

The Knightline

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Tickets for 'Annie' go on sale Feb. 19

Tickets for the Olney Central College Theatre's production of "Annie" will go on sale at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 19 in the lobby of the Dr. John D. Stull Performing Arts Center.

Performances are scheduled for 7:30 p.m. on March 15, 16, 21, 22 and 23. Afternoon shows will be offered at 2 p.m. on March 17 and 24.

Dinner theatres will be held before the Friday and Saturday shows at 6 p.m. The menu includes: roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, glazed carrots, seven-layer salad, hot roll with butter, peach cobbler with ice cream and beverage.

With equal measures of pluck and positivity, little orphan Annie charms everyone's hearts, despite a next-to-nothing start in 1930s New York City.

She is determined to find her parents, who aban-



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doned her years ago on the doorstep of a New York City orphanage run by the cruel, embittered Miss Hannigan.

With the help of the other girls in the orphanage, Annie escapes to the wondrous and magical world of New York City.

In adventure after funfilled adventure, Annie foils Miss Hannigan's evil schemes and befriends President Franklin Delano Roosevelt.

She finds a new home

and family in billionaire Oliver Warbucks, his personal secretary Grace Farrell, and a lovable mutt named Sandy.

Tickets may be purchased from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday through Friday. Tickets for the production are \$10 for reserved seating for children and adults. Tickets for the meal and show are \$20.

Those who wish to reserve tickets may call 395-7777, ext. 2408, during

the hours designated for ticket sales. Tickets may be purchased with a Mastercard or Visa.

Reserved tickets will be held for five working days, until picked up in person or a check is received in the mail. Patrons may send a check with a selfaddressed, stamped envelope to OCC and the tickets will be sent by return

Any remaining tickets may be purchased one hour before the performance.

Cast selected for OCC Theatre spring musical

Cast members have been selected for the Olney Central College Theatre's upcoming production of "Annie."

Names of the characters and cast members selected are: Annie, Katie Hostetter; Orphans, Paige Tedford, Lacy Schloebo, Morgan Puckett, Taylor Meritt, Emma Gulovsen, Lauren Hill and Taylor Ferguson; Miss Hannigan, Sherry Brauer;

Oliver Warbucks, Jon Wright; Grace Farrell, Emily Ferguson; Rooster Hannigan, Jeremy Henson; Lily St. Regis, Crystal Ham; Bert Healy, Mike Hill; Franklin Delano Roosevelt, Sam Benson; Drake, Bill Padgett; and Ensemble, Bill White, Neita Balding, Brent Pampe, Bea Gardner, Paul Atkins, Tracy Snyder, Joshua Wills, Chris McDowell, Jessica

Slater, Jason Klingler, Nora Hall, Stephanie Klingler, Rachel Pampe, Ivy Benson, Kathy Neeley, Lisa Benson, Alice Ann Hostetter, Ben Sorgner, Chloe St. Pierre, Kaylee Shouse, Makayla Murphy, Hunter Meritt, Victoria Kittle, Breeanna Henson, Abigail Nealis, Hannah Gillis, Taylor Klingler, Lydia Allen, Sophia Ranes, Amelia Ginder and Anna Weidner.

Get help completing your FAFSA on Feb. 6

Need help filing for Financial Aid? Olney Central College will offer a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) Night from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 6 in Room 207.

The OCC Financial Aid staff will be available to assist students and parents as they complete and submit their 2013-

2014 FAFSA applications.

Those attending should bring the following: student's 2012 taxes and parents' 2012 taxes and information if they are a dependent, W-2 forms and driver's license.

For more information, contact the OCC Financial Aid Office at 395-7777, ext. 2021.



DON'T FORGET Fill out your FAFSA for 2013-2014!

Did you know you can complete the FAFSA as early as January 1, 2013 for the 2013-2014 school year? Even if you haven't filed your taxes, just check "I have not yet completed my return" and estimate your tax information.

Don't lose out on valuable State of Illinois Grant \$\$. File early!

www.fafsa.ed.gov

Sports Schedule

Men's Basketball

- Feb. 6 OCC at Kaskaskia College, 7:30 p.m.
- **Feb. 9** OCC vs. Vincennes University, 7:30 p.m. at home
- **Feb. 13** OCC vs. Wabash Valley College, 7:30 p.m. at home
- **Feb. 16** OCC at John A. Logan College, 3 p.m.
- **Feb 18** OCC vs. Rend Lake College, 7:30 p.m. at home
- **Feb. 20** OCC vs. Lewis and Clark Community College, 7:30 p.m. at home
- Feb 23 OCC at Lake Land College, 7:30 p.m.
- Feb 27 OCC vs. Lincoln Trail College, 7:30 p.m. at home

Women's Basketball

- Feb. 6 OCC at Kaskaskia College, 5:30 p.m.
- **Feb. 9** OCC vs. Vincennes University, 5:30 p.m. at home
- **Feb. 13** OCC vs. Wabash Valley College, 5:30 p.m. at home
- **Feb. 16** OCC at John A. Logan College, 1 p.m.
- Feb 18 OCC vs. Rend Lake College, 5:30 p.m. at home
- Feb 23 OCC at Lake Land College, 5:30 p.m.
- **Feb 27** OCC vs. Lincoln Trail College, 5:30 p.m. at home

Baseball

- **Feb. 15** OCC at Roane State Community College, 1 p.m.
- **Feb. 16** OCC at Roane State Community College, noon
- **Feb. 18** OCC at Union College, 1 p.m.
- **Feb. 19** OCC at University of the Cumberlands, 1 p.m.

Softball

- **Feb. 22** OCC at Jackson State Community College, 1 p.m.
- **Feb. 23** OCC at Dyersburg State Community College, noon

Class offers tips for using iPads

Looking for tips on how to use your iPad? Olney Central College is offering an 8-week class designed to help both new and current users get the most from their iPads.

The class, EDU 2198 Topics/Issues in Education (iPad), will meet from 6 to 7:50 p.m. on Tuesdays, beginning March 11.

Instructor Brittany Bass will be showing participants how to navigate the iPad as well as teaching them how to search for and download apps. During the course, students also will learn how to connect the iPad to other equipment.

"This is a good class to take if you want to become more comfortable using the iPad or if you are thinking about purchasing one," Bass said. "We will start with the basics and move on to more advanced skills so by the end of the class the students will feel comfortable doing almost anything with the iPad."

Bass requests students bring their iPads with them to class, however an iPad isn't required to take the course.

For more information or to register, contact the Student Services Office at 395-7777.

Upcoming college visits

Representatives from the following colleges and universities will be visiting OCC. Information tables will be located outside the Student Services Office.

- Tosha Baker with Southern Illinois University at Carbondale will be at OCC from 9 a.m. to noon on Feb. 6 and Feb. 21.
 - Lakeview College of

Nursing will be at OCC from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on March 12.

- St. Mary-of-the-Woods College will be here from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on March 14.
- MacMurray College will be at OCC from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on April 11.
- Benedictine University will be here from 1:30 to 4 p.m. on April 17.

Massage Therapy spring clinicals

Olney Central College's Massage Therapy Program is accepting appointments for its spring clinicals.

The clinics are open to the public. Appointment times are 9 to 10 a.m., 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. on Feb. 8, 15 and 22; March 1, 2, 15, 16 and 22; April 5, 12 and 26; and May 3.

The cost for a relaxing, Swedish-style massage is just \$25 for a one-hour session. The massage treatments are for the sole purpose of stress reduction, relief from muscle tension or spasm and to increase circulation and energy flow. A massage therapy instructor will be present at the clinics.

To schedule an appointment, call 392-2430. If you are unable to reach someone, please leave a message and your call will be returned as soon as possible. OCC's Massage Therapy Building is located at 108 E. Main St., in Olney.

Winter Weather Policy

It is Olney Central College's policy to remain open unless the weather makes it too hazardous to do so.

When the safety of students and staff is threatened due to inclement weather or other emergencies, OCC will be closed or classes canceled or delayed.

Administration will attempt to notify media outlets prior to the 6 a.m. news on the day of the closing.

Don't assume that if the elementary and high schools close, OCC will be closed as well. If no announcement is made, classes will meet as usual.

Closure of day classes does not necessarily mean that evening classes will be canceled.

Announcements regarding evening classes will be made prior to 4 p.m., if at all possible.

The following radio and television stations will be notified of

any cancelations or delays:

- WVLN-AM and WSEI-FM in Olney
 - WIKK in Newton
 - WAKO in Lawrenceville
- WFIW-AM and -FM in Fairfield
 - WNOI-FM in Flora
 - WSJD in Mt. Carmel
 - WCRC in Effingham
- WTWO and WTHI in Terre Haute, Ind.
- WEHT, WFIE and WTVW in Evansville, Ind.

Closings also will be announced on the following websites:

- www.iecc.edu
- www.weatherclosings.com

Closings also are announced through IECC Alerts. Log onto Entrata and click on the alerts link to activate an account.

If you have already created an account, you may want to log on to ensure it is still active.

ONLINE PAYMENT

Step 1: Log into your Entrata account with your username and password. Click on the Banner Web icon at the right-hand side of your screen.



Step 2: Click on Pay Tuition, Fees, and Other Charges Online — Credit Card to make your online Payment.

Student Records

Account by Term
Account Summary
Account Summary by Term
Degree Evaluation
Final Grades by Term
Holds on Your Account
Payments - Pay Tuition, Fees, and Other Charges Online - Credit Card
Payment History and Statement
Select Tax Year
Student Information
Tax Notification
Transcript Unofficial

If you encounter problems with making your online payment, please contact the IECC HelpDesk at 618-395-5299 or toll-free 1-866-529-4322, ext. 4357.

OCC emergency alerts

Illinois Eastern Community Colleges has contracted with e2Campus to provide alert notification services.

The system will notify students and employees of campus emergencies and closures by e-mail and/or cell phone text message. Log onto Entrata and click on the alerts link to activate an account.

IECC Alerts is an opt-in service. While there is no direct cost for signing up for the service, you may be charged a text message fee by your cell phone provider.

Please check your cell phone plan to understand the costs you may incur using the

The system will be used to send text messages related

service.

to campus emergencies, weatherrelated closures, test messages and notifications when accounts are about to expire.

If you do not have an Entrata account, please contact the Records Office at 395-7777.

LSC offers students free tutoring

Need help bringing up a grade in one of your classes? The Learning Skills Center offers free tutoring in any subject taught at OCC.

Study guides and videos are available in several subjects.

If you have any special learn-

ing needs, come and see the LSC staff.

They will be glad to provide suggestions, help and/or accommodations.

The LSC is located in the back of the Anderson Library in Conference Room 4.



The public is invited to help complete the unfinished artwork on display in the Anderson Library Gallery. The display will run through the end of March.

Public invited to 'Finish My Drawing'

A new exhibit entitled "Finish My Drawing," is currently on display in the Anderson Library Gallery.

The art show features unfinished artwork which Instructor Michael Conn invites the public to complete.

Recently there has been a move on behalf of some art practitioners to take their work and working methods in more civic-minded spheres, Conn said. Artists are enacting their works thinking about the idea of the "public" as medium.

"This project is an attempt to

engage the public with art through the making process," he said. "With this endeavor, I am deeply interested in the notion of authorships, ownership and community."

Conn added, "It does not matter if the public has art experience or not. What is important is engagement and confrontation with art. Hopefully a pedagogical experience will occur – one that is meaningful in all contexts."

The display will run through the end of March.

Student Senate Talent Show March 28

The OCC Student Senate will host a Talent Show at 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 28 in the Dr. John D. Stull Performing Arts Center.

This is an opportunity for OCC students and staff to showcase their skills in a fun night of entertainment and laughs. The event will feature bands, singers, comedy acts and much

more.

Tickets are available in the Student Services Office or from Student Senate members. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$3 for children 10 and younger. For more information, contact Student Senate Advisor Michael Conn in Room 201A or by email at connm@iecc.edu.

OCC to participate in earthquake drill Feb. 7

OCC will participate in the Great Central U.S. ShakeOut, a multi-state earthquake drill on Thursday, Feb. 7.

In the event of an earthquake, you should drop to the ground, take cover

under a sturdy desk or table and hold on to it until the shaking stops.

For more information about the Great Central U.S. ShakeOut visit www.shakeout.org.

OCC closed Feb. 18

OCC will be closed on Monday, Feb. 18 in observance of Presidents Day.

Lost and found items

If you have lost an item, please check with the switchboard in the Student Services Office.

Keep vehicles locked

Students utilizing the OCC parking lots are advised to keep their vehicles locked when unattended.

Follow OCC on Facebook

Like OCC on Facebook to keep up with the latest happenings on campus. Find us on Facebook at facebook.com/olneycentralcollege.

Happy Birthday To:

February

- 3 Teresa Diekmann WVC
- 6 Penny Campbell-Henry
- 6 Suzanne Downes
- 8 Jeff Cutchin
- 10 Anne Hustad
- 14 Rebecca Myers
- 17 Jerry Booker
- 17 Nick Wright
- 20 Ruth Henry
- 23 Anne Hahn WVC
- 23 Lisa Rauch

Knightline Information

Please submit information for the March Knightline to Deanna Ratts by 5 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 22.

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