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Pepsi sports competition coming to Hoopeston Saturday

A competition sponsored by Pepsi will let local youngsters show their stuff aspects of baseball.

The Pepsi Pitch, Hit and Run competition will be held Saturday at the Vermilion Iron Fields (HAYB fields) in Hoopeston.

Competition is free to boys and girls ages 7-14. Competitors are divided into four age divisions: 7/8, 9/10, 11/12, 13/14. Winners advance through four levels of

competition including team championships at Major League ballparks and the National Finals at the 2006 MLB All-Star Game. Individual Pitching, Hitting, and Running Champions along with the All-Around Champion in each age group at the Hoopeston competition will advance to Sectional Level of Competition.

Registration begins at 8 a.m. Youngsters will be given

See SPORTS on other side



Photo by Carl Ankenbrand

Prom royalty

Yolanda Solis and Alex Lugo were named king and queen to reign over Hoopeston Area High School's "Hearts Are Wild" prom Saturday. Also pictured are members of the court, from left, Robbie Zamarripa, Taylor Butterworth, Jenna Silver, Will Keister, Brook VonBehren, Kyle Walder, Cristin Prince and Andrew Hodge.

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Sat., May 13, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

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Bowling Scores



Hoopeston Women's Bowling League
4/3/06

	Won	Lost
1) Olympic Hardware	82.5	29.5
2) R&R Body Shop	72.5	39.5
3) Weber's	65.5	45.5
4) Kratt	64	48
5) The Fubars	62.5	49.5
6) Gillins Oil	61.5	50.5
7) Adda Girls	56	56
8) Unger's Jewelry	47.5	64.5
9) Ruby Nell's	34	75
10) Bye	10	102

High Team Handicap Game: Gillins Oil 1047, Kratt 1037, R&R Body Shop/Ruby Nell's/The Fubars 998; **High Team Handicap Series:** Gillins Oil 2992, RYR Body Shop 2956, Kratt 2939; **High Individual Scratch Game:** Glenda Reed 210, Sandy Mullen 194, Leona York 193;

High Individual Scratch Series: Glenda Reed 579, Linda VanBurk 543, Mona Birch 525.

Thursday Night Men's City League
4/6/06

	Won	Lost
1. Ross Electric	145	58
2. Lawson Products	134	69
3. Tax Service Plus	122	81
4. Con-Agra Foods	113	90
5. Hooterville Broadcasting	110	93
6. U-Need Construction	104	99
7. Pla-Mor Lanes	97	106
8. Ballz Deep	86	117
9. Noble House Construction	74	129
10. Bye	30	173

High Team Handicap Game: Ballz Deep 886, Lawson Products 857, Tax Service Plus 852; **High Team Handicap Series:** Ballz Deep 2468, Lawson Products 2467, Tax

Service Plus 2362; **High Individual Scratch Game:** Tim Coon 277, Bob Butterworth 258, Ronnie Cappellano 25778; **High Individual Scratch Series:** Tim Coon 719, Ronnie Cappellano 696, Mark Butterworth 665.

Hall of Shame: Doug Goble 103.

Thursday Afternoon Ladies League
4/6/06

	Won	Lost
1. Pla-Mor	49.5	37.5
2. Unger's	49	38
3. Bell Painting	47.5	39.5
4. Knuth's	39	48
5. Carolyn's	38.5	48.5
6. Tooth Fairies	37.5	49.5

High Team Handicap Game: Bell Painting 857, Pla-Mor 833, Tooth Fairies 814; **High Team Handicap Series:** Bell Painting 2473, Pla-Mor 2415, Unger's 2339; **High Individual Scratch Game:** Kellie Johnson 211, Linda VanBurk 199, Angie Bell 189; **High Individual Scratch Series:** Kellie Johnson 580, Angie Bell 544, Linda VanBurk 504.

Obituaries

GOODEN—Ada Mae Gooden, 91, of Inverness, Fla., formerly of Hoopeston died Friday, April 28, 2006 in Inverness. Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at Floral Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Wednesday at Sunset Funeral Home and Cremation Center, Danville.

LAWTON—Chris A. Lawton, 52, of Rossville died at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 29, 2006 at home. A funeral

Mass will be celebrated at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at St. Paul's Catholic Church, 1303 N. Walnut, Danville. Entombment will be in Sunset Memorial Park, Danville, at a later date. Visitation was 4-8 p.m. Monday at Sunset Funeral Home and Cremation Center, Danville. Memorials are suggested to St. Paul's Catholic School Science Department. Condolences may be offered at www.sunsetfuneralhome.com

Sports continued from other side

a time to compete when they register. Winners will be announced at the fields during closing ceremonies at 5 p.m. For more information, contact Bob or Emily Brown at (217) 283-5475 or via email: bob-nemm@cell1net.net.

We will be selling raffle tickets in conjunction with the competition. Items to be raffled include:

- An overnight stay at The Omni Severan Hotel, Indianapolis, plus zoo and museum tickets.
- An autographed baseball from Aramis Rameriz with certificate of authenticity, donated by the Chicago Cubs.
- Many more autographed and locally donated items.

Tickets are \$1 each and can be purchased by contacting Brown at 217-283-5475. Winners will be announced at the 5 p.m. closing ceremonies.


Briefly

Tiny Tots

"Caterpillars" 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.

Weather



Partly cloudy today and tonight. High 71, low 53. Tomorrow, chance of thunderstorms. High 72, low 51.

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

Classifieds

AUCTIONS

Antique, collectible, clean household, lawnmower, toys, marbles trees auction 10 a.m. May 6, Hoopeston Civic Center. For free consignment information or to schedule an appointment to consign items, call Jon Witvoet, (217) 748-6289 or (217) 304-0442

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MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

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RUMMAGE SALES

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