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Sauk Centre High School Awarded Grant from Prairie Lakes Coop



Photo: Left to Right: Randy Ihnen, Vice-Chairman of the producer member board, Cory Larson, Sauk Centre Principal.

Thursday, March 05, 2009– Elrosa, Minn. – Sauk Centre High School students soon will be enjoying the benefits from a \$500 grant from Prairie Lakes Coop as part of the company’s Community Pride School Inspiration Grant.

The Community Pride Committee selected Cory Larson’s application to receive \$500 towards their goal of purchasing a LCD projector. Sauk Centre has the goal of making all 17 classrooms in the high school interactive by 2012. This technology will make use of Interwrite pads and offer educators a host of engaging activities that promote learning in the classroom.

Larson states in his application, “With computers now the ‘hub’ for instructional support, our teachers are developing power point presentations, embedded video clips

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from You-tube and Learn 360, as well as, intergrading SmartBoards, but, with few projectors we have a bottle neck in getting these lessons into all of our classrooms.”

Applying schools have to indicate their plans for the School Inspiration grant money, supply general information about the school, project, and purpose of the request, along with specific financial needs and projected outcomes.

“We want all students have a strong base in education and be prepared for their future employment opportunities. This grant money gives students a base to grow on,” says Tim Harvey Prairie Lakes Coop Board Member.

Prairie Lakes Coop awarded a \$500 grant to Sauk Centre High School towards on behalf of local member owners. Prairie Lakes Coop (prairielakescoop.com), a division of CHS, provides products and services in the agronomy, energy, and grain markets to meet the needs of its patrons. Prairie Lakes Coop has locations in the communities of Cyrus, Hoffman, Elrosa, Lowry, Long Prairie, Park Rapids, Glenwood and Starbuck creating relationships with customers in agronomy inputs, fuels, and grain marketing.

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