



## NASA Administrator discusses agency's future at KSC

## NASA Explorer Schools selected for 2005

### ▲ Administrator Visits KSC:

NASA Administrator Mike Griffin is conducting his first official visit to KSC May 19 and 20. During his visit, he will hold a Town Hall Meeting with KSC Director Jim Kennedy in the Training Auditorium Friday morning. He will discuss his philosophy for the future of NASA and Return to Flight, along with taking questions from employees.

Employees unable to attend, can call in their questions during the Q&A period at 867-0111. Seating allocations have been distributed to Directorate Administrative Offices and Contractor Public Affairs Offices.

The meeting will be broadcast live on NASA TV, Channel 7, and can be viewed on the Internal Homepage at <http://www.ksc.nasa.gov/nasa-only/internal.html>.

▲ **New Explorer Schools:** On May 17, NASA announced the 50 new 2005 Explorer Schools. The NASA Explorer Schools (NES) are the heart of a unique education program that reaches elementary-to-high-school students in all 50 states, Puerto Rico and Washington, D.C. One of four major agency educational initiatives, the program establishes three-year partnerships annually with 50 schools. The schools can receive grants up to \$17,500 over the three-year period for science and

mathematics programs. Students have access to unique NASA resources and materials to help them learn about agency careers in mathematics, science, engineering and technology. For the NES list, visit <http://explorerschools.nasa.gov>. For NASA Education information, visit <http://education.nasa.gov>.

■ **One NASA Awards** – Every NASA Center recently selected One NASA award recipients and one Best of the Best recipient. These awards recognize individuals and teams who demonstrate One NASA behaviors of decision-making for the common good, collaborating to leverage existing capabilities and standardizing to achieve efficiencies agency-wide.

KSC's recipient was Paul Krause for actively collecting external assessments from multiple Centers regarding the reaction control system for the ISS. Melvin Ferebee, of Langley Research Center, was selected as the Agency's Best of the Best. For more information regarding winners and requirements, visit <http://www.onenasa.nasa.gov/TRIBUTES/Overview.htm>.

■ **Nutrition Workshops** – N.E.W.S (Nutrition Education for Workers at the Spaceport) workshops occur the fourth Wednesday of each month, excluding November and December.

The May 25 session will focus on nutrition for hypertension, and be held in the O&C's room 1055 at 11:30 a.m. For details about future sessions and locations, visit <http://sgs.ksc.nasa.gov/sgs/sites/other/chs/omehs/ocmed/home/index.cfm?page=NEWSProgram> or contact Kris Calderon at 867-3414 or [kristine.calderon@jbosc.ksc.nasa.gov](mailto:kristine.calderon@jbosc.ksc.nasa.gov).

■ **Technical Training** – This is the last week to register for the May 25 professional development seminar at the Radisson Resort at the Port, Cape Canaveral. The event offers food, speakers and courses covering project management, systems engineer tools, stress management and much more. The seminar is sponsored by the Society of Women Engineers, but welcomes men and women. Register by e-mailing [susan.l.floyd@boeing.com](mailto:susan.l.floyd@boeing.com) or visiting <http://swe-sc.org/Seminar/>.

■ **Did You Know?** Camp KSC is enrolling children for its Summer week-long day camps. The camp, which offers an inside look into the space program, has moved to the Astronaut Hall of Fame. For further details and to register, visit <http://www.kscvc.com/educatorsParents/camp.asp> or call 449-4400.