



“...Finally tonight on Hometown, recently the 111th American International Toy Fair came to New York City and I had the chance to check it out! And see how toys are becoming more educational. We are here at Toy Fair 2014 and you never know what going to happen!...

...Esther Novis is a mother of five and Harvard grad with degrees in biology, she started the Young Scientists club in Rhode Island in 1999. She created this math board game using the license of the Scholastic Brand Ms. Frizzle and the Magic School Bus. What they need to do with the measuring cup is follow the path on the boards and whoever gets to the volcano first gets to explode it and wins the game. The math challenges are generated through an online Web site and customized to the age group of the player. If the child gets the game when they e 5 years old they can still play it when they are 10 or 12 so the game grows with them as well...

...and that does it for WMBC Hometown for this week. I’m Lisa Voyticki, from all of us here at WMBC News, thanks for joining us and enjoy the rest of your weekend. We’ll see you back here on Monday. Good night.”