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Milford girl, area FFA chapters receive ag-related funding

A Milford girl is one of 30 high school seniors throughout central and southern Illinois awarded a total of \$60,000 in scholarships to pursue agriculture-related majors

Abigail Wagner was among those receiving a \$2,000 per student scholarship, part of Farm Credit Illinos' agriculture pro-

Wagner, daughter of Luke and Shelly Wagner, will graduate from Milford High School and attend Joliet Junior College in the agriculture transfer program.



WAGNER

This is the 15th year of the Farm Credit agriculture scholarship program which has awarded a total of \$400,000 to 329 students since 2004.

Lourdine Florek, Owner

Scholarship selections are based on a combination of academic achievement, participation and leadership in school and community organizations, and the applicant's commitment to an agricultural ca-

"Farm Credit Illinois is proud to provide positive opportunities and lend support to young people with a passion for agricul-

ture," says Rod Stoll, vice president of marketplace engagement for FCI. "These scholars will assume careers that shape the future of agriculture and Rural America, in turn Helping Farm Families Succeed."

FCI also announced a list of 4-H clubs and FFA chapters that will implement improvement projects in their communities with help from grants provided by Farm Credit Illinois. Fifty \$400 grants were awarded

See FUNDING on other side

From the Blotter

Austin Johnston, 23, of Hoopeston, was arrested after police were called about loud music coming from a vehicle at 4:49 p.m. Wednesday in the 700 block of East Thompson. Johnson was found to be wanted on an Iroquois County warrant for failure to appear/improper passing on the left.

He was released on bond with a new court date.

Douglas Land, 55, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 10:18 p.m. Wednesday at Third St. and Lincoln. He was charged with unlawful acts constituting disorderly conduct after allegedly becoming verbally abusive to EMS when they were trying to assist him.

Land was released on a notice to appear Hoopeston City Court.

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Easter activities

- Community Good Friday services, sponsored by Hoopeston Ministerial Association, will begin at noon Friday at Wellington United Methodist Church, 410 Main St. All are invited to attend.
- Hoopeston city offices (except police) will be closed Friday.

At the library

Tiny Tots, 10:20-11:30 Friday. For children ages 0-4 who are accompanied by an adult.

Spring Book Sale will continue into April! Beginning Monday, everything will be \$1 per bag, no limits! A fresh assortment of adult, youth and children's fiction and non-fiction books and a few surprises. Bring a bag or we'll provide. The sale will be held during regular hours, 9:30-8 Mon.-Thurs., 9:30-6 Fri. and 9:30-3 Sat.

Coffee and Coloring, 10-11 a.m. Monday. For adults

only. Enjoy coffee, conversation and coloring. Supplies provided or bring your own.

Builder's Club, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Thursday. A time for kids in grades K-5 to build cool stuff!

Help an adult learn to read

The DACC Reader's Route will hold volunteer tutor training for those who want to work with adult learners. Tutor training is provided to equip the volunteer tutor with knowledge and resources to help the adult learner meet their educational goals. The Secretary of State, whose office funds the project, requires volunteers to complete 12 hours of training before becoming tutors.

Training will be Mondays and Wednesdays, April 9, 11, 16 and 18, 2018, from 8:30-11:30 a.m. at DACC, Prairie Hall, Room 106. To register, please call Brandice Connor, DACC Literacy Coordinator at (217) 443-8785 or email bconnor@dacc.edu.

Court Dispositions

March 1

Dawn Rogers, Hoopeston, found guilty by default of disorderly conduct, fined \$200; status check

April 5.

Sabbin Jackson, Hoopeston, pleased not guilty to disobeying police; trial April 5.

Lisa Irvin, Hoopeston, pleaded not guilty to general nuisance; trial April 5.

Gage Fouse, Hoopeston, found guilty by default of possession of drug paraphernalia, fined \$200; status check April 5.

Robert Ferrell, Hoopeston, status update on two cases on April 5.

Ray Williams, Hoopeston, status check April 5. Sandra Woods, Hoopeston, status check April 5.

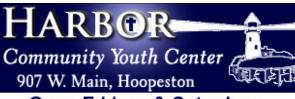
Funding continued from other side

in this, the 10th year the company has funded the grant program.

Two Iroquois County groups were among those receiving grants, including Milford's FFA chapter, which plans a recreation project at Milford Park; and Cissna Park FFA, which will plant and maintain a community garden at Cissna Park High School.

Weather

Partly sunny today. High 49. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 35. Tomorrow, showers likely, breezy. High 53, low 25. Sunday, partly sunny. High 40, low 25. Monday, mostly sunny, chance of rain late. High 48, low 35.



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