

NLLN Continuing Education Scholarship Reports for 2007/2008

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MEMO Midwinter Conference
January 27-28, 2008**

In January I had the opportunity to attend the MEMO Midwinter Conference in Alexandria, Minnesota. At the conference, I attended the evening stargazing with Mike Lynch. That was amazing! I purchased both his books for the Media Center and several kids used them for their science fair projects.

On Monday, I attended three sessions, 23 Things on a Stick, during which I had a quick lesson on how to blog and register for the 12 week program. The second session that I attended was the Deluxe Digital Photography with Randy Klauk. He did a wonderful job presenting and I learned many new things about digital photography. The third session that I attended was a difficult choice as I wanted to attend all three. I chose the Collection Development and the Web. Gay Galles did a great job presenting and I learned many new things. Since attending this session, I have shown several of my students and classes the elm4you site. I think it has become more user friendly and I see more students using it in our school.

This conference always provides me with useful information that I can take back and utilize in my school and Media Center. Thank you for the opportunity and funds to make this event possible.

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