Huge Clothing Sale Friday 6-7 p.m. in front of **Brianna's Baby Shop** This Friday evening, 100s new styles Summer newborn-teen \$2 each. Women's plus \$5 each Disney VHS, DVD movies, Gameboy Advanced, Playstation 2, Power Rangers, etc!



Back by popular demand! TACO DINNER

(Dine in or Take out) **St. Anthony Youth Group and Friends Servant Tour 2005** "Help Us Help Others" "Earning Our Way to New Orleans"

Saturday, June 4 Serving from 4-7 p.m.

St. Anthony Parish Hall (Corner of Lincoln St. and Third St.)

3 Tacos for \$5 Featuring: Mrs. P's homemade salsa & flour tortillas



Hoopeston woman trades in selling hamburgers for Hemis

Sue McGee knows a thing or two about driving.

For the last several years, McGee has driven to Crawfordsville, Ind., where she managed a Burger King restaurant.

That changed March 28 when McGee ended a 13-year career in the restaurant industry to become a sales consultant at Star Chrysler.

Whether it's selling sodas or Sebrings, McGee wants customers to be happy. To do that, she has been busily studying product lines, features of each and driving vehicles. "Our store is very caring and we do take care of our people," she said.

The offer to join the Star team was a surprise for the Hoopeston resident. After consistently working 12-hour days and driving 85 miles one way, McGee was tired. One day, Star owner Dick Read talked with McGee's husband, Bill, who asked how she was. He told Read, who in turn suggested she see





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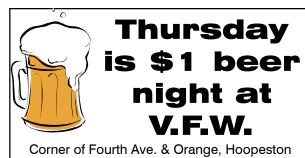
Mr. McGee called his wife, saying he had a job option for her but wouldn't tell her what it was. "I was literally ripping my brain out because I thought 'what could it be," she said.

After meeting with Read and Star manager Steve Mowrer, McGee accepted the position and began training, which will be ongoing. "They say it takes two years to really get a good grasp of it," she said.

Although relatively new to the job, McGee has adjusted from asking about condiments to engine

size and options. She is particularly enthusiastic about Chrysler's new 300. "It's just an experience," she said. "It's a great experience. There's more excitement about this vehicle than anything else on the market now."

As part of the Hoopeston Auto Group, McGee can take customers to any of the three new



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every Thursday 7 p.m. Hoopeston American Legion 502 E. Penn

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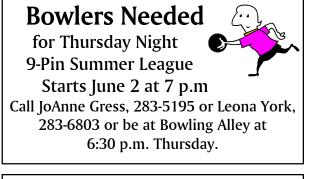
The Hoopeston Multi Agency Board and staff extend their sincere appreciation to the community for its recent outpouring of funds to help the Multi Agency whit its May Fund Drive. The response to our request was overwhelming, which shows us the community's willingness for "lending a helping hand" when the need arises.

To all of you who contributed in any way, our heartfelt thanks. Donations are still welcome any time. Should you have any questions or need information about the services we provide, please call us at (217) 283-5544 Monday through Friday between 9 a.m.- 4 p.m.

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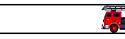
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"It's a Jungle Out There" is the theme of vacation Bible school at First Baptist Hoopeston. Classes will meet June 6-10 from 9-11:30 a.m., with a rally at 7 p.m. Friday. Bible lessons, missionary stories, games and treats will be available to children in first through sixth grade as they travel to the heart of darkest Africa.



The Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 4 p.m. Tuesday to a garage fire at East McCracken and Fifth. Police also responded. No injuries were reported.

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Fire Calls

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erships in Hoopeston and will tailor her schedule to fit her customers'. Although Star hours are 8-5:30 Monday through Friday and 8:30-1 Saturday, McGee said she will schedule appointments later or earlier and will take vehicles to people's homes or businesses so they can test drive the car or truck of their choice.

For McGee, the change in careers represents a slower pace and a chance to get reacquainted with Hoopeston and the surrounding area. "I'm 51 years old," she said. "It's time to start slowing down and having a life again. It's a nice career change. I think I could do this for a while."

McGee can be reached at (217) 283-5131 or



The Rev. Earl Martin, new youth minister, will lead this year's program.

Neighborhood Watch

Hoopeston Mayor Bill DeWitt will be the featured speaker at the June 6 Hoopeston Neighborhood Watch meeting. DeWitt will speak on his plans for

Obituaries

HULTQUIST—Calvin C. Hultquist, 69, of Hoopeston died at 8:35 a.m. Monday, may 30, 2005 at Hoopeston Community Memorial Nursing Home. Services will be held at a later date in Leclaire, Ia. Hamilton-Orr Funeral Home is in charge of local arrangements.

Police News

Hessie B. Daniel, 85, of 526 E. Main was ticketed after an accident at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Main and Market.

Police said Daniel hit an unidentified 65year-old man in the hand with a 1996 Ford truck, then left the scene.

The man was treated and released from Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital.

Daniel was cited for failure to yield to a

Weather

Partly cloudy today and tonight. High 80, low 58. Tomorrow, partly cloudy. High 78, low 60.

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



Hoopeston.

The meeting will be held at 6 p.m. at Country Terrace. Everyone is invited to attend.

Hydrant flushing

The Hoopeston Water Department will start flushing fire hydrants of Fridays starting May 27. Flushing

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APARTMENTS FOR RENT

Rossville: 1-2 bdrs. Riverview Apartments. Completely refurbished, on-site washers & dryers. 1 bdr. \$310/mo., \$310 deposit; 2 bdr., \$360/mo., \$360 deposit. Call (217) 840-3672. Nice efficiency apt. Stove, refrigerator furnished. No pets. (217) 283-9507, (217) 249-9507

EVENTS

BOOK SALE! Saturday, June 4, 403 S. Chicago, Rossville. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Paperbacks, hard covers. Novels, Westerns, History, Civil War, Reader's Digests. No Harlequins. Over 300 to choose from. 25 cents to \$1. Rain date Sunday, June 5.

HOUSES FOR RENT

Hoopeston, 3 Bdrm Brick Ranch with Carport. No Steps! Refrig, Range, Built in Micro, DW, Disposal, Washer, Dryer, Central AC. No Pets! Non-smoking residence. \$450/mo with deposit. Call (217) 283-5107 or 283-7568 for application.

S. Market, Hoopeston. 2 bdr., basement. \$425/mo. References. Available June. (217) 304-3477

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

18,000 BTU air conditioner. \$150. Emery Zimmerman, (217) 283-6176

Couch & love seat; console color TV; microwave, table w/6 chairs, hutch, server; trampoline; portable basketball hoop. (217) 748-4215

3 White riding mowers, 1 Murray riding mower, all priced below value. 1 mower used only 1 season. See at 417 E. Wyman Ave., Hoopeston.

RUMMAGE SALES

313 W. Elm, Hoopeston (in alley) Fri. & Sat., June 3-4, 7-noon. Clean sweep sale! Loads of quality, unique items. Don't miss it! Looking for Something? We Probably have it. Try looking in the garage at 702 South Second Ave. June 3 & 4. 8 a.m.- 4 p.m. Clothing & shoes children's-Boy's and Girls, Women's Jr sizes and up, Men's Small-X-LG. Golf clubs & bag, Couch & other furniture, household items, Tools-Automotive to Yard. Children's books, cookbooks, reference, fiction, nonfiction, candles, perfume, CDs, movies . The list could go on & on...