February 2006 ITLT Minutes

- ❖ Special guest – Robert (Bob) Weidenmuller new member of the AGSD school board
- ❖ Introductions of all who were in attendance
- ❖ Tech Mentoring Program –Joyce Perry and Craig Miller work with teachers to implement technology into their lesson, they try to schedule one teacher per school per month
- ❖ Net Trekker – is an academic search engine paid for by the Chester County IU, it saves your searches, ITLTs are planning to work with teachers in each building to show the advantages of using this program
- ❖ District Technology Policy – Dr. Spencer began the review last school year and is continuing to work with a small group this school year
- ❖ Quick update of ITLT programs from blogs and an overview
  - ○ PLE – small groups mobile labs, alpha smarts for small group and classes, smart boards, digital cameras, PowerPoint, PC tablets, nature trail GPS units
  - ○ AGIS – support teachers to use technology in the classroom with smart board training, Net Trekker, public calendar
  - ○ FSEMS – sign up through intranet for Cyber Cafes, LCD projector support, PC movies, IGPro, email, Net Trekker, smart boards
  - ○ HS – monthly cafes, tablet pc's, lab top carts, support training
- ❖ District Technology Budget –
  - ○ PLE – summary sent to Dr. Spencer
  - ○ AGIS – computer labs need pc's, additional licenses for Compass Learning, mobile labs, laptops for teachers
  - ○ FSEMS – replace existing computers in the writing lab with mobile lab and a five year plan
  - ○ HS – 30 unit laptops for study island replaced, business classroom 25 Dell workstations replaced, 10 smart boards, 15 replacements for keyboard lab, mobile lab for music, shop equipment, art department 2 carts and 4 workstations