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Weekly Newsletter



October 10th, 2012

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Congratulations to Metrolink for being named

This Week

Scott Community College invites you to the [2012 College Bash](#) on Thursday, October 11 from 5:30-8:30 p.m. at the QC Waterfront Convention Center. This fundraiser will include food prepared by the culinary arts students including 5 themed stations.

QC United invites you to [Raise the Roof](#) on Thursday, October 11th beginning at 6 p.m. at River Music Experience. This free concert celebrates local talent including Black Hawk College Jazz Combo and surprise guest. El Mariachi will be on site selling food.

[2012 Iowa Latino Conference](#) to be held October 12 and 13 in Iowa

America's Best Transit System!

**Small Business Development and Finance:
Opportunities in the Quad Cities** with the Chicago
Federal Reserve Bank

Thursday, October 25th

Location: Radisson Hotel, 111 2nd Avenue,
Davenport, Iowa

Presenters will include local entrepreneurs,
representatives from financial institutions, and small
business support agencies. Keynote presentations
from Robert Onitveros, chairman and founder of
Group O, and Janet Masamoto, president of JTM
Concepts.

Complementary breakfast and lunch will be
provided. Register by October 12th!

[View complete details.](#)

RSVP now open for our upcoming
Multicultural Mixer!

November 15th, 2012

5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Hotel Black Hawk, Davenport, IA

RSVP Now!

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City, Iowa. This statewide
conference was founded in 1998
and will be celebrating its 14th
year.

St. Ambrose University invites you
to [Achieving Results Through
Customer Satisfaction and Loyalty](#)
on Friday, October 12th from 8
a.m.-4 p.m. at the Rogalski
Center. This conference will
feature author and entrepreneur
Fred Reichheld.

City of Rock Island invites you to
Coffee and Conversations on
Saturday, October 13th from 9-11
a.m. at the Hauberg Civic Center,
1300 24th Street. This is an
opportunity for you to address
your concerns or ask questions to
Mayor Dennis E. Pauley and Fifth
Ward Alderman Jason Jones.

Global Awareness Consulting
invites you to [El Cancer y La
Familia](#) on Saturday, October 13th
from 10 a.m.-noon at 1300 3
Avenue, Rock Island. This
program will provide basic
information on how to prevent
cancer, how to maintain a positive
attitude and how cancer will affect
families.

Ballet QC invites you to the [2nd
Annual Bowling to Banish Bullying](#)
on Saturday, October 13th
beginning at 5:30 p.m. at
Blackhawk Bowl and Martini
Lounge. This event will raise
funds for the ongoing bullying
prevention outreach programs in
area elementary schools. Teams
of 6 are encouraged to sign up,
spectators are also welcome.

Next Week

St. Ambrose University invites to
you [Graduate Business Programs
information session](#) on Tuesday,
October 16 from noon-1 p.m. via
webinar. Learn about specific
graduate programs.

IL PTAC invites you to [Intro to
SAM \(System Award
Management\)](#) on Wednesday,

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October 17 from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. at 4703 16 Street, Suite G, Moline. Another session will also be held on Friday, October 19th at the same time and location. Seating is limited so register early.

Augustana College invites you to [Discover Augustana](#) from Friday, October 19-Saturday, October 20th. This session is for high school seniors making their first visit to campus and interested in experiencing the multicultural opportunities at Augustana. You can select to attend the Saturday session only.

Public Service Announcements

[Hispanic Heritage Month](#) o [Mes de la Herencia Hispana](#) is September 15th-October 15th. Learn more about the significance and origin.

Don't forget to [register to vote](#)! You can do so conveniently online from [GQCHCC's website](#). Remember **October 9th** is the last day to register.

Univision is proud to announce a [Free Virtual College Fair](#) on Thursday, October 11 beginning at 11 a.m. This interactive program will provide free access to expert college admissions advice through streaming videos and live chats with college representatives. Register for this FREE event.

Hispanic Heritage Foundation and Verizon invite you to the [Chicago Small Business Symposium](#) on Thursday, October 11th from 5:30-8 p.m. This event is held in partnership with the Illinois Hispanic Chamber of Commerce. The national effort aims to bring local entrepreneurs and business leaders together to network; share challenges and opportunities; and receive knowledge and guidance.

Iowa Move to Amend invites you to [Race, Oppression, Privilege](#)

[and Personhood](#) on Saturday, October 13th from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. at Paul Engle Center, 1600 4 Avenue, Cedar Rapids. Donations of \$10 will be accepted for brunch. This workshop will include meaningful exercises and facility community dialogue about interconnectedness.

Iowa Women's Leadership Conference is hosting a leadership event [Leveraging Your Personal Power](#) on Thursday, October 25th from 11:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. at Hy-Vee Conference Center, West Des Moines, IA. Speakers will include Soledad O'Brien, Helene Lerner and Charlotte Beers.

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