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M–TH: 8:00am–6:00pm
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Saturday: 9:00am–12:00pm
(2nd Saturday of the Month only)
SUN: CLOSED



Achieving Greater Success...

COMMUNITY CALENDAR | OCTOBER 2018

OCTOBER 1

NCRC Test 9:00am–1:00pm, Appt. Needed
Master Business Bootcamp:
12:00pm–3:30pm
Digital Literacy (Advanced): 2:00pm–4:00pm
Fatherhood Classes: 5:00pm–7:00pm

OCTOBER 2

Fatherhood Classes: 10:00am–12:00pm
Financial Fitness Bootcamp: 5:30pm–7:00pm

OCTOBER 3

NCRC Test 8:45am–1:00pm, Appt. Needed
Digital Literacy (Beginner):
2:00pm–4:00pm
Goodwill Career Coaches on-site for
job development

OCTOBER 4

Motherhood Classes: 4:00pm–6:00pm

OCTOBER 8

NCRC Test 9:00am–1:00pm, Appt. Needed
Master Business Bootcamp:
12:00pm–3:30pm
Digital Literacy (Advanced): 2:00pm–4:00pm
Fatherhood Classes: 5:00pm–7:00pm

OCTOBER 9

Fatherhood Classes: 10:00am–12:00pm
Financial Fitness Bootcamp: 5:30pm–7:30pm

OCTOBER 10

NCRC Test 8:45am–1:00pm, Appt. Needed

Digital Literacy (Beginner):
2:00pm–4:00pm
Goodwill Career Coaches on-site for
job development

OCTOBER 11

Motherhood Classes: 4:00pm–6:00pm

OCTOBER 13

Principal Financial, Retirement Planning:
9:00am–1:00pm

OCTOBER 15

NCRC Test 9:00am–1:00pm, Appt. Needed
Master Business Bootcamp:
12:00pm–3:30pm
Digital Literacy (Advanced): 2:00pm–4:00pm
Fatherhood Classes: 5:00pm–7:00pm

OCTOBER 16

Fatherhood Classes: 10:00am–12:00pm
Financial Fitness Bootcamp: 5:30pm–7:30pm

OCTOBER 17

NCRC Test 8:45am–1:00pm, Appt. Needed
Digital Literacy (Beginner):
2:00pm–4:00pm
Non-profit Bootcamp: 4:00pm–
7:00pm
Goodwill Career Coaches on-site for
job development

OCTOBER 18

Motherhood Classes: 4:00pm–6:00pm
Careers in the City: 5:30pm–7:30pm

OCTOBER 19

Presidents Day -- Center is Closed

OCTOBER 22

NCRC Test 9:00am–1:00pm, Appt. Needed
Digital Literacy (Advanced): 2:00pm–4:00pm
Fatherhood Classes: 5:00pm–7:00pm

OCTOBER 23

Fatherhood Classes: 10:00am–12:00pm
Financial Fitness Bootcamp: 5:30pm–7:30pm

OCTOBER 24

Wednesday Hiring Day: 9:30am–1:30pm
NCRC Test 8:45am–1:00pm, Appt. Needed
Digital Literacy (Beginner): 2:00pm–4:00pm
Non-profit Bootcamp: 4:00pm–7:00pm
Goodwill Career Coaches on-site for
job development

OCTOBER 25

Motherhood Classes: 4:00pm–6:00pm

OCTOBER 29

NCRC Test 9:00am–1:00pm, Appt. Needed
Digital Literacy (Advanced): 2:00pm–4:00pm
Fatherhood Classes: 5:00pm–7:00pm

OCTOBER 30

Fatherhood Classes: 10:00am–12:00pm

OCTOBER 31

NCRC Test 8:45am–1:00pm, Appt. Needed
Digital Literacy (Beginner): 2:00pm–4:00pm
Non-profit Bootcamp: 4:00pm–7:00pm
Goodwill Career Coaches on-site for

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DID YOU KNOW?

Enjoy these little tid bits of information about October! They might seem useless, but are always some great ice-breaker conversation starters.

- Mahatma Chandi was born on October 2, 1896 & Bill Gates on October 28, 1955.
- Myth has it that if deer have a grey coat in October that it will be a hard winter ahead.
- The month of October is known for National Pizza Month in the U.S.
- Historically, it marks the inception of the first communist government in Russia.

FINANCIAL FITNESS BOOTCAMP

Get your money clean for 2018! Sign up for this dynamic workshop and take the reins on your journey to financial wellness! Workshops include Financial Planning, Money Management, Budgeting, Credit Repair, and Loan Management. Next Sessions: October 2, October 9, October 16, and October 23. For more information, visit www.financialemPOWERment.org.

ONE ECONOMY TOWNHALL EVENT: MASTER BUSINESS PARTICIPANTS SHOW UP AND SHOW OUT

The aroma of various cuisines and flavors filled the room at Corinthian Baptist Church, where The Directors Council held a townhall meeting regarding the One Economy initiative. Community members gathered to discuss the many disparities present in Polk County (a/k/a the tale of two cities) and demand a call-to-action for ways we can all work together to achieve a harmonious community.

Local vendors catered the event: Rootz stole the show with their famous jerk chicken, and Nadine & Dad's BBQ with their delicious BBQ pulled-pork and ribs.

Also in attendance: Evelyn K Davis Center's very own [Masters Business Bootcamp](#) participants, Artis T's and Suki Yuki DSM, bringing delicious flavors of Lao cuisine and some good old soul food.

Support your local business and make sure to check out these vendors, as well as find out what you can do to get

involved with the [One Economy initiative](#) and help improve your community!



NON-PROFIT BOOTCAMP: HOW DEEP IS YOUR PASSION FOR GIVING BACK TO THE COMMUNITY?

This FREE 6-week workshop will allow you to invest in your organization by connecting you with other non-profit organizations around the city. Participants will also have the opportunity to hear from experts on topics ranging from marketing, grant writing, tax and financial planning, volunteer recruitment, to fundraising, alternative funding streams, board management, strategic planning and resource utilization.

Eligible organizations for this educational workshop series include non-profit and for-profit entities, community based organizations, faith based organizations, and neighborhood associations. A 501(c) 3 is preferred but not required.

For more information, feel free to contact Miranda Pettus at 515.697.1450 or mppettus@dmacc.edu

NON-PROFIT BOOTCAMP

October 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st & November 7th, 14th.
Wednesdays, from 4:00pm - 7:00pm
Hurry though—seats are filling up fast!
[Register today!](#)

RETIREMENT PLANNING: NEVER TOO LATE TO START



What does your retirement look like? What would your ideal situation be?

Did you know that it's never too late to start planning? Join us in a discussion with Principal Financial as they explain ways you can get started and/or better plan for your retirement.

Saturday, October 13th, from 11am-1pm
Evelyn K Davis Center for Working Families
801 University, DSM, 50314

[Registrations is FREE!](#)

For more information, call David Howard at 515.697.1484

UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE COMMUNITY

FINANCIAL FITNESS BOOTCAMP

Starts October 2, 5:30pm-7:30pm

Evelyn K Davis Center; This dynamic workshop shows you how to take the reins on your journey to financial wellness! Workshops include Financial Planning, Money Management, Budgeting, Credit Repair, and Loan Management.

Cost: FREE

TRANSITION TO DMACC, FAMILY NIGHT

October 3, 5:30pm-7:30pm

DMACC Urban Campus; Meet with current DMACC students and faculty. Learn about college life on Urban Campus, and the resources and accommodations available for prospective students, and their families, particularly with disabilities. A \$500 scholarship giveaway! See details below.

Cost: FREE

PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL, RETIREMENT PLANNING

October 13, 9:00am-1:00pm

Evelyn K. Davis Center; Partake in a discussion revolving around effective retirement planning. It's never too late to start!

Cost: FREE

NON-PROFIT BOOTCAMP

Starts October 10, 4:00pm-7:00pm

Evelyn K Davis Center; This FREE 6-week workshop will allow you to invest in your organization by connecting you with other non-profit organizations around the city.

Cost: FREE

CENTER CLOSED FOR THE HOLIDAY

The Evelyn K Davis Center will be closed on Friday, October 19, in observance of Presidents Day, and will resume regular business hours on Monday, October 22. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

APPLICATION DAYS

October 24, 9:30am-1:30pm

Evelyn K. Davis Center; On the 4th Wednesday of each month, various employers will be on site to hold open interviews with interested applicants. Dress to impress and don't forget your updated resume!

Cost: FREE

SAVE THE DATE: TRANSITION TO DMACC FAMILY NIGHT

On Wednesday, October 3, 2018, students with disabilities and their school supports will have an opportunity to hear from current DMACC students about their college experience, and learn about programs offered and how to get enrolled at DMACC. In addition, they will learn about disabilities services and wrap-around student support

systems at DMACC as well as how to pay for college and apply for financial aid.

A \$500 scholarship drawing will take place at the end of the night. To be eligible, however, the individual will have to be present and a first-time DMACC student.

[Everyone is welcome!](#)

Transition
to DMACC Family Night
Empowering persons with disabilities, their families, and community advocates in the transition to higher education and training

**WEDNESDAY,
OCTOBER 3, 2018**

5:30pm—Registration
6:00pm—7:30pm—Program

DMACC Urban Campus, Building 1, Rooms 124/126
1100 7th Street, Des Moines, IA 50314

