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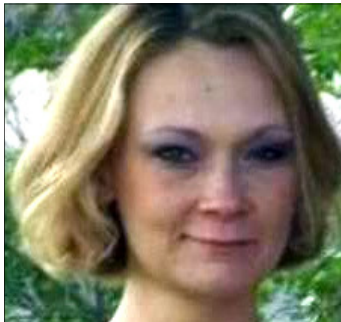
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Amanda Walker-Pentecost arrangements set in Watseka

Funeral services for Amanda Walker-Pentecost, who went missing and whose body was found February 24, have been set in Watseka.

Visitation will be 11 a.m. until the 1 p.m. memorial service Saturday at Baier Funeral Home, 102 W. Oak St., Watseka. Burial will follow in Oak Hill Cemetery, Watseka.

She was born January 9, 1980 in Watseka, the daughter of Timothy Gene Walker and Stellesta Faye



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Walters. She is survived by her parents; husband, Michael Pentecost and son, Brenden Michael, of Hoopeston, daughter Mersades Shyanne Guffey of Lexington, one brother, three sisters and many nieces and nephews.

Memorials are suggested to a memorial fund in her name at First Trust and Savings Bank, 120 E. Walnut St., Watseka IL 60970.

Ms. Walker-Pentecost's last contact with family was a phone call with her mother on January 31. She was last seen February 1 on a security camera facing Second Avenue.

On February 4, Hoopeston Police Department asked for help from the public in locating Ms. Walker-Pentecost and on February 10, family and friends held a press conference at Hoopeston City Hall, asking farmers to check fence rows and outbuildings.

Ms. Walker-Pentecost's body was found February 24 in a wooded area about one half mile east and one half mile south of Hoopeston, off Route 9.

An autopsy was performed and the cause of death was exposure to cold, said Vermilion County Coroner Peggy Johnson.

Toxicology test results are pending.

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Briefly

Breast cancer support group

A breast cancer support group will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, March 7 in the community room at Carle Hoopeston Regional. Please join this organizational meeting and bring ideas of what you would like to see in a support group for breast cancer survivors in and around the Hoopeston area.

For more information, call Pat Foster 815-984-4040 or Misti Runge 217-260-2092.

Stingray signups

Hoopeston Stingrays Swim Team will register swimmers during the WHPO Business Expo at the Hoopeston Civic Center for the Summer 2013 season. Signups and swimsuit fittings will be held on Saturday, March 9 from 10am-4pm and Sunday, March 10 from noon-3 p.m.

Another signup and swimsuit fitting will be held Saturday, March 23 from 10-2 at the Hoopeston Masonic Lodge. A final signup will be held on Saturday, April 27 from 10-2 at the Hoopeston Masonic Lodge.

Youth who will be age 6 by September 1, 2013 through age 18 who can swim freestyle (front crawl) 50 yards may join the team. Registration fee is \$40 for one child, \$60 for two, and \$75 for three or more. For more information, contact Jeff at 217-772-9005, or email hoopestonstingrays@yahoo.com.

Police News



Matthew L. Cannon, 32, of Hoopeston, was arrested on three Vermilion County warrants at 12:35 p.m. Monday in the 700 block of North Seventh St. The warrants included one for failure to appear/driving while license suspended; one on two counts of battery and one for failure to appear/criminal damage over 4300.

Cannon was taken to the Public Safety Building to await arraignment.

Weather



Mostly cloudy today. High 33. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 23. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 38, low 22.

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

Girls Softball signups

Hoopeston Area Girls Softball will hold signups Saturday and Sunday at the WHPO Expo at McFerren Park.

Traveling office hours

State Rep. Josh Harms will host traveling office hours throughout the 106th district this month. He will be at Hoopeston City Hall, 301 W. Main, from 1-3 p.m. March 11 to meet with constituents.

The Karate Club



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Welcome Home Gift Shop Feature of the Week: Earl Grey. Stop by for a complimentary coffee or tea & visit our Amish Corner!

HELP WANTED

Hoopeston American Legion has an immediate opening for a part time bartender/cleaning employee. Applications can be picked up at the post home at 502 E. Penn St. Wed thru Sat after 3 p.m. E-mail rcarter560@aol.com for additional information or call 309-825-5939.

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