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Non-school related materials given to students will be

approved by building principals.

That was the recommendation of a committee established to determine how such materials would be disseminated.

The recommendation was made by board president Larry Lobb at Thursday's Hoopeston Area School Board meeting.

The need for a policy came after Kathy Vines lodged a complaint about faith-based material distributed at one of the schools. The complaint was put on hold to allow the board time to devise a policy.

Vines said she did not complain about the content of the unidentified material, but rather the way it was distributed to students. "It wasn't until after the fact that it was brought to the teacher's attention," she said. "I trust the principals will make good decisions and my child will not receive similar materials the rest of this year or in following years," she said.

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Multi Agency van schedule

This week's schedule for the Hoopeston Multi Agency transportation project is: Monday, Hoopeston shuttle; Tuesday, Bloomington (leave at 8 a.m.); Wednesday, Danville; Thursday, Hoopeston shuttle; Friday, office closed.

For more information or to arrange a ride, call the Multi Agency at (217) 283-5544.

Community center activities include: Monday, ladies bridge, noon; Tuesday, ladies euchre, noon; Thursday, men's coffee, 9:30 a.m., men's euchre, noon; Friday, office closed.

Teen Reach activities for the week include:Monday, skating party, 4:30-6:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Harbor House,

Lobb responded that because the district practices a limited open forum of allowing non-school material to be given to students, faith-based materials "will probably have to be disseminated in some form, like it or not."

While leaving the issue up to principals, Lobb said each should follow basic guidelines, including not allowing the distribution of materials to take away from class time or disrupt the school day.

In unrelated action, the district will take part in local Memorial Day services and will award diplomas to two World War II veterans.

Under a new law, veterans of the war may receive diplomas from the high schools they attended. Two have requested the diplomas, including Larry Comstock of Hoopeston and Dale McElhaney of Danville.

If other veterans qualify, "we would love to honor them," said Superintendent Mark Conolly. To be considered, veterans should contact the superintendent's See SCHOOL on other side

4:30-5:30; Wednesday, Life Skills, Mike's presentation, 4:30; Friday, closed.

Calendar winners

This week's winners in the Hoopeston Area Music Booster calendar drawing are: March 25, Gary and Cheryl Gillins; March 26, Bus Burton; March 27, Ina Williamson; March 28, Rex Greene; March 29, Cody and Cayla Davis, \$200.

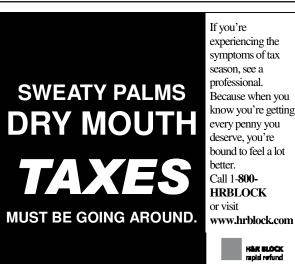
Meetings

• Hoopeston fire/water/sewer committees, 5:30 p.m. Monday, city hall, to discuss the new building.

• Hoopeston City Council budget meeting, 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, city hall.

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A 94-year-old woman reported Friday that she awoke to find a man in her living room, rifling through her purse. The man fled, taking an undetermined amount of money.

The burglary occurred at 12:15 a.m. in the 400 block of East McNeil.

Domingo Arredondo III, 24, of 522 E. McCracken, was arrested at 12:15 p.m. Friday in the 500 block of East McCracken.

Arrendondo was charged with domestic battery on a complaint from a 24-year-old woman. He was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

Cathy S. Kirby, 27, of 300 Spelter, Lot 69, Danville, was arrested at 5:20 p.m. Friday in the 300 block of East Maple.

Kirby was charged on three Coles County warrants, a Champaign County warrant and an Edgar County warrant.

She was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at Fifth St. and East Penn.

Police said Joan M. McIntyre of Ambia, Ind., in a

2002 Pontiac, and James C. Martin of Hoopeston, in a beverage needs 1999 Buick, collided at the intersection. Ted's Home

A 55-year-old woman reported Saturday that someone took a prescription drug and cigarettes from her vehi-(217) 283-7213 cle while it was parked in the

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Police News

700 block of West Orange.

Jerry L. Lindsev, 31, of 857 E. McCracken, was arrested at 5:20 p.m. Saturday in the 500 block of West Penn.

Lindsey was charged with home invasion, battery, criminal trespass to real property, domestic battery and disorderly conduct on a complaint from a 31-year-old man.

Police said Lindsey was not invited to the home and caused a disturbance there. The unidentified man ejected him from the back door while another resident called police.

Lindsey was treated at Provena United Samaritans

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office at (217) 283-6668.

Other action included:

• accepting resignations from James Dunlap, high school geometry teacher; Shawn Lane, high school PE teacher; Sandra Sorensen, Honeywell behavior disorder teacher; and Juan Robles, eighth grade boy's basketball coach.

• approving the remedial summer school program at a cost of \$17,060.

Obituaries

HASLER - Bert Earl Hasler, 96, of Hoopeston, died at 7:55 p.m. Wednesday, March 20, 2002 at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at Hamilton-Orr Funeral Home. Burial will be in East Lynn Cemetery, East Lynn. Visitation will be noon to 2 p.m. Monday at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to the American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 2680, North Canton, OH 44720.

Weather

Chance of snow today, 1-3 inches accumulation possible. High 37. Tonight, cloudy, chance of rain or snow late. Low 30. Tomorrow, chance of snow. High 37, low 32.

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

Medical Center for injuries in the disturbance before being taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

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