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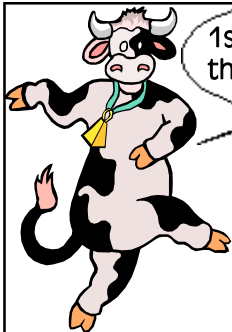


## Just the Facts

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1st of the season!

## Steak Fry

Friday, Oct. 5

5:30-8 p.m.

**American Legion**

502 E. Penn, Hoopeton

*No carry-outs*

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## Outdoor Amusement group offers carnival bill compromise

A compromise measure may get a bill regulating carnival workers out of political limbo.

House Bill 60, which would have required carnivals to provide the names, dates of birth and Social Security numbers of employees to local police departments, has been met with a counterproposal from the Outdoor Amusement Association, representing carnivals, said Hoopeton Police Chief Mark Drollinger.

Drollinger was instrumental in getting the bill before legislators. It was introduced to the House by Rep. Bill Black (R-Danville).

Under the compromise measure, carnival employees who operate rides would receive state identification cards through the Illinois State Police. The cards would be similar to Firearms Owners Identification (FOID) cards, Drollinger said.

The countermeasure would provide 30 days' notice to municipalities, rather than the 60 days requested in the original bill.

Drollinger, who spoke on the issue at Monday's Neighborhood Watch, expressed concern that only

ride operators would be required to have identification. However, "I've been told that, due to the size of the carnivals, training is diverse" and most employees would be required to have the cards because they are cross-trained on all aspects of carnival work.

House Bill 60 moved quickly through several hearings before becoming stalled by a lobbyist from the Outdoor Amusement Association. "It was pretty much dead in the water until about two weeks ago," Drollinger said.

Carnival owners balked at the bill. One, Jon Luehrs, owner of Leuhrs Spectacular Attractions which has served the National Sweetcorn Festival since 1996, said House Bill 60 unfairly targeted carnival workers and might put an end to carnivals in the state.

The new offer is being billed "as a model policy for the other 49 states" by the Association, Drollinger said.

The counter offer may make the fall veto session but with legislators looking at redistricting, it may not be heard.

## Rossville residents decorate wall to display patriotism

ROSSVILLE—A bare wall has become a focal point for patriotism that a group of local residents hope will be used by all area people.

The wall between Wally's Pub & Eatery and Brown's Insurance has been decorated with flags, red, white and blue bows and patriotic slogans such as "United We Stand," said resident Joy Gocking, one of the leaders of the project.

The wall also includes names of service people who are on active duty overseas and those who are serving stateside, Gocking said.

Family members may use available paint pens to write their loved ones' names on the wall. A paint pen is available at Traditions Floral Shop, 111 S. Chicago St.

The wall has already gotten attention from out-of-town shoppers. One woman from Champaign, who has a son in the service, plans to place his name on the wall. "She hugged me and said she thought it was a great idea," Gocking said.

For more information, call Gocking at (217) 748-6363 or 748-7905 evenings or Traditions Floral Shop, 748-6245.

## Wally's Pub & Eatery

119 S. Chicago, Rossville (217) 748-6858

**Friday:**

Peel-and-eat Shrimp, Coconut Shrimp,  
Shrimp Baskets, & Rib Eyes

**Saturday is Steak Night!**

Filet mignon, rib eyes, grilled chicken

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Saturday

**9:30-1:30**

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Lunch Menus

Hoopeston Area Middle/High School

MONDAY-TUESDAY: No school.

WEDNESDAY: Biscuit/sausage gravy or rib/bun, tri-tator, scrambled eggs, fruit cocktail. No salad.

THURSDAY: Chicken quesadillas or steak nuggets, lettuce, tomato, cheese, salsa, pineapple.

FRIDAY: Submarino, chicken & rice or cheese soup, crackers, orange. No salad.

Hoopeston Area grade schools

MONDAY-TUESDAY: No school.

WEDNESDAY: Ravioli, cheesy breadstick, chocolate chip cookie, pineapple, milk.

THURSDAY: Breaded pork/bun, tri-tator, cupcake, pears.

FRIDAY: PB&J, chili, orange, crackers.

Rossville-Alvin schools

MONDAY-TUESDAY: No school.

WEDNESDAY: Ham & cheese/bun, California blend/cheese, peaches, chocolate pudding.

THURSDAY: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, mixed vegetables, pears, bread, butter.

FRIDAY: Sub sandwich, carrots/dip, banana, pretzel/cheese.

All meals include milk.

Bowling Scores

Tuesday Night Classic League

Standings 10/2/01

1. Ross Electric	22	8
2. Production Tooling	15½	14½
3. Hoopeston Weather Line	15	15
4. Ferdinand Construction	13½	16½
5. Crop Production Service	13	17
6. Pla-Mor Lanes	11	19

High Team Game: Production Tooling 919; High Team Series: Ferdinand Construction 3,306; High Ind. Game: Todd Keith 268; High Individual Series: Jay Ferdinand 946.

Games over 200: Dennis Gress 226, 215, 215; Will Bruens 203, 202; Wendell Ferdinand 210; Jay Ferdinand 217, 237, 234, 258; Chris Coon 243, 214; Doug Wagoner 233, 258; Randy Hiltz 233, 258; Tim Coon 226, 242, 215; Nick Gonzalez 211; Mike Lawson 205, 254; Todd Keith

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Craftsman riding lawn mower, \$300. Western Auto push mower, \$75 OBO. (217) 283-7564.

Police News

An employee of Convenient Mart, 714 W. Orange, reported at 10:23 p.m. Wednesday that someone took \$20 in gas without paying for it.

In the Hospital

Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital

Oct. 3

Nothing to report.

Weather

Mostly cloudy, chance of rain today and tonight. High 55, low 35. Saturday and Sunday, partly sunny. Highs 53, lows 33.

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

Classifieds

RUMMAGE SALES

401 E. McNeil, Hoopeston. Friday & Saturday, 8-2. New motor-cycle chain, quilt blocks & top, misc.

412 S. Fifth St., Hoopeston. Fri., Oct. 5-Sat., Oct. 13, 8-? Antique furniture, dishes, washer/dryer.

605 Judson Ave., Hoopeston. Saturday, 8-late. Items too numerous to mention.

602 E. Sycamore, Hoopeston. Saturday, 8-? Girls toddler clothes, toys, etc.

SALES

Real Estate Sale. Tuesday, Oct. 9-Saturday, Oct. 14. 616 E. McNeil, Hoopeston. Everything must go!

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