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# Volunteers still needed to provide merry Christmas for kids

Hoopeston area residents are being asked help make Christmas brighter for local children through the Miracle Tree and Toys for Kids programs.

Names still remain on Miracle Trees, which contain information tags for gifts for underprivileged children. Children's names are not provided but age, gender and size information is provided to assist shoppers.

Trees with names are available at First Allied Securities and Global Fashions. Gifts should be returned to the

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# **Briefly**

#### **Well-Baby Clinic**

The Hoopeston Well-Baby Clinic will be held from 9-11 a.m. Thursday at Charlotte Ann Russell Medical Center, 801 E. Orange St., Hoopeston.

This is a free clinic for all children from birth to school age. Children will be examined, weighed, measured and given needed immunizations.

No appointment is necessary. Walk-ins are welcome.

There is no charge for the clinic but freewill donations are accepted.

#### **Tiny Tots**

"Christmas" is the theme for this week's Tiny Tots at the Hoopeston Public Library children's room. Children will decorate Christmas cookies.

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.

#### **Christmas tour of lights**

The Hoopeston Multi Agency annual Christmas Tour of Lights will begin at 5 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 15. The tour is for senior citizens and the disabled. The Multi Agency van will take participants around Hoopeston. Reservations are on a first come-first served basis. Call 283-5544 to reserve a seat.

#### **Meetings**

Hoopeston Area School Board, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, high school library.

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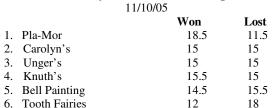


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**Thursday Afternoon Ladies League** 

High Team Handicap Game: Carolyn's 892, Pla-Mor 855, Bell Painting 812; High Team Handicap Series: Pla-Mor 2430, Carolyn's 2430, Bell Painting 2419; High Individual Scratch Game: Angie Bell 234, Terri Bell 203, Kellie Johnson 203; High Individual Scratch Series: Angie Bell 573, Linda VanBurk 517, Darlene Musk 498.

#### Hoopeston Women's Bowling League 11/14/05

		<b>Won</b> 30	Lost 10	Stan Berenstain
1)	R&R Body Shop			Big cat by Mark Shu
2)	Olympic Hardware	29	10	Billy the kid by Theo
3)	Weber's	26.5	13.5	The case of the trick
4)	Kratt	21	19	Curious catwalk by J
5)	Adda Girls	20	20	D is for Dahl by Roa
6)	The Fubars	19	21	Diary of a spider by
7)	Unger's Jewelry	18	22	Disney's The Lion K 40 Uses for a Grandy Foxy Fox by Mark S
8)	Gillins Oil	17.5	22.5	
9)	Ruby Nell's	13	27	





**High Team Handicap Game**: Olympic Hardware 1043. Webers 1030, Adda Girls 1020; High Team Handicap Series: Adda Girls 2955, Gillins Oil 2942, R&R Body Shop 2937; High Individual Scratch Game: Rita Rethelford 220, Glenda Reed 203, Laurie Murphy 201. High Individual Scratch Series: Glenda Reed 556, Mona Birch 545, Laurie Murphy 538.

### New Books at the Library



#### Fiction

Abby takes a stand by Patricia McKissack At the carnival by Leslie Valdes

Babies' day by Amanda Leslie

The Berenstain Bears and the trouble with chores by Stan Rerenctain

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ky trap by John Erickson

John Gravdahl

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Doreen Cronin

King by Justine Korman dpa by Harriet Ziefert

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**Police News** 



#### Joshua A. Watson, 21, of 824 E. Wyman, was ticketed for no insurance and no valid driver's license after an accident at 1:25 p.m. Sunday.

Police said Watson, in a 1985 Dodge Ram, slid on the road and hit a stop sign pole at North Eight Ave. and West Thompson.

A man reported Sunday that someone broke the padlock on a gas pump and stole a large amount of gas. The theft occurred in the 700 block of West Honeywell.

**Abbie D. Morgeson**, 25, was arrested in connection with an accident reported at 9:08 p.m. Saturday at West Chestnut and South Dixie Hwy.

She was charged with failure to give information after striking an unattended vehicle and driving on suspension.

Police are investigating a hit-and-run accident

reported Monday at 224 W. Maple. An unknown vehicle hit a parked 1994 GMC truck owned by Jacob Kinnaird of Hoopeston.

#### **Obituaries**

HINKLE—Melvin L. Hinkle, 82, of Hoopeston died at 6:10 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 11, 2005 at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Arrangements are pending at Brown-Alkire Funeral Home.

#### Weather



Partly cloudy today. High 31. Tonight, chance of snow. Low 25. Tomorrow, rain or snow likely. High 32, low 26.

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

#### **Christmas** continued from other side

respective business by Friday, Dec. 16.

The Miracle Tree program is sponsored by Grant Township officials.

The Hoopeston Jaycees, sponsors of Toys for Kids are still accepting donations of new and gently used toys. Collection points include Brown's Cash & Carry, Global Fashions, The Chronicle, Rod's Home and Auto, IGA, Pamida and CVS Pharmacy.



# **Classifieds**

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