

NEWS from The Savannah River Site



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SAVANNAH RIVER SITE TECHNOLOGY DAYS 2003, FEB. 11-12

Aiken, S.C., February 7 -- In honor of National Engineers Week, the Savannah River Site is sponsoring Technology Days 2003, Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 11-12, at the National Science Center's Fort Discovery, Augusta, Ga.

Technology Days is designed to interest middle school students in pursuing careers in science, technical or engineering fields. Students and teachers from South Carolina and Georgia middle schools will attend the event during the day on Feb. 11 and 12.

The general public is invited to join in the technology celebration, Tuesday, Feb. 11, 5-7:30 p.m. Admission is free. Visitors will be able to "get in on the action" by participating in fun, interactive exhibits and activities from SRS and Fort Discovery.

Speakers from SRS and local industry will be on hand to provide informational sessions on various technology-related topics. (See attached agenda).

For additional information on Technology Days, see the Technology Days webpage: <http://www.srs.gov>, Click on "Outreach Programs," then "Tech Days 2003."

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Note: Photographers and reporters are welcome. Please contact Judy Spencer at the above listed phone to confirm attendance.

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	Tuesday, Feb. 11, 2003		Wednesday, Feb. 12, 2003	
Time	Paul S. Simon Discovery Theater	Power Station	Paul S. Simon Discovery Theater	Power Station
9:30 a.m.	WJBF NewsCHANNEL 6 - George Myers, Chief Meteorologist	Tony Mills - Savannah River Ecology Laboratory	Marshall Brain - How Stuff Works	Tony Mills - Savannah River Ecology Laboratory
10:30a.m.	Marshall Brain - How Stuff Works	WRDW News Channel 12 - Jay Jefferies, Weather Technology	Jabberwock the Battlebot	WRDW News Channel 12 - Jay Jefferies, Weather Technology
11:30a.m.	Tony Mills - Savannah River Ecology Laboratory	Jabberwock the Battlebot	WAGT News 26 - Chris Maddox - Weather Technology	Tony Mills - Savannah River Ecology Laboratory
12:30 p.m.	Dr. Thomas Stec, Instructor, MCG Department of Physical Therapy - How Prostheses Work and Change the Lives of Their Users	Dr. Vernon Barnes, MCG Assistant Research Scientist - Impact of Environmental Stress	Marshall Brain - How Stuff Works	WJBF NewsCHANNEL 6 - Matt Monroe, Meteorologist
1:30 p.m.	Marshall Brain - How Stuff Works	Tony Mills - Savannah River Ecology Laboratory	Jabberwock the Battlebot	Dr. Thomas Stec, Instructor, MCG Department of Physical Therapy - How Prostheses Work and Change the Lives of Their Users
4 p.m.	WAGT News 26 - Jeff Rucker, Chief Meteorologist	Jabberwock the Battlebot		
5 p.m.	Dr. Bala Ambati, Director, MCG Cornea Service - Lasik Surgery	Marshall Brain - How Stuff Works		
6 p.m.	Dr. Mark Lee, Chairman, MCG Dept. of Neurosurgery - Gamma Knife Brain Surgery	Jabberwock the Battlebot		