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## Illinois sets health scholars program to aid underserved areas

ROCKFORD—College students pursuing a health profession in Illinois can apply for the new Illinois AHEC Scholars Program. This competitive, two-year cohort program supplements health professions student's education with job shadowing, career coaching, seminars, and experiences in underserved areas. Participants also receive additional training on practice transformation, behavioral health, social determinants of health, cultural competency and interprofessional education and training.

Illinois AHEC Scholars will graduate from the program with practical insight and expertise that will prepare them to serve as leaders in their healthcare field.

The Illinois AHEC Scholars Program expands on traditional health professions education and training with the goal of increasing awareness of and interest in health care professions in rural and underserved areas.

Students currently enrolled in medicine, nursing, pharmacy, physical therapy, public health, social work and other health professions are eligible for the program.

According to Hana Hinkle, associate director of the National Center for Rural Health Professions and the Illinois AHEC Network Program, students enrolled in the two-year IL AHEC Scholars Program will have opportunities to complete a community service learning project with other students in the program, attend two summer institutes, and will have a three-day immersion experience in an underserved community. Students will also be provided an opportunity to network with participating health departments, Federally Qualified Health Centers and health systems throughout the state.

The Illinois AHEC Scholars Program is a new program offered by the Illinois Area Health Education Network Program. Established in 2010, the Illinois AHEC Network Program has eight regional centers

throughout the state to serve both rural and urban underserved residents through access to health professions education, health careers development and community and public health promotion activities.

The East Central Illinois AHEC in Gibson City, Ill., is the first regional center to pilot the Illinois AHEC Scholars Program. The first Illinois AHEC Scholars Program will kick-off with a day and a ½ face-to-face summer institute, hosted in Paxton. Selected Scholars will receive travel stipends for participating in the program.

Applications are available online at [www.ncrhp.uic.edu/](http://www.ncrhp.uic.edu/) and are due Sunday, May 6.

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## Children's Room Fiction

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William's Winter Nap, by Linda Ashman



## Grout white as...snow

One of Hoopeston's brick sidewalks looks as if it were freshly-grouted, thanks to a light snow Monday morning. While strong winds blew some snow into drifts, the amount of snow in Hoopeston was minimal, unlike Wisconsin and Minnesota, which experienced a spring blizzard.

## New Books at the Library

The Wolf, the Duck & the Mouse, by Mac Barnett

Love, Mama, by Jeanette Bradley

Now One Foot, Now The Other, By Tomie DePaola

Brown, by Amanda F. Doering

Singing in the Rain, by Arthur Freed

Angel Birthdays, by Erin Garay

It's Mine, by Leo Lionni

The Missing Letters: a dreidel story, by Renee Londner

Inky's Great Escape: the incredible (and mostly true) story of an octopus escape, by Casey Lyall

Blueberries for Sal (sound recording), by Robert McCloskey

Oodles of Kittens, by Jane O'Connor

Groundhug Day, by Anne Marie Pace

XO, OX; a love story, by Adam Rex

Snowball Moon, by Fran Cannon Slayton

## From the Blotter

A **23-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported at 2:36 p.m. Sunday that her 2017 Chrysler 300 was taken from Parkview Court.

The vehicle was found at 7 p.m. in Danville. Vincent E. Beard, 22, of Danville, was charged with theft over \$10,000.

**Police are investigating** two incidents of criminal damage to property reported at 4:40 p.m. Sunday.

The first instance was a report of graffiti at a building at Parkview Court.

Graffiti was also reported on a City of Hoopeston-owned building in the 600 block of South Sixth Ave.

## Obituaries

**CARLEY** - Russell David Carley, 73, of Milford, died Saturday, April 14, 2018, at home. Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Wednesday at Baier Funeral Home, Watseka, at 10 a.m. until the 11 a.m. funeral Thursday at Calvary Lutheran Church. Burial will be in St. Peter Lutheran Cemetery, Crescent City. Memorials are suggested to Iroquois Memorial Hospice, Watseka, St. Paul Lutheran School or Calvary Lutheran Church.

## Weather

Mostly sunny today. High 49. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 35. Tomorrow, partly sunny, chance of showers, then breezy. High 60, low 36.

Blue Corn Soup, by Caroline Stutson

I Miss You: a first look at death, by Pat Thomas

Bad Kitty Meets the Baby, by Nick, Bruel

Let the Children March, by Monica Clark-Robinson

Miss Newman isn't Human, by Dan Gutman

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Small Wonders Preschool is accepting applications for a Preschool Director. The school serves 3- and 4-year-old children in a half-day program, Mon.-Fri., 8:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m. The Preschool Director serves as lead teacher and is responsible for all lesson plans, scheduling, calendars, newsletters, programs, field trips and scheduling duties for the assistant teacher. Candidates must be preschool director-qualified by DCFS standards.

If you are qualified and love kids (!), please send resume by April 20 to First Presbyterian Church, Preschool Director Position, P.O. Box 297, Hoopeston IL 60942. Email or call for further information, (217) 283-7396, [church@fpchoopeston.com](mailto:church@fpchoopeston.com).

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