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NEWSLETTER



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POP CULTURE: SHAPING & REFLECTING WHO WE ARE *The honors topic for 2004- 2006*

Feel free to explore this topic at:

<http://www.ptk.org/honors/guide/>. The possibilities are unlimited as we explore the films and movies produced throughout the past century. We may be surprised as we start to scrutinize the style of clothes we wear (tie-dye t-shirts and bell bottom pants) and the music we listen to (jazz, blues, country, rock and roll, etc.), as well as the toys we play with, or the food we eat. So when and where was the first ice cream cone offered to the public? When did the yoyo or the Frisbee hit the market, driving people to endless competition? Who drank the first bottle of Coca Cola? During the fall semester, five free seminars will be presented to anyone who wants to attend:

<http://www.ptk.org/nchcss/seminars/>. There will also be decade displays created (on a monthly basis) for your enjoyment, located in

our display case in Building 1, lower lobby. We hope to have a sock hop, and many trivia games to entertain and entice you into discovering your cultural roots. Maybe in the process you can start a cultural trend.

OK, now for the first trivia game. Just tell me what decade the events below happened in by e-mailing me at pdboy_2000@yahoo.com. All correct answers will be entered for a drawing for a prize of our choosing. Please respond no later than September 5, 2004.

Betty VanDusseldorp

Vice President, Scholarship

Just a thought!

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Jaws became the 1st film to earn \$100 million.



Elvis Presley died at age 42



Janis Joplin died at age 43

MEET YOUR 2004-05 OFFICERS



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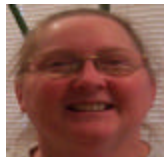
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UPCOMING EVENTS

Aug. 2-6 -- College for Kids food sales, 8 to Noon, lower lobby, Bldg. 1

Need volunteers to help sell pizza, Taco in a Bag, Hobo Boxcar, Sloppy Joe, Chips, yogurt, pudding, Capri Sun juice pouches and fresh fruit. Contact Jan Oliver at jf1023oliver@yahoo.com.

Aug. 6 -- WQPT at the Ballpark, Swing of the Quad Cities baseball game, 5:30 p.m. Volunteers needed to help with children's activities. Contact Bea Brasel at 796-5031.

Aug. 6 -- Penguins Comedy Club fundraiser, 8 p.m. Tickets \$8. Contact Michael Carton at mtcarton_2000@yahoo.com

Aug. 9 to Aug. 25 -- College Project -- LOTS of volunteers needed!

Assisting Dr. Rose Campbell, Dean of Student Services, with children's activities while parents register for school. Assist Enrollment Services with on-line registration or anywhere necessary to make the student's registration process easier.

Mon to Thu from 8:00 am – 6:00 pm

Fri from 8am – 5:00 pm

Sat from 9:00 am – Noon

Aug. 25 -- BHC Blood Drive -- Give the Gift of Life To sign up to donate, Contact Michael Carton at mtcarton_2000@yahoo.com

Sept. 2 – First general membership meeting, 2 p.m., Restaurant, Bldg. 4, second floor

Sept. 13 – First general membership meeting, 5 p.m., Restaurant, Bldg. 4, second floor

Sept. 28 – 2004 Honors Satellite Seminar #1 – “Misunderstanding History: Shaping Modern Myth and Popular Values” – 6:30 p.m., Bldg. 2, Room TBA

Oct. 12 – 2004 Honors Satellite Seminar #2 – “Creating and Marketing Youth: Youth Music and Culture in 20th Century America” – 6:30 p.m., Bldg. 2, Room TBA

Oct. 26 – 2004 Honors Satellite Seminar #3 – The Empire of Images: Growing Up Female in a World Dominated by

ETA KAPPA MEMBER PROFILE

Name:		Phone:	
Address:		Email:	
Other campus organizations that you belong to:			
Anticipated year of Graduation:			
I attend classes: Days Evenings On-Line Study Unlimited/Tele-courses			
The best time for me to attend meetings is: Mornings Afternoons Evenings On-Line			
Please indicate any of the following committee(s) that you would be interested in serving on.			
Membership (Under the guidance of VP of leadership, assists with the organizing of the new member orientation, induction, membership fees, and the five star program.)			
Service (Under the guidance of the VP of Service, assist with the development and coordination of service projects on-campus and throughout the community.)			
Fellowship (Under the guidance of the VP of Fellowship, assists with the organizing of events, with other campus organizations and other chapters, and the Cabin Fever Reliever.)			
Scholarship (Under the guidance of the VP of Scholarship, helps integrate the Honor's Study Topic, including Satellite Seminars, into chapter programming in order to expand the knowledge of our membership, the student body, and the community.)			
Fundraising (Under the guidance of the Treasurer, helps organize and staff food sales, raffles, and other fundraising activities.)			
Publicity (Under the guidance of the Secretary, helps create and post flyers and calendars; draft articles for the Chieftain, press releases, and the chapter newsletter; organize and help staff phone trees; and maintain bulletin boards.)			
Historian (Under the guidance of the President, helps create and maintains the chapter scrapbook and historical information regarding the chapter, assures awards won by the chapter are preserved and keeps the officer plaque active.)			

Please complete this form and give it to any of the officers or drop off at Holly Smith's office, next to the bookstore.

Talent Survey

Major(s) &/or
Degree/
Certificate
Program(s):

High School
&/or
Community
Activities:

Please indicate any of the following skills or interests you have.

Art: (Including Computer-aided design Art)

Cooking

Drama

Event Planning

Grant Writing

Musician

Office Procedures

Instrument

Photography

Proof Reading

Public Speaking

Singing

Technology or Video

Tutoring

Working with Children

Writing

Other:

For more information please feel free to contact your advisors:

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American Cancer Society Relay for Life news

The American Cancer Society is Phi Theta Kappa's international service partner. For the sixth consecutive year, Black Hawk College is hosting the Relay for Life, the American Cancer Society's signature event. This event is a wonderful way to celebrate cancer survival and remember those who have succumbed to the disease (including several members of the BHC family). It also is a great opportunity to highlight our college and our students.

This year's event is Friday-Saturday, Aug. 13-14, at the outdoor track at the Quad-Cities Campus (near Bldg. 3). Activities will begin in the late afternoon and continue until Saturday morning.

Volunteers are needed Friday, Aug. 13 from 3-10 p.m. If you'd like to help, please contact Holly Smith at 796-5051 or smithh@bhc.edu. She will need your name, e-mail address and phone number.

Please join us in honoring those who have battled cancer by purchasing a LUMINARY BAG. The suggested minimum donation is \$5.00 per bag. Contact the American Cancer Society at 794-0601 or 1 -800- 322 -4337. Bags also can be purchased at the Relay between 5-8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 13.

Let's give a big hand to those who worked the PTK yard sale and those who donated items for the sale. All proceeds will be donated to the Relay for Life.



From Project Graduation, the Eta Kappa chapter collected food items and donated them to the Church of Peace in Moline.

The Eta Kappa chapter recently gave the BHC Foundation \$500 to be applied toward the Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship fund. Congratulations Jonathan Sawmiller for receiving the PTK Scholarship for 2004-05!

Don Sagers, a very special member of PTK, will be moving closer to town. Hope to see you soon Don!



All officers and advisors are back from the Illinois Regional Honors Institute that took place last month in Peoria. Get involved in the events coming up in the fall and learn about the Honors Study Topic. Pop

Culture: "Shaping and Reflecting Who We Are." 

You're invited to celebrate the 30 years of service and the grand opening of the Mississippi Valley Regional Blood Center. Enjoy a light lunch, ribbon cutting and dedication Thursday, July 29 from 10:30 am to 1:30 pm, at 5500 Lakeview Parkway, Davenport, Iowa. "Donating blood saves lives."

In order to serve members and advisors at the high caliber that they deserve, the Phi Theta Kappa Board of Directors has authorized an increase in the international membership fee from \$38 to \$45 effective Sept. 1, 2004. This fee is still less than that charged by most honor societies. Eta Kappa members will have to decide in the fall how much to increase the amount the chapter charges new members.

A big "Thank You" to all took part and volunteering in the Taste of the Quad Cities in June 2004. The weather and the entertainment were exceptional!

Let's give a big hooray to WQPT for having us volunteers help out during the John Deere Golf Classic. The weather was cool and the pork chop sandwiches were yummy



Check it out! The new website for our chapter can be viewed at: <http://etakappabhc.tripod.com/>.

Heads up! Check out information and events past and future about the group at: http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ptk_bhc/.

Thanks for you time and patience!
Take time to be kind to everyone around you, you maybe entertaining angels unaware.

Watch for more updates as the y come available.
Thanks!

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