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News Highlights

- Dilatush's Art Being Featured in Alexandria Art Show
- Lee Teaches At ETS Summer Institute at William and Mary
- Babic, Poppe and Halla Lead FCPS Teacher Training For e-Books
- H2N Class of 2011 Continues to Win Awards After Graduation

Art teacher, **Heather Dilatush**, was chosen to show her acrylic painting titled "Blue Doesn't Mean Sad" at Alexandria's Gallery West's "Celebration of Color" show.

English teacher, **Sharon Dean Lee**, taught the *Educational Testing Service's AP Literature and Composition* teacher training at the College of William and Mary. Ms. Lee will be teaching three more in-services for the Educational Testing Service this fall.

Social Studies teachers, **Ken Halla**, **Erin Poppe**, and **Janet Babic** were selected this summer to be part of the Pioneer team which taught all 6-12th grade teachers in FCPS how to use the e-books so they would be prepared for their students' needs this fall. Poppe and Halla were also part of the Advanced Academic team that updated the FCPS Blackboard site for all honors and Advanced Placement teachers.

H2N seniors from the Class of 2011 are still earning awards. Last year's co-editor-in-chief **Hunter Woodall** has been named one of 5 finalists for the *National Scholastic Press Association's* sports story of the year on concussions. Woodall is currently a freshman enrolled in journalism at the University of Missouri and he is writing for the college newspaper. Additionally, the *Virginia High School League* individual writing and design finalists for 2010-11 have been named. **Rumsha**

Ahmed, Hannah Bernstein, Sidra Sajid, and Hunter Woodall are finalists in feature writing, sports writing, newsmagazine design, and news and feature writing respectively.