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## Dear Physics Teacher:

The Department of Physics and Astronomy at the University of Manitoba is pleased to announce it will be hosting a special **Physics & Astronomy Day 2009** event on Saturday November 28 at the Fort Garry Campus. With a program of talks and interactive activities, we hope to build on last year's very successful event. The day will commence at 9 a.m., and will end in the early afternoon. A free pizza lunch will be provided. It is hoped that the lunch will provide an informal setting where visiting students and teachers can interact with faculty and graduate students from the department.

The tentative program can be viewed at (http://www.physics.umanitoba.ca/physics day/physics day.html).

You and members of your high school physics class (particularly those interested and talented in the physical sciences) are cordially invited to attend. Because of space limitations, we must restrict the participation to 60 students in total, and their accompanying teachers. The organizers will accept participants on a first-come first-served basis.

If you are interested to attend **Physics & Astronomy Day 2009** and bring a group of students, please RSVP as soon as possible to the Department of Physics & Astronomy (email: beshta@physics.umanitoba.ca, tel: 474-9817, fax: 474-7622) indicating your name, affiliation, school address, and contact information, as well as the number of students that you plan to bring.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions about the **Physics & Astronomy Day 2009** event. We hope to see you and your students in November!

Yours sincerely,

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