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"The mathematician's patterns, like the painter's or the poet's must be beautiful; the ideas like the colors or the words must fit together in a harmonious way. Beauty is the first test: there is no place in this world for ugly mathematics."

- Godfrey Hardy



"The greatest unsolved theorem in mathematics is why some people are better at it than others."

- Adrian **Mathesis** 



he Upper East Tennessee Council of Teachers of Mathematics will host its third meeting of the 2004-2005 school year on Monday, November 15<sup>th</sup> at

Science Hill High School.

We will be having a Mathematics Book Fair! This will be a great opportunity to compare textbooks. From 4:00 – 5:00, display booths will be set up in the library and from 5:00 - 7:00presentations will be held in the classrooms. Several book companies are planning to attend, and this will be an enjoyable time to learn about all that is offered regarding upcoming textbooks. Refreshments

and door prizes will be provided!!

### **2004-2005 Meetings**

November 15, 2004 Science Hill High School

February 8, 2005 Dobyns-Bennett High School

March 8, 2005 Elizabethton High School

May 3, 2005 Cookout at Eastman Lodge

We will meet at Science Hill High School. If you have any questions, please contact Tara Peters at Sullivan South High School (423-354-1400) or Floyd Brown at Science Hill High School (423-232-2190). Hope to see you there!

Directions: From Kingsport: Take I-26 towards Johnson City and take exit 35 (Roan Street). Turn right onto Roan Street and travel for approximately 1.5 miles. Science Hill High School will be on your right.

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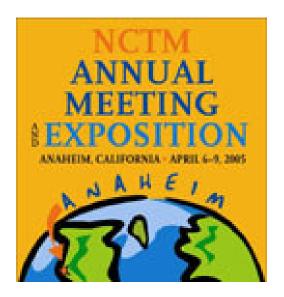
## **High-Stakes Tests**

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 <a href="http://www.nctm.org/meetings/anaheim/index.htm">http://www.nctm.org/meetings/anaheim/index.htm</a>. This is a great opportunity for everyone!

### **UETCTM Scheduled Meetings**

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

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 Michael 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



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## **YOUR**

# **CALENDAR!**

**December 7, 2004** 

**Gateway Math Test** 

**April 6 – 9, 2005** 

**NCTM National Meeting** 

Anaheim, CA

Theme: "Embracing Mathematical

Diversity"

Theme: "Defining Mathematics for

All"

Membership Application
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