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Mabel Mathieson is premiere Orval Kaag Award winner

Mabel Mathieson is probably the most ardent supporter of the Hoopeston Police Department's Neighborhood Watch program, so she was naturally at Monday's meeting, expecting to enjoy the program.

What she did not expect was to be named the first winner of the Orval Kaag Award, sponsored by the Hoopeston Police Department.

"I don't know what to say," she said when Chief Mark Drollinger presented her with the award. "Thank you very much."

Drollinger praised Mathieson's support of law enforcement. "it goes way back from when (Mathieson and her deceased husband, Gordon) owned the bakery," he said. "Maybe that's why she has a soft spot for cops."

The honor is named after former Chief Orval Kaag, who dedicated 35 years to Hoopeston and the police department, Drollinger said.

The award will be presented annually in May in conjunction with National Police Week. Recipients will be those who have shown support of Hoopeston and law enforcement and who have exemplary lives, Drollinger said.



Photo by Lourdine Florek

Mabel Mathieson of Hoopeston and Police Chief Mark Drollinger display the first Orval Kaag Award. Mathieson received the award at Monday's Neighborhood Watch meeting.

Hoopeston Area Fine Arts Festival to feature one act play

The Hoopeston Area Drama Department will present the one-act play "The Happy Journey" at 6:30 p.m. Thursday in the high school auditorium as part of the Fine Arts Festival.

The play will last approximately 25 minutes and is free of charge.

Written by Thornton Wilder ("Our Town"), the story is about a mother who takes her family on a rare road trip to visit her sick daughter during the Depression. Filled with touching humor and poignant sadness, the play consists of senior stars Amy Buttram, Drew Ger-

man, Cody Moore, Liz Newman, Andrea York, Jason Knapp, and Heather Alt.

Other activities scheduled for the festival include:

Middle School: 6 p.m.: Middle School choir; 6:15 p.m.: 7th grade band; 6:30 p.m.: 8th grade band; 6:45 p.m. Middle School jazz band; 7 p.m.: Middle School show choir; 7:20 p.m. Middle School awards

High School: 7:30 p.m.: video presentation with all choirs; 7:40 p.m.: Freshman choir; 7:55: High School varsity choir; 8:15 p.m.: High School girls choir; 8:25

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 Rain Date May 19
 Tickets at Crown Ford, Global Fashions, Rod's Home & Auto,
 Rent-A-Center, American Legion, WHPO, Convenience,
 Hoopeston Express Lube, Iroquois Federal



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Hoopeston Women's Bowling League
 Standings 4/30/01

1. R&R Body Shop	57	36
2. Kankakee Federal	53	40
3. Rethelford Carpeting	51	42
4. Community Bank	50½	42½
5. Main Street Travel	49½	43½
6. B.J.'s Pump	46	47
7. Pin Pals	44½	48½
8. Family Affair	43	50
9. The Scramblers	43	50
10. Gillins Oil	42	51
11. Weber's Drug Store	40½	50½
12 Gutter Balls	38	55


High Team Game: Gillins Oil 1,099, Rethelford Carpeting 1,098, Kankakee Federal 1,055; **High Team Series:** Rethelford Carpeting 3,177, The Scramblers 3,068, Kankakee Federal 3,013.
High Individual Game: Patti Lowe 220, Glenda Reed 213, Mona Birch 212; **High Individual Series:** Patti Lowe 627, Barb Rethelford 602, Glenda Reed 569.

Games over 200: Patti Lowe 203, 204, 220; Barb Rethelford 200, 210; Kathy Harding 201; Glenda Reed 206, 213; Mona Birch 212.
Series over 500: Patti Lowe 627, Barb Rethelford 602, Tracy Lawson 539, Kathy Harding 501, Linda Warner 501, Glenda Reed 569, Mona Birch 518.

In the Hospital 

Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital
 May 7

Admitted: none.
Discharged: Betty Smithers.

Weather 

Partly sunny today. High 77. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 55. Tomorrow, chance of showers. High 80, low 57.
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APARTMENTS FOR RENT

Efficiency apartment. Stove, refrigerator furnished. First month's rent, deposit required. (217) 283-9534. Leave message.

HELP WANTED

COOK. Full time position. 10:30 a.m.-7 p.m. shift including some weekends. Quantity cooking experience preferred. Apply at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital, 701 E. Orange St., Hoopeston, Illinois. EOE.

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