Des Moines Area Community College
Open SPACE @ DMACC

Bulletin

2-20-2014

Bulletin

DMACC Marketing

Follow this and additional works at: http://openspace.dmacc.edu/bulletin

Recommended Citation
http://openspace.dmacc.edu/bulletin/161
DMACC NASA SCHOLARS

DMACC Boone Campus students Carl DeVries (left to right) of Ames, James Peterson of Boone and Andrew Meyer of Ames have been selected to participate in the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) Scholars program. They will spend three days at the Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville, Alabama learning from NASA engineers.

LAST MAN TO WALK ON MOON TO SPEAK ON WEST CAMPUS

Captain Eugene Cernan will speak Thur., March 6 at 1:30 p.m. on the main stage at the DMACC West Campus as part of Celebrate! Innovation Week. His presentation is called “Apollo: Inspiring Future Minds.” Cernan was part of three historic space missions including Pilot of Gemini IX, Lunar Module pilot of Apollo X and Commander of Apollo XVII. During the 1972 Apollo XVII mission he became the last person to leave his foot prints on the surface of the moon. Cernan has received many honors including the NASA Distinguished Service Medal and induction into the National Aviation Hall of Fame. For dates, times and more on Cernan and the entire CiWeek line-up go to www.dmacc.edu/ciweek.

FORMER ASTRONAUT TO SPEAK ON BOONE CAMPUS

Former NASA Astronaut Clayton Anderson will speak from 11:45 a.m. to 1:15 p.m., Tues., March 4 in the DMACC Boone Campus Auditorium. Anderson’s presentation is free and open to the public. Anderson received a Master’s degree in Aerospace Engineering from Iowa State University in 1983. Later that same year, he joined NASA’s Johnson Space Center working in the Mission Planning and Analysis Division, Mission Operations Directorate and managing the center’s emergency operations.

Anderson has been on two space flights. He has logged 167 days in space and more than 38 hours of Extravehicular Activity (spacewalks) at the International Space Station (ISS). He spent five months aboard the ISS during his first trip in space in 2007. He returned to the ISS in April 2010 during a re-supply mission.
Upcoming Events

March 3-6
ciWeek activities, DMACC West Campus

March 4
Former astronaut Clayton Anderson’s presentation, 11:45 a.m. to 1:15 p.m., Boone Campus Auditorium

March 10
DMACC Board of Directors meeting, 4 p.m., Newton Campus

STEM SEMINAR ON ANKENY CAMPUS

Greenwood Elementary School STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) Coordinator Mike Logsdon (left to right) explains an exercise to DMACC students Adau Deng of Des Moines, Courtney Littlejohn of Clarion and Hannah McCoid of Ankeny. The DMACC students were attending an Education STEM seminar at the Ankeny Campus. Logsdon and Greenwood Elementary Education Principal Eric Huinker spoke on the topic: “Engineering is Elementary Curriculum infused into the Foss Science Curriculum.”

DMACC students Brianna Marvin (left to right) of Ankeny, Jessica DeYoung of Cambridge and BreAnna Ploeger of Bondurant collaborate on a project at a STEM seminar at the Ankeny Campus. The seminar was geared towards students studying to become teachers.

FONTAINE HEAVY HAUL TRAILER DONATED TO DMACC

DMACC President Rob Denson (left) and Fontaine Trailer Company Heavy Haul Vice President of Sales and Marketing Dan Rosen stand in front of the Fontaine Heavy Haul trailer being donated to DMACC as the College’s 2014 Parade Unit. The 52-foot trailer can haul 35 tons, much more than the promotional displays DMACC will haul. It has the industry’s lowest deck height of 16 inches and includes aluminum pull-outs which support the industry’s highest dual-beam capacity of 7,500 pounds each at full extension. Denson, who drives an 18-wheeler, will pull the trailer in local parades as part of the College’s marketing efforts. The trailer was on display at the Agribusiness Showcase and Conference held at the Varied Industries Building at the Iowa State Fairgrounds.

Click to view DMACC Bulletin archives
CELEBRATING VALENTINE’S DAY

DMACC Ankeny Campus students Anjy Allen (left) of Des Moines and Avis Allen of Des Moines assemble a stuffed bear during a Student Activities Council-sponsored “create a bear” Valentine’s Day event held on the Ankeny Campus.

DMACC Ankeny Campus first-year Liberal Arts student Joe Mortoza (left) of Winterset and first-year Nursing student Cory Briney, also of Winterset, show off their finished product. Students could also decorate their own sugar cookies and enjoy hot chocolate.
POrEER CONNEcTION

FEBRUARY MEETING

The February meeting was well attended as 45 Pioneer members and guests enjoyed a wonderfully prepared gourmet luncheon in the Bistro.

MARCH MEETING

Please join us Thursday, March 13 at 11:30 a.m. in the Oak Room, Bldg. #7 on the DMACC Ankeny Campus for lunch and a special presentation by sculptor Stacey Henderson who will share his amazing talent with our group. The Pioneer Board meeting will be held at 10 a.m. in the Walnut Room.

In order to help us accurately plan, please make your reservation by 4 p.m. on Monday, March 10 by calling 964-6868 or emailing pioneers@dmacc.edu. No reservations will be accepted after that time. Please bring non-perishable donations for Pamela’s Pantry.

BOOK SALE

Please save the date to attend the Books Are Fun book sale from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Wednesday, Feb. 26 and Thursday, Feb. 27 in the Quiet Lounge of Bldg. #5 on the Ankeny Campus. We have added a day to the book sale and will be at the DMACC West Campus on Tuesday, February 25 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Product categories include children's story books, cookbooks, general interest books, New York Times best sellers, stationery and scrapbooking, music collections, gifts for all ages, early learning and children's educational products. As always, proceeds from this event support the Pioneer’s Scholarship Fund and student assistance programs.

RALPH ‘RUSTY’ CALDWELL

On a sad note, former program chair of Agri-Business, Rusty Caldwell, passed away. His obituary is listed below. Rusty’s wife, Eva Deane, worked in the Business Office. She preceded him in death several years ago. After their retirement they moved to Colorado where they lived for many years. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Caldwell family.

Ralph “Rusty” Caldwell

Rusty Caldwell, 88, formerly of Indianola and Ankeny, peacefully passed away January 30, 2014 at the VA Center in Grand Junction Colorado.

Rusty was born August 20, 1925 in Fallis, Oklahoma. He graduated high school in Wellston, Oklahoma where he met and married Eva Deane Lindsey in 1945. He served in World War II and Korea, graduated from Oklahoma State University and moved to Chandler, Oklahoma where he taught vocational agriculture.

In 1967 he moved to Indianola where he worked for Iowa Farm Bureau, the Iowa Development Commission and retired from DMACC in Ankeny before moving to Colorado.

He is survived by two sons Greg Caldwell, Austin Texas and Ken Caldwell, Grand Island, Nebraska, four grandchildren and three great grandchildren. The family will have a private interment at a later date.

Dee Johnson - Past President - Pioneers