



Newsletter

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Annapolis

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ACE Annapolis Mid- Year Newsletter

Marking our fifth year at Annapolis High School and second year at South River High School, The ACE program began a new year full of excited, motivated, and dedicated students. There are many new ACE mentors that have joined us this year. To name a few: **Richard Lowman, Daniel Mathias, James Hall, and Joe Kadjeski**. Our biweekly meetings began back in October 2013. Mentors are split between both high schools and sessions are coordinated accordingly.

Biweekly Sessions

Each session focuses in on a specialty – Developers/clients, Civil engineering, Structural engineer, etc. Students are encouraged to be interactive with each of these sessions. They are tasked with a small project within each session in order to get a greater understanding of the intent of each lesson. Additionally, Pizza is served at the end of each session.

Student Project

For this year's project, students will have the opportunity to design their own home. With this project a certain client is also assigned to each individual student. Students are then tasked to meet the requirements and expectations of the various clients. This project began with an assignment – Architecture Precedent Study. In this assignment they were asked to choose an architectural home by one of the many famous architects, research the home, and have a Power Point/poster board presentation on the research found.

Scholarships

Students who participate in the ACE program are eligible for a college scholarship if they are pursuing a degree related to a career in the architecture, construction or engineering fields. Scholarships will be awarded at the end of the program. For more information in regards to the scholarships and the application process please follow this link : <http://www.acementor.org/students/scholarships/>



Upcoming Sessions

- 2/18/2014 – MEP Presentation
- 3/4/2014 – Construction Management
- 3/18/2014 – Construction Site Tour
- 4/1/2014 – Work Session – Student Project
- 4/22/2014 – Graphics & Verbal Presentations
- 5/6/2014 – Final Student

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Field Trip To Project Site

A field trip was arranged for the students on November 19th, 2013. The students had the opportunity to visit the site that they have been tasked to build their home project on. Site utilities, traffic patterns, zoning requirement, and other site conditioned were examined during this field trip.



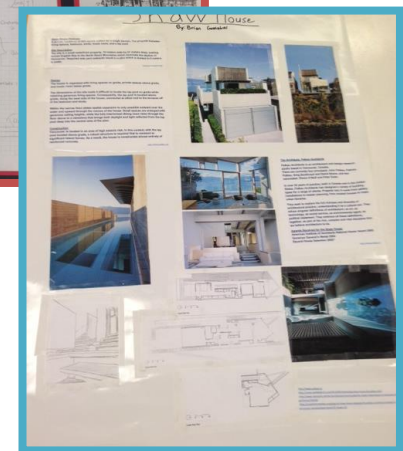
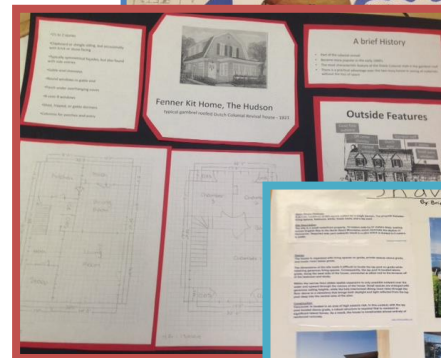
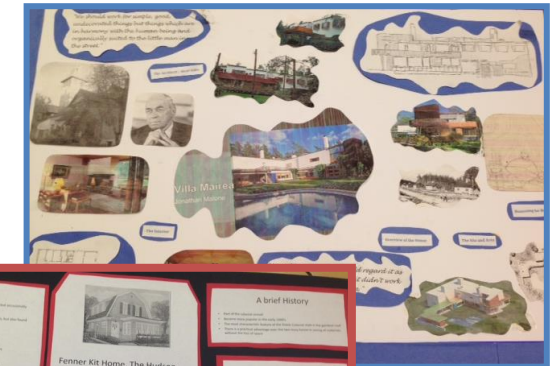
Student Presentations

Please join us for the end of the year student presentation. The students will be giving a presentation regarding their home design project.

When: May 6, 2014

Time: 2:30 PM – 4:30 PM

Where: South River High School Auditorium



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