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## Restaurant adds customer-requested deck, smoking area

If you like to eat your tacos under a blue sky, Margarita's Restaurant has just what you want.

The restaurant, at 329 W. Main, has added a deck to accommodate customers who like to eat outdoors. For customers who smoke, a smoking room has also been added.

Margarita's closed for a time in May so that the deck and smoking room could be added, said Margaret Gonzalez, who owns the restaurant with her husband, Arthur.

Both changes were made because of requests from customers, she said. "People would ask if we had smoking or why we didn't have a deck, so we thought we'd give people what they want."

An air purifier in the smoking room eliminates odors so that non-smoking diners may also make use of the room. It and the deck are available for parties.

Margarita's opened in its current location on June 14, 2005 after having been Taco Shell at Rtes. 1 and 9.

Over the last year, the Gonzalez' have tried varying options to meet customer needs. A breakfast buffet is now served from 7 a.m. to noon Fridays and Saturdays. Sundays, the restaurant offers buffet-style dining from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.



Margaret Gonzalez shows off the new deck at Margarita's Restaurant. The eatery also added a room especially for smokers.

More American food has been added to the menu, including country fried steak, beef Manhattans and a huge, "belly-busting" cod. "About 90 percent of the food we serve is American," Gonzalez said.

Besides offering dine-in seating, Margarita's also has a drive-through. Customers may call their orders in ahead at 283-9090 or make their requests at the drive-through window.

Margarita's is open from 7 a.m.-8 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Sundays.



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 A **39-year-old** Hoopeston man reported Thursday that someone broke into his storage unit in the 700 block of West Orange. The man reported some of his property was missing.

A **blue bicycle** was found Thursday in the 300 block of East Maple. The owner may identify and claim it at the police station.

**Two 16-year-old** boys were arrested after a traffic stop at 2:11 a.m. Saturday in the 500 block of East Elm.

Each was charged with purchase/acceptance of alcohol by persons under 21 and was released on a notice to appear.

**Jason R. Reyes**, 18, of 301 E. Lincoln, was arrested at 1:40 p.m. Saturday in the 200 block of East Main.

Wanted on a Vermilion County traffic warrant for

### **Briefly**

#### **Neighborhood Watch**

Dave Cunningham, candidate for Vermilion County Supervisor of Assessments, will be the featured speaker at the July 10 Hoopeston Neighborhood Watch meeting. Cunningham will discuss his view of the office he is seeking.

#### **Farmers' Market Tuesday**

A Farmers' Market will be held beginning at 8 a.m. Tuesdays and Fridays through the growing season at the lot next to Hollywood Video. Anyone with produce for sale may call Robin Lawson, 283-7214.

#### **Contestants sought**

Georgetown Fair is looking for contestants for the 2006 Miss Georgetown Fair pageant. Contestants must be county residents ages 16-21 never married. Contestants are eligible for scholarships and prizes. For information, call Karen Thornsbrough, (217) 377-3946 or Jill Pope, (217) 417-3573.

#### **City to curb illegal dumping**

Street and Alley Superintendent Dave Knake is reminding citizens that the city slab is for tree limbs and yard waste only.

If rules are not followed, the slab will have to be closed to the public. Scheduled dates for drop-offs

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failure to appear, he was released on \$99 cash bond.

**Reyes was arrested** again at 6:10 p.m. Saturday in the 300 block of East Lincoln.

He was charged with domestic battery and unlawful restraint on a complaint from a 16-year-old Hoopeston girl.

Reyes was then taken to the Public Safety Building, Danville.

A **49-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported Satur-

### **Fire Calls**



Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 9:13 p.m. Friday to Cheese Park for a report of a tree on fire. No injuries were reported.

Firemen were called at 8:25 a.m. Sunday for a garage fire at 701 W. Washington. No injuries were reported.

will be posted and will be supervised if rules are not obeyed.

Please report illegal dumping with violator's license plate number to city hall or the street and alley department.

### **Meetings**

Grant Township, 4 p.m., township office

### **Court Dispositions**



#### **June 15**

**Carlos A. Rangel**, pleaded guilty to general nuisances; fined \$180.

**Sue Bane**, restraint of dogs by owner or keeper; nolle pros.

**Robert E. Longfellow**, failure to appear at sentencing for nuisance; fined \$230, notice to be sent.

### **Weather**



Partly cloudy today and tonight. High 86, low 67. Tomorrow, chance of thunderstorms. High 85, low 66.

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

day that someone took a Shock mountain bike from the 900 block of West Washington. The bike is silver with a black and red stripe and black handle bars.

### **Classifieds**

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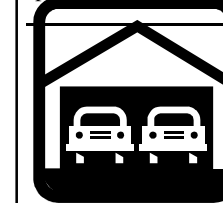
Lost: 7 year old Yorkie, "Sammy." Last seen Wed. night on East Seminary. If found, call (217) 283-6769 or 283-5700. \$200 reward.

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