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Scholarships awarded to two Iroquois County high school seniors

Two Iroquois County young people are among 30 high school students who received scholarships from Farm Credit Illinois.

A total of \$60,000 in scholarships was awarded to seniors throughout central and southern Illinois to pursue agriculture-related majors and careers. Each of the 30 recipients received a \$2,000 agriculture scholarship. The area students are:

- •Bailee Fanning, of Milford, who will graduate from Milford High School and attend the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign to study agricultural and consumer economics, public policy and law. She is the daughter of Terry and Jody Fanning.
- •Payton Kaeb, of Buckley, who will graduate from Cissna Park High School and attend Parkland College to study precision agriculture. He is the son of Warren and Jill Kaeb.

The scholarship program has awarded \$516,000 to 387 students since 2004. Selections are based on academic achievement, participation and leadership in school and community organizations, and the applicant's commitment to an agricultural career.

"Farm Credit Illinois scholars represent tomorrow's agricultural leaders," said Rod Stoll, FCI vice president of marketplace engagement. "Investing in their education today – on behalf of our cooperative's members – will help positively shape the future of the industry and Rural America."



Chalk talk

Nurses at Heritage Health, Hoopeston, recently display social distancing after decorating the "no parking" area at the nursing home's front door. Diagonal lines provide places to put individual messages, like "We ♥ our Residents," "Don't Worry, Be Happy," and "We Hate COVID." Pictured are, from left, nurses Megan Colunga, Trisha Willard, Amber Fell and Gosie Thrush.

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Corona Changes

- Hoopeston Historical Society's annual dinner in May has been canceled. The group will not meet in May.
- Grant Township Food Cupboard continues to be open Monday and Thursday 12-2. One person at a time is allowed in to pick up supplies. Others should wait in their car or observe the 6' distancing between others.

Immediate needs at the food cupboard are macaroni and cheese and peanut butter. Other food items will be accepted, as well. Food may be dropped off Mondays and Thursdays from noon-2 p.m.

- Grant Township Supervisor and Grant/Butler Assessor offices remain closed. Those with questions may call the Supervisor's office at (217) 283–5221 and the Assessor's office at (217) 283-6868 or email grantbutlertownship@yahoo.com.
- All April movies at the Little Lorraine Theatre have

Fire Calls

Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 10:22 p.m. Sunday to the 500 block of South Sixth Ave., for a fire alarm going off in a home. No injuries were reported.

been canceled.

• The Multi Agency thrift store is closed and the Multi Agency open by appointment only. The van is still running but will only transport three people at one time, which may cause delays.

Seniors who are staying home and have no one to assist them may call to discuss possible solutions with us. We are here to help. Call (217) 283-5544 for questions or assistance.

• Area churches remain closed. Many are holding online services. Check with your specific church for more infor-

Obituaries

GARRELTS - Leslie L. Garrelts, 81, of Crescent City, died Sunday, April 12, 2020, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Private services will be held at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Woodworth. Burial will be in St. Paul Lutheran Cemetery, Woodworth, with graveside military rites by Watseka American Legion Post #23 and Iroquois County VFW Post #7450. Memorials are suggested to St. Paul Lutheran School, Woodworth, Calvary Lutheran Preschool, Watseka, or donor's choice.

During this difficult time, let's show local businesses some love.

Essential businesses that remain open include
Hoopeston IGA, CVS, Olympic Hardware and gas
stations. Restaurants remain open for curb side pickup,
carry-out and delivery. Other independent businesses are
also open to meet the needs of their customers in creative ways.

In supporting local businesses, please remember Just the Facts for your advertising needs. Just the Facts has promoted local businesses, groups and residents for 26 years, letting readers know about sports sign ups and anniversary open houses, school events, government meetings and so much more!

We're all in this together. Let's keep Hoopeston businesses going during this difficult time!

mation.

- Hoopeston parks remain open for walkers, who are asked to maintain social distancing. Playground equipment, pavilions and basketball/tennis courts are closed to public use. Police will monitor gatherings in the parks.
- The police department window has been closed. An intercom system has been installed in front of city hall that will connect residents who need help with the police department dispatcher. Residents who need help may still

Weather

Chance of rain/snow today. High 44. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 28. Tomorrow, sunny, chance of rain/snow. High 46, low 33.

For real time Hoopeston weather, visit justthefacts.net/weather/.

call the police department at (217) 283-5196.

- City hall is closed. Residents who have questions may reach the water office at 217-283-5631, or the administrative office, 283-5833. To pay water bills, residents have several options, including:
- Putting a check or money order in the drop box outside the front of city hall.
- Calling the water office, 217-283-5631, to make a payment over the phone with a checking account, debit or credit card.
- Mailing a check or money roder to Hoopeston Water Department, 301 W. Main St., Hoopeston IL 60942.
- Online payments can be made through the city's website, www.cityofhoopeston.com. Look for the green PSN logo halfway down the homepage, click to pay. You will need your water account number listed on the water bill, along with the name the account is under.

Classifieds

HELP WANTED

Silgan Containers is hiring Press Line Mechanics. To apply, please visit https://silgancontainers.mua.hrdepartment.com/hr/ats/Posting/view/10688

The City of Hoopeston is accepting application for an eligibility list with the police department. If interested, you will need to pick up and turn in an application to the police department located at 301 W Main St. Hoopeston, IL by May 4, 2020. Testing date will take place on May 30, 2020 at Hoopeston Area High School Library.

City of Hoopeston is accepting applications for seasonal workers. applications can be found on the City Website at www.cityofhoopeston.com Click on the City Departments tab, then Administration, and scroll to the bottom of the page.

We are currently hiring for our Verizon location next to McDonald's in Hoopeston! Are you interested in pursuing a career in sales where you can earn a base plus commission? Then this position might just be for you! If you like sales, love technology and have a competitive spirit you may have what it takes to join our amazing team! You'll use your knowledge and passion for technology to deliver an effortless customer experience while pursuing challenging and rewarding goals! This role comes with an hourly base and commission package as well as awesome benefits. Please email your resume to seth.wilson@alstire mart.com or stop by our store for more details.

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Shipping Assistant/Data Entry-Full-Fill Industries is currently searching for an individual who is experienced and efficient in data entry and computer entry. This individual also will need to be able to multi-task in this position. M-F 8:00 am-4:30 pm If you are interested in applying for a growing company, please apply on-line at www.full-fill.com go to employment or employment opportunities and apply as indicated. EOE

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