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Fairfax Education Summit

**When: Saturday, October 16, 2010
8:00 a.m. to Noon**

**Where: Robinson Secondary School
5035 Sideburn Rd.
Fairfax, VA 22032**

You are invited to join parents, students, community members, business leaders, principals, teachers, PTA leaders, and college leaders in the first Fairfax Education Summit hosted by the Fairfax County School Board. The event will feature a keynote presentation by Ken Kay, a nationally known leader in bringing 21st century skills into education and preparing every child to succeed in the new global economy.

Summit participants will explore critical questions about how Fairfax County Public Schools can better prepare its students for the future, and engage in a rich dialogue on the multi-faceted topic of what our kids will need in order to succeed in the world after high school.

For more details, including registration logistics, please visit <http://www.fcps.edu/news/summit.htm>.

FCPS Announces Boundary Meetings for Southwestern Boundary Study

Fairfax County Public Schools (FCPS) will hold six meetings as part of the Southwestern Boundary Study on Monday, October 25, and Tuesday, October 26. These meetings are open to parents and

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interested citizens and involve 23 elementary schools in the region: Bonnie Brae, Brookfield, Bull Run, Centre Ridge, Centreville, Clifton, Cub Run, Deer Park, Eagle View, Fairfax Villa, Fairview, Greenbriar East, Greenbriar West, Laurel Ridge, London Towne, Oak View, Poplar Tree, Powell, Providence, Sangster, Union Mill, Virginia Run, and Willow Springs.

The boundary meetings will be held on **October 25 and 26 from 7 to 9 p.m.** in the cafeterias of the following schools:

October 25

- Greenbriar West Elementary School, 13300 Poplar Tree Road, Fairfax
- Union Mill Elementary School, 13611 Springstone Drive, Clifton
- Virginia Run Elementary School, 15450 Martins Hundred Drive, Centreville

October 26

- Powell Elementary School, 13340 Leland Road, Centreville
- Fairview Elementary School, 5815 Ox Road, Fairfax Station
- Willow Springs Elementary School, 5400 Willow Springs School Road, Fairfax

Each meeting will feature an identical presentation followed by small group discussions of the options presented. Staff members from the departments of Facilities and Transportation and Instructional Services will be available to answer citizen questions. Background information is available at www.fcps.edu.

The Fairfax County School Board authorized the scope for the Southwestern Boundary Study at its September 23 meeting. The boundary study continues a community engagement process that began in October 2009 when the Southwestern Regional Planning Study Committee was formed to identify potential solutions to overcrowding and underutilization at several schools in the southwestern area. The committee identified boundary and program changes and possible building additions as possible solutions.

For planning purposes, those interested in attending the boundary meetings are asked to register at:

<http://www.fcps.edu/fts/planning/southwesternstudy/index.htm>

**Annual Meeting
Friends of the Virginia Room**

When: Sunday, October 24, 2010 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**Where: City of Fairfax Regional Library
10360 North Street
Fairfax, VA 22030
703-293-6227**

Business Meeting (10-15 minutes) followed by:

**“The Little World of Ellis Island”
Daily Life At The Immigration Center
By Barry Moreno, Historian,
Ellis Island Immigration Museum**

Refreshments, Book Sale and Signing following presentation



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