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Polar Communications Awards \$5,000 in Grants to Area Schools

Park River, ND – January 23, 2015 – Polar Communications recently announced they have awarded 2 schools in their service territory a total of \$5,000 in Polar Technology Grants. Polar’s Technology Grant provides funding for PK-12 schools enabling the purchase of hardware, software, contracted services and other technologies that target student achievement through technology integration. Applicants were required to submit their proposals including an overview of their project abstract, goals, narrative, and budget information. Accredited PK-12 schools in Polar’s service territory were eligible to apply. Polar Communications awards up to \$5000 per year with each grant not to exceed \$2500.

Schools winning the 2014-15 Polar Technology Grants were the following:

Edmore Public School - \$2,500 – “Millennial’s Mastering Multimedia” Project
Fordville-Lankin Public School - \$2,500 – “Computer Games for Critical Thinking” Project

This is the 7th year that Polar has provided this grant to schools they serve, totaling \$35,000 given to enhance technology in the classroom. Polar is proud to invest in our schools and the community providing value for the future.



Photo 1: L to R: Joe Torgerson – Polar Board Member, Matt Ford, Diane Martinson, and Frank Schill, all representing Edmore School



Photo 2: L to R: Supt. Michael O’Brien – Fordville School along with Fordville students, and Jon McMillan, Polar Board Member