

#### **Ham Walk**

Satur-

day, April 3

8:30-12:30

# **Hoopeston VFW**

Music by 2 Day Notice

Prizes, 50/50, Hog Raffle \$3 single, \$5 couple

# Masonic Lodge 709 AF&AM Sausage & Egg Breakfast

Orange Juice, Toast & Coffee

5:30-11 a.m. Saturday, April 3 \$4 donation Masonic Temple Rt. 9, Hoopeston



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# **Hoopeston Healthcare Center announces staff changes**

#### **Doctor named chief of ER medicine**

Effective April 1, Dr. Victor Garber has assumed the duties of Chief of Emergency Medicine at Hoopeston Regional Hospital.

Garber will over see issues regarding medical services in the emergency room department and will act as liaison between the department, nursing and administration.



**GARBER** 

Garber trained at the University of Toronto (Canada) Medical School and has a specialty in family medicine from McGill University in Montreal.

Garber is a partner in Hoopeston Emergency Medicine Specialists, Ltd., a partnership that began serving the hospital's emergency medicine needs in October. Other members are Dr. John Timmons, Vijay Desai, Sachi Kuha, Leonard Kacorowski, Jerry Noble, Ben Welch, Brad Peterson, Satish Vayuvegula and Peggy Schutte.

# Cabbage, Broccoli, Cauliflower Plants

(and even a few tomatoes for the stout heart!)

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### Bailey to head PR, foundation

A local woman has been tapped to be the marketing director for Hoopeston Regional Healthcare Center and the director of Hoopeston Area Healthcare Foundation.

Pat Bailey began her new duties March 1.

Bailey will handle all public relations matters for the center and will lead the foundation in fundraising to support events at the hospital.



**BAILEY** 

Ongoing programs include refurbishing patient rooms and purchasing equipment for the emergency room.

"I'm looking forward to working with the community," Bailey said of her new post.

Before joining the healthcare center, Bailey previously served as district manager of Manpower and is a former advertising manager at The Chronicle.

Bailey and her husband, Todd, live in rural Hoopeston. She has two grown sons, Jeff and Jon.



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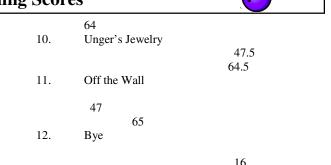
Free pool \$1 16 oz. draft in a frosty mug Serving enchiladas, fajitas, tacos, nachos & much more! Kitchen open noon-8:30 p.m. Tues.-Sat.

#### **Bowling Scores Hoopeston Women's Bowling League** 3/22/04 1. R&R Body Shop 77 35 2. Henning's 75 37 3. Weber's Drugs 68.5 43.5 BJ's Pump 5. Yaden-Rethelford 61.5 50.5 6. Royal Bs 53 7. Adda Girls 55 .5 56.5 Gillins Oil 51 61 Family Circus

## North Fork C onservation



Friday 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Fish, chicken strips, shrimp & clam dinners plus 2 sides **\$5.50** 



High Team Handicap Game: R&R Body Shop 1,082, BJ's Pump 1,060, Henning's 1,048 **High Team Handicap** Series: Bj's Pump 3,142, Henning's 3,104, R&R Body Shop 3,020; High Individual Scratch Game: Patti Loew 226, Patty Cappellano 225, Mona Birch 222; High Individual Scratch Series: Patti Lowe 664, Karen Porth 635, Patty Cappellano 603.

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# **Hubbard Trail Country Club** Easter Brunch

Sunday, April 11 9:30 a.m.-2 p.m. \$11.50 per person Reservations (217) 748-6521

Your local merchants are here to serve you! **Shop locally first!** 

# **Huge, Huge Rummage Sale**

Friday & Saturday 9-5 **Huckleby's Auction** 

208 N. Market, Hoopeston

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Concrete retaining blocks Concrete Pavers

Concrete Edgers

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**Grass Seed** 724Z Wheel Horse Zero Turn 520 Wheel Horse Tractor 60" Deck 416 Wheel Horse Tractor 48" Deck Other lawn equipment on sale

**Multi Family Garage Sale** 

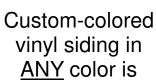
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# **Briefly**

#### **Tiny Tots**

"Cook-A-Doodle-Doo" is the theme of this week's Tiny Tots story program at the Hoopeston Public Library children's room.

Tiny Tots meets at 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays and 10:30 a.m. Fridays and is for children ages 1-4 who are accompanied by an adult.

#### **Sports registration**

Final registration for Pony & Colt leagues will be held from 9 a.m.-noon Saturday at the Hoopeston Multi Agency. Sign up fee is \$25.

#### **Neighborhood Watch**

Vermilion County Board member Gary Weinard will be the featured speaker at the Hoopeston Neighborhood Watch meeting. He will discuss issues involving the Vermilion County Nursing Home. No taxpayer should miss this meeting!

The meeting will be held at 6 p.m. Monday, April 5 at Country Terrace.

#### Alley cleanup

Hoopeston alley cleanup will begin on or

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#### **David Clark**

Shaking Hands Tour
Storytelling and acoustic performance
2:30 p.m. Sunday, April 4

#### LORRAINE THEATRE

324 E. Main, Hoopeston

Admission \$15.

Kids 12 & under free with paid adult.

about April 12, weather permitting. Alley cleanup is for yard waste and tree limbs only.

#### Christmas auction set

Hubbard Trail ABATE will hold their annual Spring auction for the 2004 Christmas fund at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Porky Barn on Rt. 24 in Watskea

All proceeds go to the Toys & Joys Christmas program.

#### **Election judges needed**

Democratic election judges are needed in Iroquois County. Both permanent and alternate judges are needed. Alternates are most-needed because they may travel to other precincts as needed.

Judges are appointed by precinct committeemen and paid by the county, which also pays for a twohour class. Qualifications include voting in the Democratic primary and being 18 or older.

For more information, call Democrat chairman Maurie Seggebruch at (217) 394-2019 or Roland Boguszewski, (815) 694-2120.

#### **Obituaries**

RICHARDSON - Mary Louise Richardson, 86, of Rossville died at 3:55 a.m. Wednesday, March 31, 2004 at Provena United Samaritans Medical Center, Logan campus, Danville. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Morrison Funeral Home, Bismarck. Burial will be in Rossville Cemetery. Visitation will be 5-7 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to New Life Christian Center, Danville.



# Larkin's Barber Shop

will reopen Wednesday, March 10 at

# **Bray's General Store**

**104 N. Chicago St., Rossville** 748-6888 7:30-5 Tues.-Fri., 8-1 Sat.

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We're giving you \$3.50-\$30 in FREE merchandise, depending on how many charms you buy!

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4 lb. bag

**C&H Sugar** 

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Cut, French or Shellie beans, Cream or Whole Corn. Peas. 14 oz.

**Stokely Canned Goods** 

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Folger's Coffee

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Farmland Extra Lean

**Boneless Ham** 

\$1.19/

lb.

#### Produce Dept.

California Strawberries 1 lb. 2 ctns./\$4

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We at Price-Less wish everyone a safe & happy Easter!



#### FREE

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Limit 1 w/coupon & additional \$25 purchase.



### **New Books at the Library**



A Great and Terrible Beauty by Libba Bray (young adult)

Truth or Dare by Jayne Ann Krentz Absolute Friends by John LeCarre Lonesome Dove by Larry McMurtry

Crown Jewel by Fern Michaels

The Man in My Basement by Walter Mosley Divided in Death by J.D. Robb

The True and Outstanding Adventures of the Hunt Sisters by Elisabeth Robinson

The Jungle: the uncensored original edition by Upton Sinclair



# Spring Ahead! Set your clocks up one hour Saturday night.

(and change the batteries in your smoke detectors, too!)

#### Lunch Menus



Hoopeston Area and Rossville-Alvin schools are on spring break this week.

#### CRIS/SAMS Meals

MONDAY: Beef & noodles, broccoli, apple-sauce, white bread, blueberry-filled bar.

TUESDAY: Glazed pineapple ham slice, au gratin potatoes, seasoned green beans, pan roll, strawberry gelatin cake

WEDNESDAY: Sub meat & cheese, bun, potato chips, salad dressing, peanut butter cookie.

THURSDAY: Sausage & hard boiled egg, potato tots, pineapple-orange juice, biscuit, banana.

FRIDAY: Closed for Good Friday

#### Weather



Chance of thunderstorms, showers all weekend. High today 70, low 54. Tomorrow's high 67, low 53. Sunday's high 66, low 49.

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

Another Man's Son by Katherine Stone

The Amateur Marriage by Anne Tyler

Emma's Secret by Barbara Taylor Bradford

The Knight by Gene Wolfe (science fiction)

The Cat Who Talked Turkey by Lilian Jackson Braun (mystery)

## **Classifieds**

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#### HELP WANTED

Vacancy Notice for Rossville-Alvin C.U.S.D. #7:

Grade School Cheerleading Coordinator & 7th/8th Squad Sponsor/Coach: Send resume by April 16, 2004 to Mr. Mark Janesky, Rossville-Alvin C.U.S.D. #7, 350 N. Chicago St., Rossville, IL 60963 indicating previous experience and references. Stipend for 2004-2005 school year \$1,154 at Step 0. Responsibilities begin this spring.

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#### **RUMMAGE SALES**

618 S. Second Ave., Hoopeston. Fri. & Sat., April 2, 3. 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Clothes, dishes, Easter items, misc.

Rossville American Legion will have a rummage sale from 9-3 April 17. Donations for the sale are being accepted through April 14

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