

Marketplace

for



Educating Emerging Entrepreneurs

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2009-2010 EDUCATION DAY DATES & LOCATIONS

REGION 3

Lake Region State College, Devils Lake
Monday, March 15, 2010

REGION 2-BOTTINEAU

Dakota College at Bottineau
Tuesday, March 16, 2010

REGION 8

Dickinson State University
Wednesday, March 17, 2010

REGION 2-MINOT

Minot State University
Tuesday, April 13, 2010

REGION 1

Williston State College
Tuesday, April 20, 2010

REGION 4

Northwood Public School
Monday, April 26, 2010

REGION 7

University of Mary, Bismarck
Monday, May 3, 2010

REGION 5

Concordia College, Moorhead, MN
Wednesday, May 5, 2010

REGION 6

Jamestown College
Friday, May 7, 2010

BRIGHT IDEAS SHOWCASE AND CONTEST

North Dakota State Fair, Minot
Wednesday, July 28, 2010

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DICKINSON TO HOST MARKETPLACE FOR KIDS

DICKINSON December 1, 2009 – Hundreds of enthusiastic young entrepreneurs from eight North Dakota counties will gather at Dickinson State University on Wednesday, March 17, 2010, for the Marketplace for Kids Education Day.

“Marketplace for Kids is a unique educational program designed to develop young entrepreneurs,” said Mary Urlacher, Co-Chair of the Region 8 Marketplace for Kids Advisory Leadership Team. “Marketplace for Kids demonstrates the special role of youth in improving the economic future of our state.”

The Marketplace for Kids program provides young people with a forum to present and explain their projects that demonstrate innovation, entrepreneurship, critical thinking, and creative problem solving skills. ND Career and Technical Education Director Wayne Kutzer serves on the Board of Directors.

“The future of North Dakota’s economy – and the future of our nation’s economy – lies in the entrepreneurial spirit of our children,” Kutzer said. “Marketplace for Kids encourages young people to develop their own ideas, to talk about them, and present them to other people. It nurtures their creativity and provides an environment that enables them to grow.”

The program targets grades 3 through middle school, but is open to all ages. Marketplace for Kids provides a variety of classes and education activities to help young people develop their business skills, enhance personal development, and explore career options.

More than 700 people participated in the 2009 Region 8 Education Day. Students, teachers, parents, and community leaders interested in more information or becoming involved in the Marketplace for Kids Education Day should contact Mary Urlacher at 701-227-3104 or the Marketplace for Kids Headquarters at 888-384-8410 (toll free). Information is available on line at www.MarketplaceForKids.org.

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For more information on Marketplace for Kids in Region 8 contact Mary Urlacher at 701-227-3104.

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