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Girls to clash in Powder Puff game during Homecoming week

The girls take to the gridiron tonight in a Powder Puff football game, part of Homecoming activities this week at Hoopeston Area High School.

The game, featuring girls from all classes, will begin at 7 p.m. under the lights of Glen Brasel Field. Admission is \$1 per person and the concessions stand will be open. Proceeds from tonight's game will go to the Hoopeston Multi Agency's Teen REACH program.

Senior boys will act as officials and cheerleaders.

The king and queen assembly will be held at 9 a.m. Wednesday in the high school auditorium. King candidates are Brian Bibb, Casey Burkett, Darin Coon and Jordan Halev.

Nominated for gueen are Meredith Alt, Brittany Buss,

Abby Watson and Alicia Wood.

Homecoming royalty will be crowned during halftime of Friday's game against Tolono Unity. The game begins at 7 p.m.

This year's attendants include Danny Allen and Brenda Granados, freshman; Curtis Warner and Holly Howell, sophomores; and Casey Smith and Andrea Wilson, iuniors.

Thursday's activities include the traditional bonfire at 9 p.m. behind the high school.

The annual parade will begin at 2 p.m. Friday and will travel west on Orange to Fourth St., then north to Penn, west on Penn to Bank and north to Main, ending down-

Attorney General targets gas chain for gouging consumers

Illinois Attorney General Jim Ryan has filed suit against Iowa-based Casey's General Stores, Inc., alleging the corporation gouged consumers following last week's terrorist attack.

The suit alleges 13 Casey's stores raised prices on 87 octane to as much as \$5 per gallon after the attack.

Casey's stores named in the suit are in Andalusia, Port Byron, Peoria, West Peoria, Monmouth, Galesburg,

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be extinguished!

Belleville, Chillicothe, Farmington, North Pekin, Pekin, Morton and Creve Coeur. Local Casey's are excluded.

Casey's General Stores announced Wednesday morning that will make refunds to customers. The company is also changing its pricing policy, limiting local control.

Customers who wish to report price gouging following Tuesday's attack may call (800) 243-0618. Ryan is considering making price gouging a violation of state law.

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Junior & Senior League Signup

Aug 18-Sept. 22

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Preschool screening

A free preschool screening for all three-, four-, and five-year-olds will be held Thursday, Sept. 20 at the Presbyterian Church. Call (217) 283-6668 for an appointment.

Cards requested

Margaret Irene Cundiff is now at Ford County Nursing Home in Paxton and would appreciate hearing from friends. Her room number is 25.

Women Making a Difference

The recently organized Women Making a Difference Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 25 at Compton's Restaurant. Anyone wishing to join before on that date will be considered charter members.

The group's main fundraisers have already started with tickets for a 50/50 drawing available from any member; and the Elder Beerman Community Day Oct. 27. For more information, call (217) 283-9730.

The Vermilion County Recycling Program and the Illinois EPA are co-sponsoring a

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day

Saturday, Oct. 6, 2001
Hoopeston Area High School
615 E. Orange St., Hoopeston
8 a.m.-3 p.m.
Free—Open to All Area Residents

If you have these materials, this is your chance to dispose of them:

Oil-based paints Paint thinners Herbicides Insecticides Aerosol paints
Automotive batteries
Household batteries
Drain cleaners

Fire Extinguishers

Used motor oil Lawn chemicals Anti-freeze Fluorescent tubes Mercury
Mercury switches
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Last time to dispose of these materials was October 1997 in Danville. So if you can't make Oct. 6 in Hoopeston, then take your items to: Sept. 15, Rantoul, IL (Chanute Base) or Oct. 27, Coles Co. Airport, Charleston, IL

Call the Recycling Coordinator (217) 431-2662, ext. 249, if you have questions

Nominating petitions for March primary are now available

Petition packets for those who wish to run for nomination in the March 19, 2002 general primary election are now available in the office of County Clerk Lynn Foster.

Offices to be nominated include county clerk, treasurer, sheriff, regional superintendent of schools, supervisor of assessments, all county board members and the board of review. Precinct committeemen will also be elected, as will U.S. Senators, Governor. Lt. Governor,

Attorney General, Secretary of State, Comptroller and Treasurer, all Congressional Representatives, state Senators and all Representatives in the general assembly.

Sept. 18 is the first day petitions may be circulated. Petitions must be filed with the county clerk from Dec. 10-17.

The candidate(s) receiving the highest vote total of each political party for each office in the election will be placed on the Nov. 5, 2002 general election ballot.

Obituaries

EADES—Robert W. Eades, 34, of Rossville, died at 1:34 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 16, 2001 at Provena United Samaritans Medical Center, Logan campus, Danville. Graveside services will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Floral Hill Cemetery. There will be no visitation. Brown-Alkire Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

KELNHOFER—Herbert R. "Poppie" Kelnhofer, 75, of Hoopeston, died at 1:15 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 16, 2001 at VA Illiana Health Care System, Danville. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at St. Anthony Catholic Church. Burial will be in Flroal Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be 6-8 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to the Alzheimer's Associa-

In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital Sept. 13

Admitted: Ray Milburn, Hoopeston.

Discharged: Bonnie Pratt.

Sept. 14

Admitted: Paul Clingenpeel, Celestia Davis, Hoopes-

ton.

Discharged: none.

Sept. 15-16

Nothing to report.

Weather



Mostly cloudy, chance of showers, thunderstorms today, tonight and tomorrow. Highs 76, lows 62.

For current weather conditions, call the **Hoopeston Weather Line** at (217) 283-6221.

tion, East Central Illinois Chapter, 307 W. University Ave., Champaign, IL 61820.

Classifieds

AUCTIONS

Real Estate & Household Auctions, 10:30 a.m. Sept. 22: 601 W. Lincoln, Hoopeston. Vic Clements home. Sept 29: 402 Grove, Rossville. Icey Denney Home. Call for showing. DeWitt Auction Co., (217) 283-7161.

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Francis Cundiff

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