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Shark Tank

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Every year, Mr. V's Economics students participate in a project called "Shark Tank." This project consists of students working in pairs and creating a business proposal. They are required to find a hole in the market and create a product that can contribute to society in a positive way. Many students have created products, including new apps to make everyday life easier. Not only are students able to display their creativity, but they are able to learn the strategies of business by looking at their products through a financial aspect. They have to be able to produce revenue from their product and decide if there is a demand for their innovation. This will in turn reflect the supply and what the hypothetical production costs would be. Not only is the Shark Tank project valuable to the Economics class, but it teaches students the valuable skills necessary to succeed as an entrepreneur.

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The sophomore and junior classes can finally take a rest now that National History Day is over! Students have presented their National History Day projects over the last few weeks. There were many wonderful exhibits, websites, and documentaries. All the exhibits look wonderful in the library and are still up for display if you wish to go see them (I highly recommend it). There was a wide range of topics this year, ranging from Katherine Switzer, the first female runner in the Boston Marathon, to the Rawanda Genocide. Congratulations to those who have been chosen to move on, and good luck to those who will be doing NHD next year!





