reston Virginia. This organization was set up by a former teacher. It is now staffed by volunteers that were former teachers and administrators
Benefits to the Company:	Kids R First is able to seek donations to help students that are less fortunate than others. They are able to see the smiles that the students have on the first day when they have brand new supplies to use.
Benefits to the School:	Guilford Elementary is able to benefit from Kids R First by "helping kids in need prepare for their future".

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Kidzart
Business Contact:	Wendy Green
Phone:	703-669-3772
Partner School:	LCPS Head Start
School Contact:	Carol Basham
Phone:	571-252-2110
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Kidzart is a visual education program that teaches children how to draw. This art education series is being provided to Head Start students at Emerick Elementary School.
Benefits to the Company:	Kidzart is building partnerships within our community to locate financial support to facilitate the Kidzart program to provide Art Education to students in the Head Start Program. The sponsor for art instruction this year is Northern Virginia Electric Cooperative (NOVEC).
Benefits to the School:	The Head Start students at Emerick will have the opportunity to enjoy art instruction, learn a new vocabulary and experience new materials in an environment the builds confidence. The NOVEC sponsorship of art education will be providing the children with an additional tool to prepare them for success in school. In this visual arts program, students will receive the tools they need to develop real artwork in a nurturing environment. The program will culminate with an opportunity for students to participate in an "Art Showing" for the enjoyment of the proud "Artists" and their families.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Lansdowne Resort 44050 Woodridge Parkway Lansdowne, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Stacy Pedersen
Phone:	703-729-4065
Partner School:	Loudoun County High School
School Contact:	Tammy Bullock, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2000
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Lansdowne Resort has provided guest speakers in the classroom for Business Management students over the past four years to instruct them in Human Resource Department and on career opportunities.</p> <p>In addition, this year they provided an opportunity for 23 businesses and IT students to visit and tour the facility. The students learned about career opportunities in the hotel and tourism industry as well as job requirements in the following departments: Human Resource, Accounting, Event Planning, Sales, Marketing, Reservations, Catering, & Culinary. The students enjoyed the educational experience at Lansdowne as well as the buffet in which they graciously provided to all students attending.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	Lansdowne benefitted with social responsibility to the community in which they serve. In addition, the students had an assignment to create ideas on marketing their restaurant "On the Potomac".
Benefits to the School:	Lansdowne provide the students education of the hotel and tourism industry, career education, understanding of the corporate world, a project based activity, a delicious meal, and a wonder opportunity for the students to see and learn outside of the classroom.

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Business:	Layng's Flower Farm 23520 Evergreen Mill Road Aldie, VA 20105
Business Contact:	Liz Battiston, Owner
Phone:	703-327-0875 (retail 703-542-2020 (office)
Partner School:	Sycolin Creek Elementary School
School Contact:	Sharon Keegan-Coppels, Principal Lisa Waldbaum, Assistant Principal
Phone:	571-252-2910
Year Partnership Began:	August 2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Sycolin Creek ES opened September 2007. To help parents, students and staff get to know each other and begin to form a positive learning community; Layng's closed to the public and hosted our new school. It was a wonderful event which included lots of activities for the students and meeting and greeting time for the adults. To help make our new school look its best on our first day, Layng's provided the plants and labor to make our flower boxes beautiful. Layng's willingness to become an active part of our school community has provided the groundwork for a trusting and active relationship.
Benefits to the Company:	Layng's Flower Farm will continue to be recognized for its support of Sycolin Creek in the school and PTA newsletters.
Benefits to the School:	As our business partner, Layng's has offered its educational resources to our students. SOL compliant tours and workshops are made available. Layng's will continue to work with us to landscape the new grounds.
Benefits to the Community:	Through the activities provided by Layng's, the school community has joined together to provide the students with a warm and trusting support system.

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Business:	Leesburg Police Department 65 Plaza Street, NE Leesburg, VA 20178
Business Contact:	Master Police Officer William W. Potter, Jr.
Phone:	703-771-4500
Partner School:	Loudoun County High School
School Contact:	Tammy Bullock, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2000
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Officer Potter has educated students on Class Action which provides a better understanding about felonies and misdemeanors, as well as, pitfalls of teenagers and how to avoid these issues.
Benefits to the Company:	Leesburg Police Department benefits by promoting good citizenship to the students as well as encouraging students to pursue legal careers.
Benefits to the School:	It benefits Loudoun County High School student's by providing a better understanding of the law and promotes good citizenship and legal career opportunities.

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Business:	Leesburg Sterling Family Practice 44055 Riverside Pkwy Leesburg, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Dr. Scott Nagell
Phone:	703-724-7530
Partner School:	Stone Bridge High School
School Contact:	James E. Person, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2200
Year Partnership Began:	2000
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Dr. Nagell has been providing medical services and nutritional information and facts to Stone Bridge athletes since our school opened in the fall of 2000. Dr. Nagell is the official team doctor for the athletic department. He works closely with the football team and has made the time to travel to all away varsity games as well as being available for home football games. He has travel to both state playoff finals over the last three years. Dr. Nagell works closely with our athletic trainer to schedule sports physicals at the beginning of each school year for a minimal cost to our athletes. He has even provided physicals for athletes who could not afford one. Along with running a busy medical practice and everything he is able to do for Stone Bridge, Dr. Nagell still finds time to speak to athletes regarding the importance of proper nutrition in their diet.
Benefits to the Company:	Every year, Dr. Nagell is recognized at the Stone Bridge football banquet.
Benefits to the School:	The school athletic department is able to benefit from having such a dedicated physician as their team doctor. The football coaches have the confidence in knowing their players are in good hands at all varsity games. All athletes are able to receive the required sports physicals for a minimal fee after school hours. Our athletes are able to see the benefits in giving back to the community.

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Business:	Lenscrafters 21100 Dulles Town Center Dulles, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Kelly Harrington
Phone:	703-421-3760
Partner School:	Forest Grove Elementary School
School Contact:	Sharon Rukes, Health Clinic Assistant
Phone:	571-434-4560
Year Partnership Began:	2005-2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Through their Hometown Days and Vision Vans, Lencrafters provide free eye exams and eye glasses to local students in need. Whether their services are offered in their store, or at a local community center, students who attend these events receive professional care, and quality eye products.
Benefits to the Company:	Providing the gift of sight to children with the greatest need has always been Lencrafters main goal. Recipients are chosen by local schools and charities with no restrictions given by Lencrafters.
Benefits to the School:	Identifying students who require eye care is the role of the school. But often, getting them that care is difficult. Due to Lencrafter's generosity, children who really need help can receive it. With the gift of Lencrafters eye exams and glasses, Forest Grove student can see and learn to their best advantage.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Lockheed Martin Integrated Systems and Solutions 3201 Jermantown Road Fairfax, VA 22030
Business Contact:	Matthew Glaudemans
Phone:	703-466-3226
Partner School:	Dominion Trail Elementary School
School Contact:	Beth Fisher, Technology Resource Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2340
Year Partnership Began:	2000
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>The partnership was established to support the execution of the Dominion Trail Elementary School Improvement Plan, and to provide an opportunity for Lockheed Martin employees to support the community in which they live.</p> <p>Over the course of the business partnership, Lockheed Martin Integrated Systems and Solutions has coordinated excellent learning experiences for the students which include: Space Day Assemblies, Engineer's Day Activities, a School-wide Art contest, guest readers for February Reading Month activities, guest speakers for the Student Technology Assistance Committee, and field trips to Lockheed Martin Offices and the Young Astronauts' Program where students learned about the engineering field and space travel. Lockheed Martin has arranged for employees to receive substitute teacher training from LCPS in order for Dominion Trail staff to attend technology-training opportunities. Lockheed Martin employees have developed and distributed the Students Objectives Academic Review (SOAR) software to Dominion Trail and LCPS for teachers to use with their classes. During the 2006 - 2007 school year Lockheed Martin sponsored Dominion Trail in participation in Signatures in Space. Lockheed Martin has provided an opportunity to showcase student talents through company displays and sponsored activities as well as provide a photographer and CD of the photos, certificates, and badges for every student.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	<p>Dominion Trail Elementary will during the 2009- 2010 school year:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provide an opportunity to showcase student talents through company displays and sponsored activities• Enhance student interest in fields of technology, science and math.

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Benefits to the School:

Lockheed Martin will during the 2009-2010 school year:

- Coordinate Space Day
- Provide school supplies for individual students needing support
- Promote an interest in science and technology

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Business:	Loudoun County Courthouse P.O. Box 550 18 E Market Street Leesburg, VA 20178
Business Contact:	Gary Clemens, Clerk of the Circuit Court
Phone:	703-777-0270
Partner School:	Loudoun County High School
School Contact:	Tammy Bullock, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2000
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Mr. Clemens has provided guest speakers and field trip opportunities for Business Law classes to educate about court proceedings, learn more about the responsibilities and career opportunities in the legal field, to see actual court cases and see justice in action.
Benefits to the Company:	Loudoun County Courthouse benefits by promoting good citizenship to the students as well as encouraging students to pursue legal careers.
Benefits to the School:	It benefits LCHS student's by providing a better understanding of the legal system and promotes good citizenship and legal career opportunities.

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Business:	Loudoun County Health Department 1 Harrison Street, SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Ann Pullen, RN
Phone:	703-771-5822
Partner School:	Broad Run High School
School Contact:	Sharon Cunningham
Phone:	571-252-2300
Year Partnership Began:	2002
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Provide guest speakers, a nurse who comes to school to complete TB testing for child development students, and use of four "Baby Think It Overs"
Benefits to the Company:	Provides them with a way to promote health education to teens.
Benefits to the School:	Provides community support to our students.

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Business:	Loudoun Credit Union 112A South St, SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Tammy Ellis, CEO
Phone:	703-777-4744
Partner School:	Catoctin Elementary School
School Contact:	Jennifer Ruecket, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2940
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Catoctin Elementary School is entering its second year partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. One of the goals of this partnership is to teach children that it is never too early to start saving for the future.</p> <p>The last Thursday of each month is Kirby Kangaroo Club day. The Kirby Kangaroo Club is a savings program designed especially for students up to 12 years of age. With Kirby Kangaroo, the students can learn about savings and other important financial topics through stories, games, and entertaining activities. The club is offered to the students free of charge and the first \$5 is deposited by the Credit Union when an account is opened.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	To heighten student and parent awareness of the benefits of belonging to a credit union and the services that Loudoun Credit Union has to offer.
Benefits to the School:	<p>Catoctin Elementary School has benefited from the partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. The credit union has started the process of reinforcing that it is never too early to start saving money and encourages the students to set savings goals.</p> <p>The Loudoun Credit Union has a vested interest in the fiscal responsibility of the children. They are always encouraging the schools to share methods that have been successful in promoting the program school wide.</p>

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Business:	Loudoun Credit Union (LCU) 112A South Street SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Tammy Ellis ,CEO
Phone:	703-777-4744
Partner School:	Cedar Lane Elementary School
School Contact:	James E. Dallas, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2120
Year Partnership Began:	2005
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Cedar Lane is entering its fourth year partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. One of the goals of this partnership is to teach children that it is never too early to start saving for the future. It is also a goal to teach children to develop fiscal responsibility.</p> <p>The first Friday of each month is Kirby Kangaroo Club Day. The Kirby Kangaroo Club is a savings program designed especially for students up to 12 years of age. With Kirby Kangaroo, the students can learn about saving and other important financial topics through stories, games, and entertaining activities. The club is offered to the students free of charge and the first \$5 is deposited by the Credit Union when an account is opened. On the first Friday of each month, students can make deposits and/or open new accounts. Fifth grade students work alongside Credit Union reps to collect and count monies and see how a deposit slip is written.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	To heighten student and parent awareness of the benefits of belonging to a credit union and the services that Loudoun Credit Union has to offer.
Benefits to the School:	Cedar Lane Elementary had benefited from the partnership with Loudoun Credit Union. Not only has the credit union started the process of reinforcing the concept of savings, they are also teaching children at a very young age financial responsibility, which will carry over into their adult lives.

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Business:	Loudoun Credit Union 112A South Street, SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Tammy Ellis, CEO
Phone:	703-777-4744
Partner School:	Dominion Trail Elementary School
School Contact:	Laurie Ferguson
Phone:	571-252-2340
Year Partnership Began:	2005
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Dominion Trail Elementary is entering its fifth year partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. One of the goals of this partnership is to teach children that it is never too early to start saving for the future.</p> <p>The last Friday of each month is Kirby Kangaroo Club day. The Kirby Kangaroo Club is a savings program designed especially for students up to 12 years of age. With Kirby Kangaroo, the students can learn about savings and other important financial topics through stories, games, and entertaining activities. The club is offered to the students free of charge and the first \$5 is deposited by the Credit Union when an account is opened</p>
Benefits to the Company:	To heighten student and parent awareness of the benefits of belonging to a credit union and the services that Loudoun Credit Union has to offer.
Benefits to the School:	<p>Dominion Trail Elementary School has benefited from the partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. The credit union has started the process of reinforcing that it is never too early to start saving money and encourages the students to set savings goals.</p> <p>In addition the Loudoun Credit Union supports our SOL Remediation program through providing healthy afternoon snacks for the students who participate in after school tutoring. The Loudoun Credit Union provides a forum for students to display their art work.</p>

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Business:	Loudoun Credit Union (LCU) 112 A South Street SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Tammy Ellis, CEO
Phone:	703-777-4744
Partner School:	Guilford Elementary School
School Contact:	David Stewart, Principal
Phone:	571-434-4550
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>One of the goals of this partnership is to teach children that it is never too early to start saving for the future.</p> <p>The first Thursday of each month is Kirby Kangaroo Club day. The Kirby Kangaroo Club is a savings program designed especially for students up to 12 years of age. With Kirby Kangaroo, the students can learn about savings and other important financial topics through stories, games, and entertaining activities. The club is offered to the students free of charge and the first \$5 is deposited by the Credit Union when an account is opened. On the first Thursday of each month, students can make deposits and/or open new accounts.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	The Loudoun Credit Union to date has opened many accounts. When a student opens an account, it permits their parents to also become members of the LCU.
Benefits to the School:	Guilford Elementary has benefited from the partnership with Loudoun Credit Union. The credit union has started the process of reinforcing that it is never too early to start saving money.

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Business:	Loudoun Credit Union (LCU) 112A South Street, SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Tammy Ellis, CEO
Phone:	703-777-4744
Partner School:	Hillsboro Elementary School
School Contact:	Dave Michener, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2560
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Hillsboro Elementary entered into a partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union in the fall of 2006. One of the goals of this partnership is to teach children that it is never too early to start saving for the future.</p> <p>The third Thursday of each month is Kirby Kangaroo Club day. The Kirby Kangaroo Club is a savings program designed especially for students up to 12 years of age. With Kirby Kangaroo, the students can learn about savings and other important financial topics through stories, games, and entertaining activities. The club is offered to the students free of charge and the first five dollars is deposited by the credit union when an account is opened. On the third Thursday of each month, students can make deposits and/or open new accounts.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	The Loudoun Credit Union has opened more than thirty new accounts. When a student opens an account, the parents are also eligible to start an account.
Benefits to the School:	Hillsboro Elementary has benefited from the partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. The credit union has started the process of reinforcing that it is never too early to start saving money. This partnership also has helped students learn more about money concepts. The credit union has donated money to the school which has been used to purchase items for students.

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Business:	Loudoun Credit Union 112A South Street, SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Tammy Ellis, CEO
Phone:	703-774-4744
Partner School:	Rolling Ridge Elementary School
School Contact:	Andrew Davis, Principal
Phone:	571-434-4540
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Rolling Ridge is entering its second year in partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. One of the goals of this partnership is to teach children that it is never too early to start saving for the future.</p> <p>The second Thursday of each month is Kirby Kangaroo Club day. The Kirby Kangaroo Club is a savings program designed especially for students up to 12 years of age. With Kirby Kangaroo, the students can learn about savings and other important financial topics through stories, games, and entertaining activities. The club is offered to the students free of charge and the first \$5 is deposited by the Credit Union when an account is opened.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	To heighten student and parent awareness of the benefits of belonging to a credit union and the services that Loudoun Credit Union has to offer.
Benefits to the School:	<p>Rolling Ridge Elementary School has benefited from the partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. The credit union has started the process of reinforcing that it is never too early to start saving money and encourages the students to set savings goals.</p> <p>The Loudoun Credit Union also supports our school through the donation of monetary resources and supplies to be used to support the educational program. They have also supported our efforts to increase parent involvement.</p>

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Business:	Loudoun Credit Union 112A South Street, SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Tammy Ellis, CEO
Phone:	703-777-4744
Partner School:	Sanders Corner Elementary School
School Contact:	Kathleen Hwang, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2250
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	One of the goals of this partnership is to teach children that it is never too early to start saving for the future. The second Friday of each month is Kirby Kangaroo Club day. The Kirby Kangaroo Club is a savings program designed especially for students up to 12 years of age. With Kirby Kangaroo, the students learn about savings and other important financial topics through stories, games, and entertaining activities. The club is offered to the students free of charge and the first \$5 is deposited by the Credit Union when an account is opened. On the second Friday of each month, students can make deposits and/or open new accounts. The Credit Union also sends the totals deposited each month along with savings tips for the students. These totals and tips are integrated into the morning news show.
Benefits to the Company:	The Loudoun Credit Union to date has opened more than 125 new accounts. When a student opens an account, it permits the parents to also become members of the LCU.
Benefits to the School:	<p>Sanders Corner Elementary School has benefited from the partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. The credit union has started the process of reinforcing that it is never too early to start saving money.</p> <p>The Loudoun Credit Union provides gift cards for staff appreciation. The Loudoun Credit Union also purchases snacks for our after school SOL club as well as offering services to teach class lessons regarding finance and economics.</p>

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Business:	Loudoun Credit Union 112A South Street SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Tammy Ellis, CEO
Phone:	703-777-4744
Partner School:	Seldens Landing Elementary School
School Contact:	Tracy Stephen, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2260
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Seldens Landing is entering its third year partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. One of the goals of this partnership is to teach children that it is never too early to start saving for the future.</p> <p>The third Tuesday of each month is Kirby Kangaroo Club day. The Kirby Kangaroo Club is a savings program designed especially for students up to 12 years of age. With Kirby Kangaroo, the students can learn about savings and other important financial topics through stories, games and entertaining activities. The club is offered to the students free of charge and the first \$5 is deposited by the Credit Union when an account is opened.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	To heighten student and parent awareness of the benefits of belonging to a credit union and the services that Loudoun Credit Union has to offer.
Benefits to the School:	<p>Seldens Landing Elementary School has benefited from the partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. The credit union has started the process of reinforcing that it is never too early to start saving money and encourages the student to set savings goals.</p> <p>The Loudoun Credit Union Saving Program also reinforces the elementary K-5 social science curriculum and math curriculum.</p>

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Business:	Loudoun Credit Union (LCU) 112A South St, SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Tammy Ellis, CEO
Phone:	703-777-4744
Partner School:	Sterling Elementary School
School Contact:	Teri Finn, Pincipal
Phone:	571-434-4580
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	In 2007 Sterling Elementary School formed a partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. The goal was to work in conjunction with the LCU to educate children on the importance of saving. The LCU implemented the Kirby Savings Club, offering free membership to students and depositing their first \$5 once an account has been opened. The second Thursday of each month is Kirby Savings Day where students are able to make deposits and open new accounts.
Benefits to the Company:	Once a student opens a new account parents are eligible for membership.
Benefits to the School:	Students at Sterling Elementary are encouraged to begin saving and deve sense of financial awareness. The LCU provides each child a Passbook to record deposits, a Quarter Savings Envelope and incentives when deposit collected.

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Business:	Loudoun Credit Union 112A South St, SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Tammy Ellis, CEO
Phone:	703-777-4744
Partner School:	Sugarland Elementary School
School Contact:	Angela Robinson, Principal
Phone:	571-434-4460
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>SUGARLAND ES is entering its 2nd year partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. One of the goals of this partnership is to teach children that it is never too early to start saving for the future.</p> <p>The <u>first Thursday</u> of each month is Kirby Kangaroo Club day. The Kirby Kangaroo Club is a savings program designed especially for students up to 12 years of age. With Kirby Kangaroo, the students can learn about savings and other important financial topics through stories, games, and entertaining activities. The club is offered to the students free of charge and the first \$5 is deposited by the Credit Union when an account is opened.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	To heighten student and parent awareness of the benefits of belonging to a credit union and the services that Loudoun Credit Union has to offer.
Benefits to the School:	<p>SUGARLAND Elementary School has benefited from the partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. The credit union has started the process of reinforcing that it is never too early to start saving money and encourages the students to set savings goals.</p> <p>The Loudoun Credit Union also has provided full funding to purchase Agendas for the students. The Credit Union has sent representatives to the school who are bilingual to handle the monthly transactions for the student accounts.</p>

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Business:	Loudoun Credit Union 112 a South St, SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Tammy Ellis, CEO
Phone:	703-777-4744
Partner School:	Sycolin Creek Elementary School
School Contact:	Sharon Keegan-Coppels, Principal Lisa Waldbaum, Assistant Principal
Phone:	571-252-2910
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Sycolin Creek is entering its third year of partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. One of the goals of the partnership is to teach children that it is never too early to start saving for the future.</p> <p>The first Tuesday of each month is Kirby Kangaroo Club day. The Kirby Kangaroo Club is a savings Program designed especially for students up to 12 years of age. The students learn about savings and other financial topics through stories, games, and entertaining activities. The club is offered to the students free of charge and the first \$5 is deposited by the Credit Union when an account is opened.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	To heighten student and parent awareness of the benefits of belonging to a credit union and the services that Loudoun Credit Union has to offer.
Benefits to the School:	Sycolin Creek has benefited from the partnership with the Loudoun Credit Union. The credit union has started the process of reinforcing that it is never too early to start saving money and encourages students to set savings goals.

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Business:	Loudoun Lumber 121 N. Bailey Lane Purcellville, VA 20132
Business Contact:	Store Manager
Phone:	540-751-4143
Partner School:	Loudoun Valley High School
School Contact:	Susan A. Ross, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2400
Year Partnership Began:	1999
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Loudoun Lumber donates significant amounts of scrap lumber as well as sells us at low cost significant amounts of lumber for our Technology Education class projects.
Benefits to the Company:	Positive public relations
Benefits to the School:	Low cost way to effectively continue the great hands on projects in the Technology Education classes

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Business:	Loudoun Times-Mirror P.O. Box 359 Leesburg, VA 20178
Business Contact:	Jeff Amero
Phone:	703-777-1111
Partner School:	Broad Run High School
School Contact:	Jo Ann Pearson
Phone:	571-252-2300
Year Partnership Began:	1995
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The <i>Loudoun Times-Mirror</i> delivers copies of the paper to the school every week. These papers are used in English classes, government classes, study hall, the library, and for the journalism students.
Benefits to the Company:	The <i>Loudoun Times-Mirror</i> receives exposure to their publication.
Benefits to the School:	Students improve their reading comprehension through reading articles that are highly interesting to them. They also increase their knowledge of area current events. The Loudoun Times Mirror has been used for five years during flex periods for reading.

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Business:	Loudoun Water 44865 Loudoun Water Way Ashburn, VA 20146
Business Contact:	Christina Williams Manager of Learning & Organizational Development
Phone:	571-291-7972
Partner School:	LCPS Pupil Services/Transition Services
School Contact:	Michelle Dorsey, Transition Teacher/Business Liaison
Phone:	571-252-1312
Year Partnership Began:	2010
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The mission of the Loudoun County Career and Transition Services is to provide every student with special needs a solid plan for the future and a seamless transition. Loudoun Water understands the importance of that mission and is dedicated to partnering with our service for the success of our students. The vision is being manifested into an internship for our students who love to work with their hands, enjoy continual movement at a work site, and desire to have the ability to support their family in the future.
Benefits to the Company:	This partnership will allow Loudoun Water to develop its own dedicated long term work force through prescreened candidates (that they have come to know during their internship, prior to employment).
Benefits to the School:	The students will acquire marketable skills at a company with career growth and benefits that include up to 80% tuition reimbursement. Students will have an opportunity to attain a college education that they may have otherwise missed for financial reasons.

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Business: Lovettsville Pizza and Subs
26 East Broad Way
Lovettsville, VA 20180

Business Contact: Chuck Blough

Phone: 540-822-5546

Partner School: Lovettsville Elementary School

School Contact: Pam Hayba
Michelle LaFollette

Phone: 540-751-2470

Year Partnership Began: 1999

Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies): The Lovettsville School Family is very grateful to have this opportunity to recognize Lovettsville Pizza & Subs for their faithful commitment to the school. The owner and operator, Mr. Chuck Blough, can be found in the kitchen or behind the counter there almost every day. The shop has the kind of warm, friendly atmosphere of a small town soda shop from by-gone years. Chuck knows and greets, by name, just about everyone who comes through the door. He is honest, genuine and humble in his dealings with all. There is "Love" in the name of his shop, and it shows!

Lovettsville Pizza and Subs is located in the heart of old Lovettsville on Loudoun Street in the building that once was the McLean Grocery. On the walls, along with rustic pictures of the town, are many plaques and pictures of a variety of sports teams that Chuck has sponsored throughout the years. Another fixture is the large Tip Jar that sits on the counter near the cash register. On the jar there is a sign that says, "all donations go to our needy family at Christmas". For the past 10 years Chuck and his staff have quietly and responsibly adopted a family for the holidays. He eagerly starts encouraging me to choose a family for him around Halloween and reminds me every time he sees me until he gets his assigned family. He has always respected my wishes for confidentiality and never asks me for more information than the family's wish list. That means a detailed list for each of the children, including all their sizes and interests. He wants the same information about the parents taking care to include them in the celebration. He also asks about household items they may need. Then one night near the holidays, with lists in hand, the entire staff take off together and go on a shopping spree for the adopted family. It is a favorite annual event for employees. Chuck's favorite item to purchase is a shiny new

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Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):

bike—and not just one, but one for each child in the family and complete with a safety helmet. I always say, “Now Chuck, don’t go overboard”, but with the enthusiasm of a high-strung child, and a magnanimous and giving nature he forges ahead leading his staff through the toy aisles. If I admonish him when I see the huge pile of toys, games and bikes, he just grins and excitedly shows me how some of the toys work, telling me he just couldn’t resist. He also is very generous with buying clothing. And although, he likes to remain anonymous, he discovered that clothes fold nicely into pizza boxes! All the pizza boxes are carefully wrapped by the staff but they do provide a clue as to their origin. Working with Chuck over the years has helped keep my belief alive: that possibly Santa Claus really does exist and is living and working in Lovettsville—going by the name of Chuck Blough.

Chuck also supports our Math Mania program, which we started in January 2009. He offers a tasty incentive to students in order to encourage them to go above and beyond in math. Math Mania is an optional, at home program. Students receive a Math Mania packet each month. This packet requires them to complete 4 sessions of flashcard drill and practice (at least 15 minutes each time), 4 sessions on one of our Lovettsville math websites, and to complete 4 math enrichment/problem solving activity sheets.

When the packet is returned at the end of the month, the student receives a certificate for a free small pizza and drink at Lovettsville Pizza and Subs! Chuck also has a poster for the kids to sign when they come in.

Benefits to the Company:

There is great joy in giving to others and Chuck and his employees exude this at Christmas. This selfless act of kindness does not really enhance or benefit the business directly as Chuck wants no fanfare or recognition. I think the goodwill it engenders, though, is a valuable intrinsic reward for Chuck and his staff. They feel gratified by giving back to the community, albeit one family a year. It unites them as a group as they share the experience and perhaps that is a benefit, but it is clear that this annual philanthropic effort is NOT designed to benefit the company—just a deserving family. This good will is also evident when students come in to celebrate their math achievement and enjoy their free pizza and drink. Chuck and his staff excel at making the students feel special.

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Benefits to the School:

The incentive Chuck provides, as well as the encouragement he gives to the students when they come in to his shop, has really prompted students to go beyond the basics expectations for math. We started this program in Jan. 2009. When we arrived back in August, many students and parents asked about continuing the program this year. Their comments were extremely positive, and they greatly appreciated Chuck's support of the program.

Although the Holiday Shopping benefits only one family annually, Chuck's concern and kindness are evident throughout the year. He can be heard reminding kids in the shop to get home and do their homework or ask them if their parents know where they are. He is a stable, positive presence in our community and our school.

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Business: Luck Stone Corporation
P.O. Box 1272
Leesburg, VA 20177

Business Contact: Lewis Lee
Lewis Murphy
Amanda Bowers

Phone: 703-729-2800

Partner School: Sanders Corners Elementary School

School Contact: Barbara Stewart, School Librarian

Phone: 571-252-2250

Year Partnership Began: 1997

Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies): In our partnership Luck Stone provides volunteers, material and financial gifts. Representatives from Luck Stone speak to our third and fifth grades during geology units. They present detailed information and samples of rocks and minerals to our children and teachers. Luck Stone provides tours for our fifth graders to their quarry. Through word of mouth, Luck Stone now makes these same presentations to many LCPS as well as schools outside our district. In fact, Lewis Lee of Luck Stone spends many hours every year presenting to classrooms throughout our county. Each student at these presentations is given pencils and a mineral to help keep the students interest at peak level. They have provided tours of their plants to many schools.

Luck Stone has made generous gifts to our school including a generous contribution to our scholarship fund for the children of our deceased art teacher. They contribute regularly to our PTA functions including the winter carnival. They serve as impartial judges for our peer mediation applications. In the past they have provided supplies and labor to improve our courtyard. They have also assisted with our STAR Reader program.

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Description of School/Business
Partnership Activity(ies):

In 2000, Luck Stone, former First Lady Roxane Gilmore, and the Virginia Department of Education launched a statewide program designed to help students with their SOL called the Luck Stone Rock. Based on SOL 4.8 and 5.7, and focusing on Virginia's geology, the Luck Stone Rock Kit contains a teacher's guide, student activities, rock samples indigenous to Virginia, tools for analyzing the rocks, an interactive CD-ROM, web site access, and a poster. A kit was given to every school in the state for fifth graders. As a partner with Luck Stone, our school received one for each fifth grade class.

Benefits to the Company:

Luck Stone is able to educate our students and the community about their work and what they do in the community. They also display art from our students in their office.

Benefits to the School:

Our students learn about careers, geology and preserving the environment. Luck Stone personnel serve as impartial judges for our peer mediation applications. Luck Stone provides material and financial gifts for selected school projects. They also provide teaching material to assist our teachers with SOLs.

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Business:	Lucketts Community Center 42361 Lucketts Road Leesburg, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Ms. Hillary Cooley
Phone:	703-771-5282
Partner School:	Lucketts Elementary School
School Contact:	Michael Pellegrino, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2070
Year Partnership Began:	20+ years
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The Lucketts Community Center and Lucketts Elementary School created a partnership that continues to serve the students and community to this very day. The proximity to each other helps to maintain the relationship, promote interaction, and channel the flow of communication.
Benefits to the Company:	<p>The Lucketts Fair: The Lucketts Fair is an ongoing tradition in the Lucketts community. Lucketts Elementary School staff, parents, and students coordinate efforts to help support the success of this major event.</p> <p>Community Outreach: A PTA Liaison participates on the Lucketts Community Center Advisory Board to keep abreast of current events and situations, disseminating information and needs to the community.</p> <p>Educational Assemblies: Preschool students regularly attend our cultural arts assemblies enriching their education.</p> <p>After-school Programs and Activities: Lucketts Elementary School provides transportation from/to daycare classes and often helps publicize programs and events.</p>
Benefits to the School:	After School Activities: The Community Center offers a wide variety of educational activities and programs for our students. They also provide drop-in childcare to allow parents to attend our Back To School Night and volunteer within our school.

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Benefits to the School:

Scholarships: Many families in the community cannot afford quality preschool or enrichment programs. The Community Center has provided scholarships for families to access these programs, allowing formal education to begin at an early age. Often times, these preschool students are our future clients.

Financial Support: Our PTA and school regularly receive monetary support from the Advisory Board. These donations help to support our programs and activities, directly impacting the education of our students.

School Events: The Community Center often hosts several school events: 5th grade Transitional BBQ, Outdoor Movie Night, English For Families classes.

English For Families: English For Families is a PTA program at Lucketts Elementary for developing parents' English skills. These nightly classes help parents to strengthen their English through reading, writing, listening, and speaking. The lessons focus on teaching parents the skills to actively participate in their child's education. This program would not exist without the monetary support from the Lucketts Community Center.

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Business:	Macy's 8000 Tysons Corner Center McLean, VA 22101
Business Contact:	Denise Schoepfer
Phone:	703-893-4900
Partner School:	Potomac Falls High School
School Contact:	Kathy Chrisman, Marketing Teacher
Phone:	571-434-3200
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Macy's at Tyson's Corner has partnered with the Potomac Falls Marketing Department with an ongoing speaker series. This consists of guest speakers coming to our school and discussing what goes on behind the scenes at a major department store at one of the top 10 Macy's in the United States. Topics include the store history, typical interview questions, climbing the ladder to success, various departments within the store and how they order and differ from other stores in the area, etc. The students also participated in a Macy's Shop for a Cause Event. Students organized a Back to School/Homecoming theme fashion show with other entertainment to make a pep rally atmosphere of our school on the lower level of Tyson's Corner outside the entrance of Macy's. Students had the Varsity cheerleaders start off the show with a cheer and our fight song, followed by our award winning dance team. The marketing students organized various fashion scenes such as back to school, casual party, homecoming, outerwear, and high fashion. Over 100 students participated as models. The show ended with the step team performing and wowing our crowd and then our cheerleaders ended it with our fight song. Coupons were sold at \$5 each and all proceeds benefited the ALS Association for Lou Gehrig's disease. Over \$2,700.00 was raised for the organization.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	<p>The show created goodwill advertising for the mall and shows they are community oriented. Extra mall traffic was generated for our fashion show and pep rally. Parents and students shopped in the store and used their coupon which generated extra revenue.</p>

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Benefits to the School:

Marketing students gained recognition from participation and developed a sense of pride in themselves and their classmates. This was also an opportunity for them to learn the work involved in planning behind the scenes to create a successful event. Students are filled with the satisfaction of giving back to the community and most importantly, the lesson of the impact it makes to a charitable organization. Our students were recruited for other events.

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Business:	Mangan Wealth Management 2200 Sixth Avenue, Suite 1250 Seattle, WA 98121
Business Contact:	Rick Mangan
Phone:	206-441-1980
Partner School:	Briar Woods High School
School Contact:	Tom Mangan
Phone:	703-957-4400
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The business donated items to support the "Battle of the Books" event.
Benefits to the Company:	Mangan Wealth Management benefits through good public relations, additional advertising, and the support of a positive school/community environment.
Benefits to the School:	The support received by the students participating in the program offers our students recognition for their hard work and success. The "Battle of the Books" event gives students an opportunity to read for pleasure, discuss books, and collaborate and interact with students sharing a love of reading.

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Business:	Mase Training 21580 Atlantic Blvd. Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Eddie Mason
Phone:	571-434-3273
Partner School:	Countryside Elementary School
School Contact:	Arlene Glaser, Principal
Phone:	571-434-3250
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Mr. Mason is the proprietor of Mase Training. Through his company he assisted Countryside Elementary School in many ways. He helped fund the painting of the murals in our multipurpose room that help show our school pride and depict our mascot, the cougar. In addition, he has provided scholarships for students to participate in our afterschool program that was under the auspices of his company. Our Mase Training program helped students with building their bodies through exercise and assisted them with further developing positive character traits. During the month of January Mr. Mason spoke at a school assembly that provided students with information concerning how to be "GREAT in their Lives." Students learned that they needed to go from <u>G</u> ood to Great; show <u>R</u> espect towards others; <u>E</u> ncourage their friends; have a positive <u>A</u> ttitude and be <u>T</u> hankful for what they have. This assembly, provided to our students without cost to our school, was inspiring and motivated them to work harder to be GREAT in their Lives. Mr. Mason is a role model and a dedicated father, husband, and community member.
Benefits to the Company:	The donation of Mr. Mason's time and talent enhances his company's image in the community.
Benefits to the School:	Mr. Mason's work has helped us be more spirited as a school community by seeing our "Cougar Pride" and "Welcome to our Cougar Den" in our gymnasium as well as helped us create a student body that is respectful, caring, and GREAT!

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Business:	McDonald's 43250 Defender Dr South Riding, VA 20152
Business Contact:	Roza Yeganeh
Phone:	703-273-9866
Partner School:	Little River Elementary School
School Contact:	Joyce Hardcastle, Principal
Phone:	703-957-4360
Year Partnership Began:	1975
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Little River Elementary has McDonald's Nights where the school will receive a percentage of the profits for a specified number of hours each night. Children that attend get free balloons and ice cream. The class with the highest percentage of attendance gets a "cookies and punch party." The teachers that help out receive token prizes and the school has received over \$1000 from this wonderful event.</p> <p>McDonald's has also generously supported Teacher Appreciation Week and School Events throughout the year including safety patrols.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	A sense of giving back to the community and to the school.
Benefits to the School:	The money raised is used to support the variety of educational programs offered at Little River Elementary. Also, the students enjoy seeing the staff performing other jobs other than teaching. The staff enjoys doing this for a night.

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Business:	McKim Construction 37200 East Richardson Lane Purcellville, VA 20132
Business Contact:	Manager
Phone:	540-822-4600
Partner School:	Mountain View Elementary School
School Contact:	Brad Toohill
Phone:	570-751-2550
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	McKim Construction has generously donated materials and labor for site improvements at Mountain View Elementary.
Benefits to the Company:	McKim Construction is a Purcellville based and parent owned company. Their generosity to our school is recognized and appreciated by the parents at Mountain View Elementary.
Benefits to the School:	One project involved a drainage issue at Mountain View where part of a new running track was not usable. McKim Construction stepped forward to correct the situation.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Meadow Farms 43054 John Mosby Hwy Chantilly, VA 22021
Business Contact:	Bill Meadows, Owner Jay Meadows, President Dave Reed, Vice-President Landscaping
Phone:	703-471-0606
Partner School:	Broad Run High School
School Contact:	Edgar Markley, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2300
Year Partnership Began:	1969
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Meadows Farms owner "Farmer" Bill Meadows spearheaded the program to get lights for our main field. They are a Gold Sponsor for our Booster Club donating \$2,500 each year. They have funded scholarships for Broad Run students. Meadows Farms donated paintings to our library. They also donated material and labor for a watering system and sod for our baseball infield. The company leads our school beautification program with landscape design, trees, plantings, and care. This has enhanced the appearance of the main entrance, stadium entrance, and interior courtyards of Broad Run. For our Courtyard Habitat, Meadows Farms donated the labor, plantings, and a \$2,000 grant. Meadows Farms participates in the Broad Run Career Day and employs many Broad Run students
Benefits to the Company:	Broad Run High School Spartan Singers perform at Meadows Farms properties during the winter holiday season.
Benefits to the School:	Meadows Farms has made a solid commitment to Broad Run for more than 38 years by enhancing our school facilities with materials, paintings, expertise and donations. They are always willing to help.

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Business:	Meadows Farm 43054 John Mosby Highway Chantilly, VA 20152
Business Contact:	David Slack
Phone:	703-327-3940 x229
Partner School:	Sanders Corner Elementary School
School Contact:	Barbara Stewart, School Librarian
Phone:	571-252-2250
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Sanders Corner lost a cherished art teacher in 2007 and with the help of a parent we secured a grant for building a memorial garden. The Green Thumb Club under the leadership of John Scott, fifth grade teacher designed the garden and enlisted the help of Meadows Farm Nursery. Meadows assisted in the selection and placement of the plants, discounted the cost of the plants and then planted the entire garden. They serve as consultants if we have trouble with any of the plants or if any need replacement.
Benefits to the Company:	The community was aware of the partnership and hopefully we made their name more familiar to the families.
Benefits to the School:	The students benefit from the garden as it is a quiet place to sit and read and reflect. It serves as a memorial to a beloved teacher and the years she dedicated to the school.

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Business:	Meadows Farm Nursery 43054 John Mosby Hwy Chantilly, VA 22021
Business Contact:	Jay Meadows Ted Zurawski
Phone:	703-471-0606
Partner School:	Stone Bridge High School
School Contact:	James E. Person, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2200
Year Partnership Began:	2000
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Meadows Farm has made significant contributions to Stone Bridge since the beginning of the partnership. Not only have they provided scholarships, they have also maintained the beautification of school grounds. They have donated the "Bulldog Tunnel" which is used at every home football game and Pep rallies. Last year, Meadows Farm provided and planted trees and shrubs along the tennis courts to help block wind players had to endure during matches. This year Stone Bridge did a Hardscape project behind the school which Meadows Farms installed. Each year, Meadows Farm proves to be a committed partner to Stone Bridge High School.
Benefits to the Company:	Meadows Farm has received recognition and appreciation for their support of Stone Bridge in the fall sports program and at the award programs.
Benefits to the School:	Meadows Farms has made a solid commitment to Stone Bridge the entire time our school has been opened.

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Business:	Middleburg Bank 102 Catoctin Circle, SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Arch Moore
Phone:	703-777-6327
Partner School:	Loudoun County High School
School Contact:	Tammy Bullock, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2000
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Donating to the LCHS Future Business Leaders of America Club.
Benefits to the Company:	Middleburg Bank benefits from a social responsibility activity.
Benefits to the School:	The students benefit from the funds, which are used for educational field trips, related to business.

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Business:	Minton Music 21690 red Rum Drive, Suite 137 Ashburn, VA 20147
Business Contact:	Larry and Ann Marie Minton
Phone:	703-723-1154/ 703-723-3233
Partner School:	Briar Woods High School Music Booster Assoc.
School Contact:	Duane Minnick
Phone:	703-957-4400
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	As with most of our school-business partnerships, they are fundraising orientated whereby the business donates a good and/or service. Business support includes but is not limited to the provision and/or donation of gift cards, money, beverages, discounted product [such as food/meals], free services [insurance / real estate consultations], music lessons, etc.
Benefits to the Company:	Company benefits include but are not limited to advertisement in fliers, public awareness, and contact with surrounding neighborhoods, opportunity to give back to students, community relations, public relations, and exposure to their products and/or services.
Benefits to the School:	School benefits include but are not limited to public awareness, opportunity to work with local businesses, community relations, public relations, and most importantly, direct and indirect financial support of the school's music programs via the Music Boosters Association.

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Business:	Moe's Southwest Grill 24995 Riding Plaza, Suite 110 South Riding, VA 20152
Business Contact:	Frank Maresca
Phone:	703-542-5670
Partner School:	Little River Elementary School
School Contact:	Joyce Hardcastle, Principal
Phone:	703-957-4360
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Little River Elementary has Moe's Nights where the school will receive a percentage of the profits for a specified number of hours each night. The teachers help out by doing face painting, selling raffle tickets and welcoming customers. The school has received over \$1000 from this wonderful event.</p> <p>Moe's has also donated food for our Fall Festival and Basketball Night.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	A sense of giving back to the community and to the school.
Benefits to the School:	The money raised is used to support the variety of educational programs offered at Little River Elementary. Also, the students enjoy seeing the staff performing other jobs other than teaching. The staff enjoys doing this for a night. Other monies receive through fundraisers benefited school programs and student learning opportunities.

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Business:	Monrovia Growers 18331 E Foothill Blvd P.O. Box 1385 Azusa, CA
Business Contact:	Craig Bradley, Sales Rep.
Phone:	434-806-8942
Partner School:	Monroe Technology Center
School Contact:	Deborah Chaves, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2085
Year Partnership Began:	2002
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	This highly respected company is one of the oldest and largest producers of quality horticultural plants in the US with growing locations in California, Oregon, North Carolina, Georgia and Ohio. They supply us with wholesale plant material for our spring and fall plant sale, provide a wealth of knowledge and support through their sales department rep, Craig Bradley, and provide possible student internships and future employment. They advertise in many magazines (including Southern Living), HGTV and we benefit from this regional and national promotion and marketing. Additionally, we receive monetary rebates each year (\$699.35 in 2009) for maintaining our order agreement in the partnership.
Benefits to the Company:	1) Improving their customer base by purchasing their plants and soils 2) Possibilities of providing students for internships and job positions at their growing locations and in their company
Benefits to the School:	Links MTC to one of the most respected leaders in the wholesale horticultural growing industry in the world.

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Business:	Mr. Print 501 E Main Street Purcellville, VA 20132
Business Contact:	Store Manager
Phone:	540-338-5900
Partner School:	Loudoun Valley High School
School Contact:	Susan A. Ross, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2400
Year Partnership Began:	
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Continuously provide high quality, fast, low cost service for print jobs that are used to connect with the community for the benefit of all of our students. For example, we needed a one day turn around for a copy of a magazine insert we used to introduce our new head football coach. Mr. Print produced a high quality product of 300 high gloss copies in less than 24 hours at very little cost to us this past summer.
Benefits to the Company:	Positive community relations and visible support of the community school.
Benefits to the School:	Low cost, fast high quality print jobs.

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Business:	My Deli & Café 860 E. Main Street Purcellville, VA 20132
Business Contact:	George Vatikiotis
Phone:	540-751-2077
Partner School:	Loudoun Valley High School
School Contact:	Susan A. Ross, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2400
Year Partnership Began:	
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	This is new business in town of Purcellville. They have supplied lunch sandwiches on several occasions at very low cost yet high quality and often at the last minutes!
Benefits to the Company:	Public relations and exposure.
Benefits to the School:	Low cost way to show teachers appreciation.

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Business:	NASA (National) Aeronautics and Space Administration Program operated by the Astronomical Research Institute (ARI) Charleston, IL
Business Contact:	The Killer Asteroid Project
Phone:	571-252-2300
Partner School:	Broad Run High School
School Contact:	Janet Ward
Phone:	571-252-2300
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The Killer Asteroid Project includes high schools, colleges and universities from China, Italy, Japan, Poland, Portugal, Russia and the United States. Students working in the Killer Asteroid Project made over 9,300 measurements of these potentially hazardous objects in the past school year.
Benefits to the Company:	The scientists are free to work on other tasks, while the high school students learn how to locate asteroids.
Benefits to the School:	Students locate, map, and name asteroids. The asteroid belt is mapped.

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Business: The National Conference Center
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Partner School: Belmont Ridge Middle School

School Contact: Timothy Flynn, Director
Mike Skinner, Dean

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Year Partnership Began: 2003

Description of School/Business
Partnership Activity(ies):

The Visionary Leadership Project:

Visionary leadership inspires, motivates, and challenges. Visionary leaders create an environment for new ideas, new thinking, and new outcomes. As a community and as a school division we want to produce visionary leaders. It was at the 2008 Loudoun School Business Partnership breakfast where the inspiration and vision outlined in Dr. Hatrick's address motivated Mr. Kurt Krause, General Manager of the National Conference Center and Mr. Timothy Flynn, Principal of Belmont Ridge Middle School to ask themselves the question, "How can we do more to enhance our school business partnership?" Together they outlined a project that would dramatically change the relationship between a business and a school. That project has become an outstanding authentic leadership training opportunity for Belmont Ridge Middle School students. This question was asked again at the completion of the 2008-2009 school year. The answer has resulted in the doubling of the amount of students currently participating in the program with the prospect of further growth.

It is the mission of this project to provide an authentic learning environment that outlines and exposes middle school students to the leadership skills required for success. Our partnership has been developed to cultivate the future visionary leaders of our community.

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Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):

A key to achieving this mission is our strong partnership with The National Conference Center. The National Conference Center is known as one of the area's top business destinations. Their attention to detail and professionalism are reflected in every aspect of their business. The NCC leadership team has worked directly with the Belmont Ridge Administrative team to develop a unique leadership training opportunity for 8th grade middle school leaders at Belmont Ridge Middle School. These training opportunities have been extensively planned using the Belmont Ridge Lesson Plan format and have been aligned with many of the Virginia Standards of Learning. These student leaders have been learning about the leadership and management skills needed to successfully produce an event. Below are some areas that students have and will learn throughout the year:

- Catering - Students learned about role of the sales and catering department and the importance of communicating with the customer to determine needs, menus, and event set-up. Once the information has been finalized, it then needs to be clearly communicated to the operating departments.
- Staging - Students learned and used hands on tools to diagram a room for an event, to include tables, staging, set up and audio-visual.
- Culinary - Students will learn about the full process from purchasing food, scheduling staff, preparing and delivering the final product.
- Banquets - Students will learn about final table set ups, maintaining buffet tables, proper serving techniques, and clearing.

In addition to learning about the skills needed to successfully produce an event, many of our learners have had the opportunity to see firsthand the final outcome/product of their planning by volunteering to "shadow" their NCC mentor during the Excellence in Education Banquet, sponsored by the Loudoun Education Foundation, and some of our students and their parents also received the opportunity to attend the Chamber of Commerce 40th Anniversary Gala.

Belmont Ridge Middle School and The National Conference Center have maintained the following partnership activities since 2003.

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Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):

- The National Conference Center has supported our staff health and wellness initiative and events by opening up their physical fitness and gym facilities to all of the teachers and staff at Belmont Ridge Middle School. This key commitment by the National Conference Center has directly supported the wellness plans, events, and contests of our staff in many areas.
- The NCC has repeatedly supported our teachers during our professional development training opportunity by providing lunch or inviting our staff to lunch at the center. This support has been critical as it has allowed us to focus all our funding on professional development training.
- The NCC has hosted our Belmont Ridge Middle School Excellence Awards Banquet for over 200 member of our school community.
- The NCC has hosted our 8th grade celebration that included the use of their facilities, including the pool. This event supported an excellent ending of the school year.
- The NCC has hosted a Dean's Institute professional development session in October 2009. This session focused on showcasing how a successful school-business partnership is run. This included all facets of the process from conception through improvement and expansion of the partnership

Benefits to the Company:

The National Conference Center is delighted to have the opportunity to work with Belmont Ridge Middle School, taking our award-winning school-business partnership to the next level in 2009-2010. We love this program and the benefits to our own people and operation are many, including:

- The gratification of knowing we are playing an instrumental role in the development of these future leaders
- Personal and professional growth for the managers who interact directly with the students, and a growing admiration and respect for educators and teachers
- Creating goodwill and a positive image in our community through the students, parents and faculty of Belmont Ridge Middle School
- Increasing the likelihood of future additions to our workforce

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Benefits to the School:

The benefits of our partnership with the National Conference Center have been tremendous. Our learners have strived to maintain high levels of academic achievement and have benefited from applying the skills learned at school and at the Conference Center, towards real life situations. They have been able to make connections to their learning and future endeavors as adults. We currently have nearly 120 students at Belmont Ridge Middle School, who are currently participating in this program. The feedback from the students and their parents has been positive and supports our mission at BEM. Our students in the other grade levels have begun to anticipate the opportunity for them to join the program. Leadership skills are being developed and our students are allowed to see how these skills are applied in an authentic environment.

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Business:	The National Conference Center 18980 Upper Belmont Place Lansdowne, VA 20176
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Partner School:	Loudoun County High School
School Contact:	Tammy Bullock, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2000
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Providing "The Washington Business Journal" for Business students at LCHS.
Benefits to the Company:	The National Conference Center benefits as a social responsibility activity.
Benefits to the School:	By providing "The Washington Business Journal", the students gain up-to-date valuable news and information about the business world.

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Business:	National Park Service - A Trail To Every Classroom Program PO Box 50 252 McDowell Street (deliveries) Harpers Ferry, WV 25425
Business Contact:	Rita Hennessy, Outdoor Recreation Specialist Appalachian National Scenic Trail
Phone:	304-535-6170
Partner School:	Blue Ridge Middle School
School Contact:	Marlene Jefferson, Assistant Principal
Phone:	540-751-2520
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Through the National Park Service, four Blue Ridge educators participated in the <i>A Trail to Every Classroom (TTEC) Program</i>. This program is a three-season, multi-disciplinary professional development series for educators which includes extensive training in place-based education, service learning, professional networking, and environmental stewardship education. The training has an estimated value of over \$3,000 per person, and was provided to our staff at no cost. This program has provided numerous resources to implement place-based education at Blue Ridge Middle School.• The National Park Service hosted our 2007-08 Back-to-School Faculty Retreat at the National Conservation Training Center. We enjoyed a day-long retreat at their state-of-the-art facility, with no usage fee.• Blue Ridge Middle School students and teachers presented their place-based learning activities and curriculum to the Honda Foundation to help attain a \$50,000 grant for the TTEC Program.• TTEC teachers learned grant writing skills at the summer institute which led to teachers receiving several grants for environmental projects. One grant was used to purchase binoculars and field guides, another was used to purchase a classroom set of related books, and a third grant was used to enhance our classroom snake habitat.• The TTEC sponsored an assembly for Blue Ridge students about careers in the National Park Service.• The TTEC program provided a \$1,000 grant to purchase nine digital cameras and accessories for student use.

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Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):

- The TTEC program provided a \$1,000 grant to fund the construction of an informational kiosk to be built along the Appalachian Trail in Loudoun County in 2010. BRMS art students' work will be incorporated into the project.
- Two Blue Ridge Educators presented and participated in a weekend TTEC conference in southern Virginia. Topics included: curriculum development, safety when exploring nature, and implementing place-based education.
- Students enjoyed an assembly called "Walking Jim" which encouraged goal setting and appreciation of the environment.
- Two Blue Ridge Educators participated in the TTEC alumni conference held at the Billings-Marsh National Park and the Appalachian Trail Conference in Woodstock, Vermont (July 2009). Expenses were paid by TTEC.
- A Department of Game and Inland Fisheries Ranger presented a place-based, science program for Loudoun County science teachers about developing and utilizing outdoor classrooms.
- An environmental scientist evaluated the Blue Ridge Middle School outdoor classroom and made recommendations for improvements.
- Dr. John Jones (United States Geological Survey) and Rita Hennessey (National Park Service) presented an assembly on the Mega-Transect Study in our region and information about Sky Meadows State Park for the students' upcoming field trip to the area.
- Numerous volunteers provided information and assistance to enhance our field trip to Sky Meadows for 170 sixth graders.
- Our school received two hallway maps of the Appalachian Trail.
- Students gathered data to participate in the World Water Monitoring Day. All necessary scientific equipment was provided by the program.
- For the third consecutive year we were named a *Virginia Naturally School*.
- Our outdoor classroom is a certified National Wildlife Natural Habitat.
- Blue Ridge Middle School was featured in an article in the Virginia Wildlife Magazine for our place-based education program.
- As a result of our school-wide environmental focus, we have the following student clubs: Nature Club, Bird Watching Club, Landscape Club, Save Our Snakes Club, Going Green Club, and Re-Creators Club.
- The TTEC program is responsible for many, valuable networking opportunities. Whatever the need, the NPS has provided us with experts in the field to enhance our lessons.

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Benefits to the Company:

The purpose of the *A Trail to Every Classroom* Program is environmental stewardship. At the heart of TTEC is the belief that students who are immersed in the interdisciplinary study of their own "place" are more eager to be involved in the stewardship of their communities and public lands. By promoting environmental appreciation, education, and civic engagement, our students are more likely to be active in the sustainability of our natural resources. We are inspiring a future generation to become environmental stewards who will appreciate, protect, conserve, and sustain our natural environment.

Benefits to the School:

Our students are much more engaged in the curriculum when we use place-based education. Integrating real-life learning into our lessons inspires our students to immerse themselves into the learning process. The resources we have received through the National Park Service have greatly enhanced our teaching and learning. With these benefits, Blue Ridge Middle School is a place where exciting, authentic learning takes place every day.

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Business:	The National Park Services National Mall and Memorial Parks 900 Ohio Drive, SW Washington, DC 20024
Business Contact:	Jennifer Epstein
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Partner School:	Sterling Middle School
School Contact:	Nereida Gonzalez-Sales, Principal
Phone:	571-434-4520
Year Partnership Began:	May 2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Sterling Middle School is excited to partner with the National Park Service of Washington, DC. This partnership began as a result of a staff development opportunity when three civics teachers attended a conference about the National Mall and Memorial Park Service of Washington, DC.</p> <p>As a result of that exposure, our teachers created a cross curricular field trip for students to visit the memorials of Washington, DC. All 8th grade students attended the fieldtrip and Language Arts and Civics teachers worked with Jennifer Epstein, Park Ranger of the National Park Service (NPS) to provide engaging activities to bring history alive. Students and staff were exposed to monuments and learned about each with a personalized curriculum created in conjunction with the park rangers.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Washington Monument▪ Thomas Jefferson Memorial▪ Lincoln Memorial▪ Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial▪ World War II Memorial▪ Korean War Veterans Memorial▪ Vietnam Veterans Memorial

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Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):

The partnership with the National Park Service is in its infancy. We hope to expand the program by having the NPS Rangers come to us and team teach lessons or guest speak in our classes to help bring history alive! Our second annual trip to the National Mall and Memorial Parks is scheduled for June. Staff and students are very excited.

We look forward to a continued and growing relationship with the National Park Service.

Benefits to the Company:

The NPS is exposing our children to the importance of national monuments and park preservation. Their interaction and assistance with curriculum integration help students to view and experience the world in a different way.

Benefits to the School:

Many of our students have never been to the National Mall and Memorial Parks of Washington, DC. The exposure and experience of viewing the monuments and parks, learning about why they were erected and the message the monuments and parks evoke bring learning to life.

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Business:	The National Sports Medicine Institute 19455 Deerfield Ave., Suite 312 Lansdowne, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Timothy S. Johnson, M.D. David C. Johnson, M.D.
Phone:	703-729-5010
Partner School:	Stone Bridge High School
School Contact:	James E. Person, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2200
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Dr. Tim Johnson is a prominent Orthopedic Surgeon in the Loudoun County Area. He provides service and support to Stone Bridge High School in several ways. Dr. Johnson serves as one of our team physicians providing medical service at many of our athletic events. He proves to be a great resource to our athletes' health and well being. Dr. Johnson is always accessible to provide prevention and treatment with regards to all of our athletes. Both Dr. Tim and Dr. David Johnson donate their time during Sports Physicals that are offered at the school during the late spring. The National Sports Medicine Institute was a major contributor to the new score board in our stadium. We are fortunate to have The National Sports Medicine Institute as a major monetary contributor and resource to Stone Bridge High School's athletic program.
Benefits to the Company:	The National Sports Medicine Institute is widely used throughout the Loudoun County community. They receive publicity during public address announcements of our home games and banner advertisement at our outside events.
Benefits to the School:	The National Sports Medicine Institute continues to provide financial support and medical expertise to Stone Bridge athletics. Dr. Tim and Dr. David Johnson and their staff are positive role models for our students and donate a tremendous amount of time to the community.

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Business:	N.E.W. Customer Service Companies, Inc. 22660 Executive Drive, Suite 122 Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Fred Schaufeld Terri Feely
Phone:	703-318-7700
Partner School:	LCPS Hear Start Program
School Contact:	Carol Basham
Phone:	571-252-2110
Year Partnership Began:	1994
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>This extraordinary partnership began in December, 1994 when the corporate leadership asked the new Head Start program for a "Holiday Wish List". That wish list was generously fulfilled and has been every year since our partnership began. We are able to maintain a strong parent involvement program because of the resources from N.E.W. We have also been able to enhance our multicultural libraries, our play spaces, and our ability to use an interpreter, our computers for children, our vision screening ability and many more worthwhile projects.</p> <p>Over the years the "people" of N.E.W. have been involved in a number of special projects with the children in Head Start. They designed and constructed four handicapped accessible sandboxes. They became our <i>Reading Buddies</i> and took time out of their workday to visit classrooms weekly to read to children. As a corporate family they have supported our children directly by adopting Head Start families and giving warm, winter holiday season gifts. The <i>Volunteer Readers</i> program was revived and dozens of employees accepted release time from work to travel to our classrooms in the east. They became part of the book area and shared their love of reading with our youngest students. We are about to embark on a new program called <i>Sharing Our Strengths</i> which will encourage employees to visit our classrooms to share a talent or an interest with the students.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	This partnership heightens community awareness for the corporation and the employees. It provides opportunities to give to those children in Loudoun County who are in greatest need.

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Benefits to the School:

The community spirit enriches the lives of children and families in the Head Start program. We are able to provide many opportunities and resources that would otherwise not be possible without this support.

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Business: Newton Marasco Foundation
P.O. Box 2129
Purcellville, VA 20134

Business Contact: Amie Ware, Project Manager

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Partner School: Loudoun Valley High School

School Contact: Susan A. Ross, Principal

Phone: 540-751-2400

Year Partnership Began: 2004

Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies): The Newton Marasco Foundation (NMF) is a public environmental charity that works to inspire and excite our next generation of environmental stewards through programs that give students real-life educational experiences in outdoor environments. The partnership between NMF and Loudoun Valley High School began in 2004, through which NMF has successfully installed a variety of outdoor classrooms; supported LVHS field trips related to vernal pools and the Meaningful Chesapeake Bay Experience; brought in speakers about wetlands, water, and energy and other environmental topics to provide information to the students about these important issues; and sponsored a variety of environmental art contests.

Field It

Field It is NMF's school program that provides experiential learning by bringing students to the outdoor laboratory so they will become more aware, more passionate, and more interested in environmental issues that affect their health and well-being, as well as the health of their local environment. NMF partners with Loudoun Valley High School to implement *Field It* to support their wetlands and habitat restoration work, support field trips, provide equipment, and bring in guest speakers to present environmental topics to the students. With support from the two LVHS Environmental Explorations teachers, NMF also initiated a multi-year project to develop a school toolkit that will be piloted in Loudoun County, and ultimately available to any school in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

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Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):

In addition to working with LVHS as a partner for efforts at their school, NMF has also partnered with LVHS to help other NMF-partner schools in western Loudoun by providing guidance about potential outdoor classrooms that NMF will be installing on school grounds at Hillsboro Elementary and Emerick Elementary. John DeMary and his students also held a bluebird workshop at Hillsboro Elementary to help teach the younger students about bluebirds and build their own bluebird boxes. The LVHS shop class cut the wood to create the kits used, and high school students worked with elementary school students to construct them. Some of these bluebird boxes will also be placed on the grounds at HES.

enGAUGE It

Through *enGAUGE It*, the NMF provides students with the tools to educate drivers in their communities about the benefits of checking and correcting tire pressure each month. This exciting program was piloted in Purcellville on Earth Day 2009 in partnership with LVHS and the Town of Purcellville, where LVHS students provided free tire gauges and information cards to thousands of area drivers. As our pilot school, LVHS is at the forefront in helping establish this program and the materials and tools necessary for other high schools across the nation to implement *enGAUGE It*. Through *enGAUGE It*, students learn that they can help save lives, save money and save the environment.

Chapman DeMary Nature Trail

The Chapman DeMary Trail, which formally opened in October 2009, is a nature trail located in the Town of Purcellville, Virginia and is part of a sustainable education partnership among the Newton Marasco Foundation, Loudoun Valley High School, the Piedmont Environmental Council and the Town of Purcellville. This student designed and maintained nature trail is an outdoor classroom where students learn about and develop an appreciation for the nature that surrounds them—it also serves as a nature park for residents and visitors.

The trail was conceptualized years ago by award-winning Loudoun Valley High School Environmental Explorations teacher, John DeMary, who began an effort to preserve this remarkable tract of undeveloped land in Purcellville, Virginia. He and his students shared a vision to protect the land and use it as an outdoor classroom where students could learn about and be inspired by the nature located so close to their school.

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Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):

To turn their shared vision into a reality, Mr. DeMary's students gave presentations to community leaders and members in the Town of Purcellville about the importance of preserving this land and the benefits of using it as an outdoor classroom. One of these community leaders was John Chapman—the owner of this tract of land—whose son was a student of Mr. DeMary's. He was so impressed with the students' presentations and his son's enthusiasm that he approached Mr. DeMary to express his interest in preserving this land. Mr. Chapman offered to put the land into a conservation easement as long as LVHS students continued to be stewards of the land. This 10-acre easement was signed into effect in 2008.

Under the guidance of Mr. DeMary, and fellow teacher Liam McGranaghan, LVHS students took on the creation and maintenance of this trail. Their efforts to clean the area, lay wood chips to mark the trail, and build non-invasive bridges over portions of the trail began in earnest in 2009. This land is now available for all of Loudoun County to enjoy—students, residents and visitors alike. This amazing trail—inspired and maintained by students—relies on student leadership as it grows.

The groundbreaking event for the trail was organized and held by NMF in October 2009, and community leaders and residents, along with LVHS teachers and students were invited to attend. NMF will continue to partner with LVHS for the trail by supporting signage and an education kiosk, creating education toolkits for students for all schools within the cluster to use on the trail, supporting the development of brochures describing the flora and fauna, and hosting events to bring people to the trail.

Environment and the Arts

NMF celebrates the beauty and diversity of the environment through theater and the arts. During 2009, NMF sponsored a poster contest at Loudoun Valley High School for students to develop the design for posters announcing the pilot of our *enGAUGE It* program, as well as a contest for students to create a logo for the *Field It* program.

NMF hosted an event in western Loudoun about the Appalachian Trail called "All about the AT" where guest speakers featured Loudoun Valley High School's naturalist and teacher, John DeMary, along with the herpetologist and Naturalist-in-Residence from Sweet Briar College, and Outdoor Recreation Specialist with the Appalachian National Scenic Trail of the National Park Service. Students from Loudoun Valley High School, along with all members of the community, were invited to attend this event.

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Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):

NMF is also sponsoring an environmental photo contest for students of LVHS, where students are encouraged to take photos of western Loudoun and the Blue Ridge area depicting aspects of our local environment they believe should be protected and preserved. All photos submitted will be featured during the Loudoun Symphony's May 15 performance at Franklin Park called *Mountains and Music*. In the past, NMF has sponsored environmental poster contests with themes such as "Loudoun Goes Green," "No Child Left Inside," and "Rachel Carson Centennial Celebration." The poster created by an LVHS student for the "Rachel Carson Centennial Celebration" was featured on Capitol Hill.

Expanding Beyond Loudoun Valley

In the Fall, 2009 NMF and Loudoun Valley's environmental teachers took their partnership to a new level. The NMF-Valley partnership expanded to include the Valley cluster elementary and middle schools. Currently two elementary schools, Hillsboro and Emerick have active environmental programs and partner with NMF. Blue Ridge middle school is also an active environmental steward and working with NMF. NMF is hoping to expand beyond the Valley cluster and take its partnership and programs to the schools county wide.

About the NMF

The Newton Marasco Foundation (NMF) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization whose mission is to inspire the next generation of environmental stewards. Through our work, we EDUCATE to inspire the next generation of environmental stewards; PARTNER to promote corporate and community environmental stewardship; and CELEBRATE the beauty and diversity of the environment through the arts and literature. For more information, visit

www.NewtonMarascoFoundation.org

Benefits to the Company:

The only "end of the bargain" for LVHS is participation. NMF wants to help educate America's youth on how they can be better stewards of the environment and NMF was impressed with the environmental science program that LVH already had in place that NMF really just want to do whatever we can to make an already outstanding program, even better.

Benefits to the School:

To implement this program, NMF applied for, and received, a grant from Region 3 US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). EPA has provided funding for:

Field trips (supplies, transportation, costs of speakers, etc.), stipends for guest speakers to come into the classroom, equipment for the environmental science classes (to date 2 digital cameras, one laptop, and one projector), and other program costs.

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Benefits to the School:

In addition, NMF in some years has provided \$1,500 in scholarship money given to up to 3 graduating seniors that plan to follow an environmental course of study in college.

NMF has been able to organize many guest speakers to come into the classroom, and provide the equipment mentioned above. Financial and expert assistance on at least 3 field trips each year are provided. In total, the EPA gave NMF a \$10,000 grant which was matched by NMF in in-kind services of speakers and scholarship money.

The NMF programs run the length of the school year. NMF is currently working with teachers on continuing these programs for years to come.

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Partner School:	Loudoun Valley High School
School Contact:	Susan A. Ross, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2400
Year Partnership Began:	1999
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Nichols Hardware is like that old favorite comfortable reliable pair of shoes that never wears out! With great friendly small town customer service, long hours, and an inventory that never ends, Nichols is always there for us when we need the odd "this or that" for anything from homecoming floats to a quick emergency temporary fix a broken pipe.
Benefits to the Company:	Great community relations
Benefits to the School:	Reliable and friendly service to administration, teachers and student alike.

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Business:	Norton Signs 501 e. Main Street #A Purcellville, VA 20132
Business Contact:	Patti House
Phone:	540-338-7807
Partner School:	Loudoun Valley High School
School Contact:	Vicki Dorsey Holstead
Phone:	540-751-2400
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Worked with us on our school wide mission-vision-collective commitments projects by assisting with the roll out of the project. Norton Signs developed posters and signs for every classroom in the school displaying our new mission-vision-collective commitments that were put together by students, parents and faculty.
Benefits to the Company:	Good community relations and active support of the community schools.
Benefits to the School:	Low cost, high quality posters/sign project that significantly helped our SIP focus areas this year.

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Business:	NOVEC - Northern Virginia Electric Cooperative 10323 Lomond Dr. Manassas, VA 20108
Business Contact:	Inia Burginger Pricilla Knight
Phone:	703-335-0500
Partner School:	Pinebrook Elementary School
School Contact:	Dawn Haddock, Principal
Phone:	703-957-4325
Year Partnership Began:	2005
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	NOVEC is a locally based and operated cooperative electric energy supplier. As our business partner, NOVEC made a contribution toward our Weekly Communicator. The Weekly Communicator is a tool that is used at Pinebrook Elementary School to keep the lines of communication open between the children's parents and their teacher. The communicator is an envelope that is sent home to parents every Thursday and contains their child's weekly work as well as communication from the school, i.e. newsletter, lunch menu, upcoming events.
Benefits to the Company:	NOVEC has recognized the need for open communication between the school and parents and how essential this is for the success of children.
Benefits to the School:	Pinebrook has been able to benefit by NOVEC's contribution toward the communicator because it allows us to keep the lines of communication open. We look forward to our continued partnership with NOVEC.

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Business:	Partnership for Healthier Kids 2700 Prosperity Ave Fairfax, VA 22031
Business Contact:	Dara Markenson
Phone:	703-698-2568
Partner School:	Forest Grove Elementary School
School Contact:	Sharon Rukes, Health Clinic Assistant
Phone:	571-434-4560
Year Partnership Began:	2005-2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Partnership for Healthier Kids, assist children and their parents in finding medical insurance options available to them. Using the information we supply to them, the Healthier Kids program contacts families to see who has the need of insurance, and then work with them to get it.
Benefits to the Company:	Part of the INOVA Health System, Partnership for Healthier Kids work to provide medical insurance for all students in the Northern Virginia area. With medical insurance available to the families fewer will have to turn to the hospital system for unpaid help.
Benefits to the School:	With the help of this organization, our families have medical insurance to seek help when the need arises. If not for Partnership for Healthier kids, many of our children would have nowhere to turn in times of illness or injury.

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Business:	PEPSI 5392 Lee Highway Warrenton, VA 20187
Business Contact:	Rob Rushia
Phone:	800-523-5540
Partner School:	Dominion High School
School Contact:	Joe Fleming, Athletic Director
Phone:	571-434-4410
Year Partnership Began:	2002-03
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>From the very opening of Dominion High School, PEPSI has been a proud partner of Dominion High School. During the construction of the school, PEPSI graciously donated two electronic message boards that daily list the school's most important announcements. In order to help build the Titan community, PEPSI donates beverages for several annual school events that routinely attract more than 1,000 visitors to the school, including the Taste of Titan Territory, Zero Day of School, and Taste of Titan Culture. Beginning during the 2005-06 school year, PEPSI took initiative to offer substantial financial resources to support special projects within the school and community. Over the past four years, this contribution has empowered the school to create exciting programs in support of the active engagement of <i>each</i> and <i>every</i> Titan in the extracurricular program. Made possible by these funds, the World Cup intramural soccer program, the Latin Dance Team, and the Men on a Mission program have emerged as powerful opportunities for Titans and especially for those students most at-risk of school failure. Among other factors, the active engagement of students in unique programs led to an overwhelming increase in student achievement, including marked improvement on SOL test scores, resulting in Dominion High School making Adequate Yearly Progress. These programs have also led to dramatic decreases in student failure, leading to a 40 percent reduction in failing grades earned by Dominion High School students since the school's inception.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	<p>PEPSI is the beverage of choice in Titan Territory. The company has established an overwhelmingly positive presence in the school community and enjoys the respect of all.</p>

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Benefits to the School:

Donations of beverages at school events have helped solidify community interest in and support for the school's mission. The message boards transmit critical information about the wide range of school activities that are designed to engage *each* and *every* student. Many of these activities, such as Latin Dance, World Cup, and Men on a Mission are directly supported by the donation from PEPSI. These programs have not only engaged traditionally disenfranchised students, but have inspired measurably higher levels of student achievement, directly resulting in the school making Adequate Yearly Progress. The financial resources provided by PEPSI also support unique needs of students and their families as they deal with socioeconomic, cultural, lingual, financial, and citizenship challenges associated with relocation to our country and community.

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Business:	Phoenix Tae Kwon Do 44611 Guilford Drive, Ste 160 Ashburn, VA 20147
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Partner School:	Sanders Corner Elementary School
School Contact:	Barbara Stewart, School Librarian
Phone:	571-252-2250
Year Partnership Began:	2010
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Sanders Corner is entering the first full year with Phoenix. One of the goals of this partnership is to help teach children the meaning of respect and having a positive and healthy approach to their academic and personal goals.</p> <p>Phoenix will be participating in Sanders Corner's Global Celebration in which they will display a table with different traditions and the history of Korea. They will also serve as actively engaged members on our School Improvement Planning Committee.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	Raised awareness of the benefits of their after school program and other services that Phoenix offers to students, parents, and local businesses in the community.
Benefits to the School:	Sanders Corner Elementary School has benefited in a very early partnership where the owners accompanied our children to a positive and fun luncheon outing. The children had been identified as the top PTA fund raisers in the fall. They also made a donation to the PTA which will be entered into the general funds which is being directed toward the purchase of promethean boards in the classrooms. They are perusing the School Improvement Plan and choosing the committee they feel would be the best match and will begin to attend those meetings to hear what the school is working on and to offer ideas from a whole different perspective.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Physical Restoration & Sports Medicine 46304 McClellan Way Sterling, VA 20164
Business Contact:	Marc O. Meadows, PT, ATC
Phone:	703-444-8210
Partner School:	Stone Bridge High School
School Contact:	James E. Person, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2200
Year Partnership Began:	2000
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Marc Meadows continues to provide support and service to the athletes of Stone Bridge High School. He is available at many of our athletic event to give a helping hand to one of our athletes. He continues to offer expertise in the field of prevention and treatment of athletic injuries. Marc Meadows and his staff donate their time during our Sports Physicals offered at our school in late spring. Marc Meadows is a major contributor to the athletic program at Stone Bridge High School.
Benefits to the Company:	Marc Meadows provides Physical Therapy to many individuals throughout the Loudoun County community. He receives publicity during public address announcements at our home games and banner advertisement at our outside events.
Benefits to the School:	Marc Meadows offers support for Stone Bridge by being available to care for our athletes. He is a positive role model to our students by giving so much of his time to the community.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Potter's Wheel Studio 25050 Riding Plaza #145 Chantilly, VA 20152
Business Contact:	Jennifer Daly Lori Popovich
Phone:	703-542-8956
Partner School:	Freedom High School
School Contact:	Shelia Bullock, Transition Teacher
Phone:	703-957-4300
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	This partnership was formed to give Special Education students on-the- job experiences. The business we partnered with is The Potter's Wheel Studio to teach the students how all aspects of a business is run.
Benefits to the Company:	The benefit to the company is that they have a volunteer coming in to assist them with the day to day management of a business.
Benefits to the School:	The benefit to the school is that we now have a job site whereby we can give students real "on the job" experiences.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Purcellville Business Association P.O. Box 567 Purcellville, VA 20134
Business Contact:	Mark McGregor, President
Phone:	540-338-1610
Partner School:	Loudoun Valley High School
School Contact:	Steve Varnecky, Marketing Teacher
Phone:	540-751-2400
Year Partnership Began:	2002
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Provides instructional material, mentorship for business and marketing students, and volunteers for students as well as two (2) \$2000.00 scholarships per year for business/marketing seniors.
Benefits to the Company:	Positive community relations.
Benefits to the School:	Productive partnership between the school and community business.

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Business:	Purcellville Copy 125 E. Hirst Road, Unit 3A Purcellville, VA 20118
Business Contact:	Joan Lehr, Owner
Phone:	540-338-7527
Partner School:	Mountain View Elementary School
School Contact:	Douglas Martin, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2550
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Purcellville Copy generously donates printing in the production of a quality newsletter and other projects for our parents.
Benefits to the Company:	Purcellville Copy has a reputation for community outreach. The 530 copies of the newsletter that are sent out each month provide name recognition for a local business that cares about its neighborhood schools.
Benefits to the School:	The copies produced by Purcellville Copy are superior to the copies that can be produced on our copiers. Students and parents are provided with a quality newsletter from their school. The 3,000+ fewer copies, over the course of a year, reduce the wear and tear on the school's copiers. This increases the availability of the machines for running instructional materials.

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Business:	Purcellville Florist 126 N. Maple Avenue Purcellville, VA 20132
Business Contact:	Sherry Garrison
Phone:	540-338-4161
Partner School:	Loudoun Valley High School
School Contact:	Susan A. Ross, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2400
Year Partnership Began:	2004
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Purcellville Florist always come through for us when we are in need of last minute rushed arrangements for events here at the school or when we are in need of sending something special to a family member in need. The staff is prompt, courteous, understanding and friendly no matter what or when we ask them, and we are discounted for a variety of items we need. Two years ago after the severe ice and snow storm on Valentines' Day Purcellville Florist kept dozens and dozens that had been ordered by one of our clubs to sell as a fundraiser on Valentine Day. Because of school being closed for a few days, the roses otherwise would have gone bad. But Purcellville Florist came to the rescue, stored the flowers free of charge to us (we did not order the roses through them) and made the roses - all looking very fresh-available the next week to our students who were able to conclude a successful fundraiser that otherwise would have met with disastrous results both in terms of finances and school spirit.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	Positive community relations.
Benefits to the School:	Reliable friend in the community business association who always takes care of Loudoun Valley.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business: Really Great Finds
600 East Main Street
Purcellville, VA 20132

Business Contact: Suzanne Kidney

Phone: 540-338-7799

Partner School: Harmony Intermediate School

School Contact: Kelley Hines, Dean

Phone: 540-751-2500

Year Partnership Began: 2007

Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies): Harmony Intermediate School whole-heartedly recognizes our partnership with Really Great Finds, an antique and decor consignment shop located in Purcellville, VA. Since its inception, Really Great Finds has offered its help to our school in numerous ways.

In particular, Really Great Finds has been a huge support of our Outreach Program at Harmony Intermediate School. They started helping as soon as they realized the need in our community and have continued to help over the years.

Some examples of the assistance they have provided are:

The Owner always lets Harmony know that our Parent Liaison, Rhonda Lough, can come to her on an as-needed basis to ask for emergency assistance when there is a family in need.

Really Great Finds is willing to sponsor any activity or function at their store in Purcellville to help raise funds for our Outreach Program and to raise awareness of the many needs of some of our families in our community. For example, during the 2007-2008 school year, Harmony Intermediate held a town-wide yard sale at the Really Great Finds in Purcellville. The booths were manned by our Parent Teacher Association, the Student Council Association and various members of the staff. The proceeds earned went into our Community Outreach Fund which provides assistance to families suffering economic hardships. Really Great Finds also donated a portion of their day's earnings to this fund.

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Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):

Really Great Finds has donated furniture items such as dressers, dishes, or beds. And while shopping for items for their store, they always remember to keep Western Loudoun Families in mind by purchasing items found at auctions and donating them the parent liaison to distribute as needed. In addition to the support that Really Great Finds provides, its employees also have shown their generosity and support by offering furniture, clothing items, etc. from their private homes.

During the holidays, one of the employee's churches partnered with Harmony in order to provide families in need with complete meals for Thanksgiving and Christmas. The meals included either a turkey or ham and all of the fixings to go along with it. We look forward to this partnership flourishing over the years. Having relationships grow from other relationships is a wonderful thing and is truly beneficial to our families.

Also during the holidays this past year, Really Great Finds provided financial support during Thanksgiving - to make up for whatever was needed and sometimes left out. During Christmas, they adopted one of Harmony's largest families in need - five children and a single Mom. Not only did they fulfill the children's wish list, but they also provided a large amount of money so that the mother could purchase additional items on the list - new coats and shoes for all five children.

We are grateful for everything that Really Great Finds does for Harmony Intermediate School and our families in need. Rhonda Lough's job as parent liaison would be more challenging and difficult without their continued support.

We strongly believe by show of the description above that Really Great Finds should be recognized as a valuable, selfless, and needed business within Western Loudoun's Community.

Benefits to the Company:

Really Great Finds is seen as a major contributor and supporter of our community. The owners of the business have always been instrumental in giving back to their community and supporting the local schools, so a big benefit was in the satisfaction they received from helping others. I think that the biggest benefit they receive is the joy in helping others.

Benefits to the School:

Harmony's Outreach Program continues to grow as a result of Really Great Finds support. Many of our most struggling families have had economic hardships lessened due to their outpour of generosity, support, and helping hand that they continuously extend.

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Business:	"Rock the Pink" Broad Run High School and the Community
Business Contact:	WUSA 9 NEWS, Washington D.C. Milwaukee Frozen Custard, Ashburn VA School of Rock, Ashburn VA A+ Drop Out, Ashburn VA Big Country Amusements, Manassas VA The Zarou Family, Ashburn VA Washington Capitals, Arlington VA Daryl Green, NFL hall of famer, Ashburn VA The Ferguson Family, Ashburn VA Finnegans, Ashburn VA Paragon Systems, Chantilly VA Tandulgence, Ashburn VA Tandulgence, Sterling VA Buffalo Wing Factory, Ashburn VA Fosters Grill, Ashburn VA Susan G. Komen Foundation Bloom, Ashburn VA Giant, Leesburg VA Giant, Ashburn VA Tropical Smoothie, Ashburn VA
Partner School:	Broad Run High School
School Contact:	Cheryl Daley
Phone:	571-252-2300
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	From the contributions of all the businesses provided to the Rock the Pink campaign, Broad Run High School DECA was able to raise \$11,700 to the Susan G. Komen Foundation for breast cancer research. All the businesses donated their time and money to make the campaign as successful as possible. Items that were donated by businesses were raffled off at the event. Broad Run High School invited all Loudoun County Schools to join in the fundraiser to create breast cancer awareness in an informative and educational way. Some schools that participated were Sycolin Creek Elementary School, Farmwell Station Middle School, Dominion High School and Briar Woods High School. With the entire community being involved, it raised school spirit and the community came together to support a great cause.

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Benefits to the Company:	Increased public relations for the businesses with the Ashburn community and provided businesses with goodwill for them in the community. Free advertising and publicity for each company in local newspapers and on the WUSA 9 news.
Benefits to the School:	Raised \$11,700 for the Susan G. Komen Foundation, Broad Run High School students participated in a worthy cause and learned the importance of civic consciousness. Broad Run High School was recognized locally via WUSA 9 News and Loudoun County Public Schools event coverage, successfully organized, planned, and executed a major event. It created school spirit and excitement between the students, businesses and faculty.

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Business:	Nancy Robinson, Ed D, Professor Emeritus, Virginia Tech 47371 Sunrise Terrace Potomac Falls, VA 20165
Business Contact:	Nancy Robinson
Phone:	703-404-9780
Partner School:	Forest Grove Elementary School
School Contact:	Ilene Banker Joan Klassen
Phone:	571-434-4560
Year Partnership Began:	2005
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Dr. Robinson has been a dedicated weekly volunteer at Forest Grove Elementary for the past five years. She comes to our campus with over thirty years of experience as a reading instructor servicing students from elementary school to college graduates. At Forest Grove, students always look forward to her visits as she always comes prepared with a book in hand to read to the class—a weekly treat. Most importantly, Dr. Robinson supports students by lending her expert instruction to small groups as well as individual students. She has also shared her knowledge and enthusiasm for literacy instruction with classroom teachers through school-based workshops.
Benefits to the Company:	Dr. Robinson's ongoing research into literacy acquisition is kept authentic as she collects important ideas to include in a book she is writing that will highlight the shifts in educational practices during the past twenty years. Personally, Dr. Robinson also enjoys the respect and trust of the students that she instructs.
Benefits to the School:	By providing her expert instruction to so many students over the past five years, Dr. Robinson has helped to strengthen the reading skills and critical thinking abilities of a diverse population of students. She engages each student in reading, thinking, discussing, and writing about different topics. Her contribution has been invaluable.

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Business:	Rockwell Collins Avionics-Simulation and Training Solutions 22626 Sally Ride Drive Sterling, VA 20164
Business Contact:	Karen Hackley, Senior Human Resources Coordinator
Phone:	703-234-2165
Partner School:	Sterling Middle School
School Contact:	Nereida Gonzalez-Sales, Principal
Phone:	571-434-4250
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Sterling Middle School is proud to have Rockwell Collins as a partner. As the Sterling Pioneers, whose logo is a space shuttle in flight, a connection to an avionics simulation and training company is a match made in heaven. The engineers of Rockwell Collins have embraced our school and have supported our students. They have volunteered countless hours assisting our students in technology class, math class and in our after school homework help club and chess club. They have also assisted with participation and supervision at our school events, such as the talent show, Spring Fling and faculty/student basketball game. Their presence and willingness to share their story with our students is the best part of our partnership. The students appreciate their honesty and candor regarding what it takes to graduate from college and become an engineer. Their time spent informally mentoring and working with students has been invaluable.</p> <p>Rockwell Collins has also provided other types of assistance and opportunities to our school.</p> <p>Math, Science and Technology Education teachers went on a field trip to Rockwell Collins. Our staff came back from that visit appreciative of the connections between the curriculum and the real world uses of that curriculum at Rockwell Collins.</p> <p>One of our science teachers was sponsored by Rockwell Collins to attend Space Camp in Huntsville, Alabama during the summer of 2009. The once in a lifetime experience was then shared with students and staff. The teacher was able to provide curriculum enhancement for 6th grade science.</p>

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Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):

In the summer of 2009, Rockwell Collins sponsored our participation in a Lego League Robotics club. This is the first time that Sterling Middle School has been involved with the national Lego League program.

In the fall of 2010, Rockwell Collins donated money to the school to help support STEM related opportunities and resources for staff and students.

We strongly believe that Rockwell Collins should be recognized as a valuable community partner with Sterling Middle School and the Sterling Park community. They have cultivated relationships, provided experiences and opportunities that our students needed. Most importantly, they continue to empower our students to consider life choices that they might never have occurred to them. We look forward to a continued relationship with Rockwell Collins

Benefits to the Company:

Exposing our children to the possibilities of STEM related careers is a benefit. In essence, Rockwell Collins is building connections with the community and cultivating an interest in potential employees. They also have as much fun with the students as the students have with them.

Benefits to the School:

The engineers at Rockwell Collins are ethnically diverse. The exposure to culturally diverse and relatively young role models is important for students from the most culturally diverse middle school in LCPS. The connections that students form with the volunteers, as well as the realization that student dreams and goals can become a reality through hard work and focus is priceless.

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Business:	Safeway 437 S. King Street Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Terry Pruss
Phone:	703-777-5833
Partner School:	Evergreen Mill Elementary School
School Contact:	Mark Bauer, Physical Education Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2900
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Our annual grades K-5 field day is held each school year in the month of June. During this time, Safeway donated beverages for more than 35 volunteers who run the field day stations. Due to this donation, we were able keep all of our volunteers well hydrated and provide them a variety of drinks for lunch on both days.
Benefits to the Company:	This partnership helped generate more business because our school is located nearby. They have opened the door for other possible events at our school. Our PTA will also use Safeway for future purchases for events.
Benefits to the School:	Being able to feed our volunteers for free, allows us to use our budgeted money for our field day equipment and materials. Volunteers are crucial for helping run our field day stations and being able to offer a thank you treat makes it worthwhile for the entire school community.

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Business:	Safeway 22350 Sterling Blvd Sterling, VA 20164
Business Contact:	Mr. Tom Milazzo, Manager
Phone:	703-948-1080
Partner School:	Guilford Elementary School
School Contact:	Karen Thompson, Guidance Counselor
Phone:	571-434-4550
Year Partnership Began:	2005
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Informational meetings for parents are an important part of our overall goal in increasing parent involvement at school. The Sterling Safeway supports these efforts by giving generous donations.</p> <p>Each month, in order to reach more parents and help them realize the importance of their involvement in their children's education, we host a Friday morning breakfast/coffee hour. During this time, we teach various parenting techniques and introduce ideas for helping parents help their children become better learners. On a different day of each month, we visit the homes of all of our new families. The Sterling Safeway gives donations of food for the breakfast and bread baskets for the home visits.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	This Safeway store is in close proximity to the school. Our parents, faculty and staff shop there frequently.
Benefits to the School:	Guilford Elementary is a pioneer in making home visits to new families. Safeway is instrumental in supporting our efforts to encourage parent involvement and giving much needed donations.

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Business:	Sandy Spring Bank 1 Catoctin Circle Leesburg, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Swati Sharma
Phone:	703-319-9511
Partner School:	Harper Park Middle School
School Contact:	Cheryl Brower, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2820
Year Partnership Began:	2010
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Students at Harper Park are saving money for the future! Beginning this year, Harper Park Middle School students will be able to open a savings account with Sandy Spring Bank. Once a week, students under the supervision of Ms. Cheryl Brower, Family and Consumer Science teacher, will serve as tellers accepting deposits for student savings accounts. In addition, a representative from Dandy Spring Bank will be on site to assist students with the process.
Benefits to the Company:	Along with gaining additional savings accounts, the Sandy Spring will receive positive publicity for their outstanding partnership with the school.
Benefits to the School:	This program will help students understand the importance of saving while also offering them a savings bank account that will include no additional banking fees until they reach age 21. Additionally this program will reinforce fiscal responsibility and math skills the students are learning in class.

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Business: Saunders Brothers Nursery
2717 Tye Brook Hwy
Piney River, VA 22964

Business Contact: Sonya Westervelt
Robert Saunders

Phone: 434-277-5455

Partner School: Monroe Technology Center

School Contact: Deborah Chaves

Phone: 571-252-2085

Year Partnership Began: 2002

Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies): This wholesale plant nursery is one of the most highly respected in Virginia and as a supplier to the mid-Atlantic region. They are perhaps the most highly regarded producers of boxwood in the US. "As coordinators of the National Boxwood Trails, we look at how boxwood are performing at trial sites around the eastern United States in order to predict which new cultivars will be considered 'the best of the bests'."

They supply us with wholesale plant material for our spring and fall plant sale, provide a wealth of knowledge and support through their staff and are a source of possible student internships and positions as they are located near Charlottesville, VA. They were recently featured in Southern Living.

They are active members of the Virginia Nursery and Landscape Association which provides curriculum materials, testing and certification and scholarships (Tara Tacci, 2009 graduate and current VT student, was last year's beneficiary of this scholarship) for our students at MTC.

In addition Saunders Brothers is proud to be a member of the following associations: Virginia Agribusiness Council, American Association of Nurserymen, Southern Nursery Association, Perennial Plant Association, Ohio Florists' Association, and the Virginia State Horticultural Society. Saunders Brothers as individuals or as a company are also members of the international Plant Propagators Society, International Dwarf Fruit Tree Association, American Conifer Society, Virginia Flower Growers Association, North Carolina Association of Nurserymen, and the American Boxwood Society.

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Benefits to the Company:

- 1) Improving their customer base by purchasing their plants and soils
- 2) Possibilities of providing students for internships and job positions at their growing locations and in their company

Benefits to the School:

Links MTC to a well-respected leader and educator in the wholesale horticultural growing industry in Virginia.

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Business:	Shenandoah Limousine Service Post Office Box 1151 Sterling, VA 20167
Business Contact:	Mr. George W. Crane, V, Owner
Phone:	1-888-957-7433
Partner School:	Farmwell Station Middle School
School Contact:	Ms. Tonya Edwards, Assistant Principal
Phone:	571-252-2320
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Shenandoah Limousine Service graciously provided the top sellers of Farmwell's fall fundraiser a limousine ride to lunch at The Cheesecake Factory.
Benefits to the Company:	An article and advertisement in Farmwell's newsletter gave exposure for this local Ashburn business, and verified that Mr. Crane supports the Loudoun schools and academic programs.
Benefits to the School:	Students were given an opportunity to experience a limousine ride for the first time as a reward for their fundraising efforts. For some, this was a lifetime experience. The limo ride promoted school spirit and goodwill in the Farmwell Station community, and was financially beneficial to the school.

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Business:	Smart's Mill Exterior Beautification Project	
Business Contact:	The Home Depot 280 Fort Evans Rd NE Leesburg, VA 20176 Phone: 703-737-0255 Business Contact: Julie Welsh	Lowes 45430 Dulles Crossing Plaza Sterling, VA 20166 Phone: 703-948-0010 Business Contact: Jamie Owen
	Meadow Farms 1360 E Market St Leesburg, VA 20176 Phone: 703-777-1900 Business Contact: Tom Smith	William A. Hazel 19274 Mill Site Pl Leesburg, VA 20176 Phone: 703-378-8300 Business Contact: Paul Williams
	Tractor Supply Company 935 Edwards Ferry Rd Leesburg, VA 20176 Phone: 703-443-2611 Business Contact: Scott Terry	Shenandoah Stone Masonry 9183 John Mosby Upperville, VA 20184 Phone: 540-592-7500 Business Contact: Justin Muse
	Rentals Unlimited 44783 Old Ox Rd Sterling, VA 20166 Phone: 703-709-9300 Business Contact: Sam McClary	Monroe Technology Center 715 Children's Center Rd SW Leesburg, VA 20175 Phone: 571-252-2080 Business Contact: Wagner Grier
	Luck Stone P.O. Box 4476 Leesburg, VA 20177 Phone: 703-777-3177 Business Contact: Peter Herndon & Randy Reid	
Partner School:	Smart's Mill Middle School	
School Contact:	Eric Stewart, Principal Dale Zeman, Technology Education Teacher	
Phone:	571-252-2030	
Year Partnership Began:	2004	

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Description of School/Business. Partnership Activity(ies):

Smart's Mill continues to foster strong business partnerships with nine different local businesses allowing the implementation of our long-term plan to beautify our school. The efforts of these businesses along with the students of Smart's Mill have been coordinated by our building principal, Eric Stewart, and our Tech-Ed teacher, Dale Zeman. Past endeavors have included: the school courtyard comprised of a waterfall, fishpond, amphitheater, picnic benches, and flagstone walkways that meander through numerous plants and flowers; school entrance water-feature that includes both a mill wheel and stream - representing the historical origins of the school; split rail fencing and stone walls marking the parameter of the school; a barbeque area for staff to congregate, celebrate, and build strong working relationships; a nature trail that is used by students, staff, and our Ecology Club; birdhouses; a mailbox that is in the shape of the original mill for which the school is named; the surround for the digital marquee that welcomes all visitors to Smart's; a concession stand for fundraising efforts; and a proposed miniature golf course that will support and integrate the math, science, technology education, special education, and physical education curriculums. What is most exciting about these projects is that they have allowed Tech-Ed students to see the real-life application of their classroom learning. Many students continue enrolling in Mr. Zeman's classes solely for the chance to work on projects that improve the lives of over 1000 students and staff along with numerous visitors to Smart's. Without the continuous support of these nine business partners, Smart's would never have been able to achieve this multi-year project and continue dreaming of new and exciting opportunities for our students at Smart's Mill.

Benefits to the Company:

The entire Leesburg community has benefited from the support of our business partnerships. Each business is publically recognized during community events, school assemblies, award ceremonies, newsletters, the school website, the annual report, and at dedication ceremonies. Each business is acknowledged and thanked for their generous support. As these nine businesses see the transformation of Smart's and the unique learning environment that has been created by our Tech-Ed classes, our business partners realize the importance of their continued support. As the community frequents Smart's Mill it is evident to all that we have a unique, dedicated, and generous partnership with our local businesses

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Benefits to the School:

Smart's Mill has transformed itself from a cold concrete and brick structure to a warm, inviting place where ideas, efforts, and education thrive. The students have directly applied our school motto to their projects - *With Great Efforts Comes Great Results*. The students in Tech-Ed are prideful of their achievements and are connected to the school. Not only are our Tech-Ed students positively impacted by these projects, the climate of Smart's Mill has also been affected. All students are proud of their surrounding and inspired by their efforts of their peers. Smart's Mill has benefited in innumerable ways by the continued support of our dedicated, loyal, and steadfast business partners.

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Business:	Southern States 261 N. 21 st Street Purcellville, VA 20132
Business Contact:	Store Manager
Phone:	540-338-7136
Partner School:	Loudoun Valley High School
School Contact:	Susan A. Ross, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2400
Year Partnership Began:	1999
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Reliable service and supplies.
Benefits to the Company:	Great customer service.
Benefits to the School:	A reliable friend in the community business association.

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Business:	Stone Ridge Development c/o Van Metre Companies 25173 Gum Spring Road Chantilly, VA 20152
Business Contact:	Denise Harrover
Phone:	703-452-2610
Partner School:	Mercer Middle School
School Contact:	John Duelman, Principal
Phone:	703-957-4340
Year Partnership Began:	2004
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>The Stone Ridge Development Group has been committed to the students and families of the Mercer Community. Since the opening of Mercer in 2004, their contributions have provided for the inaugural opening festival, pencils, pens, note pads, banners, and school beautification. They have once again provided the student planners for this school year.</p> <p>The Stone Ridge Development Group has worked very hard to create a wonderful community and continually prove to be committed to the students of Mercer and to their families.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	Stone Ridge has received recognition and appreciation for their support of the Mercer community. They have helped to strengthen the bond among all of our feeder communities to create one Mercer community of learning.
Benefits to the School:	The entire Stone Ridge community has benefitted from the upgrades and beautification of Mercer Middle School. Additionally, the students have benefitted from the student planners as an integral part of keeping them organized and successful.

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Business:	Stone Ridge 5K Race for Education 25173 Gum Springs Road Chantilly, VA 20152
Business Contact:	Denise Harrover Stone Ridge Development c/o Van Metre Companies Carol Theigen General manager, Stone Ridge Development HOA
Phone:	703-327-5179
Partner School:	Freedom High School, Mercer Middle School, Aldie Elementary School Hutchison Farm Elementary School, Little River Elementary School, Pinebrook Elementary School, Arcola Elementary School
School Contact:	Lisa Smith, Parent Jeff Staples, Parent
Phone:	703-957-4300 Freedom High School
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>The Stone Ridge 5K Race for Education is the fastest growing race in Loudoun County. There were 1250 registered runners this year compared to the 880 that participated last year. There were 52 businesses that sponsored the race this past year donating nearly \$20,000 in cash and more than \$10,000 in in-kind donations.</p> <p>The race was put organized for the purpose of raising money to support school programs and students. This year \$18,000 was split between the cluster schools and the Eric Olsen scholarship in the amount of \$500.00 was awarded.</p> <p>Several parents, Mrs. Lisa Smith and Mr. Jeff Staples, Mrs. Denise Harrover from the Stone Ridge Community Development and Mrs. Carol Theigen have spearheaded this event. These community members worked together to get the grounds ready, organize the activities held the day of the race and, most importantly, to gather support from local businesses. This single community event has united a community and continues the standard of Stone Ridge charity.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	These businesses have received recognition and appreciation for their support of the race from the communities in this cluster.

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Benefits to the School:

The schools have reaped numerous benefits from this partnership. Students, their parents and their siblings enjoy the race and the events of the day. The money donated to each school helps in many different ways at all of the schools to make them even better places for the students who attend them to learn.

The Freedom High School Cluster would like to thank all of the following businesses for their support of the race and of our schools. Without your support there would be no race.

Cash Donations:

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Van Metre New Homes
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Openband
Glory Days
Moe's Southwest Grill
Buchanan Partners
Anytime Fitness
Innova Medical Dulles South
Luck Stone
Wells & Associates
Curry's Auto
Tri-Star
Sunband
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Don's John's
Toll Brothers
Total Development Solutions
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Famous Dave's
Willard's BBQ
Vocelli's Pizza
Damon's Grill
Longhorn Steakhouse
Tropical Smoothy Café
Rangoli
Five Guys Burgers
The Potter's Wheel

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Business:	TD Bank 552 E. Market Street Leesburg, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Chris Arabia
Phone:	703-443-1085
Partner School:	Mill Run Elementary School
School Contact:	Paul L. Vickers, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2160
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>TD Bank is a generous sponsor for Mill Run Elementary. TD Bank sponsored our first annual Staff Softball Game, an event where faculty members play softball against each other. TD Bank generously provided both teams with their personalized softball jerseys. TD Bank provided 2 \$50 gift cards to 2 lucky raffle winners. TD Bank has also sponsored three of our Staff Football Games, again providing the teams with their football jerseys and providing gift cards for raffle winners.</p> <p>TD Bank also supports an educational endeavor at Mill Run, our annual "Tales by Twilight" event where teachers read to pajama clad children in the evening right before bedtime. TD Bank provides funding for the school to allow each child in attendance to select a free, age-appropriate book to take home at the end of the evening. Their representatives are also on hand to offer free materials and to oversee the free book selection.</p> <p>Last year, TD bank also teamed with our second grade with their WOW Zone Program. This involves presenting several lessons (Introduction to Money & History of Banking and Savings) and providing a fun culminating activity. TD Bank has also offered to meet with the teachers and staff to talk about financial planning in a no pressure atmosphere.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	TD Bank is committed to being part of the communities that they serve. They are big supporters of public schools and enjoy doing grassroots efforts for education.

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Benefits to the School:

Mill Run has benefitted from TD Bank's generous contribution. Their support and enthusiasm have helped make the school's annual event a success

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Business:	Thomas Simmons Agency P.O. Box 356 Waterford, VA 22314
Business Contact:	Tom Simmons
Phone:	540-882-4418
Partner School:	LCPS Pupil Service/Transition Services
School Contact:	Michelle Dorsey, Transition Teacher/Business Liaison
Phone:	571-252-1312
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The Thomas Simmons Agency works with Loudoun County Public Schools to create professional, impactful marketing materials in support of special programs.
Benefits to the Company:	The Thomas Simmons Agency enjoys partnering with LCPS in order to accomplish community goals and is proud to list LCPS as one of its clients.
Benefits to the School:	LCPS gains access to professional marketing consulting and production to ensure greater success for its programs.

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Business:	Time Warner Cable 13820 Sunrise Valley Drive Herndon, VA
Business Contact:	Colleen Mercer
Phone:	703-341-3192
Partner School:	Monroe Technology Center
School Contact:	Lorna Gardner
Phone:	571-252-2080
Year Partnership Began:	2007
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Over the past several years we have invited professionals from TWC into the classroom to share their life experiences with Computer Systems Technology (CST) students and to create mentorships, job shadows and growth for our students.</p> <p>This past November fifteen students from Computer Systems Technology attended the <i>Tech It Out</i> conference at Time Warner Cable's new site in Herndon Virginia. This program collaboratively presented by TWC and WICT (Women in Cable Telecommunications) was offered to promote awareness of opportunities in the cable/telecom industry and a form of structured workplace training.</p> <p>This particular initiative was developed to build awareness of the tremendous opportunities for entry level employment in the telecommunications technology sectors. Our students toured the NOC (network operations center) and the Information Technology labs that are state of the art (green) facilities to see firsthand their career choices in action. Each tour was led by an industry representative and the students had the opportunity for an open forum discussion regarding employment in these sectors. In addition each student was appointed a mentor and worked directly with their mentees to learn more about the cable and telecommunications industry. Each student was awarded a \$100 scholarship for use towards their CompTIA A+ Certification.</p>

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Benefits to the Company:

Promotes the cable technology profession and its opportunities within the industry to new audiences through various activities, partnerships and programs.

Individual participants within the organization derive personal satisfaction from assisting in the development of productive citizens. These relationship help prepare future employees.

Benefits to the School:

These exposures for our students collectively help build and promote awareness of the employment opportunities in the cable technology profession and help students to have live sources to communicate with regarding their interests in the industry.

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Business:	Telos Corporation 19886 Ashburn Road Ashburn, VA 20147
Business Contact:	Christine Kerick, Public Relations Manager
Phone:	703-724-4524
Partner School:	Monroe Technology Center
School Contact:	Lorna Gardner
Phone:	571-252-2080
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Telos provides federal and DoD solutions for secure networks, information assurance, security compliance, enterprise messaging and identity management. Telos partnered with the Computer Systems Technology program of Monroe Technology Center several years ago. Annually they invite staff and students to their Ashburn Virginia site where our students tour their facilities and meet with the department managers. Telos offers internships to A+ certified (an industry recognized PC Technician certification) students from the Computer System Technology program at Monroe. This past year they permanently employed two former students of the CST program.
Benefits to the Company:	The company gains certified entry level employees to fulfill their IT positions and gives back to the community by allowing our students exposure to their professional staff for mentoring and shadowing purposes.
Benefits to the School:	Computer Systems Technology students gain hands on exposure to their chosen professions with opportunities for advancement and guidance by industry professionals.

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Business:	Tropical Smoothie Café' 443670 Greenway Corporate Drive, Suite 126 Ashburn, VA 20147
Business Contact:	Store Manager
Phone:	703-729-0403
Partner School:	Briar Woods High School
School Contact:	Tom Mangan
Phone:	703-957-4400
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	The business donated items to support the "Battle of the Books" event
Benefits to the Company:	Tropical Smoothie Café benefits through good public relations, additional advertising, and the support of a positive school/community environment.
Benefits to the School:	The support received by the students participating in the program offers our students recognition for their hard work and success. The "Battle of the Books" event gives students an opportunity to read for pleasure, discuss books, and collaborate and interact with students sharing a love of reading.

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Business:	Tropical Smoothie 609 E. Main Street Purcellville, VA 20132
Business Contact:	Lisa Dickinson
Phone:	703-779-0590
Partner School:	Hamilton Elementary School
School Contact:	Robert L. Marple, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2570
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Ms. Dickinson and Tropical Smoothie have partnered with Hamilton Elementary to develop a wonderful relationship. Already this school year Tropical Smoothie has hosted three Hamilton Spirit Nights and we have several more on our upcoming events calendar. Our families have certainly taken advantage of the opportunity to congregate and enjoy delicious and healthy food and great company! Tropical Smoothie has been extraordinarily generous, donating 10% of all proceeds during our Spirit Nights back to the school. This money is used to support the programs and initiative that make Hamilton Elementary a wonderful school.
Benefits to the Company:	The benefits to Tropical Smoothie and Ms. Dickinson include but are not limited to advertisement in fliers, public awareness, and contact with surrounding neighborhoods, opportunity to give back to students and educators, community relations, public relations, and exposure to the product, which is delicious food!
Benefits to the School:	School benefitted from Ms. Dickinson's generosity, as the 10% of Spirit Night proceeds she contributes to Hamilton Elementary is already nearly \$300 dollars, with several Sprit Nights scheduled in the near future. Our families, students and staff enjoy the environment that Tropical Smoothie provides, and we certainly love the smoothies and kindness that we are met with each time we enter Tropical Smoothie!

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Vintage 51 25031 Riding Place Chantilly, VA 20152
Business Contact:	Anthony Cavallo
Phone:	703-722-2844
Partner School:	Mercer Middle School
School Contact:	John Duellman, Principal
Phone:	703-957-4340
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Vintage 51 Restaurant opened in August of 2009 in South Riding and has quickly established a community-centered, neighborhood restaurant. In September, Vintage 51 supplied delicious appetizers for the 1100 families who attended the Mercer Back to School Night activities. Additionally, Mr. Cavallo worked with the Mercer PRIDE students and taught them food preparation and serving techniques. Vintage 51 continues to support Mercer teachers by providing educator discounts.
Benefits to the Company:	Vintage 51 has increased business through their outreach to the Mercer teachers and families.
Benefits to the School:	Parents, students and teachers have enjoyed the amazing food as well the culinary education.

2010 Partnership Profiles

Business:	Virginia Cooperative Extension Loudoun Office 30 Catoctin Circle, SE Suite B Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Debra Foster
Phone:	703-771-5844
Partner School:	Loudoun County High School
School Contact:	Tammy Bullock, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2000
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Providing "Reality Store" for senior students at LCHS.
Benefits to the Company:	The Virginia Cooperative Extension Office benefits as a social responsibility activity.
Benefits to the School:	By providing "Reality Store", the students gain valuable hands-on education regarding financial literacy.

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Business:	Virginia Concrete PO Box 666 Springfield, VA 22150
Business Contact:	David Snider
Phone:	703-354-7100
Partner School:	Sanders Corner Elementary School
School Contact:	Barbara Stewart, School Librarian
Phone:	571-252-2250
Year Partnership Began:	2003
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Our partnership with Virginia Concrete involves helping students directly and indirectly. They contributed concrete to an outside project memorializing two deceased staff members. They donated concrete for the base for our reader board and installed the transformer for the lighting on the board. In past years they provided reading and math volunteers for selected students. They participate in special functions at our school, including STAR Reading and Career Awareness. They make donations toward school events such as Winterfest. Virginia Concrete also has bilingual employees and offered them for our use.
Benefits to the Company:	Virginia Concrete is able to educate our students and the community about their work and what they do in the community. They also display art from our students in their office.
Benefits to the School:	Our students learn about construction careers and have additional reading and math helpers. Our reader board is operational thanks to Virginia Concrete. We get support for our fund raisers.

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Business:	The Wall Street Journal 200 Burnett Road Chicopee, MA 01020
Business Contact:	Sharon Ribner
Phone:	212-416-2000
Partner School:	Loudoun County High School
School Contact:	Tammy Bullock, Teacher
Phone:	571-252-2000
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Providing "The Wall Street Journal" for Business students at LCHS.
Benefits to the Company:	The Wall Street Journal benefits as a social responsibility activity.
Benefits to the School:	By Providing "The Wall Street Journal", the students gains up-to-date valuable news and information about the business world.

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Business:	Walmart Foundation 45415 Dulles Crossing Plaza Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Nancy Harnois
Phone:	571-434-9434
Partner School:	LCPS Head Start
School Contact:	Carol Basham
Phone:	571-252-2110
Year Partnership Began:	2006
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>This extraordinary partnership began in July, 2006 when the individual in charge of Community Grants contacted Head Start to inform the program about the Community Grant Program at Wal-Mart. Ms. Harnois was familiar with the Head Start program and wanted to assist the program and our families. She provided Head Start with the Application for Grant Funding. Additionally, Ms. Harnois informed Head Start that a letter could be sent monthly requesting gift cards to help purchase much needed clothing and household items for families. The grants and gift card requests have been generously fulfilled and we continue to be strongly supported by Wal-Mart on an annual basis. We are able to provide families and children with extra help for school supplies, clothing, and household items because of this partnership.</p> <p>During the holiday season, Wal-Mart has also provided a \$25.00 in store shopping experience for enrolled Head Start students. During 2006, Wal-Mart in Sterling provided the \$25.00 shopping experience to the 49 enrolled students in the Sterling area classrooms (Dominion High School, Sterling Elementary, and Sugarland Elementary). During 2007, the Wal-Mart stores in Sterling and in Leesburg provided the \$25.00 shopping experience to all 100 enrolled Head Start students. In 2008 and again in 2009, Wal-Mart in Sterling provided the \$25.00 shopping experience to all 100 students enrolled in Head Start. During these events, the students shopped in the store and were treated with cookies, milk and juice. A special check-out register was designated for Head Start students.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	This partnership heightens community awareness for the corporation and the employees. It provides opportunities to give to those children in Loudoun County who are in greatest need.

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Benefits to the School:

The community spirit enriches the lives of children and families in the Head Start program. We are able to provide much needed clothing and household items to our families. In addition, Head Start students learn the shopping process.

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Business:	Walmart 950 Edwards Ferry Road, NE Leesburg, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Store Manager
Phone:	703-779-0102
Partner School:	Loudoun Valley High School
School Contact:	Susan A. Ross, Principal
Phone:	540-751-2400
Year Partnership Began:	1999
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Walmart sponsors a teacher of the year program. Last year, a Loudoun Valley teacher won the award and \$1,000.00 was donated to the school in the teacher's name. The teacher was also given a \$25.00 Walmart gift card.
Benefits to the Company:	Positive community relations.
Benefits to the School:	Positive community support for teachers, highlighting of great things going on in the schools, funding of special projects for students.

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Business:	Wegmans 101 Crosstrail Blvd., SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Julie Hill
Phone:	703-669-2044
Partner School:	Harper Park Middle School
School Contact:	Sam Shipp, Principal
Phone:	571-252-2820
Year Partnership Began:	2010
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Wegmans recently opened a new store in the Leesburg community very close to Harper Park. The partnership with Wegmans, in its early stages, promises to be an exceptional experience for both Harper Park and Wegmans. Wegmans has been ranked as one of the best companies to work for and has received awards for the best grocery store. Along with an extensive variety of grocery items, Wegmans offers delicious in-store dining. Wegmans has already provided wonderful breakfast treats for when Harper Park hosted the Schools to Watch visiting team.
Benefits to the Company:	Wegmans receives recognition for contributing to the school and for supporting the schools efforts to enhance instruction and school climate.
Benefits to the School:	Wegmans offer Harper Park students a chance to learn about the economics of operating such a successful business while also offering opportunities for students to see such specific areas such as food preparation and customer service. In addition, some Harper Park students will be able to have a glimpse into a potential future job opportunity.

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Business:	Wegmans 45131 Columbia Place Sterling, VA 20166
Business Contact:	Store Manager
Phone:	703-421-2400
Partner School:	Rolling Ridge Elementary School
School Contact:	Andrew Davis, Principal
Phone:	571-434-4540
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Working with the Rolling Ridge PTA, we have been fundraising to add to our student playground. A grant proposal was submitted to Wegmans and they generously donated one thousand dollars to be used to help fund the playground.
Benefits to the Company:	This is a wonderful opportunity for Wegmans to show their support of education and the local community. Wegmans views this as an investment on their behalf to promote their mission of encouraging students to be more active through their <i>Eat Well. Live Well</i> initiative, specifically the "Get Moving" portion of the program.
Benefits to the School:	Rolling Ridge Elementary School students will benefit by having a larger playground that will accommodate more students at one time. The playground will also support our goal to encourage our students to be more active and live a healthy lifestyle.

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Business:	Wegmans 101 Crosstrail Blvd., SE Leesburg, VA 20175
Business Contact:	Phil Quattrini, Store manager Julie Hill, Customer Service Manager
Phone:	703-669-2044
Partner School:	Smart's Mill Middle School
School Contact:	Eric Stewart, Principal Tricia O'Connell, Dean
Phone:	571-252-2030
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>Smart's Mill has recently partnered with Wegmans, a newly opened grocery store in Leesburg. This relationship will promote the connection between our local community and our FACS, Science, and Civics curriculum in a new and exciting way. We are excited at Smart's to have Wegmans as our newest business partner.</p> <p>Wegmans has an onsite nutritionist who will be leading demonstrations in our FACS classes this winter. The FACS teacher, Mrs. Myers, and the Wegmans chef are starting to plan the integration of the LCPS curriculum through these presentations. This partnership will allow students to observe the real-life applications of their school experience and its connection to the outside world.</p> <p>Additionally, Wegmans has offered students to tour the kitchen at their store. This fieldtrip is going to be used as an incentive at Smart's for all our Cornerstone winners to experience. These tours will allow students to see a commercial kitchen and understand the vast planning and preparation that is involved in running a bakery. These tours will not only support the FACS curriculum, but also Science, and Civics.</p> <p>Wegmans has also donated gift cards to our school staff as a way to build excitement about their recently opened store. Staff drawings based on Wegmans trivia allowed Wegmans to be viewed as an accessible local business to our staff while allowing Wegmans to increase their profile in the local community. Their willingness to be part of Smart's is evident.</p> <p>As part of our business partnership program, businesses purchase</p>

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advertising in the form of signs that are displayed at all school evening events. Wegmans has committed to purchasing one this year. This financial contribution allows our school to purchase incentives for our Cornerstone winners and Honor Roll winners each quarter.

Our student government (SCA) collected food at Thanksgiving to donate to needy Smart's families for the holiday. The response from the school community was overwhelming allowing us to donate to seven families, making their Thanksgiving something to remember. Wegmans allowed our SCA to purchase seven turkeys for our families at the sale price without adhering to minimum purchases or limits.

Recently, our 7th grade FACS class requested a donation of fruit from Wegmans to make a culminating student event possible. No questions asked, the company generously supplied the fruit to support our teachers and students. This breakfast is the final 7th grade FACS event that allows students to cook breakfast and invite their favorite teachers to eat with them.

Wegmans, although new to the Leesburg community, is a resource that Smart's is proud to have and anticipates many years of great cooperation. Wegmans should be recognized for their willingness to participate in the growth, education, and support of Loudoun County students.

Benefits to the Company:

Wegmans is a strong community partner. Their corporate commitment to their community is evident by their willingness to work with Smart's Mill Middle School. By giving back to the local community and supporting our school, Wegmans is educating future employees and allowing students to see potential careers in the grocery store industry. Ultimately, successful businesses are not just financially secure, but have a strong commitment in providing for the welfare of the community they reside in. Working with kids is rewarding and infectious and partnering with Smart's is beneficial for Wegmans in many tangible and intangible ways.

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Business:	Wegmans 101 Crosstrail Blvd., SE Leesburg, VA 20176
Business Contact:	Hip Quattrini, General Manager
Phone:	703-669-2044
Partner School:	John W. Tolbert, Jr. Elementary School
School Contact:	Diane R. Newcomer, Assistant Principal
Phone:	571-252-2870
Year Partnership Began:	2009
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	Prior to opening, Mr. Quattrini made it known to the administration at Tolbert Elementary that he and <i>Wegmans</i> wanted to establish a partnership that would benefit both the students and staff. In an effort to maximize student performance during the SOL testing season, <i>Wegmans</i> will be providing bottled water and mints (to stimulate neuro-conductivity) for each of the students in grades 3, 4, and 5. In addition, Mr. Quattrini has generously offered to donate a luncheon to the entire Tolbert staff in recognition of their daily commitment to the Tolbert students.
Benefits to the Company:	<i>Wegmans</i> is seen as a supporter within the community, especially neighborhood schools. Mr. Quattrini's outreach continues to promote a positive image.
Benefits to the School:	Financial support to Tolbert Elementary throughout the calendar year by means of donations.

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Business:	Wolf Trap Institute for Early Learning Through the Arts 1645 Trap Road Vienna, VA 22182
Business Contact:	Akua Femi Kouyate
Phone:	703-225-1933
Partner School:	LCPS Head Start Program
School Contact:	Carol Basham
Phone:	571-252-2110
Year Partnership Began:	1995
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	This is a partnership between a Wolf Trap Institute Artist and an early childhood educator working together to produce new and effective performing arts activities for preschool or kindergarten classrooms.
Benefits to the Company:	This partnership heightens community awareness for the Wolf Trap Institute for Early Learning Through the Arts. The Institute seeks grants and corporate sponsors to help them provide opportunities to give preschoolers and their teachers in Loudoun County the experience of using the performing arts as teaching tools to nurture positive growth in many developmental areas.
Benefits to the School:	<p>This extraordinary partnership began in 1995 when Ann Richards, the Associate Director of the Wolf Trap Institute, connected with the Head Start Program and offered a Wolf Trap Artist-in Residency grant. The Head Start program at Meadowland Elementary had the pleasure of having Wolf Trap artist/dancer Cynthia Word visit the classroom twice a week for seven weeks. The residency program is a partnership between professionals; an artist and an early childhood educator. The teacher learns from the artist's expertise in creative drama, music or movement; the artist benefits from the teacher's knowledge of child development and early childhood education. Everyone grows from this experience; especially the children.</p> <p>Our partnership continues under the leadership of Akua Femi Kouyate. Dozens of teachers and hundreds of our youngest learners have had performing arts techniques help them learn basic literacy skills, academic concepts as well as boosting their self-esteem and life skills.</p>

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Business:	XO Communications 13865 Sunrise Valley Drive, 4 th Floor Herndon, VA 20171
Business Contact:	Barbara Polk, Vice President for Human Resources
Phone:	703-547-2000
Partner School:	River Bend Middle School
School Contact:	Bennett Lacy, Principal
Phone:	571-434-3220
Year Partnership Began:	2008
Description of School/Business Partnership Activity(ies):	<p>XO Communications began its relationship with River Bend Middle School in the fall of 2008. Two XO Communications executives spoke to the entire eighth grade class on lobbying and the roll of the lobbyists in the political process. The executives also spoke about the educational requirements and business background necessary for a person interested in this type of career.</p> <p>Beginning in the 2009-2010 school year XO Communications has scheduled several of its employees to speak to students as part of the school's "Career Café" sessions. These sessions will introduce students to a myriad of employment opportunities with which they may not be familiar including information technology, finance, engineering and human resource management. In addition, the diverse student body of River Bend MS will be exposed to successful employees from diverse backgrounds that can help them relate to and see themselves in these potential careers. Students will also be made aware of the importance of a college education in achieving their goals. Many of River Bend's students have family members who never attended college and it is critical that these students are exposed to people from diverse backgrounds that have succeeded because of their educational achievements.</p>
Benefits to the Company:	XO Communications believes in the importance of educating our youth and has been generous with their time and effort in allowing their employees to make a difference for the students of River Bend MS. XO Communications believes that it has an obligation to the communities in which it operates.

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Benefits to the School:

The River Bend school community benefits from the efforts of XO Communications in several ways. Students are exposed to real world examples of the types of people and careers they previously had just heard and read about in the classroom. This makes a tremendous difference in the interest of students in the classroom curriculum. In addition, when students have the opportunity meet role models who have made tremendous strides from backgrounds similar to their backgrounds, students see a genuine connection between their educational efforts and career alternatives and success.

Past Recognitions

In honor of our 12th Annual School-Business Partnership Breakfast, the Loudoun School-Business Partnership Executive Council would like to recognize past School-Business Partnership Recognition Award Winners.

1997-1998

- Loudoun Milk Transportation for their partnership with the LCPS Health and Physical Education program to work with high school driver education classes for safe driving techniques.
- Sarah Huntington Photography for her partnership with Lincoln Elementary School's school wide journalism project.
- Telos Corporation for their partnership with Broad Run High School and generous donations of resources to update the school's technology.

1998-1999

- The Home Depot for their partnership with Potowmack Elementary School and generous donations of employee time and materials.
- Morningside House of Leesburg for their partnership with Hillside Elementary students.
- America Online for the AOL/LCPS New Year's Countdown Calendar for display of LCPS student artwork online.

Long term recognition awards went to J.T. Hirst, The Loudoun Hospital Center and The Waterford Foundation.

1999-2000

- Dewberry & Davis partnership with Blue Ridge Middle School to revitalize an area west of the school and make it into an outdoor classroom.
- Anderson, Mechanical Services, Inc.; Atlas Plumbing; Banner Glass; Bowers & Associates P.C.; Dominion Electrical Supply, Inc.; Dulles Electrical Supply; EMF Electric; J.T. Hirst & Co., Inc.; Leo Construction Company; Madigan Construction Company; McCall Millwork, Inc.; McDonough, Inc.; Papa John's Pizza; Smith, Thomas & Smith, Inc.; Spiering Custom Homes, Inc.; Thomas J. O'Neil; T.S. Beaver and Virginia Power for their partnership efforts with the construction of a new concession stand at Loudoun County High School.
- Davis Corporation; Devine Commercial, Inc.; John White, LLC; The Hayford Foundation; Unison Pottery and Tile Works and Weller Tile for the completion of *The Millenium Wall Project* for Waterford Elementary School's 1999-2000 Artist in Residence Program.

Long term recognition awards went to F&M Bank; Leesburg Chrysler-Plymouth-Dodge; United Airlines; United Airlines/Galileo International; Wal-Mart and Xerox Document University

Past Recognitions

2000-2001

- BFI Recycle Center/ Herndon High School partnership with Sterling Middle School for the Ecology Club recycling project.
- Luck Stone Corporation partnership with Sanders Corner Elementary School for volunteer and material contributions.
- United Litho, Inc. partnership with Broad Run High School's annual report project.

Special recognition was given to The Dulles Town Center for their support of Loudoun County Public Schools activities and events.

2001-2002

- GAM Printers partnerships with Broad Run High School, Loudoun County High School, Potomac Falls High School, Stone Bridge High School, and Seneca Ridge Middle School for printing needs within each school.
- Loudoun Times Mirror partnership with each Loudoun County Public Schools athletic department for the annual Loudoun Times Mirror Holiday Basketball Classic and helping to print the Stone Bridge High School newspaper.
- Lockheed Martin Management and Data Systems (LMM&DS) partnership with Dominion Trail Elementary School for their ongoing involvement in the school and the development of opportunities for students to learn.
- Meadows Farm Nursery partnership with Ashburn Elementary and Broad Run High School for landscaping projects around the school buildings.

2002-2003

- Dr. John Jones in partnership with Sterling Elementary School to provide dental screening for the entire student body.
- Knowledge Based Systems in partnership with the Douglass School for a leadership training and character development program for the students of Douglass School.
- Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority in partnership with Stone Bridge High School through the creation of a scholarship, sponsorship of the Ethics Day program as well as the use of the facilities and personnel at Dulles Airport to support school activities.

Past Recognitions

2003-2004

- Golden Pond School, Inc. in partnership with the Broad Run High School Family and Consumers Sciences Early Childhood Education class to provide "hands on" opportunities for high school students to interact with preschool aged children.
- N.E.W. Customer Service Companies, Inc. in partnership with the Head Start Program in providing generous donations to families with special needs.
- Casades Starbucks in partnership with Potomac Falls High School in providing work experience opportunities for special needs students.
- Broadlands Associates in partnership with Mill Run Elementary, Hillside Elementary and Eagle Ridge Middle Schools in providing school agendas and resources to enhance school facilities. Special recognition to the contributions of KT Enterprises and Luck Stone with the Eagle Ridge Middle School projects.
- Ronn Lonon and UPS in partnership with Sugarland Elementary for the volunteer time and support of the school's reading program.

2004-2005

- American OnLine in partnership with Broad Run High School's ninth grade transition team (DELTA), Forest Grove Elementary School and the Art Program, Central office.
- Hughes Group Architects in partnership with Hillsboro Elementary School
- Colorcraft of Virginia, inc. in partnership with Monroe Technology Center, Park View High School, and the Head Start Program
- Loudoun County Sanitation Authority in partnership with Algonkian Elementary School
- Ashburn Pediatrics in partnership with Monroe Technology Center's Nursing Program

2005-2006

- Beazer Homes, Brambleton Development Corporation, Centex Homes, Miller and Smith, Stanley Martin Companies, Inc., Winchester Homes, and The Gulick Group in partnership with Briar Woods High School
- Dulles Town Center in partnership with Potomac Falls High School
- Virginia Concrete and Dave Snider in partnership with Sanders Corners Elementary School
- Kids-R First in partnership with Briar Woods High School and Stone Bridge High School
- Car Quest/Truck Suppliers and Mark Fishel in partnership with Monroe Technology Center

Past Recognitions

2006-2007

- Hair Port LTD in partnership with Dominion High School
- INOVA Loudoun Hospital in partnership with Monroe Technology Center and Potomac Falls High School
- Middleburg Bank in partnership with Banneker Elementary School, Harper Park Middle School, Mill Run Elementary School, and John W. Tolbert, Jr. Elementary School
- My Gym in partnership with John W. Tolbert, Jr. Elementary School

Special Recognition - Smart's Mill Exterior Improvement Plan Project

2007-2008

- Special Recognition - Belmont Station Elementary School Outdoor Classroom
- Lucketts Fire Company 10 in partnership with Lucketts Elementary School
- Pepsi in partnership with Dominion High School
- Leesburg/Sterling Family Practice in partnership with Stone Bridge High School
- Moore Cadillac Hummer in partnership with Monroe Technology Center
- Falcons Landing in partnership with LCPS Head Start Program

2008-2009

- The National Conference Center in partnership with Belmont Ridge Middle School
- Costco Wholesale (Sterling) in partnership with Potowmack Elementary School
- Loudoun Soil & Water Conservation District in partnership with Forest Grove Elementary School
- Washington Redskins Charitable Foundation in partnership with Loudoun County Public Schools Public Information Office
- Really Great Finds in partnership with Harmony Intermediate School

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The Honorable Frank R. Wolf, United States House of Representatives, 10 th District Virginia	Olivera Music Entertainment
Countryside Animal hospital	Presti & Company, Inc
Dadona Manor & Oatland Plantation	Rehau
ECHO	Reston Zoo
Emerick Elementary School	Ritenour, Paice & Mougins-Boal
Family Veterinary Clinic	Rolling Ridge Elementary School
Frederick Keys	RSg, PC Architects
Graydon Manor	The Honorable Jim Webb, United States Senate, Virginia
Hairport Salon & Day Spa	Sinclair Taylor, PLLC
Harrington and Hendrix, PC	Sister's Boutique
Hoof & Paw	Sterling Silver Weddings
Hutchison Farm Elementary School	Stream Valley Veterinary Hospital
Lansdowne Resort - Jessica Green	Telos
Inova Loudoun Hospital	The True Studio
Little River Elementary School	United States Marine Corp, (Sgt. Patrick McNew)
Lockheed Martin - Manassas, VA	Verizon
Lockheed Martin, Ashburn, VA	Virginia Eye Center, PC
Leesburg Today	W.A. Brown & Associates
Loudoun County Department of Community Corrections	Wave Records
Loudoun County Department of Social Services	Wendy Pepper
Loudoun County Sheriff's Office	Wetland Studies and Solutions
Loudoun Independent	
Loudoun County Mental Health	
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