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SusanR: Jeff, are you going to set up a Science Resource Room

JeffC: I can't... I'm out of quota.

SusanR. o O (wonders if there is any info on the Science of Skiing)

BJ wonders if it would be similar to info on roller coasters

BJ . o O (lots of cool stuff on them)

SusanR: I I know there is something on the Science of Hockey.

JeffC: Well... I could contribute to the Science of Falling (While Attempting to Ski and Skate)

SusanR . o O (a good way to grab reluctant readers)

GailH joined the room.

BJ: Gail, Sue was looking for information on the science of skiing

GailH may have a possibility.

GailH will look.

JeffC waves to Gail

JeffC: BJ and I are really looking forward to next month Gail.

BJ . o O (Gail isn't really here, btw. She's multitasking and I shouldn't have bothered her

JeffC: During my Math meeting (earlier) I suggested that we create a resource room for Math (and another one for Science). Oh...

GailH: Have you looked at http://www.exploratorium.edu/, Susan?

SusanR: Thanks Gail

JeffC: Gail... do you have any time to chat now... perhaps about next month?

JeffC: Or would you rather do it next week (seeing you are busy)

GailH: Also, http://set.lanl.gov/sports/main.htm

GailH: Jeff, next week would be better. I am multi-multi-tasking at the moment...

JeffC: Sounds good... since we're the only ones here... I will try and get more quota and create a Science Resource Room here... where we can link to the other science educators... post resources, start discussions, etc.

BJ: wow, both those sites were great, weren't they, Sue!

SusanR: Yep

SusanR: This one too http://www.exn.ca/Stories/1997/01/17/01.asp

GailH: This is a url that you'll need to paste in, because there are commas in it, and Tapped In doesn't work. But if you paste it in, you can limit by grade or resource type.

GailH: http://www.enc.org/resources/browse/0,,0-101-283-3285 1 0-0-0,00.shtm **SusanR**: http://www.exn.ca/ takes the top news stories and puts a science slant to

it..looks at the news of the day from a scientific viewpoint

SusanR: I'll send it to the pasteboard **SusanR**: ..and then copy and paste

SusanR: Great resource.

SusanR: Thanks, Gail

JeffC: With URLs like that I like to use www.tinyurl.com

GailH: OK Susan, as BJ said, I am not really here, and I will really be not here now. Get

in touch at <u>mailto:ghoskins@enc.org</u> anytime. **SusanR**: or snipurl, Jeff http://snipurl.com/3osk

JeffC: ooh... a new redirect site!

SusanR: It keeps a record of your shortened urls

JeffC: that's better than tinyurl then... it doesn't keep a record.

SusanR: You'll like it **JeffC**: checking it out now...

SusanR: You can use it for pic and pdf files..yada yada

JeffC: looks like what i've been looking for

JeffC: tinyurl+keeping records SusanR: Yep..francais as well SusanR: Check out the FAQs JeffC: oops... found a problem

JeffC: it won't take symbols like & or =

SusanR: Let them know

JeffC: I think they do... I got an error message stating that it wouldn't take symbols...

SusanR: Did you see the list of smilies?

SusanR: http://snipurl.com/bbs/misc.php?action=showsmilies

JeffC: no... I'll take a look... gotta run right now though...

BJ: thanks, Jeff

SusanR: Talk to you later.