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Numerous awards were handed out during DMACC's spring President's Day festivities. Ankeny Campus Speech Professor Judy Vogel received the DMACC Foundation's Distinguished Faculty Award, given in recognition of outstanding teaching and contributions to the educational process at DMACC. She received congratulations and a crystal bowl from DMACC President Rob Denson.

DMACC Ankeny Campus Counselor Sheila Aukes was named the Distinguished Service Award recipient. This award is presented in recognition of outstanding service to DMACC that goes beyond the scope of regular job responsibilities. Serving as interim director of Student Development for almost a full calendar year while still maintaining her counseling role, Aukes clearly went above and beyond in carrying out the DMACC mission.

Hugh Stone, who has taught as an adjunct at DMACC for more than 30 years, received the Distinguished Adjunct Faculty Award. He has taught World Religions, Intro to Philosophy, Ethics, Islam and the Middle East, and more at the Ankeny, Urban and West campuses; Southridge Center, and the Iowa Correctional Institution for Women.
PRESIDENT’S DAY AWARDS (CONT.)

DMACC President Rob Denson presents the Outstanding DMACC Pioneer Award to Carroll Bennett, who retired in his official capacity with DMACC in 1997. As one of the original employees at DMACC, Bennett worked for 30 years in a variety of administrative positions, including chief academic officer and founding Executive Dean at the Newton Campus. Bennett currently serves as Vice President of the DMACC Pioneers, where he chairs the History Committee.

DMACC Continuing Education Executive Director Michael Hoffman and Continuing Education Coordinator Curt Buhr present the Distinguished Continuing Education Faculty Award to Clay Winterboer. In addition, Urban Campus Custodian Pheap Tim (not in photo) was presented a Support Staff Service Award.

DMACC Spanish Professor Mary West was presented a Tapestry Award by DMACC President Rob Denson and DMACC Diversity Commission Chair Joanne Dudgeon. The Tapestry Award is presented by the DMACC Diversity Commission to recognize individuals who have demonstrated a commitment to diversity.
PRESIDENT’S DAY AWARDS - TAPESTRY AWARD RECIPIENTS (CONT.)

DMACC Boone Campus Provost Tom Lee presents a Tapestry Award to Boone Campus Counselor Rita Davenport.

DMACC Urban Campus Provost Dr. Laura Douglas presents a Tapestry Award to TRIO Student Support Services Coordinator Dr. Norma Perez-Kahler.
AFRICAN FAMILY NIGHT AT THE URBAN CAMPUS

Professor Anthony Stevens

DMACC Urban Campus Psychology Professor Dr. Anthony Stevens played an African drum as attendees ate a light dinner at the first-ever African Family Night held at the Urban Campus.

Barah Alturfee

DMACC Urban Campus student Barah Alturfee of Arabic serves food as part of the light dinner at the first-ever African Family Night held at the Urban Campus.

A standing-room-only crowd of more than 150 people attended the two and a half hour free event. People from more than two dozen African countries attended to learn about the benefits of attending college, how to get started at DMACC, and how to pay for college.
AFRICAN FAMILY NIGHT AT THE URBAN CAMPUS

DMACC Urban Campus students Masoka Nyasa Malemba and Phillipe Kipendo, both originally from the Republic of the Congo, took part in a five-student panel that looked at what it’s like to be a student from an African country attending college at DMACC.

Jennifer Trimnell, a Pre-Med student originally from Nigeria, also took part in the student panel.

At the end of the evening, a drawing was held for a $500 scholarship. DMACC Urban Campus Provost Dr. Laura Douglas presented the scholarship to Alexis Nzayiramya of Des Moines. He is originally from the Republic of the Congo.
SALMON HONORED

DMACC Athletic Director Orv Salmon receives a framed jersey and a photo of a huddle when Salmon was the DMACC men’s head basketball coach from current coach B.J. McGinn and Sports Information Director Eric Ver Helst. Salmon is retiring from DMACC at the end of June. He was honored at halftime of the men’s final home game of the year.

Six former DMACC men’s basketball players, some who traveled from as far away as New Jersey, came back to Boone to honor their former coach. Boone Provost Tom Lee (right) spoke of Salmon’s many accomplishments as former players Rich Borgos, Cody Pearson, Shelton Colwell, Jamal Jackson, Jordan Jackson and Adam Daley, along with Eric Ver Helst, looked on.
ZOMBIES INVADE JORDAN CREEK TOWN CENTER

University of Iowa student Alexis Cole and DMACC student Yuuki Matsuyama dress up as zombies and search for victims around the DMACC kiosk at the Jordan Creek Town Center in West Des Moines. They were promoting an upcoming Celebrate Innovation (ciWeek) event being held at the DMACC West Campus.

Howard Berger, an Oscar and Emmy award-winning visual effects and makeup artist, spoke on March 3. Berger won the Academy Award for Best Makeup for "The Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe" and a British Academy Award for Best Achievement in Makeup for the film. He also won an Emmy Award for Best Prosthetic Makeup for the AMC television series, "The Walking Dead".

SALMON HONORED (CONT.)

Former DMACC player and All-American Shelton Colwell described Salmon as a father-figure to him during his playing days at DMACC. Colwell went on to play 11 seasons of professional basketball. Salmon was Head Coach from 2000-2009 and helped DMACC become ICCAC champs in 2000-01 and 2001-02, Regional XI champs in 2001-02 and 2006-07, a NJCAA Division II Final Four team in 2000-01 and an Elite Eight team in 2006-07. He had an overall record of 237-60 and was 98-31 in the ICCAC. He coached six All-Americans and had more than 20 wins in each of his seasons at DMACC. The 2001-02 and 2006-07 teams set school records with 31 wins.

In addition, Salmon has been Athletic Director at DMACC from 2000-2016. He added four sports in those years, with 26 teams qualifying for National Tournaments.
ciWEEK AT WEST CAMPUS

Author and confidence builder Jason Kiesau delivers a keynote address on the opening evening of Celebrate! Innovation Week on the DMACC West Campus. Kiesau, author of *FOCUSED: Your Future Starts Now!*, told the audience that self-management is important as we celebrate our strengths and protect our self-confidence.

DREAM COACH SPEAKS AT ciWeek

Mitch Mathews, dream coach and best-selling author, delivers the keynote presentation during Celebrate! Innovation Week on the West Campus. He talks about the "Big Dream Gathering" that changed his life in 2006. Matthews has helped people become successful through his Dream, Think, Do process. He said “permission” is the heart of making big dreams a reality.
FORMER SKINHEAD SPEAKS AT DMACC

Frank Meeink, a former skinhead who now speaks out against hatred, delivered a DMACC Diversity Commission sponsored presentation at the Ankeny Campus. The event was streamed to all DMACC campuses.

Meeink became a skinhead at 13. By 18, he was roaming the country as a skinhead leader and Neo-Nazi recruiter with gangs that would beat people indiscriminately. He was arrested and convicted of aggravated kidnapping and beating a member of a rival skinhead gang. While in prison, he befriended men he used to think he hated, men of different races. After being released from prison, Meeink tried to rejoin his old skinhead pals but couldn't bring himself to hate those whom he knew to be his friends. Meeink is now a speaker and author whose life stands for tolerance, diversity and mutual understanding. He has spent the past 12 years living in Des Moines.

DIVERSITY COMMISSION-SPONSORED PRESENTATION ON ISLAM

Dr. Mohamed Salem speaks on “Islam Exposed” during a Diversity Commission-sponsored presentation held on the DMACC Urban Campus. He said Islam means the willful submission and surrender to the will of Allah (God) by believing in the oneness of Allah.

Salem said the five pillars of Islam are as follows:

- Believe in One God with Muhammed as His messenger
- Five times daily prayer
- Charity
- Fast during Ramadan Pilgrimage
IMAGINARY CIRCUMSTANCES

Anthony Weeks delivers a DMACC Diversity Commission-sponsored presentation following the showing of his 20-minute documentary on "Imaginary Circumstances."

Weeks is a documentary filmmaker, illustrator and writer who discussed his Academy Award-winning short documentary video that explores the representation of disability in entertainment media, both past and present. Weeks said for many years, only able-bodied actors played people who live with a disability. He said more networks are now showing persons who live with a disability depicting a person living with a disability.

DMACC STUDENTS PREPARE FRENCH CHEF’S GOURMET DINNER

DMACC Culinary Arts students Kylie Dagit of Ames and Victoria Anderson of Marathon score tomatoes to be served at a French Chef’s dinner recently held on the DMACC Ankeny Campus. Dagit and Anderson are second-year Culinary Arts students.
DMACC STUDENTS PREPARE FRENCH CHEF’S GOURMET DINNER (CONT.)

Second-year Culinary Arts students Nicole Arpy of Des Moines and Terry Leverett of West Des Moines make coffee meringue treats to be served at a French Chef’s dinner recently held on the DMACC Ankeny Campus.

DMACC Culinary Arts second-year Culinary Arts students Nicole Arpy (left) of Des Moines and Shauna Kerr of Elgin prepare trays of meringue to be served at a French Chef’s dinner recently held on the DMACC Ankeny Campus.
NEWTON CAREER DISCOVERY DAY

DMACC Court Reporting Instructor Deb DuBuc watches Newton Basics and Beyond student Dakota Armstrong work on a court reporting assignment during a session at the DMACC Newton Career Discovery Day. More than 160 high school students attended the four-and-a-half-hour event.

Baxter High School students Emma Butler, Jordynn Wesselink and Tayler Klocko, all of Baxter, slice strawberries and kiwi in a Culinary Arts demonstration on the DMACC Newton Campus. The students later enjoyed their desserts with the free lunch provided by DMACC.

Prairie City-Monroe High School senior Karina Van Dyke of Prairie City fingerprints Baxter High School sophomore Autumn Engle of Newton in the Criminal Justice session at the DMACC Newton Career Discovery Day. The students who attended the event participated in three of ten hands-on classroom demonstrations and then toured a Newton area business.
NEWTON CAREER DISCOVERY DAY (CONT.)

Clayton Baltisberger and Demetrius Glenn

Newton High School sophomore Clayton Baltisberger of Newton practices welding under the watchful eye of DMACC Newton Campus Welding student Demetrius Glenn of Kellogg.

Janet Gallardo

Baxter High School student Janet Gallardo of Des Moines uses a spray gun during a hands-on demonstration in the DMACC Newton Campus Auto Collision lab.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ATTEND CARROLL CAREER DISCOVERY DAY

Dominic Spencer, Nick Streit, Tyler Bueltel and Jack Thompson

DMACC Carroll Campus Industrial Electro-Mechanical Technology Professor Jack Thompson (right) gives some pre-welding instructions to Carroll Senior High School sophomores Dominic Spencer, Nick Streit and Tyler Bueltel prior to the sparks flying at the Career Discovery Day held Feb. 23 on the Carroll Campus.
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ATTEND CARROLL CAREER DISCOVERY DAY (CONT.)

At the nursing demonstration, Carroll Senior High School students Justin Mohr, Sydney Vasquez, Cavan Eberle and Yar Ijong administer to a simulation mannequin at the Career Discovery Day.

Nearly 100 area high school students attended the Career Discovery Day at the Carroll Campus. The event included a tour of several Carroll-area businesses.

DMACC EMPLOYEE AWARDS

Congratulations to DMACC employee Jan Weitl, Bookkeeper/Student Accounts, Newton Campus, who recently received a DMACC Employee Award. As a fellow employee was out for a family emergency, Jan stepped up to the plate to help out. She worked through the purge list, documented each student’s situation and even contacted them. Great job, Jan!

Additional nomination forms are available in each department or office and may also be requested from Kim Cady at (515) 964-6304 or kscady@dmacc.edu.
DMACC INSTRUCTOR AND STUDENTS HELP JUDGE SCIENCE FAIR

DMACC Newton Campus Biology Instructor Matt Abbott and DMACC students including Mandie Baumgardt and Sid Smith were judges at the recent Colfax-Mingo Middle School Science Fair. Eighth-graders Shannon Shodenholm and Katelyn Thomas Hewitt were some of the 80 seventh- and eighth-graders who presented their projects Feb. 23 in both physical and biological categories. Colfax-Mingo Middle School Science Instructor Tim McCloud was also kept busy on that day.

RADON IN YOUR HOME

Boone County Sanitarian and Code Enforcement Officer John Roosa holds a map indicating the severity of radon during a Lunch and Learn presentation on the DMACC Boone Campus. Iowa and North Dakota are the only states completely covered in the odorless, tasteless gas that is the second leading cause of lung cancer in the United States.

Roosa said the cancer-causing, radioactive gas is found in many basements in Iowa homes. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) surveys in Iowa have found that seven in ten homes contain radon concentrations above the EPA’s radon action level of four picoCuries/liter. Testing is the only way to know if you and your family are at risk from radon. Roosa said radon reduction systems are generally $800 to $2,800. Radon test kits are sold at all big box stores and hardware stores.
DMACC STUDENTS RECEIVE GAP SCHOLARSHIPS

DMACC Fashion Merchandising and Design students Mandy Ruchti of Johnston, Bianca Ebako of Ames, Paige Amdahl of Waukee and Danielle Kranovich of West Des Moines each received a $250 scholarship from GAP Inc. The scholarships were part of the GAP Inc. for Community College Partnership Program.

JOB OPENINGS

Continuing Education Coordinator
Southridge Center

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