



DACC Higher Learning Center -Hoopeston

Register Now for Summer Classes Rhetoric and Composition I, T&Th, 5/23-7/8, 6-8:40p Oral Communication, T&Th 6/13-7/29, 6-8:40p

Register Now for Fall Classes (8/22-12/16) Rhetoric and Composition I, M&W, 8:30-9:45a Introduction to Sociology, T&Th, 8:30-9:45a Applied Mathematical Concepts, M,T,W,Th, 4-5:15p Oral Communication, W, 6-8:40p Rhetoric and Composition II, W, 6-8:40p

Fairy Garden Workshop Saturday, April 30 at 10 a.m. or Monday, May 2 at 2 p.m. College for Kids Summer Enrichment June 20-24 and July 18-22 Call for more information and to register!! Call 217-283-4170 Stop by 847 E. Orange, Hoopeston Visit www.dacc.edu/hoopeston

DACC, EIU sign agreement to assist RNs with bachelor degrees with dual track enrollment

CHARLESTON—Representatives of Eastern Illinois University and Danville Area Community College formally signed an agreement this week that will allow associate degree-seeking nursing students to simultaneously begin their baccalaureate education.

An innovative dual-track transfer program will allow ADN students from DACC to be admitted to Eastern's RN to B.S. in Nursing Program after completing their first year at the community college.

Once these students successfully complete their ADN program, have their RN license and proof of liability insurance, they are granted full admission to EIU.

Rossville fire hydrants will be flushed on Thursdays, weather permitting.

The Gathering

Rossville senior citizens will meet at 1 p.m. Thursday at Rossville Fire Station for their monthly get-together.



EIU President David Glassman expressed his pleasure with the signed agreement, saying it provides for a "seamless transition to BSN education."

In October 2010, the National Institute of Medicine released the report, "The Future of Nursing," which called for increasing the number of baccalaureateprepared nurses in the workforce to 80 percent by 2020. The committee charged with preparing the recommendations stated that to respond "to the demands of an evolving health care system and meet the changing needs of patients, nurses must achieve higher levels of education."

The gathering is sponsored by Rossville Community Organization.

Clean out those closets

Hoopeston townwide rummage sales will be held May 27-28. The fee to participate is \$5, with money to be donated to New Beginnings Church. Anyone interested in being listed on the official map for the sale is asked to contact Breanna Staats at <u>breanna61509@gmail.com</u> or 917-636-9416 or 217-495-0083.

Wives continued from other side

Admission is free but patrons are asked to get tickets for all performances at the main desk, beginning Wednesday, April 13. Availability is on a first come, first serve basis.

Refreshments will be served after the 6 p.m. library performance only. The 7:30 p.m. performance will be recorded by the Hoopeston Chronicle and patrons will be able to be part of the live taping for the Chronicle archives, as well.

HPL requests no phone reservations but residents may call the library for more information at (217) 283-6711. The library is at 110 N. Fourth St., Hoopeston.

Weather

Showers, breezy today. High 57. Tonight, chance of showers. Low 38. Tomorrow, chance of showers/snow. High 50, low 31.

In time, Glassman said, the EIU RN to BSN Program will simplify this process for hundreds of nursing students by allowing them to earn their baccalaureate degree at an accelerated rate. In addition, since the EIU coursework is offered completely online, participating students can study from their community of residence and/or employment as their schedules allow.

In fact, students need not ever take a step on the EIU campus until it comes time to walk through commencement, he added.

"We are pleased to partner with Eastern Illinois University in offering this innovative dual track nursing degree as it may accelerate the time required for our students to earn their bachelor's degree in nursing," said DACC President Alice Marie Jacobs. "This unique opportunity is the latest in our long-standing partnership with Eastern."

From the Blotter

A 23-year-old Hoopeston woman reported at 7:03 p.m. Monday that someone used her information to create a fraudulent Ameren account.

Classifieds

HELP WANTED

Seasonal Help Wanted, CDL helpful, but not required. Please inquire at Crop Production Services Hoopeston. 19052 St Rt 9 Hoopeston IL 60942 EOE

Mustard Seed Christian Daycare is accepting applications for a teacher qualified classroom teacher and classroom aides. Please can Nicole or Terri at 217-748-6370.

Church pianist/organist, First Christian Church, Hoopeston, IL. Sunday AM, Wednesday 4-5 p.m., and occasional Saturday PM. Traditional Worship Format. For additional information, please contact/leave message 217-283-6691 Church Office; 217-304-2415 Anita cell phone.

HOUSES FOR RENT

Hoopeston, S. 4th Street. Clean two bedroom home, nice basement, two car garage, refrigerator, range, washer, dryer, central AC. \$500/mo. with deposit. NO pets. Smoke free. Call 283-7568 or 217-304-0935 for application.

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