

**MEDIA INFORMATION
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“MACHINING U” DAY CAMP

JACKSON, Michigan – The Enterprise Group of Jackson is proud to announce The Academy for Manufacturing Careers in partnership with Jackson Area Manufacturers Association (JAMA) and the Jackson County Intermediate School District will be offering “*Machining U*” a weeklong, day camp for 12-14 year old students at the Jackson Area Career Center July 28 – August 1, 2008.

Jackson Area Manufacturers Association (JAMA) in a joint effort between schools and manufacturing is creating opportunities in and out of the classroom that relate to what is being taught. Campers will have the opportunity to complete a few hands-on projects, which they will be able to take home. Projects include for example: wrought iron end tables, apprentice toolboxes, bottle openers, etc. Campers will also have the opportunity to tour local manufacturing facilities.

Cost for “*Machining U*” new participants is \$75. Cost for “I Can Make It!” Camp graduates is \$50, which includes lunch, snacks and tours of three area manufacturing facilities. Space is limited to 20 campers.

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