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**Anker Tours Vanderbilt Museum's Mobile Classroom**



*Vanderbilt Museum Interim Director Lance Reinheimer, Legislator Sarah Anker, and Museum Technology and Production Coordinator David Bush*

**HAUPPAUGE, NY** – Suffolk County Legislator Sarah Anker recently toured The Suffolk County Vanderbilt Museum's new interactive mobile classroom. In conjunction with the museum's science-education outreach program, the 37-foot-long customized recreational vehicle, *Discovering the Universe*, was a gift to the Vanderbilt from the American Museum of Natural History.

The mobile classroom contains five stations of study, including: light, telescopes, digital imaging, 3-D universe and gravity.

“As Chair of the Education Committee for Suffolk County, I know what an important asset this will be for our schools and communities,” said Legislator Anker. “In addition to teaching students about space and astronomy, the classroom will also increase the museum's visibility and effectiveness as an educational resource.”