Physical Education Teachers
Professional Networking

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Social networking offers for teachers and educators:

1- Social networking helps teachers huddle professionally
2- It provides them with their own "voice"
3- It also encourages collaboration in dealing with everyday issues that teachers face in their work
4- It allows for sharing of content and best practice in a friendly environment
5- It exposes teachers to the possibilities offered by web 2.0 technologies
6- It helps teachers develop a solid life-long learning policy
7- It offers a great space for sharing experiences, collaborating, researching and updating one's knowledge

From http://www.educatorstechnology.com/2012/05/teachers-comprehensive-guide-to-use-of.html
Results for #phyesed

Followed by The PE Geek and 11 others
Andrea Haefele @andreahaefele · 23m
thx 4th FT! Hey #phyesed #pegeeks #hpe peeps. Pls follow this amazing @yrdsb teacher @autismteachthx! Experienced w/ #specialneeds #autism
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Favorited by Rick Baldock and 1 other
Patty Kestell @pk1teachpe · 3h
This is what I arrived to this morning for #teacher #appreciation week. I love my school! #phyesed pic.twitter.com/g97hyK9HiI

PHE Canada @PHECanada · 7h
RT @doug_gleddie: A new tool to help #Elementary schools improve #physicalactivity Check it out #phyesed! activelivingresearch.org/physical-act...
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Invite people  Share this community

TGfU OWNER
Discussion - Apr 27, 2013

Don't 4get 2 vote/suggest a topic 4 our May #TGfUChat The #TGfU SIG Exec & IAB host the chat on the 3rd Wed of each Mth (pls RT)

Kelly Ann Parry
Discussion - Mar 27, 2013

Did you check out this months #TGfUChat check out the threads on Twitter

Kelly Ann Parry
Apr 7, 2013

Good to hear I'll send you an email next week giving you a heads up on content etc. you're doing a great job.

Kelly Ann Parry
Discussion - Mar 18, 2013

Get ready for our next #TGfUChat on Twitter Wednesday starting at 7pm EST with @kellyannparry
Hangouts

New Hangout

Brendan Jones
sakt pill
Karen Swabey
Ben Jones
Len Almond
Clarinda Brown
Physical SportEducation
Nathan Horne
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How Do We Get Faster?

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Having already shown the kids the speed of Usain Bolt and offering them the experience of running against the fastest human on earth (see previous blog post), Andy and I decided to continue with the central theme of appreciation but, shifting the angle slightly to look at the key question, “How do we get faster?” ...

When Opportunity Meets Preparation

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So as teachers, we exist essentially to create engaging and powerful learning opportunities for our students. Anyone with even a long distance view of educational research will know that there are a million things out there which could claim to help you on the road to achieving this. In fact often the ‘noise’ in such ...
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VCE Physical Education Teachers... 222 members
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Primary PE Teachers... 104 members
F-10 Health Education... 100 members
VCE Outdoor & Environment... 86 members
Early Years PE Teachers... 63 members
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ACHPER Victorian Branch social networking forum enables you to share resources, ask questions & obtain ongoing support from the profession

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From Ash Casey http://www.slideshare.net/DrAshCasey/should-we-have-a-pedagogy-of-technology
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Tablets: The Physical Education Teacher’s Best Resource

Clipboards and Assessment books in hand. Whistle, stopwatch and keys hanging around your neck. Scramble for a pen before ducking out of the staffroom. Sound familiar? With no desk in sight you need to have everything in hand once you are out in the middle of the oval. It doesn’t need to be this elaborate. What if you could reduce this to your whistle, keys and iPad?

My iPad has replaced my clipboard, assessment book, work program, stopwatch, calendar, reminders, emails, notepad, video camera, scoreboard, attendance record and more. Prior to classes starting the iPad allows me to check emails while on the go and read, edit and print documents such as permission notices. I am able to check for anything that needs printing in time for class; send it to print than head to class with my keys and whistle, the only other resources that I need.

My preparation for the 2014 school year has changed from previous years. I now use iDocemo to record everything from sporting events to assessment in class. With students in station activities, or whole class individual activities I have been able to record snippets of their performances and can track their improvement over the semester. When it came to our Swimming Carnival I had a teacher enter the students’ race times directly into iDocemo. For Phys Ed teachers on the go I find it has a clear user interface that allows you to enter, alter and customize information quickly and efficiently.

iDocemo, to use the company’s phrase, “You’ll forget your old gradebook forever” (http://www.idocemo.net/) was kindly shared by a friend. I have explored the apps options and to put it simply, I am loving it! This app has become everything for me. Being able to import my 20 classes into the app from Excel files, create a schedule, fortnightly if required, that links to each grade at the touch of finger and record all relevant information while backing up to Dropbox has made life so much easier!

Each student entry can include their photo making it easier to remember them when you are writing reports! You can customize the columns, add video, photos, audio, files and URLs. Take notes, add symbols, create marking criteria’s at a touch. If you have specific details you want to add like what House they are in, what year they were born for sporting events, you can create that simply in an Excel spreadsheet and then import them to your class list. The ability to export all your assessment is just as easy, exporting to files such as Excel, PDF and more. And this is only the beginning!

During lessons I can check any key tasks for the lessons on my plans tucked away in Dropbox.

The students use the stopwatch and scoreboard apps to keep track of our game because they know I never remember! I spend some time videoing students’ skills, recording achievements and taking notes on their development. I even use a dice app for fitness activities.

Coach’s Eye is one of the many video analysis apps you can use to get the students to see what they are doing during their performance. The app now gives the user the ability to compare two video clips. My students have used this to compare performances in sprinting, an overarm throw or a two handed strike. They can slow the clip down, draw on the clip to pin point the key components we are working on and see where they need to improve.

I can show them the layout of the games court or field and show them where a player could move to on the iPad. We can discuss and check rules on an app or search Google to clarify. Whilst Google doesn’t always provide the answers it often sparks valuable discussion about the game.
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