PENNSBURY PARTNERS MINI-GRANTS AWARDED

The Pennsbury Partners Advisory Board Mini-Grant Committee recently awarded five schools with special corporate-sponsored grants in the amount of \$3,010. The purpose of these minigrants is to foster partnership development in each school that would:

- Make a positive impact on student academic achievement by linking with curriculum;
- Combine real-life work experiences to prepare students for satisfying careers; or
- Provide students with opportunities for **community service** activities.

Congratulations to these 2020-2021 winners, recently announced by **Ann Langtry**, Pennsbury's Supervisor of Communication Strategies:

Afton Elementary (\$700):

- Rhea Jones/Selena Kelly/ Stephanie Reither/Megan McGee Rocks, Minerals and Fossils Show with Mike and Roberta Straka (Paleontologists)
- Michele Lippincott/Coleen Jones UNLESS & Habitats Around the World with the Elmwood Park Zoo

Fallsington Elementary (\$850):

- Cherie Lynn Kooker/Jennifer Tietz *Litterless Lunch/Edible Landfill with Waste Management and Gary Sanderson*
- Cherie Lynn Kooker/Jennifer Tietz *UNLESS & Habitats Around the World with the Elmwood Park Zoo*

Penn Valley Elementary (\$600):

- Jennifer McCormac Rocks, Minerals and Fossils Show with Mike and Roberta Straka (Paleontologists)
- Kevin Haugland Silent Brass for a Musical Home with Music & Arts

William Penn Middle School (\$360):

• Lauren Marcinkowski/Jordyn Dalbenzio – Hand Bell and Looper Class Demonstration and Equipment with Music & Arts

Pennsbury High School- West (\$500):

• Jessica Perfetto – PHS student- designed and manufactured wooden dispensers for 5th grade SPARK students with Home Depot