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Briefly

Mobile office hours

A staff member from State Senator Dan Rutherford's (R-Pontiac) office will hold traveling office hours in Hoopeston and Rossville on Friday.

The traveling office hours will give constituents a direct contact in their own community. These office hours offer people an opportunity to ask questions and relay state issues or problems to a governmental office.

In Hoopeston, hours will be from 10 a.m.-noon at city hall, 301 W. Main.

In Rossville, the representative will be at the Rossville Village office, 120 E. Attica, from 1:30-3 p.m.

Trash Walkers

Trash Walkers, a weekly volunteer clean-up group, will meet from 9 -10 a.m. Saturday at McDonald's to pick up trash in the area.

Anyone who wishes to volunteer is welcome.

Fall Soccer Registration

Hoopeston Area Youth Soccer will be conducting the Fall 2003 Registration on July 19 from 9 a.m.-noon and July 20 from 1-3 p.m. at the Hoopeston Multi Agency.

The program is for children from age 4 through age 13

by Aug. 1 (unless they are age 14 and in junior high school). These are the only registration dates.

The registration fee is \$45.00 per child if registered by July 27, 2003.

For more information call 283-7363.

Youth football/cheerleading signup

Hoopeston Youth Football and Cheerleading will hold signups on Saturday, July 19 from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. and Sunday, July 20 from noon to 2 p.m. at the football field.

The program is open to children ages 5-14. First year players must bring birth certificates.

For more information, call (217) 283-7883 or 283-6985.

T-Ball end of season

Games rained-out on July 9 will be played on Monday, July 21.

Regularly scheduled games are set for Wednesday, July 23 and Saturday, July 26. Saturday games are at 9a.m., 10a.m. and 11a.m. and are the final regular games of the season.

At noon on July 26 is a special game for players in the final year of t-ball who will be eligible for Little League or Girls' Softball in 2004.

Buy of the Week

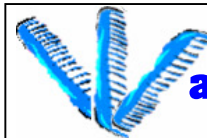
Lufkin 25'

Tape Measure

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Modeling fundraiser for

Jordan McCarty

Saturday, July 19 Main Street Inn

306 E. Main, Hoopeston

Pool tournament 1 p.m.

\$5 entry - 1st, 2nd, 3rd prizes

Hog roast 4:30 p.m.

50/50, prize give-aways

No minors after 6 p.m.



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Screen 1: "The League of Extraordinary Gentlemen" (PG-13)

Scope, 112 minutes, presented in HPS-4000/SDDS
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Police News



Tonya K. Irvin, 26, of 503 N. Seventh Ave., was arrested at 10:35 a.m. Wednesday at Dollar General, 415 S. Dixie Hwy.

Irvin was charged with retail theft after she allegedly left the store without paying for some items.

She was released on \$100 cash bond.

A **boy's** green Dyno 20 inch bicycle and a boy's

white 20 inch bike were found Wednesday in the 700 block of East Seminary.

The owners may identify and claim them at the police station.

A **boy's blue** and silver Next bicycle was reported stolen from Parkview Court sometime between June 26-July 14. The bike is valued at \$110.



New Books at the Library



Large Print Fiction:

Three Weeks in Paris by Barbara Taylor Bradford
The Triumph of Katie Byrne by Barbara Taylor Bradford

Thursday's Child by Sandra Brown
The Last Precinct by Patricia Cornwell
Hemlock Bay by Catherine Coulter
Reader's Digest Select Editions 2002
Smoke In Mirrors by Jayne Ann Krentz
Protect and Defend by Richard North Patterson
The Sky is Falling by Sidney Sheldon

Fiction:

Broken Wings by V.C. Andrews
Sons of Fortune by Jeffrey Archer
Hidden Treasures by Judith Arnold
Not Even for Love by Sandra Brown
Small-Town Girl by C.J. Carmichael
The Second Time Around by Mary Higgins Clark
Wild Orchids by Jude Deveraux
Talon of the Silver Hawk by Raymond E. Feist (science fiction)
Passing Into the Light by Sharon Ewell Foster (inspirational)
Q is for Quarry by Sue Grafton (mystery)
Second Spring: A Love Story by Andrew M. Greeley
Signs and Wonders: A Harmony Novel by Philip Gulley (inspirational)

Weather



Chance of thunderstorms today. High 82. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 62. Tomorrow, partly sunny. High 82, low 65. Sunday, chance of thunderstorms. High 85, low 65.

For current weather conditions, (217) 283-6221.

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SATURDAY JULY 19 BLACK DOG
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Call **Emily Brown**, (217) 283-5475,
for more details, to register or
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Rich Stipp, owner

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Email rstipp1949@yahoo.com



Classifieds

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mary Kay Open House, Saturday, July 19, 2-? 704 W. Lincoln, Hoopeston. Questions? Call (217) 283-4148.

Avon Porch Sale. Everything sells under \$5. 801 E. Main St., Hoopeston. Fri. & Sat., 8-?

HOUSES FOR RENT

2 bedroom home. Refrig., range, washer, dryer, dry basement, water softener, 2 car garage, central AC. \$450/mo. with deposit. No pets. Available Aug. Call (217) 283-5107 for application.

HOUSES FOR SALE

Houses for sale. Will accept contract. Nice, 2 bedrooms, new furnaces, new carpet. (217) 283-6025 (days) or (217) 304-4486.

LOST & FOUND

Lost: single car key on key ring w/remote control button. Reward. Call John at (217) 283-4078.

PRODUCE

Blackberries for sale. (217) 283-7805

RUMMAGE SALES

409 W. Lincoln, Hoopeston. July 18-19, 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Many household items, smooth-top electric range, dining table w/4 chairs, bedding, compact stereo, exercise bike, a few clothes.

513 E. Young, Hoopeston. Sat., 8-1. Multi-family sale. Tons of nice girls clothes (baby-7), men's, women's, toys, high chair, miscellaneous tools, tires, odds & ends.

426 E. Honeywell, Hoopeston. Sat., July 19, 7-noon. Moving sale. 5 families. Clothes (all sizes), knickknacks, books, albums, lots of angels, some furniture & much more.

815 W. Washington, Hoopeston. Fri. & Sat., July 18 & 19, 7-? 4 Family sale. Infant girls clothing, toddler boys clothing, baby items, lamps, end tables, sectional sofa, lots of girls clothing, something for everyone!

902 McNeil Ave., Hoopeston. Sat., 7-1. Refrigerator, sewing machine, day bed, lots of clean clothing, glassware.

SERVICES

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WANTED

Looking for king or queen size bed, couch, chair, microwave & other household furnishings. Call (217) 283-7744.