

Granville American Legion offering \$1,000 scholarship

The applicant must provide documentation from the institution at which he or she is actually enrolled for the coming semester before funds are released. An official list of the courses being pursued for the following semester by the college is sufficient documentation. Dropping out of the certified classes without sufficient cause, such as medical necessity or other hardship, would require the student to refund the award to the post.

The scholarship applications are available from the guidance counselor at Putnam County High School or from the post Americanism Officer Ron Blumer. Applications together with the required essay and academic documents, should be sent to: Ron Blumer, Americanism officer at 134 Cleveland Circle Granville, IL 61346 or Doug Ossola, adjutant at 315 W. Main, Granville, IL 61326. For information, call Blumer at 815-339-1082.

River Valley Players to present 'Legally Blonde: The Musical'

low's the journey of Elle Woods, a fashion-able sorority queen who surprises everyone when she enrolls in Harvard Law School to win back her ex-boyfriend. Along the way, Elle discovers her own strength, determination and the power of staying true to herself.

Deanne Crook is back in the director's chair along with a talented cast of familiar and fresh faces who will bring the characters to life. From Elle's hilarious antics to the memorable courtroom scenes, the show looks to captivate audiences by the energy and enthusiasm on stage.

Performances will take place on the River Valley Players stage at the St. John XXIII Community Center at 1302 Second St., Henry. Dinner theater tickets cost \$40 and includes a meal with salad bar, main course, dessert and three beverages. Dinner shows are April 6, 7, 13 and 14. The theater also offers a show-only option on April 12 for \$20 a person; a selection of desserts will be available for additional purchase. Tickets can be purchased online at rvphensy.org or by calling the box office at 309-238-7878.

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Performances begin April 6

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The River Valley Players in Henry will present "Legally Blonde: The Musical."

Based on the novel by Amanda Brown and the hit film starring Reese Witherspoon, this production is aimed to dazzle and delight audiences of all ages. Featuring music and lyrics by Laurence O'Keefe and Nell Benjamin, and book by Heather Hach, "Legally Blonde: The Musical" fol-



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Items not accepted are small kitchen appliances, toasters, coffee pots, blenders, conditioners, white goods, smoke detectors, dehumidifiers, vacuums, batteries, fans, power tools, light fixtures, UPSs, refrigerators, stoves, dishwashers, light bulbs, broken CRTs, broken glass and hazardous material.

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laptops, TVs, main frames, peripherals, mice, modems, telephones, answering machines, microwave ovens, scanners, VCRs, stereo equipment, pagers, cellphones, cameras, camcorders, video games, software, CD/disc books, small handheld electronics, cables, calculators, shredders, scanners, plotters and terminals.

LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Putnam library to host solar event at Dixon Waterfowl Refuge

The Putnam County Library District will host Solar Eclipse at the Wetlands at 12:30 p.m. Monday, April 8.

Meet at the library first at 214 N. Fourth St. in Hennepin, then the group will head to the Dixon Waterfowl Refuge outside of Hennepin. The library also will be handing out solar eclipse glasses for students of Putnam County Elementary third through fifth graders at the school. Pick up a pair at the library for yourself.

Electronic recycling event set April 19 in Toluca

An Earth Day electronic recycling event is scheduled noon to 4 p.m. Friday, April 19, at 500 W. Railroad Ave. in Toluca.

Accepted items include computers, monitors, printers, fax machines, copiers,