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DMACC STUDENTS NAMED TO ALL-IOWA ACADEMIC TEAM

Nine DMACC students named to the 54-person 2011 All-Iowa Academic Team were honored at a recent recognition banquet held in Des Moines. The DMACC team includes (front row, left to right) Nicole Young of Lenox from the DMACC Boone Campus, Alison Sappingfield of Carroll from the Carroll Campus, Sarah Raper of Lexington, KY (formerly of Newton) from the Newton Campus, (back row, left to right) DMACC President Rob Denson, Adam Frakes of Granger from the Ankeny Campus, Matt Coyle of Newton from the Newton Campus, Jason Borkowski of Cherokee from the Boone Campus and David Alfstad of Indianola from the West Campus. Melony Lane (not in photo) of Norwalk from the Urban Campus and Julian Asbille of West Des Moines from the Ankeny Campus were also named to the All-Iowa Academic Team. In addition, Frakes was named one of 50 Coca-Cola Gold Scholars nationwide.

CYBER CRIME AWARENESS CONFERENCE

The Electronic Crime Institute at DMACC is hosting the third annual Electronic Crime Institute Cyber Crime Awareness Conference on April 9. The conference will take place from 8:30 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. at the FFA Enrichment Center on the DMACC Ankeny Campus. Topics to be discussed by speakers from Dell SecureWorks Counter Threat Unit, the Iowa Internet Crimes Against Children Taskforce, PayPal, Union Pacific Corporation, Expiscor Labs and others include:

- "Sexting—It's No Joke"
- "Navigating the Dangerous Waters of the Internet"
- "Cyber Threats—Don't Fall Victim"
- "Identity Theft"
- "Wireless Network Security"
- "Malware, Viruses and Phishing: Threats to Your Online Security"
- "An Introduction to Critical Infrastructure Security"

Additionally, representatives from the Electronic Crime Institute will hold free computer drive cleaning the day of the conference. Individuals can bring in their computer hard drive to have the drive wiped clean of data using specialized computer hardware to purge computer information. Before people have their hard drive cleaned, they should save the files that are important to them to an external storage device such as a CD ROM or an external hard drive or transfer them to a new computer.

There is no cost to attend the event. This is a great resource for parents, grandparents, seniors and others in the community to learn more about cyberspace safety issues and ways people can protect themselves and their families from online threats.

Attendees are encouraged to register in advance. Lunch will be provided to attendees at no charge. For more information or to register, please visit www.dmacc.edu/eci/cybercrime2011.asp or call (515) 965-7096.
Upcoming Events

March 24 & 25
DMACC Drama Department production of Carpathia, 12:50 and 7 p.m., Thur., March 24, and 10:10 a.m., 12:20 and 7 p.m., Fri., March 25, Bldg. #6 Auditorium, Ankeny Campus.

Mar. 24
45th Anniversary Celebration, 9 to 11:30 a.m., West Campus.

Mar. 25
45th Anniversary Celebration, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., Urban Campus, Bldg. #1.

Mar. 25
45th Anniversary Celebration, Success Center, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.

Mar. 30
45th Anniversary Celebration, Carroll Campus, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

March 31
First home baseball game, DMACC vs. Grand View J.V., 2 p.m.

April 1 & 2
DMACC Boone Campus Play, 7:30 p.m., Boone Campus Theatre.

April 5
Discover Engineering Day, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., FFA Enrichment Center.

April 9
ECI Cyber Crime Awareness Conference, 8:30 a.m. to 3:45 p.m., FFA Enrichment Center.

DMACC BOONE CAMPUS PLAY

Des Moines Area Community College Boone Campus students Kevin Langel (left) of Ogden and Connie McIntyre-Ferguson of Boone rehearse a scene from the upcoming production of Dead Giveaway. The play is a comedy by Pat Cook. Dead Giveaway will be performed on Friday and Saturday, April 1–2, at 7:30 p.m. in the Boone Campus Theater. Tickets cost $5 per person and may be purchased at the door. DMACC students receive free admission. The play is directed by DMACC Drama Department Professor Kay Mueller.

CHINA YEAR T-SHIRT DESIGN WINNER

DMACC Ankeny Campus student Vi Lam of West Des Moines models The China Year T-shirt she designed for the College’s annual international focus. Lam is a second-year student enrolled in DMACC’s Graphic Design program. DMACC’s China Year activities continue this semester with a look at the history, economy, politics and culture of China at all six DMACC campuses.

THANK YOU

As Rick is on the road to recovery, we would like to take the time to send our thanks to everyone in our DMACC family. We have been amazed with the outpouring of love and concern for Rick’s health crisis. From the cards, notes, emails, texts, dinners, monetary contributions, checking up on him through his Caring Bridge website and to those who set up, volunteered, and donated at the donor drive held last winter prior to Rick’s transplant, we give you our utmost heartfelt thank you. Words cannot describe what we hold in our hearts for the exceptional individuals we have come to know through DMACC. We will continue to provide updates on his progress until he can be asked in person how he’s doing when he returns to work. Thank you to each and every one of you. We cannot begin to list all names of all who have touched our lives. You know who you are.—Tina and Rick Carpenter
DMACC’S CELEBRATION OF THE LITERARY ARTS

DMACC’s ninth annual Celebration of the Literary Arts will be held April 4–6 with classroom visits to all six DMACC campuses by area writers and literary instructors. Here are the schedules when the poets and prose writers will read from their works on the respective campuses:

➤ ANKENY CAMPUS
Steven Schwartz, Author and Master of Fine Arts Writing Program Instructor at Colorado State; University of Florida International University Professor and Poet Denise Duhamel; University of Houston Creative Writing Instructor and fiction author Antonya Nelson Nelson; and Poet C. Dale Young will read from their works in the Bldg. #5 Student Center from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Wed., April 6. Carey Crowson and Don Myers will perform between readings at the Ankeny Campus.

➤ BOONE CAMPUS
University of Houston Creative Writing Instructor and fiction author Antonya Nelson Nelson; and Poet C. Dale Young will also read from their works from 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., Mon., April 4. Rob Lumbard will perform prior to the Boone Campus readings starting at 10 a.m. in the L.W. Courter Center.

➤ NEWTON CAMPUS
Iowa State University English Professor Dr. Deb Marquart and B.J. Love, Master of Fine Arts candidate at the Iowa Writer’s Workshop at the University of Iowa, will also read their works from 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., Mon., April 4.

➤ URBAN CAMPUS
Steven Schwartz, Author and Master of Fine Arts Writing Program Instructor at Colorado State University, and Florida International University Professor and Poet Denise Duhamel will read from their works from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tues., April 5, in the Urban Campus, Bldg. #1 Student Lounge. Sam Miller will perform prior to the readings.

➤ WEST CAMPUS
University of Northern Iowa English Professor Dr. Grant Tracy and Iowa State University English Professor Benjamin Percy will read from their works from 2:25 to 3:50 p.m., Tues., April 5.

➤ CARROLL CAMPUS
Drake University English Professor Dr. Carol Spaulding-Kruse and Drake University Visiting English Professor Yasmina Madden will read from 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., Tues., April 5.

All events are free and open to the public.
DMACC FOUNDATION RECEIVES PRAIRIE MEADOWS GRANT

The DMACC Foundation has received a $30,000 grant from Prairie Meadows Racetrack and Casino through its 2010 Community Betterment Grant program. DMACC’s Adult Literacy Program will receive $10,000 of this grant and the remaining $20,000 will go to the College’s Student Emergency Grant Program. The grants were awarded on Feb. 15 at the Meadows Ballroom. Those taking place in the awarding ceremony included (left to right) Dr. Andrea McGuire, Prairie Meadows Board of Directors, Grant Advisory Committee, 2011 Chair; John Smith, Grant Advisory Committee; Dr. Mary Chapman, Prairie Meadows Board of Directors, Grant Advisory Committee and DMACC Vice President of Community and Workforce Partnerships; Breck Danner, DMACC Alumni Affairs and Fund Development Coordinator; Dr. Kim Linduska, DMACC Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs; Doug Williams, DMACC Vice President for Business Services; Linda Grandquist, Grant Advisory Committee; Robert Meyers, Prairie Meadows Board of Directors; Dr. Jerry Deegan, Grant Advisory Committee.

DMACC HOSTS MONEY SMART WEEK® EVENTS

DMACC is hosting three Money Smart Week® events in April designed to help consumers better manage their personal finances. The three events, which are free and open to the public, are:

- **Contemporary Retirement Planning Topics**
  DMACC Ankeny Campus, Bldg. #7 Conference Center, 8 a.m. to noon., Sat., April 2
  Presentations will be held on Social Security, Health Care Legislation and Pre-retirement Investment Planning.

- **Personal Financial Challenges for College Students**
  DMACC Ankeny Campus, Bldg. #5, Student Center Quiet Lounge, 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Wed., April 6
  Presentations will be held on Financial Counseling for College Students.

- **Shredding Event**
  DMACC Ankeny Campus, Bldg. #7, Conference Center, 8 a.m. to noon, Sat., April 2
  Document Destruction and Recycling and Recycling Services, Inc., will provide a bin for confidential document collection and destruction in the Conference Center lobby.

The events are sponsored by DMACC’s Business Management & Information Technology division, Financial Planning Association of Iowa and Financial Counseling Services at Iowa State University and Veridian Credit Union. For more information, contact DMACC Economics Professor Richard Trieff at (515) 964-6211.

DMACC EMPLOYEE AWARDS

Congratulations to the following employees who have received DMACC Employee Awards:

**David Hauser**, Professor, Philosophy, Ankeny Campus. For being the key person in organizing the DMACC participants in the Iowa Public Television annual fundraising campaign. On March 9, DMACC helped raise thousands of dollars to support IPTV.

**Pam Strait**, Copy Room Operator 2, Ankeny Campus. For her dedication to faculty and staff at DMACC, helping the Urban Campus with their print jobs prior to the first day of classes this Spring semester.

**Russ Terhaar**, Lead Custodian, Urban Campus. For instilling a “can do” attitude and being a motivator to his crew with professionalism and encouragement.

Nominations can be submitted at any time for employees who make exceptional contributions to DMACC. To receive a nomination form, click on [www.dmacc.edu/hr/daward.pdf](http://www.dmacc.edu/hr/daward.pdf). Additional nomination forms are available in each department office or may be requested from Martha Henrichs, 964-6421.

WOODB, THRAPP AND BUNNING EARN POSTSEASON HONORS

The National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) has announced that three members of the DMACC women’s basketball team have earned postseason honors. Katlyn Wood, a sophomore forward from Monroe, has been named to the Region XI All-Region First Team and to the Region XI All-Tournament Team. Freshman guard Sam Thrapp of Davenport was named to the Region XI Second Team and sophomore forward Carli Bunning of Boone has been named to the Region XI Third Team and to the Region XI All-Tournament Team.

Wood led DMACC in scoring and rebounding this season, averaging 13.4 points and 8.5 rebounds a game. She made 165 of 375 shots from the field, including 21-of-71 from 3-point range, and was 92-of-117 at the free throw line. Wood grabbed 281 rebounds this season.

Thrapp was second to Wood in scoring, averaging 10 points a game. She was 82-of-208 from the field, 38-of-103 from 3-point range and 129-of-159 at the free throw line. Thrapp led the team in assists with 139, averaging 4.2 assists a game.

Bunning averaged 7.8 points a game. She made 89 of 159 field goal attempts and was 79-of-117 at the free throw line. Bunning grabbed 196 rebounds this season, averaging 5.9 rebounds a game.
DMACC’S BURRAGE, BATEMAN, HICKS AND MARTIN HONORED

The National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) has announced that four members of the DMACC men’s basketball team have earned postseason recognition for their play this season.

Sophomore guard Kannon Burrage of East Moline, Ill., has been named to the Region XI All-Region First Team. Sophomore guards Hal Bateman and E.J. Hicks, both of Davenport, have been named to the Region XI All-Region Second Team and freshman Cole Martin of Omaha, Neb., earned All-Region XI Honorable Mention recognition. Hicks has also been named to the Region XI All-Tournament team.

Burrage led DMACC in scoring with 643 points and a 20.7 average. He was 223-of-504 from the field, including 62-of-197 from 3-point range, and made 135 of 194 free throw attempts. Burrage was also second on the team in rebounding with 162 rebounds and a 5.2 average.

Bateman averaged 11 points a game. He was 107-of-274 from the field and 106-of-195 at the free throw line. He scored 330 points this season and led the team in rebounding and assists. His 163 rebounds were good for a 5.4 average and he had 172 assists, averaging 5.7 per game.

Hicks was DMACC’s third-leading scorer with 300 points and a 9.7 average. He was 104-of-238 from the field, including 35-of-107 from 3-point range, and made 57 of 70 free throw attempts. Hicks had 153 rebounds and a 4.9 average.

Martin scored 212 points and averaged 7.6 points a game. He was 78-of-182 from the field, 37-of-106 from 3-point range, and 18-of-28 at the free throw line. Martin averaged 3.1 rebounds a game.

DMACC finished the season with a No. 15 ranking in the NJCAA Division II poll. The Bears compiled a 23-8 record, including an 8-6 mark in the Iowa Community College Athletic Conference. They reached the Region XI semifinals before being eliminated by eventual champion Kirkwood Community College (KCC).
PIONEERS CONNECTION

The last Pioneers meeting was held on Thur., March 10, in the DMACC Ankeny Campus Conference Center—Bldg. #7. Pioneer members enjoyed the social time and a gourmet luncheon served by the culinary arts students in the Bistro.

The April meeting will be held at the Urban Campus on Thur., April 14, at 11:30 a.m. Please join the Urban chapter of the Pioneers at the DMACC Urban Campus—Room 126 for social time, lunch and a tour of the newly remodeled building. Your admission price to the meeting is to bring nonperishable snack food items or a cash donation for the Urban Campus Pamela’s Pantry. The Board meeting will be at 10:10 a.m. in the same room.

Thirty-one years ago, construction crews began building the DMACC Urban-Des Moines Campus, located at 7th and Laurel Street, just north of downtown Des Moines. Before the cornerstone was laid, Urban was a learning center and offered college credit classes in several Des Moines locations. Today, the six-acre Urban/Des Moines Campus has more than 7,000 full- and part-time students from 65 countries around the world, making it one of the most culturally diverse campuses in all of Iowa. The Urban/Des Moines Campus is a good business partner with strong ties to downtown Des Moines companies and healthcare providers. It delivers education for today’s changing workforce and prepares tomorrow’s skilled employees. Call (515) 964-6868 by Mon., April 11, for reservations to this event.

Calling All Pioneers

The Pioneer Board is made up entirely of the willing volunteers who serve our team unselfishly every year in various capacities. The election of board members and officers is coming in May and we will be losing three of our current board members. It’s hoped that someone will step up to take on the role of Vice President. Please consider volunteering to be a part of this important group.

Committee Reports

The History Committee has been making progress. The committee is also focusing on gathering Program histories met on Tues., March 22, to continue our efforts on this important project.

2011 Garage Sale—August 18–20

The 2011 Pioneers Garage Sale changes include the pricing, delivery and setup moving to an earlier time period in the Automotive Lab, where we can more efficiently prepare for the sale. Harlan Giese will generously head up the Pioneer Trucking Company service but is looking for more people with trucks to help out when necessary. You can contact him directly at H: (515) 965-8647, C: (515) 240-3162 or harlanbarbara6@msn.com.

Final Notes

Spring has sprung and the familiar sounds of thunderstorms arrive to quench the thirsty earth. The first robin sightings have given us all hope for another glorious year of renewed growth and property. As you prepare to venture outside from your heated home, please join the Pioneers to celebrate our DMACC roots.

Pioneer President, Dee Johnson—Home Sweet Home & Happy To Be Here.