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Fairport, N.Y. – The Fairport-Area Community Education Trust (FACET) announces recipients of its 2016 *Teacher Grant Program*. Recipients will be formally recognized at the November 15, 2016 Fairport Board of Education meeting at Fairport High School, Room 512, at 6:30 pm. Funding has been committed to the following projects:

**Brooks Hill School:** Joy Keller

***Proposal: Butterfly Garden Project in conjunction with Seneca Park Zoo***

**Dudley School:** Tiffin Stamp and Lori Beth Willard

***Proposal: Mind-Full? or Mindful?***

**Dudley School:** Ellen Murphy and Tracey Tingue

***Proposal: Egg Incubator for Grade Level Use***

**Dudley School:** Christina Cardona-Burger and Emily Craft

***Proposal: Play Based Learning with KEVA Planks***

**Jefferson Avenue School:** Jefferson Avenue Reading Department

***Proposal: Motivational Instructional Materials***

**Jefferson Avenue School:** Kindergarten Teachers

***Proposal: Magna Tiles for Kindergarten Use***

**Northside School:** Christine Bushnell and Meggin Hernick

***Proposal: Positive Behavior Instructional Support***

**Johanna Perrin and Martha Brown Middle Schools:** Social Studies Departments

***Proposal: Hands On History Traveling Museum***

**Minerva DeLand School:** Andrea Costanza, Science Department

***Proposal: NASA Design Challenge***

**Fairport High School:** Marilee Buffum and Virginia Donahue, Science Department

***Proposal: Classroom Session Breakout Kits***

**Fairport High School:** Elissa DeChick, Art Department

***Proposal: 3D Illustration with Little Bits***

FACET is a non-profit, independent education foundation established in 2012 by Fairport residents. Our mission is to support projects that will positively impact the educational experience of district students and to provide opportunities for all aspects of the Fairport community to actively contribute to public education. Since its inception in 2013, FACET's Teacher Grant Program has provided nearly \$18,000 in funding for projects that have impacted hundreds of Fairport students.

**2016 Teacher Grant Committee:**

Karen Barbato, Bill Broderick, Michelle Brooks, Debbie Bruno, Bill Gleason, Nancy Loughran  
Rich Mooney, Joanne Shimko and Nancy Woolver