



Virginia Association of Science Teachers

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PDI Update

Remember that your VAST PDI registration, through a partnership with Busch Gardens Europe, includes dinner, entertainment, selected rides, and a souvenir photo with one of the Busch Gardens animals! A wonderful dinner, animal show, physics demonstration show, and VAST awards will all be conducted in the comfort of Busch Garden's Das Festhaus but you will want to bring appropriately warm clothing for enjoying the bumper cars, the Big Bad Wolf, and Curse of DarKastle with your VAST colleagues and friends. Another first for the VAST PDI this year is a Thursday evening General Session. If you are arriving Thursday evening make sure you join us for the Wildlife Center of Virginia's educational programs at 6:45 and 7:45 in the Williamsburg Marriott's Auditorium. For PDI information, go to VAST.org.

Call for Submissions for the Journal of Virginia Science Education (Volume 2, Number 2)

Collaborative partnerships can greatly benefit teachers and students. When our students see us building and working collaboratively, our example is a powerful message about the importance of collaboration in school and in life.

As Virginia science educators, we are fortunate to have a wide range of people and organizations that are ready and willing to enrich teaching and learning. In this issue of the JVSE, we are looking for examples of collaborations that demonstrate how science education is impacted by partnerships.

The deadline for submissions is February 1, 2008. For more information, visit VAST.org. Direct submissions or inquiries to: Michele Lombard journal@vast.org

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