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Foundation accepting 2007-2008 scholarship applications

DANVILLE – Applications are currently being accepted for more than 250 scholarships offered by the Danville Area Community College Foundation for the 2007-2008 school year. Scholarship awards for the 2006-2007 school year exceeded \$259,000.

The DACC Foundation Scholarship application allows students to complete one form to be considered for all Foundation scholarships. Part-time and full-time students who will be attending DACC are eligible. First-time DACC students, recent high school graduates, and current DACC students are encouraged to apply.

Scholarship applications can also be completed via the Internet at www.dacc.edu/foundation. Visitors to the website can click on the "For Students" tab, and then click on "Scholarships" located on the right side of the web page to access the on-line application.

Paper copies of the DACC Foundation Scholarship applications are available in the DACC Foundation, Information, Registration, Counseling, Financial Aid, and Division Chair offices. In addition, scholarship applications are also available at the Harry Braun Technology Center, the Mary Miller Center, the DACC Library, various locations throughout campus and at the College's kiosk at the Village Mall.

Completed electronic/paper applications must be returned to the DACC Foundation, Vermilion Hall – Third Floor, 2000 E. Main St., Danville, IL 61832 no later than 5 p.m. Wednesday, February 28.

Police News



Christopher A. Compton, 18, of 525 W. Elm was arrested at 10:50 a.m. Tuesday at the city hall, 301 W. Main.

He was charged with residential burglary in connection with a report made Monday by a 23-year-old Hoopeston woman who reported someone took several items from her home in the 600 block of West Lincoln.

Compton was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

A **39-year-old** woman reported Tuesday that someone took a cherry picker from the 200 block of East Penn.

Joaquin Granados, 39, of 918 E. Young was issued a notice to appear in court on a charge of noisy animals prohibited. He was charged on a complaint from a 29-year-old Hoopeston man who alleged Granados' dog barked all night long, keeping his family awake.



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Patient/doctor relationship is important

I just wanted to thank Mr. Evans on his articulating facts regarding physician-patient relationships in his letter to the editor Wednesday, January 17. Nothing much can be added to that - how paramount it is to have a long-term established relationship with a family physician. This is especially important for patients who have several and/or serious chronic health problems.

It is a sad state of affairs that this seems not be able to be the case in Hoopeston for quite some time, although some physicians were here for long periods of time and disappeared for some reason or other. Although these type of problems happen in every city it is a big impact on a small town.

Alice J. Fink
Hoopeston

Snowman meets foul play from vandals

My family and I moved to Hoopeston in an attempt to embrace the mid-west small town hospitality that East Central Illinois is known for. Small town America embodies community, taking care of one another and knowing your neighbor. For the most part we have seen that here in Cornjerker country. We have

been embraced by the majority of our neighbors.

My parents purchased a large neglected house and have made attempts to improve it for both ourselves and our neighbors. We have made attempts to celebrate the holidays and bring a little bit of happiness to our community. Halloween we put together a small scene with a couple of scarecrows and some corn stalks and pumpkins. Christmas we decorated our yard with penguins and polar bears as well as lights on both the porch and in our windows. And to commemorate the break of a drought of winter snow, we built a snowman with our three year resident, Rycelynn Sloan. We have done this for both ourselves and our community. We like to hear our neighbors and those that pass by comment on the decorations we put up.

Sadly we have also seen a downside this season. Our pumpkin patch was smashed and our scarecrows demolished within days of us placing them at their posts. An eight foot penguin was stolen and if not for our dogs, more would have been taken as the rest of the decorations were partially uprooted. And now our celebrity, the Santa like snowman, by way of this publication, was smashed at the hands of an unknown assailant. I am saddened by all of this aggression shown towards these

Obituaries

BOHNER - Howard Harry Bohner, 84, of Milford died at 12:25 p.m. Monday, Jan. 22, 2007 at home. Funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Our Savior Lutheran Church, Milford. Burial will be in Sugar Creek Cemetery, Stockland. Visitation will be 4-8 p.m. Thursday at Knapp Funeral Home, Milford and one hour before service Friday at the church. Memorials are suggested to Milford Ambulance Service, Our Savior Lutheran Church Radio Ministry or charity of the donor's choice.



GOODEN - Darcy L. Gooden, 87, of Hoopeston died at 12:07 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 23, 2007 at VA Il-liana Medical Center, Danville. In accordance with

his wishes, his body will be cremated. Graveside services will be held at a later date. Brown-Alkire Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

GUDEMAN—Louise A. Gudeman, 92 of Cissna Park died Monday, Jan. 22, 2007 at Iroquois Resident Home, Watseka. Private visitation and funeral service will be held at Knapp Funeral Home, Cissna Park. Burial will be in German Apostolic Christian Cemetery, Cissna Park.

Weather



Partly cloudy today. High 26. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 17. Tomorrow, partly cloudy. High 46, low 22.

For current weather conditions, call Hoopeston Weather Service **(217) 283-6221**.



Letters to the Editor

attempts to improve and embellish our neighborhood but my frustration is paled to the disappointment in the eyes of Rycelynn, who has played a role in all of our decorating this last fall/winter.

If you can't appreciate the time and energy invested, the money spent and the celebration of the season and or holiday that you consider that you destroying a creation of a three year old and her family. It was a very sad morning indeed when I had to tell "Rycey" that her friend "Frosty" was broken. I blamed it on the wind. Needless to say we will continue to share the holidays with you and hope that you all will enjoy seeing our creations as much as we enjoy creating them.

Your friends and neighbors.
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