



STS-121 crew gets close look at hardware, orbiter at KSC

▲ **Return to Flight Update:** The astronauts of the second Return to Flight mission, STS-121, were at KSC last week to participate in the Crew Equipment Interface Test. Crew members are Commander Steven W. Lindsey, Pilot Mark E. Kelly, and Mission Specialists Piers J. Sellers, Michael E. Fossum, Lisa Nowak and Stephanie Wilson. During the test, the crew has an opportunity to get a hands-on look at the orbiter and equipment they will be working with on their mission. The crew is scheduled to launch aboard Atlantis on mission STS-121 in July.



▲ **EEAW Survey:** The EEAW Committee thanks everyone who participated in this year's 2005 Environmental & Energy Awareness Week events on April 20-21: "We hope we were able to make you more aware of the environment, show you how to conserve energy, and reserve our natural resources while working at the Kennedy Space Center

reaching for the stars."

The opening ceremony kicked off the event on April 20 in the Space Station Processing Facility Cafeteria with guest speakers Dr. Ross McCluney and Laurilee Thompson. Highlights included 56 exhibitors, six tours, and 15 alternative-fuel vehicles. Now, your feedback is important to the EEAW team! Please take a few minutes and fill out the survey form on the Web at http://survey.ksc.nasa.gov/survey_1.cfm?s=EEAW_Survey.

■ **Get Tickets Soon For NASA-KSC Administrative Professionals' Breakfast** — NASA managers and their secretaries are invited to join in the celebration May 3. The breakfast, hosted by the NASA Senior Secretaries Team, begins at 8:30 a.m. in the O&C Mission Briefing Room and features Dr. Fiorella Terenzi, speaking about the "Invisible Universe." Tickets are now on sale for \$10 until April 27, available from



EEAW team seeks feedback on survey

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■ **Reminder** — Weight Watchers starts a new 15-week series Thursday. You are invited to attend one of the meetings for free. They are held 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Thursdays in HQ, room 2254. If you have any questions, please contact Marilyn Clark at 321-504-2979 or Debra Erving at 867-4188, or send e-mail to ervinDE@kscems.ksc.nasa.gov.

■ **Register for Professional Development Seminar** — "Tools for Your Future" is being held May 25 at the Radisson in Cape Canaveral. The seminar is sponsored by the Space Coast Section of the Society of Women Engineers. Keynote speakers are Janet Nickloy, vice president of Engineering for Harris Corporation, and Laurette Koellner, president of Connexion by Boeing. Check the Web site at <http://www.swe-sc.org/Seminar> for more details.

■ **Did You Know?** On this date in 1865, 26-year-old John Wilkes Booth was killed when Union soldiers tracked him down to a Virginia farm 12 days after he assassinated President Abraham Lincoln.