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## Briefly

### English as Second Language classes

DACC-English as a Second Language (ESL) classes will begin Sept. 27. Classes will be offered from 6:30-9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at United Methodist Church, 403 E. Main St.

For information, call Maria G. Linares, instructor, at 283-7838.

Clases en Ingles comienzan el 27 de Septiembre. Las clases son gratis y se ofrecen por el Colegio de Danville Area Community. Las clases se ofrecen todos los Martes y Jueves de 6:30-9 p.m. en la Iglesia Metodista, 403 E. Main, Hoopeston.

Para mas informacion, llame a Maria G. Linares, maestro, al 283-7838.

### Neighborhood Watch

Hoopeston Police Officer Jeremy Welch will be the featured speaker at the Oct. 4 meeting of Hoopeston

Neighborhood Watch.

The meeting will be on Tuesday instead of the usual Monday.

Welch, who was deployed to Louisiana after Hurricane Katrina, will speak about his experiences.

The meeting begins at 6 p.m. at County Terrace. Everyone is invited. Refreshments will be served.

### Interest in construction?

Anyone interested in construction as a trade is asked to be at the Hoopeston Multi Agency at 10:30 a.m. Thursday for more details. For information, call 283-5544.

### Clothing donations sought

Hoopeston's Artistic Repertory Theatre is seeking donations of prom, bridesmaid and other special clothing for its costume department.

Anyone who has clothing to donate to the not-for-profit group is asked to call Carol Kloska, 283-6553.



## Ducking for cover

These ducks look for shade under a bench at McFerren Park recently.



It's a Boy!

**Evan Wayne Lile**

Born Sept, 26, 2005

5:49 a.m.

5 lbs., 14 oz. - 19½ inches

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## Letters to the Editor

### Group aims to defend marriage

Voters in eighteen states across America – people of all races, creeds, religions and political affiliations – have spoken clearly by amending their state constitutions with overwhelming majorities (an average of just over 70 percent) to defend marriage from those who seek to redefine it.

Citizens of Illinois would also like to have the opportunity to vote on an amendment to their state constitution which will define marriage clearly and protect it from those who are willing to impose a vast, untested, social experiment upon our culture and children.

Those who truly believe in our democratic way of life must get involved. If this issue isn't decided by us (and other Illinois voters), it will be decided for us by unelected, activist judges as evidenced in Massachusetts.

If you want to get involved in this historic effort, or if you just want to learn more, please visit [www.protect-marriageil.org](http://www.protect-marriageil.org) or call toll free 877-787-8011.

We invite you to take part in the Protect Marriage Illinois petition drive to put a referendum on the 2006 ballot to call on the General Assembly to establish marriage as it is intended by God, tradition and common sense – between one man and one woman.

David E. Smith, Project Director

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Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

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## New Books at the Library

### Non-fiction

Country Music Changed My Life: tales of tough times and triumph from country's legends by Ken K. Burke

Players in Pinstripes: the New York Yankees by Balantine Books

Collected Poems by Donald Rodney Justice

### Police News

A **37-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported Monday that someone took a Nintendo game console and three game cartridges from her home in the 500 block of West Lincoln.

## Obituaries

**FINLEY** - Charles Sager Finley, 83, of Louisville, Ky., formerly of Hoopeston, died Thursday, Sept. 15, 2005. Memorial services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Hamilton-Orr Funeral Home. Burial will be in Floral Hill Cemetery with military rites by the Hoopeston American Legion and VFW. Memorials may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

**WORLEY** - Pauline "Polly" Worley, 83, of Hoopeston died at 3:09 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 25, 2005 at Hoopeston Community Memorial Nursing Home. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Brown-Alkire Funeral

Home. Unbelievably good deals and great adventures that you absolutely can't get unless you're over 50, 2005-2006 by Joan Rattner Heilman

Frommer's Chicago 2005 by Elizabeth Canning Blackwell

Frommer's Alaska Cruises & Ports of Call 2004 by Jerry Brown

Beyond Jennifer & Jason, Madison & Montana: what to name your baby now by Linda Rosenkrantz

The Great American History Fact-finder: the all-in-one guide to the who, what, where, when and why of American history by Pam Cornelison

Home. Burial will be in Floral Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be 6-8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to First Presbyterian Church of Hoopeston or a charity of the donor's choice.

## Weather

Chance of thunderstorms, rain today and tonight. High 76, low 46. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 63, low 39.

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

Hoopeston Multi Agency  
Annual Ham & Bean Dinner  
Thursday, Oct. 6 11 a.m.-1 p.m.  
Donation \$5 per person  
Includes ham & beans, cornbread, drink,  
cole slaw & dessert.  
Pay at the door  
Carry-outs available \$5.50

Tacos & Tamale Dinners  
5-? Wednesday

**Second Chance**

**Saloon**

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No Cover

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