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The Granville Police Department's Shop with a Cop helped 10 children have a merry Christmas in 2023. The business donor list included Boggio's Orchard, Kettman Heating & Plumbing, Lost Duck Tavern, Poparella Law, AAA Tree Service, Kaddywampus, Passini Plumbing, The Cabinet Shoppe, Hopkins & Associates, Route 71 Autobody, Washington Mills, Helmer-Shields Funeral Home, Mennies Machine Shop, Al Cioni Ford, Granville National Bank, Grassier's Plumbing & Heating, John and Sheri Egan, Luke Egan, Kelli Narczewski and Drew Faletti.

## LOCAL NEWS BRIEF

### Putnam County libraries to host virtual AI talk

The Putnam County Library District will host a virtual presentation about artificial intelligence at 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 11.

Illinois Library Presents: Speculating about Our AI Future with Cory Doctorow, Ken Liu and Martha Wells will feature

panel discussion with three best selling science fiction writers. They will discuss the promise, perils and possible effects AI will have on our future, as well as AI in contemporary and future science fiction writing.

Go to [putnamcountylibrary.org/](http://putnamcountylibrary.org/) for the Zoom link.

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