

ATTENTION SENIOR CITIZENS

Deadline to apply for Senior Citizen Assessment Freeze on your 2006 Real Estate Tax Bill is **AUG. 1, 2006**. You may qualify if you are 65 or older, own your own home and your household income is \$50,000 or less. Many of you qualified under the \$45,000 amount but with the increase, more may qualify. We can assist in completing the forms. Call Gail or Dawn at

TAX SERVICE PLUS

(217) 283-6990

310 E. Main, Hoopeston

The City of Hoopeston is accepting applications for the position of police officer. Applicants must successfully pass a written exam, physical agility test, oral interview, thorough background investigation, drug testing and a medical examination.

Applicants must be 21 years old at the time of appointment, U.S. citizen, high school diploma/GED, good physical condition; no felony arrests or misdemeanor convictions/pleas involving moral turpitude or domestic abuse; a valid driver's license, free of previous terminations from a law enforcement agency, unless exonerated by a judicial or administration review process.

The City of Hoopeston offers a competitive wage and benefit package including family health insurance, vacation, equipment provided, holiday pay. Contract negotiations are currently ongoing for a first-time contract between the officers and the city.

Applications may be picked up 24 hours a day at the Hoopeston Police Department, 301 W. Main Street, Hoopeston or downloaded from our website at www.hoopestonpolice.org and click on the EMPLOYMENT PAGE. All applications must be turned in to the Police Station no later than 5:00 p.m. on August 4, 2006.

Applicants will be contacted by the Board of Police Commissioners regarding a testing date.

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Letters to the Editor

Singing the praises of 'Annie'

Saturday, several friends and I attended the Artistic Repertory Theatre production of "Annie" at the Civic Center here. WOW! What an evening! The performance was funny, touching, delightful and thoroughly entertaining, and it is right here in our own backyard. Mark Schaumburg (Daddy Warbucks) and Emily Margevich (Annie) are fabulous and will move you to tears. Krisiti Hudson, Ashley Lithgow and Steve Margevich nearly steal with show with their rendition of "Easy Street". You really do not want to miss this.

If you did not get a chance to see "Annie" last

week, please call the box office (283-6553) and get tickets for this Friday, Saturday and Sunday. I can promise that you will walk away from the performance with much pride that we have such talented and dedicated people working hard to give us a great theater season here.

I am delighted that I can enjoy two more productions this season, "Barefoot in the Park" and "Beau Jest".

Thank you to the cast, crew and A.R.T board for your hard work and dedication to the Hoopeston area.

Eileen Tyrrell
Hoopeston, IL



**Come celebrate
the end
of an era!**

Friday

Blind Pilots

9 p.m.-1 a.m.

Drink Specials

Saturday

DJ

9 p.m.-1 a.m.

Bud & Miller give-aways

Join the fun one last time!

Main Street Inn

306 E. Main, Hoopeston



SPORTS PHYSICAL CLINICS

Tuesday, August 1

5-7 p.m.

Charlotte Ann Russell Medical Center

801 E. Orange St., Hoopeston

(217) 283-5644

Tuesday, August 8

10-11:30 a.m.

Cissna Park Medical Clinic

141 W. Garfield Ave., Cissna Park

(815) 457-2146

No appointment needed!

\$15 payable at time of service

*Those unable to make the clinics may
make appointments for sports physicals
as an office appointment. Cost is \$40.*



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This Week's Hot Buy

16-32 oz. jar, Assorted Varieties

**Ragu
Pasta Sauce**

2/\$3

Meat Dept.

6-9 lb. avg., USDA Inspected, Whole Boneless

Center Cut Pork Loins.....\$1.99/lb.

USDA Angus Choice

Boneless Ribeye Steaks.....\$7.99/lb.

USDA Angus Choice Beef

Boneless Sirloin Tip Roast.....\$1.99/lb.

Eckrich Wieners 1 lb.2/\$3

10 LB. MEAT SALE!

USDA Inspected

Western Style Pork Ribs..\$14.90/10 lbs.

USDA Inspected

Bonless Shoulder Steaks\$19.90/10 lbs.

Gold Kist Young-N-Tender Boneless

Chicken Breast Tenders..\$18.90/10 lbs.

USDA Angus Choice Beef

Boneless Chuck Steak.....\$19.90/10 lbs.

USDA Inspected

Fresh Pork Steaks.....\$15.90/10 lbs.

Hickory Hollow Bacon.....\$9.90/10 lbs.

Grocery Dept.

Shurfine Thin Spaghetti 16 oz. box.....3/\$5

14-18 oz. jar, Assorted Varieties

Valu Time Apple Juice 64 oz. btl.....5/\$5

13.5 oz. Rice Krispies, 20 oz. Frosted Flakes, 15 oz. Froot Loops,

Corn Pops or Apple Jacks

Kellogg's Cereal4/\$10

Lay's Potato Chips Prepriced \$2.992/\$4

RC, Diet Rite or Crush 12 pk/12 oz.3/\$8

Jif Peanut Butter 17-18 oz. jar, Asst. Var.2/\$3

16-18 oz. pkg., Asst. Var.

Nabisco Oreo Cookies.....2/\$5

7.5-15 oz., Assorted Varieties

Chef Boyardee Pasta.....5/\$5

Produce Dept.

Red or White

California Seedless Grapes.....99¢/lb.

Yellow or Bi-Color Sweet Corn in husk 8/\$2

10-12 oz. bag, Dole Greener Selections or

Dole Classic Romaine Salad.....2/\$4

Sweet Grape Cherry Tomatoes pint...2/\$4

Dairy Dept.

Prairie Farms Chocolate Milk 1/2 gal. 2/\$3

Prairie Farms Orange Juice Gal.....\$2.99

6 ct. pkg., Assorted Varieties

Jell-O Pudding or Gel Snacks.....2/\$4

Frozen Dept.

4 qt. bucket, Assorted Varieties

Family Pack Ice Cream.....\$3.99

Kid Cuisine 7-10.6 oz. pkg. Asst. Var.....3/\$5

Deli Dept.

Fresh Sandwich Spread.....\$2.99/lb.

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Lunch Menus



CRIS/SAMS Meals

MONDAY: Lasagna casserole, salad/dressing, grape juice, apricots, Italian bread.

TUESDAY: Turkey breast/gravy, lima beans, carrots, pineapple chunks, cupcake, white bread.

WEDNESDAY: Chicken tetrazzini, peas, carrots,

diced peaches, white bread.

THURSDAY: Steak fingers, mixed greens, black eyed peas, tomato juice, wheat bread.

FRIDAY: Cube steak, Harvard beets, green beans, cantaloupe, wheat bread.

All meals include milk.

Briefly

Water main flushing

Rossville began flushing water mains Thursday and will continue the work Friday.

Music Booster winner

\$100 winners in the Hoopeston Area Music Booster calendar drawing are July 21, Jackie Delgiudice and July 28, Angie Pentecost.

Trash Walkers

Hoopeston Trash Walkers will meet from 8-9 a.m. Saturday at John Greer east parking lot to clean up trash in the area. All volunteers are welcome.

What is spirituality?

Three chances to find out about God and the supernatural: 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday, live bad at former Gossett's Body Shop, 205 E. Washington,

Weather



Chance of thunderstorms today and tonight. High 88, low 71. Saturday and Sunday, partly cloudy. Highs 92, lows 73.

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

- No Steak Fry Friday -

DJ

9-1

No cover charge

BJ's Pump

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Classifieds

FOR RENT

Newer small business complex has 1 unit available with full basement. Great location 260-2546

HELP WANTED

Part time office manager position. Min. 9 hrs./week. Flexible duties including light office, accounting and event planning duties. Send resume to Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 346, Hoopeston. Deadline Aug. 2

HOUSES FOR RENT

Newer 2 BR unit w/garage, dishwasher, all appliances. Nice yard, quiet location, within walking distance to stores. No pets \$550 + deposit. 260-2546

LOST & FOUND

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

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

14 hp Murray riding mower. 42" cut. Comes with snow blade. \$350 OBO. (217) 283-7167 or 772-1088

PRODUCE

Blackberries for sale. Call (217) 283-7805.

RUMMAGE SALES

401 McKibben, Rossville. Sat., 8-1. Kids', women's, men's clothes, pool table, lots of misc.

SERVICES

Pampered Pet Grooming. Lots of TLC. Call anytime for appointment. (217) 339-2340