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Briefly

Pack the Place

Hoopeston Area Sports Boosters want to "Pack the Place" for Friday's basketball game against Paxton. The first 500 people to the game will get a free t-shirt

Tiny Tots

"Purple" is the theme of this week's Tiny Tots story program 10:30 a.m. Friday at the Hoopeston Public Library children's room. Tiny Tots is open to children ages 1-4 who are accompanied by an adult.

Sweetheart Dinner

The Hoopeston Area Sweetheart Dinner has been rescheduled for 12:30 p.m. Friday, March 7. The event

was cancelled last Friday due to the weather.

Seniors do not need to call in reservations again. School officials will use the current registration list.

Library to be closed

The Hoopeston Public Library will close at 2 p.m. Saturday for maintenance. The library will reopen at 9:30 a.m. Monday.

MAPPING meeting

Hoopeston residents are invited to a town meeting at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday to discover the results of Hoopeston Regional Health Center's MAPPING study. The meeting will be held at the First Presbyterian Church.

Rep. Johnson to meet with FFA

U.S. Rep. Tim Johnson (IL-15) will meet with Cissna Park FFA students and his agriculture advisory committee next week.

The meeting will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Cissna Park High School ag shop.

As the only member of the Illinois Congressional delegation to serve on the House Ag Committee this Congress, Johnson wants to gain a clearer understanding of the needs of the agriculture community in Illinois, specifically the 15th district.

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Hoopeston man arrested by Iroquois County police officials

A Hoopeston man was arrested as part of a joint narcotics investigation between Iroquois County Sheriff's Police and the Watseka Police Department.

Brandon M. Young, 19, was arrested Tuesday night after police said he allegedly arrived at a prearranged location to deliver purported cocaine.

When officers tried to arrest Young, he tried to flee in his vehicle, which struck an Iroquois County deputy and a Watseka Police officer. Both officers received minor

injuries.

Police chased Young into Vermilion County where Young drove his car into a field. Police said Young fled the vehicle and was apprehended near it.

Young was charged with aggravated battery, aggravated fleeing and eluding and reckless conduct. He was being held at the Iroquois County jail in lieu of bond.

Hoopeston Police and Vermilion County Sheriff's Police assisted with the incident.



Police News



Donald E. Underwood, 47, of 827 E. Seminary, was arrested at 2:27 p.m. Wednesday in the 800 block of East Seminary. He was charged with domestic battery on a complaint from a 44-year-old woman who reported Underwood choked her.

Underwood was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

Perry D. Carswell, 40, of 639 E. McCracken, was charged with driving on suspension and no valid registration following a traffic stop at 10:45 p.m. Wednesday at East Seminary and Fourth St.

Carswell was released on notices to appear.

William D. Cunningham, 33, of 525 E. Young, was arrested after a traffic stop at 2:50 a.m. Thursday in the 500 block of East McCracken.

Cunningham was charged with driving on revocation and was released on a notice to appear.

New Books at the Library



Fiction:

Into the Woods by V.C. Andrews

Paradise Alley by Kevin Baker

Firestorm by Nevada Barr (mystery)

Standing in the Rainbow by Fannie Flag

Hornet Flight by Ken Follett

Christmas in Harmony by Phillip Gulley

By the Light of the Moon by Dean R. Koontz

Weather



Mostly cloudy today. High 48. Tonight, chance of rain. Low 35. Tomorrow, chance of snow or rain. High 38, low 22. Sunday, chance of snow. High 28, low 14.

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



Lunch Menus

THURSDAY: Chalupa or hamburger/bun, corn, pineapple, milk.

FRIDAY: No school, milk. Teachers institute.

Rossville-Alvin schools

MONDAY: Pasta bake, green beans, peaches, banana bread, milk.

TUESDAY: Pizza Hut, salad, oranges, Jello/fruit, milk.

WEDNESDAY: Chicken fajita, baked beans, pears, no-bake cookie, milk.

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