The Upper East Tennessee Council of Teachers of Mathematics will host its second meeting of the 2004-2005 school year on Tuesday, October 12th at Northeast State Community College. We will be having a STATSTRAVAGANZA! We will have two sessions that demonstrate statistics activities: K-8 and 9-college. Shannon Brewer and Malissa Trent will conduct the K-8 session and Mary Ella Poteat (and possibly Maggie Flint as well) will be in charge of the 9-college session. We are looking forward to this event and hope to have a great turnout.

We will meet in the Faculty/Staff dining room, located next to Subway in the auditorium building. UETCTM members will need to drive around behind the math/science building and park near the shop building. Malissa Trent will reserve some parking spaces there and students will be handing out parking permits.

Directions: From Johnson City: Take I-181N/I-26W toward exit 42. Travel through Gray and go 7-8 miles to the airport. NSTCC is on your right just past the airport. From Kingsport: Take I-81N to the airport exit (#63) and turn right. Proceed towards the airport and follow the signs to NSTCC.
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**Franklin Math Bowl**

The Franklin Math Bowl will be held on November 13 at ETSU. More details soon!!

**MATHCOUNTS**

Information regarding Mathcounts coming soon!

**High-Stakes Tests**

December 7, 2004: Gateway Math Test

Information regarding additional test dates coming soon!

**Middle School Math Day**

Information regarding Middle School Math Day coming soon!
NCTM – National Meeting

The National Council of Teachers of Mathematics (NCTM) will hold its National meeting in Anaheim, CA on April 6-9, 2005. The theme for this year’s meeting will be, “Embracing Mathematical Diversity.” The conferences will be held at the Anaheim Convention Center, Anaheim Marriott Hotel, and the Hilton Anaheim Hotel. NCTM members will receive full registration for $180. Highlights on presentations will be available online in November. For additional information, please visit their website at http://www.nctm.org/meetings/anaheim/index.htm. This is a great opportunity for everyone!

MAA – New Online Magazine!

The Mathematical Association of America announces the launching of a new online magazine and resource in the history of mathematics and its use in teaching, entitled Convergence: Where Mathematics, History and Teaching Interact, with the cooperation of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics and the financial support of the National Science Foundation. The target audience is teachers of grades 9-14 mathematics, be they secondary teachers, two- or four-year college teachers, or college teachers preparing secondary teachers. The magazine will include articles dealing with the history of various topics in the curriculum, classroom suggestions designed for immediate use, historical problems, a “what happened today in history” feature giving mathematical events that happened on that date in history, interesting mathematical quotations changing daily, reviews of books and teaching materials, and a calendar of upcoming meetings and other events in the history of mathematics and its use in teaching. To visit the magazine, point your browser to http://convergence.mathdl.org. For more information, or to contribute, write to the editors: Victor J. Katz: vkatz@udc.edu; Frank J. Swetz: fjs2@psu.edu.
UETCTM Scheduled Meetings

The following is a schedule of the upcoming UETCTM scheduled meeting dates along with the speakers for each meeting.

**October 12, 2004**  
Northeast State Technical Community College  
Speakers: STATSTRAVAGANZA!  
Two sessions demonstrating statistics activities presented by Shannon Brewer and Malissa Trent (K-8) and Mary Ella Poteat (and possibly Maggie Flint) (9-college)

**November 15, 2004**  
Science Hill High School  
Speaker: “Textbook Fair” for all teachers. Floyd Brown will be in charge of the meeting.

**February 8, 2005**  
Dobyns-Bennett High School  
Speakers: Floyd Brown on “Cabri Jr. Applications” (7 – 12 group) and Micheal Carter on “TI-83 calculator” (K – 8 band)  
Michael Carter will be in charge of the meeting.

**March 8, 2005**  
Elizabethton High School  
Speaker: Three sessions on Reading in Math, Biology and Math, and State Department Issues. Kathe Rainwater will be in charge of the meeting.

**May 3, 2005**  
Cookout at Eastman Lodge  
Speaker: “Reminiscing-Type” presentations by several long-time UETCTM members
MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

November 13, 2004          Franklin Math Bowl
December 7, 2004           Gateway Math Test
April 6 – 9, 2005          NCTM National Meeting
                           Anaheim, CA
                           Theme: “Embracing Mathematical Diversity”
                           Theme: “Defining Mathematics for All”
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