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## Some crimes decrease, others increase in 2010 statistics

Reports of some crimes, including aggravated and domestic battery, were down in 2010, while others, including sexual assault, burglary and vandalism, were up in statistics reported by the Hoopeston Police Department.

Aggravated batteries were at a five-year low, with 13, while domestic batteries were at a four-year low with 21. Police handled 137 theft reports, down from 145 last year.

On the flip side, nine sexual assaults were reported, a five-year high. Burglaries increased by six over last year, to 56, while vandalism reports totaled 137, up from

97 last year. Drug arrests, at 20, was four more than last year, but lower than the previous three years.

Crime	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006
Murder	0	1	0	1	0
Sex Assault	9	3	3	3	2
Robbery	1	0	0	4	1
Agg Battery	13	21	19	22	26
Domestic Battery	21	29	39	28	13
Burglary	56	50	60	52	57
Theft	137	145	137	153	129
Auto Theft	7	7	8	4	3
Arson	0	0	1	1	3
Vandalism	137	97	149	93	114
Drug Arrests	20	16	35	31	31
Traffic Accidents	124	108	113	124	99

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## HEALTHCARE EDUCATION OPPORTUNITY SPONSORED BY DACC C.N.A. PROGRAM

Danville Area Community College [DACC], in partnership with Hoopeston Regional Health Center, will host a C.N.A. class on their Danville campus for Hoopeston area residents. The class runs from May 18, 2011 through June 28, 2011.

The classroom (Theory) will be held at DACC from May 18 to June 17<sup>th</sup>. Starting on June 20<sup>th</sup> the students will finish out their schedule at Hoopeston Regional Health Center doing their clinical competencies.

Applicants are required to be tested prior to acceptance into the program as well as passing the mandatory electronic fingerprint scan. The mandatory testing will be held on Friday, April 8<sup>th</sup> on the DACC campus. Costs for the class will be discussed at this time. Applicants must live in the DACC school district.

Please contact Susie Landers at 217-443-8784 if you are interested in taking the class. Testing availability is limited.



## Police News



A **45-year-old** Hoopeston man reported at 11:46 a.m. Tuesday that someone removed several items from his home in the 700 block of South Fifth Street.

**Nora Guardiola**, 33, of Milford, was ticketed for operating an uninsured motor vehicle after an accident at 5:55 p.m. Tuesday.

Police said Guardiola, in a 2003 Ford, backed from a

driveway into a parked 2003 Pontiac owned by Roger Burk of East Lynn.

Both drivers were treated for injuries at the scene of an accident at 4 p.m. Wednesday.

Police said Virgil Odom, of Rossville, and Wayne D. Burns, of Watseka, were treated by Hoopeston Emergency Medical Service, then released.

## Five to be inducted into Hoopeston Bowling Hall of Fame

Five people will be inducted into the Hoopeston Bowling Association Hall of Fame on March 26.

Inductees and the categories for which they were inducted are:

- Cora Denton, Merit
- Jim Root, Merit
- Darlene Musk, Service to the game
- Fran McCrory, Memoriam
- Cassie Nelson-Samet, Memoriam
- Marvin Custer, Memoriam

New Hall of Fame members will be honored with a

banquet and recognition ceremony beginning at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, March 26 at Fast Lanes. Tickets are \$15 per person and must be purchased by March 21.

For more information or to order tickets, call Fast Lanes at (217) 283-6505.

## Briefly

### Music Booster winners

Recent winners in the Hoopeston Area Music Booster calendar drawing are: March 4, Janet Gerard; March 11, Ken and Eudora Drollinger.

### RCO community awards

Rossville Community Organization will hold their eighth annual Community awards banquet March 19 at the Rossville American Legion. Rossville Fire Department and Rossville Ambulance Service will also be honored.

Ballots to nominate winners may be picked up at Rossville Bank or Village Office. Please vote, then attend the banquet to honor the volunteers who help keep Rossville working.

For information, call Dick Queen at (217) 748-4344. Meetings

Hoopeston Police Commissioners will meet at 5 p.m. Friday to discuss establishing a current eligibility roster.

## Weather



Sunny today. High 51. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 38. Tomorrow, breezy. High 46, low 27. Sunday, mostly sunny. High 40, low 27.

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