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 **Tacos are back!**  
Thursday 3-8 p.m.  
**\$1 beer V.F.W.**  
Corner of Fourth Ave. & Orange, Hoopeston

 **Hoopeston Multi Agency Ham & Bean Dinner**  
Oct. 2, 2003 11 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Tickets \$4  
*206 S. First Ave., Hoopeston*  
Pay-at-the-door Carry-out meals available. Cost: \$4.50  
Dinner includes ham & beans, cornbread, drink & dessert

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## City council approves acceptance of former bank building

Hoopeston's Willdon Building may have a new owner in the near future.

Following closed session discussion at Tuesday's Hoopeston City Council meeting, aldermen voted 5-3 to approve accepting the building from current owner Capstone Bank, said Alderman Bill Goodwine.

Goodwine was among those who voted against accepting the building. Others were aldermen Rod Kaag and Ed Lotz.

Aldermen voting to accept the fit were John Haughee, Kevin Davis, Carl Ankenbrand, Nancy Stipp and Brandon Hamilton.

While the city is willing to accept the building, Goodwine said a contract has not yet been written. The docu-

ment will include conditions under which Capstone will give the city the building, including one that says officials will not sell it to a competing financial institution.

City officials had talked about accepting the building, then turning it over to Tad Ballantyne of Hoopeston Foods, Inc. Ballantyne was previously reported as wanting to create apartments in at least the upper two floors of the five-story building.

In unrelated action Tuesday, the council:

- accepted a joint \$50,000 bid from Spear Corporation and Silver Brothers for a new sand filtration system and concrete work at the Hoopeston Swimming Pool.
- approved a work agreement with Verizon for work in the alley between the 600 block of Chestnut and West Orange.
- approved a \$6,050 bid from HOW Construction for an overhead door at the new water building.
- learned approximately 450 new radio read water meters will be delivered in about a week and will be installed in three to four weeks. The new meters will first be used to replace the oldest meters in the city, on the northeast side.

## Police News



An **85-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported Tuesday that someone broke into a back door of an unoccupied house in the 400 block of North Ninth Ave. A window was broken and several areas were spray-painted.

**Tonya K. Irvin**, 26, of 503 N. Seventh Ave., was arrested at 8:32 p.m. Tuesday in the 500 block of North Seventh Ave. She was charged with domestic battery on a complaint from a 23-year-old Hoopeston woman who alleged Irvin struck her.

Irvin was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

**Arriving today**  
**Winter-over pansies**  
**Hardy Mums**  
*Flowers & Gifts by Molly Culbert*  
702 W. Main, Hoopeston 283-5578 Open 7 days!

## New body jewelry in Global Fashions!

Jeweled eyebrow, new nose, funky tongue, spiral navel, spike chin, 500 new pieces.  
**\$10 for first piece body jewelry and just \$1 for 2nd!**  
50 varieties tanning bed lotions, just \$2 each.  
Hot Tattoo for \$3.  
PS: Brianna's Baby Shop opens for only one day to sell fall & winter, Friday, Sept. 27!

**Fish Fry**  
5-8 p.m. Friday  
**American Legion**  
502 E. Penn, Hoopeston  
Also serving pork chops  
*Includes baked potato, salad & roll.*  
Carry-outs available 283-6312



**Your event can be listed FREE on hoopeston.org**  
Email: [additions@hoopeston.org](mailto:additions@hoopeston.org)







305 E. Main, Hoopeston

Dance to the music of

**Haywire**

Saturday, Sept. 20 8:30-12:30  
\$1.50 domestic beers No cover

**Pla-Mor Lanes**

719 W. Elm, Hoopeston



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## Briefly

### Trash Walkers

Trash Walkers, a weekly volunteer clean-up group, will meet from 9 -10 a.m. Saturday at the girls softball park. Anyone who wishes to volunteer is welcome.

### Cemetery flowers

Summer flowers need to be removed from Floral Hill Cemetery before Sept. 29. Cemetery personnel will begin removing flowers Sept. 30.

### Information night

Hoopeston Area High School Senior Information Night for students and parents will be on October 1st at 6 p.m. in the HS Cafeteria.

Kay Brown will be available to discuss plans after high school.

### Free Screening Mammograms Available

The Vermilion Area Community Health Center in Danville is offering free screening mammograms to women. Requirements are:

- Resident of Vermilion County
- No health insurance

### •Low household income

To see if you qualify, please call the Health Center at 217-442-8790.

### English as second language

Danville Area Community College Adult Education Department will hold English as a Second Language classes beginning Sept. 23. Classes will meet 6:30-9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursday for 12 weeks. They will be held at the United Methodist Church, 403 E. Main, Hoopeston.

Maria Linares will be the instructor. For more information, call in the mornings, 283-6738 or afternoons, 283-7838. Classes are free.

Aprendan hablar ingles. Las clases se comienzan el 23 Septiembre, 6:30-9:30 p.m. los martes y los jueves por doce semanas en la Iglesia Metodista, 403 E. Main, Hoopeston.

La maestro es Maria Linares. Para mas informacion, llame (en la manana) 283-6738 o en la tarde, 283-7838. Las clases son gratis.



## New Books at the Library



### Non-fiction:

I Know I'm in There Somewhere by Helene Brenner

White Fire by Malka Drucker

Beyond Belief by Elaine Pagels

The Crisis of Islam by Bernard Lewis

Always My Child by Kevin Jennings

Anticipating Madam President edited by Robert Watson & Ann Gordon

Careers in Focus by Ferguson: Agriculture, Alternative

## Obituaries

**LANGLEY** - Glover "Sonny" F. Langley, 65, of Danville, formerly of Hoopeston, died at 7:35 a.m. Monday, Sept. 15, 2003 at Provena United Samaritans Medical Center, Danville. Graveside services with military rites will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Floral Hill Cemetery. There will be no visitation. Memorials are suggested to Danville Caner Center, Danville, IL. Hamilton-Orr Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

## Weather



Partly cloudy today. High 83. Tonight, chance of thunderstorms. Low 55. Tomorrow, chance of thunderstorms. High 68, low 46.

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

# Classifieds

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Having out of town visitors? We have two 1 bedroom furnished apartments available by the night or by the week. TV, phone, utilities included. (217) 283-7996.

## APARTMENTS FOR RENT

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Nice 1 bedroom upstairs apt. No pets. Deposit required. (217) 283-9507.

1 bedroom upstairs apt. \$295/mo. Heat, water furnished. (217) 283-9310.

## FOR RENT

9'x18' semi-private office space available at Hoopeston Multi Agency. Call for details, (217) 283-5544.

## HELP WANTED

Hoopeston Migrant Head Start is accepting applications for bus aides. Must be 18 or older. Salary range \$6.94-\$10.41. Please fax resume, with references, to (815) 984-4500 or call (815) 984-3706. EOE

## HOMES FOR SALE

Homes for sale. Will sell on contract. (217) 283-6025

## RUMMAGE SALES

918 W. Penn, Hoopeston. Sat., Sept. 20, 8:30-? Kitchen table, winter clothes, shoes, misc.

313 W. Elm, Hoopeston. In alley. Fri. & Sat., Sept. 19,20, 7-noon. Collectibles, books, microwave, queen headboard, household, knickknacks, Norfolk Pine. Don't miss this one!

715 N. Market, Hoopeston. Sat., Sept. 20, 7-? Lots of name brand clothing, women's, men's boys 18 mos.-3T; crafts; patio set; vanity set; crib; changing table; toys, tools & much more.

## SERVICES

Pampered Pet Grooming. Lots of TLC. Call anytime for appointment. (217) 339-2340.

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