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Summer plans

Lucas DeKoster, president of the Iowa Board of Public Instruction will lead a distinguished group of guest speakers at Friday's 56th Annual Commencement at the Boone Campus of DMACC.

Other scheduled speakers are Dr. Joseph Borgen, president of DMACC; Clair Abbott, Dean Emeritus; and Ray Clark, member of the board of directors of DMACC.

Dean Kris Philips, dean of the Boone Campus of DMACC, will present the graduates.

The exercises are scheduled to begin at 10 a.m. in the gymnasium. A reception for new graduates, their families and staff members will be held in the student lounge following the exercises.

There is a total of 157 candidates for degrees and diplomas. Of that total there are 34 candidates for associate in arts degrees; 51 candidates for associate in science degrees; 41 candidates for associate in applied science degrees; and 31 candidates for diplomas.

Thirty-seven faculty and staff members will join in the event. Some of the faculty members will wear cap and gown and will enter the auditorium in a procession to witness the graduation.
Honors students named

A tradition at the end of the school year is to honor those who have done superior work at the Boone Campus at DMACC. The honorees are hosted at a special dinner the evening before graduation.

This year's honors dinner and Phi Theta Kappa initiation is scheduled to take place Thursday, May 3 at the Colonial House.

A list of this year's honorees has been provided to the Bear Facts.

The award, its description and the winner follows:

E. Sherrill Brown Award - Given by Everett C. and Eunice D. Brown in honor of their son, who was killed in World War II. It goes to the student who ranks third highest in the graduating class. The winner is Barb Stotts.

Jan Pritchard Memorial Award - This award commemorates the student leadership provided by Jan Pritchard, a 1966 Boone Junior College graduate. The award goes to the class salutatorian. The winner is Cynthia Draper.

Grace Slosson Scholarship Award - Donations from the Boone Junior College alumni and faculty established the fund. It is awarded to the Liberal Arts student who, having completed the first two years of academic work, ranks first scholastically. The winners are June McCullough and Terri Ruhde, who tied.

J.R. Thorngren Social Science Award - Presented in memory of Dean Thorngren who was a former dean of the college. The winner is selected on the basis of academic achievement in the social sciences. The winner is Fred Heineman.

The Hartley Award - Established in 1980 by Mr. and Mrs. William Harley, former instructors at the Boone Campus. The award goes to the highest ranking student upon completion of the freshman year in Arts and Science or Business. The winner is Natalie Patterson.

Computer Science Award - The winner is Don Lorentzen.

The Bear Facts

THE BEAR FACTS is the official student publication of the Boone Campus of the Des Moines Area Community College. The staff welcomes suggestions and contributions, which should be submitted to the editor. The newspaper is published nine times a year and is distributed free to the students, staff and friends of the school.

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Contributions are most welcome to Bear Facts
Marlys Anderson—Soak up the sun’s rays, and spend my summer with Greg. Also earn the bucks!!

Connie Sturtz—Farming after my wedding.

Classified Ads

The Boone Bear Facts is now accepting classified ads at no charge to students and staff.

Ads can be given to any Bear Facts staff member or placed in H. James Potter’s mailbox in the main office.

Barb Neese—Going back to the Army in San Antonio, Texas.
Sarah Hiller-Undecided. Go to school out here possibly.

Connie Bassett-Beach Bum, Soak up ray's. Broiler-working part time. Party!!

Donna Bildner-Teach here all summer. Tour Wisconsin, Minnesota, Michigan in August.

Jerry Klemme-Summer school.

Dellina and Jenny-Summer school and having a good time doing it.
Pierre Kellogg - Try to find a full-time job. Maybe have some fun.

Steve Doran - Spending time with my son and getting caught up on bills or I'll be living in the streets.

Ariella "La Pinche" - Summer school and studying.

Wayne Ostergaard - Gone to work to make money this summer.

Dawn Thacker - Working at ISU. Summer help. Spending the summer with Tommy!!

Mark Disbroyoe - Nothing
Some students at DMACC may be considering a transfer to the University of Northern Iowa in Cedar Falls after school work on the Boone Campus. Those of you considering becoming Panthers should be aware of some changes in requirements for admission.

According to a letter from the Office of Admissions at UNI, the Faculty Senate approved the changes effective for students who graduate from high school in the spring of 1984 and seek admission to the university for summer and fall of 1984.

In addition the change affects transfer students. That part of the senate requirement states: "Students transferring to the University of Northern Iowa before earning credit in English and or mathematics will be included in the policies outlined. Students with college level credit in English composition and or mathematics will be released from individual subject restrictions."

According to the letter from Gordy Scoles, assistant director of admissions, this policy has been interpreted to mean that only English and or mathematics credit that UNI accepts as transfer credit will satisfy the requirements. Remedial or non-credit courses not taken at UNI will not meet the new requirements.

The English and math requirements are three years of English of which at least one year is identified as composition. Only credits in which a grade of C or better was earned apply toward the requirement. For math the requirement is three years of which at least one year must be algebra and in which a grade of C or better was earned.

Students failing to meet the minimum standards may be released from academic restrictions by giving evidence of a 25 in English on the ACT test or a 70 or above on the College Level Examination Program. For math the minimum is 28 on the ACT or 50 and above on the CLEP test for College Algebra-Trigonometry.

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Pickin' the flicks

TANK
Tank is a bomb. James Garner as a career Army man and Shirley Jones as his wife have sunk beneath their usual standards with this one. Even C. Thomas Howell, a relatively new actor, has sunk from previous films (E.T. and The Outsidres). The film gets its name from Garner's use of a W.W.11. Sherman tank to free his son from jail. Not a good buy.**

SPASH
Splash is a very entertaining film about a love affair between a New York produce seller and a (are you ready for this?) mermaid. Tom Hanks is adorable as the confused, love-sick man who can't understand why his "foreign" girlfriend won't tell him her secret. This humorous movie is also heart-touching as you watch their love grow and their final decision. This movie is an entertaining evening.

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Forget it ★
Only if bored **
Worth a look ***
Good movie ****

Ranking the records

By Brian Bertini

Scorpions-Love at First Sting
Finally, after an excruciating whole year, they have released a follow up to their gold album. Blackout. This new album is indeed traditional, heavy metal Scorpions sound with Rocks You Like a Hurricane, Big City Nights, and Bad Boys Running Wild headlining the album. The Klausmeine voice combined with the powerful Matthias Sabs Rudolph Schenker guitar combo is a must for heavy metal fans. ****

Saxon - Crusader - Crunching heavy metal. This relatively unknown band has opened for some famous acts like ACID, Black Sabbath, and Rainbow, but this English band, while popular in Europe, has been ignored by American rockers. Songs include "Rock City", "Crusader", and their ballad, "Just Let Me Rock", will probably not get much airplay. They are now in the process of touring Canada and the eastern U.S.***

April Wine - Animal Grace - You might remember this band from their 1981 album Nature of the Beast. Since then, however, radio stations have ignored their last two albums, but die-hard April wine listeners will buy this one too. This album doesn't have the sharp sounds the Beast album does, but it's more inventive. This could be the right one: Money Talks and Hard Rock Kid could receive air play, but a lot depends on the listeners. The band is using a lot more synthesizers this time around. Don't expect too much.**

Dwight Twilley-Jungle - Dwight Twilley has been in the music business for some time, although you'd never know he was singing. Together with comrad Tom Petty, plus dozens of other musicians, he has produced a commendable debut album with songs like "Girls", "Break my Heart", and "Little Bit of Love." Airplay will definitely help this album. ***

Graduation breakfast Friday morning

Boone Chapter of the DMACC Alumni Association, in cooperation with Boone Foundation, will sponsor a graduation breakfast, 7:15 a.m., Colonial House, Boone, to honor Boone campus's graduates. All graduates and their parents or spouse are invited guests of the Boone Alumni Chapter. Other Family members or guests may attend for $3 per person.
All faculty and staff are invited to attend both receptions.
By Tom Johnston

As the summer approaches many college students will be looking for a good bar to go to. I decided to check out a few for college crowds looking for a good time in the area.

The rating system is based on:

1. Worth a drink
2. Good bar
3. Excellent bar

DES MOINES

Rolla Boyce - This is a big bar with either a D.J. or a band. The cover charge is $2. It has one big bar inside and is capable of holding a thousand people, and it does on weekends.

Grappes and Grains - This has the AIB crowd which usually includes more women than men. No cover charge.

Porky's - I never thought much of the place. Usually a cover charge on weekends.

And enjoy the music. Usually no cover charge.

ANKENY

The Distillery - The largest bar in Ankeny has lots of people but the music is usually country. Still a good bar. When there is a band, cover is $2.

Grand Daddy's - This is the largest bar in Ankeny. It is usually full of people and the cover is usually a dollar.

Top of the Town - A nice little bar to relax and enjoy the music. Usually no cover charge.

The Brewery - This is a country music bar with a cover charge of a dollar with a D.J. and $2 when there is a band.

The Copper Dollar - Lots of pool tables with no atmosphere.

The Murphy's Law - One of the better bars in Ankeny. Usually has a band.

AMES

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BOONE

Lynn's Lounge - This is a really small bar with one pool table. One good thing about it is a free keg Tuesdays and Thursdays.

My Place Lounge - Decent atmosphere but sometimes an unpredictable crowd. One fault is a really small dance floor.

Kate Shelley Lounge - This is the best bar in Boone. The finest dance floor in Boone and a good variety of music. Sometimes a dollar cover charge.

O'Brien's - Good hospitality, but very small. No pool table.

The best bar reviewed would have to be The Lucky Lady in Des Moines. So, go out enjoy yourself. But, if you get to enjoying yourself too much, let someone else drive you home. Good luck and have a great summer.