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Briefly

Music Booster meeting

The Hoopeston Area Music Boosters will meet at 7 p. m. Tuesday, Jan. 13 in the chorus room.

Multi Agency van schedule

This week's schedule for the Hoopeston Multi Agency transportation project is Monday, Hoopeston shuttle; Tuesday, Kankakee (leave at 9 a.m.); Wednesday, Danville; Thursday, Hoopeston shuttle; Friday, Danville.

For more information or to arrange a ride, call the Multi Agency at (217) 283-5544.

The Multi Agency thrift shop, card room, and community and youth centers will be closed this week

for repairs to the floors.

The office will be closed Monday, Jan. 19, in honor of Martin Luther King Day.

CIC meeting cancelled

The montly Community Involvement Committee meeting, which would have been held Monday, has been cancelled.

The Hoopeston Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual retreat that day.

Meetings

The Hoopeston Area school board will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the high school library.

The meeting is open to the public.

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Agency implements program to help reach college dream

Program plans assistance, activities

DANVILLE—A Danville agency has implemented a program to help young people reach their goal of a college education.

Educational Talent Search, a program of East Central Illinois Community Action Agency, provides educational guidance, motivation, tutoring, ACT preparation, assistance completing financial aid and scholarship applications, college campus visits and other college-related services.

Services are offered to young people ages 12 to 27 and veterans of any age. There is no cost to participants.

The program especially encourages low income families and students who would be the first in their families to obtain a college degree.

Educational Talent Search has many special events planned for the coming months.

On March 28-29, a special overnight trip to the mansion at Allerton Park, Monticello, will provide students with the opportunity to participate in esteem-building exercises and fun.

Students will stay in the mansion, enjoy elegant accommodations and food, take a daring midnight hike in the woods, learn about college opportunities and experience the Greek and Roman art of statues in the formal gardens.

The program will soon sign up students (and a few parent chaperones) for this trip. There will be no cost to Educational Talent Search students, but space is limited.

Enrollment in the program includes completed a one-page form.

To enroll or for more information, call the Community Action Agency at (217) 443-2791 or stop by the agency's office at 56 N. Vermilion, Danville.



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