

Hoopeston New Car Dealers



**Saturday, Aug. 28
10 a.m.-2 p.m.**

Hoopeston Star Chrysler Lot

(Rt. 9 just east of Rt. 1)

**The ultimate sale for anyone
interested in selling their own
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**The ultimate sale for anyone in the
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ONE LOCATION with vehicles
starting as low as \$499!**

Hoopeston New Car Dealers will have a
professional auctioneer on site to have any
registered vehicles sold at auction!

No obligation to purchase or trade a vehicle to
participate. No wholesalers!

**For details, auction fees and entry form, see
one of the Hoopeston New Car Dealers:**

Hoopeston Star Chrysler

(217) 283-5131

Crown Ford Mercury

(217) 283-6688

Read Chevrolet Pontiac Buick

(217) 283-7729

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Volunteers are needed to help in area hospice program

Citizens who have a few hours a week to share with others are needed as volunteers serving in the Carle Hospice program.

Peggy Deffenbaugh, hospital volunteer coordinator, spoke to a small group of interested people Tuesday at the Hoopeston Multi Agency.

Hospice volunteers assist those who are dying, "to make the last days not quantity, but quality," Deffenbaugh said. Volunteers perform various tasks, from running errands, light housekeeping, gardening and fixing light meals to visiting with patients, talking to them and looking at photos. "There's not one person who

doesn't like showing off family photos," she said.

Currently, approximately nine Hoopeston area people are patients in the hospice program, which has only two volunteers, one from Potomac and one from Hoopeston.

Hospice volunteer training includes seven three-hour sessions. Training includes videos, discussion and open book tests on material covered. Classes are offered in afternoon (1-4 p.m.) and evening (5:30-8:30 p.m.) sessions in Champaign and Danville but Deffenbaugh said if seven volunteers sign up in Hoopeston, she will offer classes locally.

The premise of hospice care is to neither hasten nor prolong death. "Hospice helps people live until they die," Deffenbaugh said. Hospice workers help not only the patient but also the primary caregivers by providing support and time to do other things. Deffenbaugh related the story of one patient whose wife is his primary caregiver. One day a month, hospice volunteers stay with the man so that the wife may have her own illness checked by a Champaign doctor. The woman also schedules a hair appointment and shops on those days away.

Those who work in the program, including doctors, nurses, social workers, chaplains and volunteers offer "a

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Starts tomorrow at the LORRAINE THEATRE

Screen 1:

"Super Size Me" (NR)

"Two Thumbs Up!"

- Ebert & Roeper

Hamburger hoop-shooting
contest for prizes! Dancing
hamburgers & milkshakes!

7:30 p.m. nightly,

9:45 p.m. Fri./Sat.;

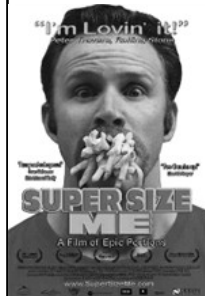
3:30 p.m. Sat./Sun.

Screen 2:

**"The Princess
Diaries" (G)**

7 p.m. nightly,

3 p.m. Sat./Sun.



Rain Sale

Thursday-Friday-Saturday
6" Hardy mums \$1.50

Blooming!

Flowers & Gifts by Molly Culbert

702 W. Main, Hoopeston 283-5578 Open 7 Days

Fish Fry

5-8 p.m. Friday
American Legion

502 E. Penn, Hoopeston

Also serving pork chops.

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Carry-outs available 283-6312



Thursday is \$1 beer night at V.F.W.

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•Fork Lift Operators •Welders

•Grinders •Warehouse Pickers

•Customer Service Representative

•Stenographer

LOCATION: Multi Agency Service Center
206 S. First Ave.
Hoopeston, IL

DATE: THURSDAY, Aug. 26, 2004

TIME: 10 a.m. to noon

BRING: Work History and Reference
Phone Numbers

You must be dependable and willing to work a
minimum of 40 hours/week. Drug screens and
background checks may be required. If you have any
questions, please call

Manpower at (217) 442-7844.

Hospice continued from other side

special gift of unselfishness,” she added.

Hospice does not treat a patient’s illness but instead offers pain management and symptom control. For example, a pain medication used might create other problems such as vomiting. Hospice treats not only the pain but works with the patient to eliminate or decrease subsequent symptoms.

In order to qualify for hospice care, a patient must have a specific illness, including cancer, HIV/AIDS, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), ALS

New Books at the Library

Fiction

Celeste by V.C. Andrews

Plan of Attack : a Novel by Dale Brown

Honey, Baby, Sweetheart by Deb Caletti (young adult)

Liars and Thieves: a Tommy Carmellini Novel by Stephen Coonts

The Summer I Dared: a Novel by Barbara Delinsky

Don’t Cramp My Style: Stories About That Time of the Month (young adult)

Retro: an Amos Walker Novel by Loren D. Estleman

Memorial Day by Vince Flynn

Ain’t No Mountain by Sharon Ewell Foster

Obituaries

SCHMID - Daniel W. Schmid, 86, of Cissna Park died at 9:45 a.m. Monday, Aug. 23, 2004 at home. Private graveside services will be at German Apostolic Christian Cemetery, Cissna Park. Private family visitation will be at Knapp Funeral Home, Cissna Park.

Brianna’s Baby Shop

open this Saturday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

w/tons winter Namebrands! Lots jeans! Great infant-school sizes. If rain, we’ll open Sunday same time.

Last time open this year! We’ll be in Sweet Corn tent!

Large gage, dangle, CZ & titanium body jewelry,
fashion jewelry, 15,000 charms,
designer-inspired purses, 3 spots!

(Lou Gehrig’s Disease), dementia, failure to thrive or debility unspecified.

In the early stages of hospice, patients were to have a life expectancy of six months or less to have the service covered by Medicare but more recently, that criteria has eased. One patient was with the program for nearly three years, Deffenbaugh said.

In caring for patients, volunteers often become very attached and feel a loss when the patient dies. Often, volunteers will not take another patient for a while after the death to deal with the grief. “We give our volunteers the opportunity to say ‘no, I can’t take another patient yet,’” she said.

Volunteers can be of any age. Deffenbaugh talked of

Gas station, restaurant closed

A restaurant/gas station in Hoopeston has closed.

Hoopeston Shell/Taco Shell closed Tuesday. An ad in Monday’s Just the Facts announced the gas station was closed but the restaurant would remain open.

The business had been operated by Arthur and Margaret Gonzalez of Hoopeston, who leased the building from Stanley J. Clark of Cayuga, Ind.

The station, which at one time housed a local Burger King, was closed by Stanley J. Clark in April 2003 and was reopened by the Gonzalez’ in November 2003.

Police News

A 16-year-old boy turned himself in to police at 6:45 p.m. Tuesday. The boy, wanted on a Vermilion County warrant, was taken to the Juvenile Detention Center in Danville.

A 17-year-old Hoopeston woman reported Tuesday that someone took her purse and the faceplate of a CD player from her car. The car was parked and unlocked in the 200 block of North Fourth St.

Weather

Chance of showers today. High 86. Tonight, breezy. Low 70. Tomorrow, chance of thunderstorms. High 86, low 68.

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

one volunteer in his 80s who still visits with patients to talk about “the old days.”

For more information on volunteering or the hospice program, Deffenbaugh may be reached at (800) 239-3620.

Classifieds

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Need rooms for visitors or relatives? Rooms available by the night or week. Professionally maintained rooms with Queen beds, fold-out couches, phone, cable and full kitchens with microwaves and coffeemakers. Newly added room with laundry! Call (217) 283-7996 for reservations.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

1 bedroom apt. Some appliances furnished. \$325/mo., includes utilities. Deposit, references, no pets. (217) 304-3477 after 5 p.m.

624 S. Eighth Ave., Hoopeston. 2 bed, 1 bath and full basement great for storage or play area. Includes refrigerator & stove. \$475/mo., \$475 deposit.

HELP WANTED

Hoopeston Coin Laundry is seeking art time serviceman to work on laundry equipment. Must be mechanically inclined. Flexible hours. Contact Tina at (217) 283-5960 or (217) 697-9974.

HOUSES FOR RENT

Hoopeston: 2 bedroom. Available Sept. 1. New carpet. \$375+security, references. No pets. (217) 304-3477

426 W. Maple, Hoopeston. 2 bed, 1 bath and garage. Refrigerator & stove furnished. \$400 per mo., \$400 deposit. (217) 283-7996.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

Electric Maytag dryer, \$75; 2 microwaves (working) \$15 ea. (217) 283-5230.

15 cu. Ft. freezer. \$50 (217) 417-1485

Misc. hand tools, screws, bolts, new wheels, etc. (217) 283-4922

PROPERTY FOR SALE

604 E. McCracken, Hoopeston. Corner lots. Block 26, Lot 13 80ft. Lot 14 West 1/2 40ft. City Sewer and water already there. 2 1/2 car garage. Asking 5,000 Call (217) 283 4427 or 283 4956.

RUMMAGE SALES

505 Honeywell Park (corner of N. 4th & E. Honeywell) Fri., Aug. 27, 8-4, Sat., Aug. 28, 8-? Men’s, ladies, infant-toddler clothing, linens, lamps, housewares., toys, books, misc.

VEHICLES FOR SALE

2002 Chevy Astro Van. Loaded. 37,000 miles. Weber portable fire pit & load of wood, \$50. (217) 283-7353.

Call (217) 283-9348 to place your ad!