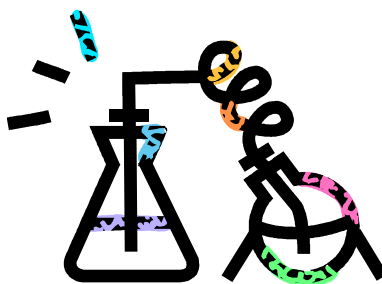


# 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Family Science Fair



## **This year at Clifdale we are excited to hold our first ever “Family Science Fair”**

Sponsored by Clifdale’s Science Committee

### **Why a Family Science Fair And not a traditional Science Fair?**

Our Science committee’s new vision is giving families the opportunity to do something together, have fun, and even have it be educational all at the same time. By doing a “Family Science Fair” and holding “Math/Science Night,” we feel we can advance toward our new vision.

#### **The following are four reasons your family will have fun doing science projects:**

1. You interact and spend time together. You have to talk, theorize, and make decisions, which can create great memories. What could be better?
2. It is hands on. Unlike watching television, science projects require thinking and action. As a family, you can work together to figure out how something works, test a theory, or build something. It is a great time to bond, and get off the couch.
3. You learn. Who said learning isn’t fun? The truth is, when you learn through application it is a lot of fun. Seeing the results of mixing two colors to create a third, or creating a real erupting volcano can be lots of laughs, excitement, and amazement.

<http://ezinearticles.com/?Having-Family-Fun-With-Science-Projects&id=616497>

The “Family Science Fair” will be on display at our “Clifdale’s Math/Science Night” on Tuesday, February 23, 2010 from 6:30-8:00. This is a non-competitive fair and projects will not be “judged” or graded. The fair open to all interested Clifdale students. All participants will receive an award and recognition acknowledging their work.

If you and your family are interested in participating in the fair, please complete the attached registration form. Return the form the school store or Mrs. Jolly by **February 15, 2010** and you will receive a free board and further instructions. It’s that easy...let the family learning and creativity begin!!!!

# REGISTRATION FORM

Clifdale Elementary School "Family Science Fair" - February 23, 2010

Student Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Grade(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name

Parent's Signature

Email address

Phone number

Please check one:

\_\_\_\_\_ We would like to complete a family project and understand it will be on display during the Clifdale Math/Science night held Feb. 23, 2010.

\_\_\_\_\_ We would like to complete a family project and would be willing to share information about it with others during a small short session at Clifdale's Math/Science night.

Please return this form to the school store or Mrs. Jolly by **Monday, February 15<sup>th</sup>** to receive a free science board. Once your registration has been received, a board and further instructions will be sent home with your child.

For further information and help in choosing a project, check out information on our school website or contact Tiffany Jolly at [tiffanyj@spa3.k12.sc.us](mailto:tiffanyj@spa3.k12.sc.us)