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Five Northeast Ohio High School Students Present to Shark Tank's Daymond John

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Sometimes we fret about the the whole "children are our future" thing, but leave it to young entrepreneurs and **Daymond John** from ABC's **Shark Tank** to give us some hope. Saturday, five Northeast Ohio high school students pitched their business ideas to the shark at **Enspire 2015**, a conference held at Hunting Valley's hoity toity University School.

The winners include **Bit4Bit**, a company to provide "low-cost technology," **Fashion Time**, an app to eliminate the fashion faux pas of repeating an outfit, **Tablaflex**, a folding phone that transforms into a tablet, **Hologram For You!**, the industry leader for personalized holographic messages, and finally, **Vamonos**, an app to pre-schedule texts that just can't wait when driving.

Those entries beat out the competition for the Northeast Ohio's **Teen Tech Tank** contest, where high school students were to submit a 60-second video pitch for a technology-centric business idea. The conference and contest were part of the **Young Entrepreneur Institute** which is an Ohio-based organization dedicated to teaching kids about – wait for it – entrepreneurship.

Not only did the winners receive the advice from John, the fashion mogul and reality TV star, they also got \$250 cash, the opportunity for a scholarship at the Cleveland State Monte Ahuja College of Business and, mostly importantly, a year's supply of Coca-Cola's sparkling beverages.

The future is bright and well caffeinated, friends.

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