

## PDK Membership Development Through CyberPlace Programming Synopsis

### Part A:

Goal: How to use technology to include members physically or geographically unable to attend local meetings.

Description: One of the most active members of the Hawaii PDK Chapter 067 has never attended a meeting....in person. Dame Julia Morton-Marr of Toronto, Canada, connected with John Southworth in Hawaii during a recent Global Learn Day annual teleconference. She was initiated in PDK/Hawaii during a Talking Communities teleconference two years ago. Through various telecommunications links, she has been able to actively participate in not only meeting but collaborative educational projects with PDK in Hawaii, Japan, and Panama.

### Part B:

Goal: How a chapter can use PDK Institutional Memberships to introduce educators to PDK and seek active involvement. PDK/Hawaii's chapter president John Thatcher originally came in contact with PDK as the PDK contact person of his school's PDK institutional membership through the NCLB STARnet project serving five schools on the Island of Hawaii.