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### Briefly

#### Collection ending

A collection drive for victims of the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks, sponsored by the Hoopeston City Council, will end Friday, said Alderman Ed Lotz at Tuesday's council meeting.

Lotz will collect donations Friday; they will then be given to the Red Cross.

Donations are accepted at all Hoopeston area financial institutions. Checks should be made payable to the Red Cross earmarked for disaster relief.

#### Auxiliary officers sought

The Rossville Police Department is accepting applications for auxiliary officers. Applications may be filled out at the village office.

#### Grave clean-up

Summer flowers need to be removed from graves at

Floral Hill before Oct. 1. City employees will begin removing them on that date.

#### Tiny Tots

Hoopeston Public Library's Tiny Tots will begin at 10:30 a.m. Friday. The theme is Curious George. Due to library construction, Tiny Tots will temporarily be held at the Hoopeston Multi Agency, 206 S. First Ave.

#### Seminar set

The Illinois Department of Employment Security will sponsor a seminar "Employment Security: the Changing Role of IDES" for anyone responsible for making unemployment insurance decisions. It will be held from 7:30 a.m. to noon Thursday, Oct. 3 at Days Inn, 77 N. Gilbert, Danville. Registration and breakfast will be held until 8 a.m. Cost is \$15.

Call (217) 442-7232 by Oct. 2.



### Police News



**Mary L. Barten**, of 418 E. Seminary, was ticketed for failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident after an accident at 6:55 p.m. Tuesday in the 600 block of West Orange.

Police said Barten, in a 1999 Dodge Neon, was

eastbound and did not see a 1991 GMC pickup truck stopped to turn left on South Fifth St.

An **employee** of Jerry's IGA reported at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday that two people stole packages of meat from the store.

### Serving 5-9 every Friday

**Prime Rib, Steak,  
Catfish or Shrimp**  
*Public welcome!*

Featuring John McElhaney at the piano

## Hubbard Trail

(217) 748-6521 1397 N 3680 E Rd., Rossville

## Pla-Mor Lanes

### Pee-Wee Signup

Aug 18-Sept. 28

First date to bowl Oct. 20

2:00 and 3:30 shifts

\$25 for the entire year. Includes T-shirt,  
trophy and year end banquet!



## Check out the latest Yankee candles -

New shipment.

New fragrance.

*Flowers & Gifts by Molly Culbert*

702 W. Main, Hoopeston 283-5578 Open 7 Days

## North Fork Conservation Club



Friday 11 a.m.-7 p.m.

At the club

**Fish, chicken, shrimp & clam dinners  
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1st Annual  
**North Fork Conservation Club  
 Trade Days**

**Sept. 22 7 a.m.-6 p.m.**

Boats, rods, reels, knives, guns, tree stands, dogs, ATVs

**Anything from apples to zebras**

\$1/person \$10 vendor setup fee

1 mi. east of Hoopeston on Rt. 9 and ¼ mi. north

All gate money to lake & upcoming events

We fill your propane bottles!  
 September special  
 20 lb. bottle just \$10

**Olympic Hardware**

516 N. Dixie Hwy. Hoopeston  
 (217) 283-5186

*Visioning for the Future Committee*

**Chicken &  
 Noodle Dinner**



**Saturday, Sept. 22 11 a.m.-1 p.m.**

**Hoopeston Multi Agency**

206 S. First Ave.

Chicken & noodles, biscuit, Jello salad,  
 beverage & dessert  
 Carry-outs available

\$5 adults, \$2 children 2-12, under 2 free

Proceeds to the Psi Iota Chapter's

**Playground Project 2002**

Tickets available at Polson Insurance, Weber

Drugs, L&M, H&R Block, Chamber of  
 Commerce, Multi Agency & at the door.



*Photo contributed*

**Big on Patriotism**

An American flag, measuring 20' by 28½", adorns the south wall of Bray's General Store in Rossville. The flag's history includes being flown over the Pentagon. John Myers, a Crawfordsville, Ind., representative, presented the flag to a National Guardsman in the early 1990s. The flag was to be displayed in a building but was too large. It was put on the wall, at the corner of Attica and Chicago Sts., last Friday.

*Hula contest* *2nd Annual* *Prizes*  
**Hawaiian Beach Party**  
**Hoopeston VFW**  
 Fourth Ave. & West Orange  
 Friday, Sept. 21 8:30-12:30  
 featuring "Class Reunion"  
 50s & 60s music  
*Drink Specials* \$2 single, \$3 couple *50/50 drawing*

**SHOP HOOPESTON FIRST!**

**In the Hospital**



**Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital**

**Sept. 18**

**Admitted:** Pauline Crain, Rossville.

**Discharged:** none.

**Weather**



Partly sunny today. High 75. Tonight and tomorrow, chance of showers, thunderstorms. Low tonight 58, high tomorrow, 75, low 57.

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

**Parking Lot  
 Pepsi Sale**



**Saturday, Sept. 22**

**9 a.m.-2 p.m.**

or while quantities last



Hoopeston Plaza, Rtes. 1 & 9

**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.

**FOR RENT**

Two 10,000 bushel grain bins with dryers, fans. Cheneyville area. (765) 869-5195.

**HOMES FOR RENT**

2 bedroom house w/garage. \$350/mo., \$350 deposit. (217) 283-5093

**LOST & FOUND**

Lost: short haired, all white spayed female doge. One blue eye, one brown. Last seen in southwest Hoopeston. Answers to "Delilah." Call (217) 443-4720, leave message for Dave.

**MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE**

Washer & dryer set, \$150; go cart, \$650 OBO, 5 pc. bunk bed set (white), \$400 OBO. (217) 283-4215.

**RUMMAGE SALES**

1 Watson Dr., Rossville (in park). Friday & Saturday, Sept. 21-22, 8-3. 20 gallon aquarium, oak stand, some antiques, misc.

207 Benton, Rossville. Friday & Saturday, 8-2. 2 family sale. Dinette set, baby items.

402 W. Maple, Hoopeston. Saturday, 8-1. Collectible Barbies, roller blades, Stride exerciser, girls clothing (newborn to juniors), microwave w/stand, TV stand, many other household items.

**Call (217) 283-9348 to place your ad.**