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FROM THE DESK OF LAURA J. BROWN

Dear Friends and Supporters,

Every one of us has seen the need. *Maybe there was a promising student who dropped out part-way through a semester after her car broke down. Or maybe you know a student who didn't return for his second semester because he couldn't afford tuition.*

We can change their lives by changing that. We are so thankful for the many friends and alumni who have contributed to the Educational Foundation throughout the years. Because of your generosity, the Foundation awarded more than 170 scholarships, grants and awards, totaling \$709,308 to students who needed assistance during the 2015–2016 academic year. Your contributions make a difference as we work together to improve the quality of life for our students, their families, and the communities we serve.

While tuition at Harper College is very affordable, the fact remains that over 52 percent of our students rely on financial assistance to pursue their education. We advocate for those who dream of an education and great future through scholarship assistance. Scholarship support makes a difference in the lives of our students.

Thank you for supporting Harper College students.

Gratefully,

Laura J. Brown
Chief Advancement Officer
Harper College Educational Foundation

EVERYTHING OLD IS NEW AGAIN

Harper College celebrated the reopening of one of its six original buildings after a renovation transformed the 1969-era structure into a state-of-the-art learning environment.

More than 200 people gathered in the Building D rotunda, now known as the Beaubien Family Rotunda, on August 18, 2016 for a dedication ceremony.

Funded by capital referendum dollars approved by District 512 residents, the 18-month, \$44.8 million project was delivered on time and under budget.

The centerpiece of Building D is a two-story, glass rotunda that creates an inviting place for students to meet, study and learn. It's known as the Beaubien Family Rotunda in recognition of Educational Foundation Board member Dee Beaubien and her family's gift to support Harper's Promise program.

"Dee and her family have made an investment in Promise, but more than that, they've become champions of the program," Harper College President Dr. Ken Ender said.



HOPE GIVING CIRCLE AWARDS INAUGURAL \$10,000 SCHOLARSHIP

Kayla Karbowski considers herself pretty fortunate; after all, she's found her calling at just 19 years old. The second-year Harper College student has no doubt she's meant to work with individuals who have special needs, a realization she came to over the past year working at the Northwest Special Recreation Association.

"The organization has shown me the difference I can make in a person's life and the enjoyment I get from working with children and adults with special needs," Karbowski, of Schaumburg, said. "To me, it doesn't feel like working."

Karbowski's commitment to helping others—on top of a 4.0 GPA and induction to the Phi Theta Kappa honors society—made her the natural choice for the HOPE Giving Circle's inaugural \$10,000 scholarship.

The Harper College Educational Foundation recently formed the HOPE (Helping Others through the Power of Education) Giving Circle to connect charitable-minded women with a common goal of empowering women to reach their full potential. The program provides financial support, ongoing mentoring and leadership development for female students who are completing their final year at Harper and continuing on to a four-year college.

HOPE Giving Circle members recognized Karbowski on July 19 at a reception at Bridges of Poplar Creek Country Club in Hoffman Estates.

Once she graduates from Harper next spring, Karbowski plans to put the balance of the scholarship toward tuition at Illinois State University, where she hopes to double major in elementary and special education.

"This is a very substantial scholarship that makes a bachelor's degree more accessible and affordable," said Kathy Gilmer of the HOPE Scholarship Awards Committee. Gilmer described the scholarship selection process as competitive. Karbowski, she said, rose to the top because of the passion for what she's doing.

In addition to working part time at the NWSRA, Karbowski, who graduated from Schaumburg High School in 2015, dedicates every weekend to volunteering at Elite Stars, a special needs athletic and



Hope Giving Circle members with Kayla Karbowski (Center, in blue)

recreational program. She serves as a head ice skating coach and peer gymnastics coach, mostly to people with Down syndrome.

Karbowski also volunteers at the Almost Home Foundation, a local animal rescue organization.

The youngest of three children, Karbowski said the scholarship helps to ease a tremendous financial burden from her family.

"Now I can focus more on obtaining my education rather than figuring out how I'm going to pay for it," she said.

The HOPE Giving Circle Scholarship Awards Reception was generously sponsored by AMITA Health, Weber-Stephen Products LLC, Hoffman Estates Community Bank, Quintessential Barrington, Pan American Bank, and Lakeview Precision Machining, Inc.

The HOPE (Helping Others through the Power of Education) Giving Circle was launched last year to grow the philanthropic efforts of women helping other women in achieving their educational goals. Through the HOPE Giving Circle program, members provide scholarship support, mentoring, leadership development opportunities and networking. For more information, contact Fredia Martin at fmartin1@harpercollege.edu or 847.925.6701.

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

Scholarships provide financial support and emotional support to Harper students, encouraging them to continue on their educational journeys. We are pleased to share updates on nine Harper students who received scholarships during this past academic year:

- **Kimberly Butler** is attending the University of Kentucky to double major in management and marketing, and earn her bachelor's in business administration.
- **Maria Raju** is finishing her last year at Harper and planning to transfer to the University of Illinois at Chicago to major in biology.
- **Nancy Ramirez, Albert Lim and Austin Wheat** are all transferred to the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign and are roommates. Nancy is studying behavioral neuroscience, Albert is majoring in computer science and Austin will be completing his bachelor's in mechanical engineering.
- **Lillian Xie** attends Harper and is serving as the Harper Student Government Association President.



Top row (left to right): Eric, Edgar, San, Albert, Austin; Bottom row (left to right): Kimberly, Maria, Nancy, Lillian

- **Eric DeBold** is Harper College's Student Trustee, and he is enrolled in his second year at Harper College.
- **Edgar Allen** transferred to DePaul University to study accounting with aspirations to teach accounting at the college level.
- **San Hwang** transferred to University of Illinois at Chicago to study accounting with the goal of owning his own company.



NEW SCHOLARSHIPS DEVELOPED

The Harper College Educational Foundation is grateful to the donors who established the following three scholarships to support Harper College students.

- **WorldView Study Abroad Travel Scholarship** to support students who have financial need and will be participating in a Harper College study abroad program to a developing country.
Donor: Ann Kimberly
- **The Karen Malec Memorial Scholarship** to support students who are enrolled in a health career program and have financial need. Preference is given to single mothers. **Donor: Rich Malec**
- **Gregory S. and Emily Dowell Endowed Scholarship** to support students with financial need and a minimum GPA of 2.2.
Donor: Gregory S. and Emily Dowell

MEET OUR NEWEST SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

The Foundation is pleased to announce the inaugural recipients of the **Beaubien Family Scholarship** and the **Donna Penkava Grzegorek Dental Hygiene Endowed Scholarship**.



Dee Beaubien and Juan Trigueros

Juan Trigueros is the first recipient of the Beaubien Family Scholarship. The Beaubien Family Scholarship is for a first-generation college student who graduated from Barrington High School and has financial need. Preference is given to students of Hispanic heritage.

In Juan's scholarship essay he writes, "Like many immigrants my parents came to this country seeking the American Dream—not only for themselves but for their future children. They both worked in agricultural fields picking an assortment

of fruits and vegetables throughout their back-breaking years. I am the first one in my family to have had the opportunity to attend college."

Juan sends these words of appreciation to the Beaubien Family, "Thank you for your generosity, which has helped me so much financially. A great weight has been lifted off my shoulders, and I am now able to continue and pursue my education at Harper College."



Jori Giesey and Donna Penkava Grzegorek

Jori Giesey is the first recipient of the Donna Penkava Grzegorek Dental Hygiene Endowed Scholarship which support students enrolled in Harper College's Dental Hygiene program, have a minimum GPA of 3.0 and demonstrate excellence achievements in current or prior community service.

During this past summer, Jori worked two jobs in addition to taking three online classes while volunteering at the Northern Illinois Foodbank, Special Olympics events and Midwest Center for Children. Jori writes, "I love helping people and can't wait to continue helping people through my future career as a dental hygienist."

She started the Dental Hygiene program this fall, and will not be able to work as much due to the intense workload. The Donna Penkava Grzegorek Dental Hygiene Endowed Scholarship will help relieve Jori of some of her financial burdens by helping to pay for extra program expenses of instruments, books and supplies like gloves, masks, lab coats, scrubs and shoes.

Jori appreciates the support she is receiving from this scholarship and writes, "Thank you so much for choosing me as your scholarship recipient. Without this scholarship and other financial aid, my dream of becoming a dental hygienist would have come to a halt. This award is greatly appreciated!"



FOUNDATION BOARD PRESIDENT GEORGEANNA MEHR

Dear Friends,

As the incoming President of the Educational Foundation Board, I am inspired by the goals and directions set forth for the Foundation this year to increase the scholarship opportunities available to students. As we all work together to create these new opportunities, we are empowering students to succeed and attend college.

May 2017 through May 2018 Harper College will embark on a year-long celebration commemorating the College's 50th anniversary. The Educational Foundation has been a proud supporter of Harper College since 1973.

We are dedicated to recognizing excellence and student achievement. Our donors understand scholarship support makes a difference in helping students meet the costs of education.

In 2015, the Foundation Board of Directors helped launch the **Promise Scholarship** program, a new initiative that expands scholarship opportunities to students. Our Foundation Directors have made raising funds to support the **Promise Scholarship** a top priority.

On behalf of the members of the Foundation Board of Directors, I extend my deepest appreciation to the many community members, friends, alumni, civic organizations and corporations that contribute to Harper's success.

Sincerely,

Georgeanna Mehr

HARPER RECEIVES GRANT FROM BARRINGTON AREA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

The Harper College Educational Foundation received its first grant from the Barrington Area Community Foundation (BACF) to help expand outreach to Barrington Area middle schools. Currently, District 220 engages with Harper College through the Promise Scholarship and the Ambassador Schools programs.

This new partnership with BACF will provide the first opportunity for Harper to work closely with the two Barrington Area Middle Schools to create programming with the intent of impacting college readiness. Representatives from Harper College and District 220 held meetings in late spring and throughout the summer to lay the groundwork to offer pilot programs during the upcoming school year.

During the 2015–2016 school year, more than half of the freshman class at Barrington High School signed up for the Promise Scholarship program. This program offers students the opportunity to earn tuition at Harper by meeting benchmarks during high school.



UPDATE:

PROMISE PROGRAM

The Harper College Educational Foundation is grateful to the philanthropic leaders in our community who, as of August 2016, have contributed more than \$3.1 million in support of the Harper College Promise Program. This past June, the Pepper Family Foundation pledged their support to the Promise Program. We appreciate their

RESOURCE FOR EXCELLENCE GRANT HIGHLIGHT: **INZONE ACCESS PROGRAM** | SUMMER 2016



This summer, Harper's InZone program teamed up with the Harper College Educational Foundation and Wheeling's Community Consolidated School District 21 to provide fun and educational opportunities for children who experience housing instability.

InZone is Harper's youth summer enrichment and sports camp. Beyond a day camp, InZone provides students with a college campus experience. Studies show that young people generally make the decision to attend college before they enter high school.

As such, 20 elementary and middle school students were chosen for the program from District 21 based on their family's low-income status and housing instability. Housing instability is "variably defined

as having difficulty paying rent, spending more than 50 percent of household income on housing, having frequent moves, living in overcrowded conditions or doubling up with friends and relatives."

Because housing instability can have a negative impact on academic performance*, the program is designed as a learning experience to inspire students to attend college.

Families work with the school district and InZone staff to select from a range of classes that include launching a rocket, dunking a basketball, learning to cook or mastering math challenges. In addition, students are provided with lunch.

Students were shown that Harper is a viable option to getting a college education. They learned about the Promise Scholarship and even had lunch with Dr. Ender. One student in the program said, "My mom and I decided we really need a house and we are going to put all our money towards that. This program lets me go to camp and not have a boring summer."

85 percent of the last year's eighth grade InZone Access participants enrolled in the Promise Program, which is 18 points higher than the overall enrollment rate.

Resource for Excellence Grants are made possible by generous donations to Harper College's Educational Foundation.

* According to the National Low Income Housing Coalition.

generosity and commitment to the program and thank them on behalf of the students who will benefit from their investment.

The Promise program, created through collaboration with Harper College, High School Districts 211, 214 and 220 and local business leaders aims to make college affordable by offering free tuition to students who have earned it. Eligible to sign up during their freshman year of high school, students must meet requirements focusing on attendance, graduation, grades, college readiness and community

service while in high school. If the criteria is met, students will earn one free semester tuition at Harper College. Students can continue earning free tuition if they meet similar criteria while enrolled at Harper. All in all, students can earn up to 60 free credit hours at Harper College.

To see a full list of donors to the Promise Program, please visit harpercollege.edu/foundation

CORPORATE INTERNSHIPS LEAD TO JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Northrop Grumman is building on Harper's advanced manufacturing program by providing students with real-world experience and opportunities to apply what they have learned and grow their skills.

"Our partnership with area manufacturers has been a tremendous success, not only in helping us develop the program's curriculum, but also in giving students real work experience on the manufacturing floor," said Harper College President Dr. Kenneth L. Ender. "Together, we are making substantial progress in building a pipeline of highly skilled workers to meet the needs of 21st Century manufacturing."

Nine students have completed the internship program since its inception in the fall 2015. The 12-week experience provides them with the opportunity to apply what they learn in the classroom to a real-world setting.

So far, eight students have been offered full-time positions with Northrop Grumman upon completion of their associate degrees at Harper College.

Keith Brewer, one of the eight who was offered employment reflects on the internship, "The biggest surprise for me was getting a good job offer from the Northrop Grumman Internship. Harper helped me find this internship and it has been amazing," said Brewer. "I also love the hands-on learning in the advanced manufacturing program."

"Our partnership with Harper is critical to the future of our manufacturing operation. We have a strategic approach to developing a pipeline of talent for the future in a highly competitive market. Partnerships between academia and industry are critical to this strategy. Having this local pipeline of highly-trained graduates has been extremely valuable to our company. We're so pleased with the talent coming out of the program."

—Mark Cleary, Sector Vice President
Northrop Grumman Corporation

Northrop Grumman executives and Rep. Tammy Duckworth toured Harper's Advanced Manufacturing Program which was developed to train students for good-paying manufacturing jobs in the Chicago area. The program partners with 70 area manufacturers that offer paid internships and apprenticeships to go along with rigorous classroom training in fields such as precision machining, mechatronics/automation, metal fabrication, welding and supply chain management.





From left to right, Victor Delvecchio, former President, Harper College Student Veterans Association; Courtney Friedlund, Harper College Systems Coordinator and School Certifying Officer; Andrew Stebbins, President, Harper College Student Veterans Association.

GRANTS HELP SUPPORT HARPER'S MILITARY-CONNECTED STUDENTS

Harper College recently embarked on a new initiative to better serve our military-connected students. During the last 18 months, Harper College's Veterans Task Force has been instrumental in fostering a supportive educational environment for military-connected students, including the reinvention of the Student Veterans Association (SVA).

This fall, the new Center for Student Veterans and Military-Connected Students will open and will provide services to military-connected students (veterans, active-duty/reservists, and eligible dependents) and to assist in the social transition from service to civilian life.

Because of their hard work and dedication, the Student Veterans Association has been awarded two grants, one from an anonymous private foundation and another through the Student Veteran's Association. These grants will create stronger links both within the institution and with services outside of Harper to better serve Harper College's military-connected population.

Because of the private foundation grant, two Harper veteran students and one Harper staff member traveled to the White House in Washington D.C. to attend a presentation regarding military-connected research from the Community College Research Center at Columbia. In addition to the visits with congressional leaders, Harper's group also attended a meeting with the Student Veterans of America, the Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans of America (IAVA), and the Young Invincibles groups to discuss ways that veterans can become involved to connect service members across the nation.

Currently Harper serves an average of 300-400 veterans and eligible dependents per semester. It is anticipated with the new Center, and support from private foundations, that Harper will increase its reach into the veteran student population in our community and become a sought out institution specifically because of these efforts.

DONOR PROFILE:

THE SCHAUMBURG/ HOFFMAN ESTATES ROTARY

The Rotary Club of Schaumburg/Hoffman Estates created the Fishing Well Scholarship to support adult students living or working in Schaumburg Township who are pursuing a degree or certificate program. Designed to support adult students who are overcoming challenges in their life, the Fishing Well Scholarship will specifically serve students who are enrolled in Harper's ESL program, HSE (High School Equivalency) Program, Career Bridge Program, Fast Track Program or the Rita and John Canning Women's Program.

The Rotary Club of Schaumburg/Hoffman Estates is building on their already existing relationships with the Palatine Opportunity Center, WINGS, Kenneth Young Center and other community service agencies by offering preference to those students who have received referrals and references from these existing organizations to Harper College.

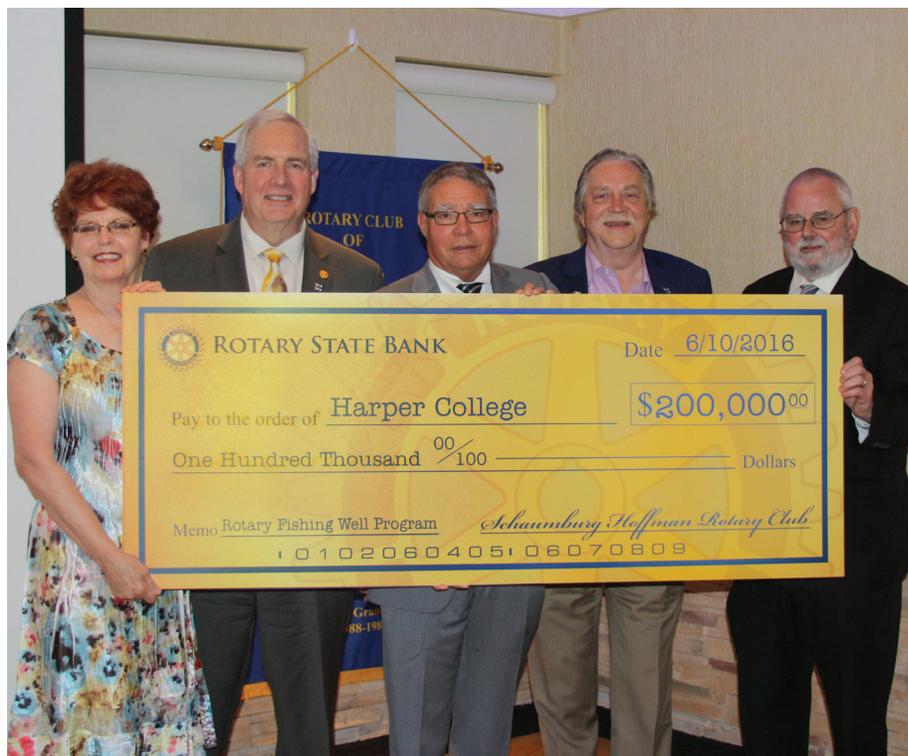
The \$200,000 scholarship will provide \$25,000 in funding annually and the Club's intention is to grow the scholarship exponentially over the next few years. The Rotary Club of Schaumburg/Hoffman Estates will offer mentoring opportunities for the Fishing Well scholarship recipients.

The first 10 inaugural recipients of the Fishing Well Scholarship include students studying computer science, human services, sonography and English as a Second Language. In addition, several recipients are earning certificates in the office assistant, phlebotomy and emergency medical technician programs.

The Harper College Educational Foundation extends its appreciation to the Rotary Club of Schaumburg/Hoffman Estates for their generosity and support of Harper College students.

“ I am setting an example for my children. They see that with desire, determination and hard work, you can succeed at whatever you put your mind to do. The Educational Foundation and its generous donors have made this possible for me and so many others. Because of this gift, I am able to grow in a career that will give me the opportunity to help others, provide a stable home life for my family, and feel the success that comes from years of hard work. ”

—Thank you note received by a Fishing Well scholarship recipient.



Eileen Higginbotham, Bill Kelley, Dr. Ken Ender, Rodney Adams and Mayer Bill McLeod.

DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI: 2016

The College and Foundation will host the annual Distinguished Alumni Reception and Awards Ceremony on November 3, 2016. At this celebratory event, five stand-out Harper alumni will be recognized for their professional accomplishments and their leadership and service to the community. The awards program was launched in 2008, as part of the College's 40th Anniversary. To date, 48 individuals have received

this prestigious award. The reception and awards ceremony will be held on campus in the Wojcik Conference Center from 6–8 p.m.

For more information about this year's recipients and to register for the event, visit harpercollege.edu/alumni



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On Wednesday, June 29, 2016, the Harper College Educational Foundation honored members of its Harper Heritage Society. The Harper Heritage Society recognizes donors who have included Harper College in their estate plans. To date, more than 40 donors have informed Harper College of their gift intentions and joined the Harper Heritage Society.

We appreciate the generosity and thoughtfulness of our Harper Heritage Society members and their commitment to helping future generations of Harper College students. To find out more about joining the Harper Heritage Society, or for more information about how to include the Harper College Educational Foundation in your estate plans, please visit harpercollege.plannedgiving.org or contact Heather Zoldak, CFRE at 847.925.6319 or hzoldak@harpercollege.edu

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Look How Much a Bequest Can Do

When you write your will, you acknowledge the people and institutions that mean the most to you. Including the Harper College Educational Foundation among those beneficiaries builds our long-term financial strength and is the easiest major gift you can make. Why?

It's Simple: A simple paragraph in your will or codicil (an official amendment) sets up your gift to the Harper College Educational Foundation.

It's Revocable: A bequest doesn't take effect until your death. That means that if your plans or circumstances change, you can easily revise your will.

It's Private: The provisions of your will are not made public until your death.

And it's Welcomed: But, if you let us know that you have remembered us in your will, we will welcome you into the Harper Heritage Society, which recognizes our friends during their lifetimes for making an estate-plan gift. (All such notifications are confidential, and you can advise us not to print your name in lists of Society members.)



Harper Heritage Society Members

28TH ANNUAL GOLF OPEN

On Monday, June 13, 2016, 130 golfers attended the Harper College Educational Foundation 28th Annual Golf Open.

Thanks to our generous sponsors, including event sponsors DeFranco Plumbing and Robbins Schwartz, this year's Golf Open surpassed last year's record-breaking event, netting nearly \$123,000 to support Harper students and programs.

Golfers were treated to a near-perfect day at the beautiful Inverness Golf Club. In addition to golf, the event also included an evening reception and Awards Dinner. The dinner featured a live auction, as well as a special appeal to support the Harper College Promise Scholarship. Together, the live auction and scholarship appeal raised more than \$33,000.

We thank our sponsors and supporters for their generosity. Save the date for our 29th Annual Golf Open on Monday, June 12, 2017.

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Distinguished Alumni Reception

Tuesday, November 3, 2016
Harper College Wojcik Conference Center

Pippin Donor Recognition Event

Friday, November 11, 2016
Harper College Performing Arts Center
(by invitation only)

Realizing Dreams Breakfast

Saturday, April 29, 2017
Meridian Banquets; Rolling Meadows
(by invitation only)

29th Annual Harper College Golf Outing

Monday, June 12, 2017
Inverness Golf Club

OUR NEWEST MEMBERS OF THE HARPER COLLEGE
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WELCOME



DAN KLARAS

Dan Klaras is the President of Assurance Agency located in Schaumburg and has 25 years of experience in the property and casualty insurance industry. Prior to joining Assurance, Dan was Resident Vice President of Fireman's Fund Insurance, Kemper Insurance and Safeco.

Dan's volunteer experience includes serving on the Board of Directors for Assurance Agency, Foundation Fighting Blindness, and Campanelli YMCA. Dan resides in St. Charles with his wife Lisa and three children Lauren, Rachel and Kaydee.



JOE QUINN

Joe Quinn is the VP, Premier Services Market Manager for the Chicago Metro Northwest, for BMO Harris Bank, where he has worked since 2006. Joe attended Harper College and received his Bachelors and MBA from Northern Illinois University. Joe was honored with a Distinguished Alumni Award in 2015 from Harper College.

Joe's extensive community involvement includes (but is not limited to) serving as Past Chair of the Palatine Chamber of Commerce, past VP and current member of the Palatine Jaycees, former VP of the Palatine Library Foundation Board. Joe lives in Palatine with his wife Vanessa and his three children, Riley, Nolan and Greyson.

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50th Anniversary Gala

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GIVING TUESDAY

On Tuesday, November 29, the Harper College Educational Foundation is participating in #GivingTuesday.

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