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DMACC HOSTS MID-AMERICAN WINE COMPETITION

DMACC hosted the sixth annual Mid-American Wine Competition July 13-15 on the DMACC Ankeny Campus. Judges Stephen Volkmer-Jones (left) and Dr. Richard Peterson swirl a red wine during the food-wine pairing portion of the competition.



(L-R) Stephen Volkmer-Jones and
Dr. Richard Peterson

Judges Cami Walker and Lauren Chalupsky-Cannon sample a wine during the competition.



Cami Walker



Lauren Chalupsky-Cannon

The judges were selected by Chief Judge Doug Frost, who is one of only three persons in the world to earn both the coveted Master of Wine degree and the Master Sommelier title.



Doug Frost

The judges awarded a total of 477 medals. A total of 619 wines were entered by more than 100 different wineries from 15 Midwestern states.



619 wines entered

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Upcoming Events

July 28

Wild Wild West 3-on-3 basketball tournament, West Campus.

August 3

Evelyn K. Davis Center for Working Families Open House, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., 801 University, Des Moines.

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DMACC HOSTS MID-AMERICAN WINE COMPETITION, CONT.

Volunteers Elizabeth Arndt (left) and Nola Hanson carefully pour some of the wines to be judged during the competition.



Frontenac Rose

The Frontenac Rose from Garden Winery of Gowrie received the Dr. Richard Peterson Best Iowa Appellation Award. This award is bestowed on the wine that has been judged as the best Iowa wine produced from grapes grown in the state.



(L to R) Elizabeth Arndt and Nola Hanson

EVELYN K. DAVIS CENTER FOR WORKING FAMILIES OPEN HOUSE



Everyone is invited to attend the Open House at the Evelyn K. Davis Center for Working Families. The event will be held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Fri., Aug. 3 at 801 University Ave. in Des Moines.

BLEACHERS REMOVED FROM THE ANKENY CAMPUS GYM

Complete Recycling Services (CRS) employees Jim Little (left to right), David Shea and Robert Stover load up the disassembled bleachers from the DMACC Ankeny Campus gym. The bleachers were sold to St. Louis Community College—Forest Park.



(L to R) Jim Little, David Shea and Robert Stover

Before the start of the fall semester, DMACC Physical Plant employees will have filled the holes in the concrete and painted the area where the bleachers once stood.



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JOB OPENINGS

Business Solutions Consultant, Ankeny Campus
Application Deadline: Aug. 2, 2012

If interested in the above position, please visit this DMACC website: <http://jobs.dmacc.edu>.



DMACC BOOTH AT JAZZ IN JULY EVENT

Hannah McKeever (left to right), Dianne Downing-Nelson and Robin Ziemann work at the DMACC booth at the Jazz in July event held Sat., July 21 on Sixth Avenue between College and Washington. Despite oppressive heat, hundreds of people showed up with their bag chairs to listen to jazz music throughout the day.



(L to R) Hannah McKeever, Dianne Downing-Nelson and Robin Ziemann

DMACC SIGN INSIDE JORDAN CREEK MALL

A large DMACC sign is prominently displayed above the food court area at Jordan Creek Mall in West Des Moines.



Jordan Creek Mall

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PIONEER CONNECTION

PIONEER GARAGE SALE ON HOLD

Due to the lack of donated items, the DMACC Pioneer Board has voted to suspend the annual garage sale for this year. Items will continue to be collected at the storage unit until July 28, as previously planned. Large furniture items may no longer be dropped off. To everyone who donated items, thanks. Your items will be held for next year.



JULY MEETING

On Thursday, June 14, 45 Pioneer members and guests met in the FFA Building to learn all about the Miracle League playground and field in Ankeny. Jan Burch, Bob Mitchell and three members of the Ankeny team gave us the updated information on this exciting new playground. Fundraising is well underway and they expect to break ground in a few months.

AUGUST MEETING

On Thursday, August 9 at 11:30 a.m., we will meet in the Oak Room of Bldg. #7 on the Ankeny campus to travel to Holland with Duane Anderson. Come and see the lovely sights of this exciting country and hear, first hand, the impressions of his recent trip. We will also be brainstorming ideas for a new fundraising project.

To reserve a seat, call 515-964-6868 by 4 p.m. on Monday, August 6.

PIONEER PRESIDENT, Dr. Lyla Maynard
by Past President Dee Johnson