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★ **Police News** ★

Bryson S. Irvin, 17, of Hoopeston, turned himself in to police at 4:30 p.m. Friday. Wanted on a Vermilion County traffic warrant for failure to appear, he was released on bond with a new court date.

County businessmen honored

Family and friends gathered this weekend as three Vermilion County business men are inducted into the Vermilion County Business Hall of Fame on Sunday, March 10. The late Arthur N. Fleming, the late Lowell H. Loving and Charles Henry Clapp, Jr. were honored in ceremonies from 2-4pm Sunday at the Vermilion County Museum in Danville.

The three were selected by a panel that reviewed nominations made by the public; selection criteria included not only the local business success of the honorees, but also their true commitment to building and growing the local community through volunteer work and other community activities.

The Vermilion County Business Hall of Fame will open to the public on Tuesday, March 12 at 10 am and be available to the public during regular museum hours. The project is sponsored by Neuhoff Media, the Danville Commercial-News, and Vermilion Advantage.

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A **52-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported at 4:45 p.m. Friday that someone damaged her property in the 900 block of South Sixth Ave.

Ellen McLaughlin, of Hoopeston, was ticketed for improper backing after an accident at 2:16 p.m. Saturday at McFerren Park. Police said McLaughlin backed a 2007 Ford Focus into a 2012 Ford Fusion driven by Gerald Donahue, of Watseka.

A **29-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported at 9:08 p.m. Saturday that someone damaged several vehicles on her property in the 700 block of South Market.

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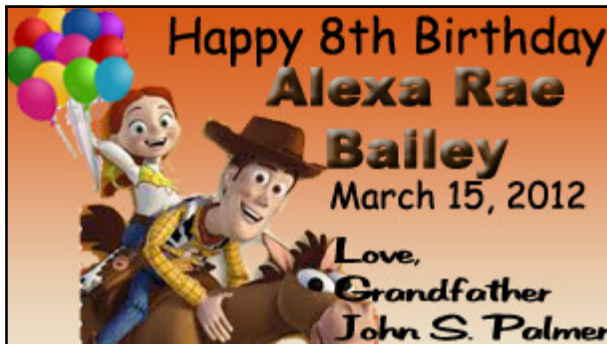
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Briefly

Billing office moved

Residents are reminded that the billing office for Carle Hoopeston has been moved to the former nursing home. The old billing office building at 847 E. Orange is no longer in use.

Youth baseball fundraiser

Hoopeston Area Youth Baseball is holding a fundraiser Monday at Monical's. With an accompanying flier (available at <http://www.monicalspizza.com/assets/eventdocument/HoopestonYouthBaseball031113.pdf>) Moncial's will donate 20 percent of customers' bills to

Obituaries

LEE - Franklyn "Ty" Lee, 93, died at 5:55 a.m. Friday, March 8, 2013, at County Terrace Independent Living, after an extended illness. Visitation was 4-7 p.m. Sunday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Funeral will be at 10 a.m. Monday at the funeral home. Burial will be in Floral Hill Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to Wellington Greer Fire Department, Wellington IL, or Hoopeston United Methodist Church, 403 E. Main St., Hoopeston IL 60942.

MITKUS - Vera L. Mitkus, RN/BSN, 62, of Hoopeston, died at 11:09 p.m. Friday, March 8, 2013, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Visitation will be 2 p.m. until the 5 p.m. funeral Wednesday at Brown-Alkire Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Burial will be at a later date.

RICHARDSON - Melville Ross "mel" Richardson, 79, of Hoopeston, died at 3:35 a.m. Thursday, March 7, 2013, at Heritage Health, Hoopeston. He will be cremated and a celebration of life held in Spencer, Ind., at a later date. Memorials may be made to a charity of the donor's choice. Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston, handled arrangements.

SPROLL - Verna Marie (Swartz) Sproll, 85, of Hoopeston, formerly of Wellington, died at 11:16 a.m. Friday, March 8, 2013, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Visitation will be 11 a.m. until the 1 p.m. funeral Tuesday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Burial will be in Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston. Memorials are suggested to Prairie Green Church of Christ 278 N 2800 East Rd., Hoopeston IL 60942, or Country Terrace Senior Apartments, 705 E. Orange St., Hoopeston IL 60942.

HAYB. The fundraiser is being held at Hoopeston, Tilton and Danville Monical's.

The fundraiser is valid for dine-in and carry-out orders but the flier must be mentioned when ordering carry-out.

Class of 1973 members sought

Looking for members of the Hoopeston Class of 1973, for a possible class reunion, please send contact information to Terri Sinclair at sterri1955@hotmail.com. Hope to hear from everyone.

HAYB signups

Hoopeston Area Baseball will be holding one last sign up event on Saturday, March 16th at Hoopeston's City Hall, from 10 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Deadline for Pony League sign ups are March 18th & for Little League is

Lunch Menus



Hoopeston Area Grade Schools

MONDAY: Chicken nuggets, peas, applesauce, Dragon juice, milk

TUESDAY: Pepperoni pizza, salad, baby carrots, peaches, milk

WEDNESDAY: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, celery sticks, pears, bread, butter, milk

THURSDAY: Spaghetti, Max Stix, salad, baby carrots, pineapple, milk

FRIDAY: Cheeseburger, fries, cucumber slices, mixed fruit, milk

Hoopeston Area Middle/High Schools

MONDAY: Chicken patty/bun or ham & cheese, salad bar, corn, applesauce, juice, milk

TUESDAY: Country fried steak or Hot Pocket, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple, juice, milk

WEDNESDAY: Cheese quesadilla or pork BBQ/bun, salad bar, chips & salsa, pears, juice, milk

THURSDAY: Mini corn dog or cheeseburger, salad, bar, baked beans, peaches, juice, milk

FRIDAY: Pepperoni pizza or fish sandwich, salad bar, mixed fruit, juice, milk

Weather



Cloudy today. High 41. Tonight, cloudy. Low 26. Tomorrow, sunny. High 43, low 26. For current weather conditions, call Hoopeston Weather Service, (217) 283-6221.

April 1. Contact Quentin Morgan at (217) 530-1923 or Kathy Harding at (217) 497-6686 for more information.

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Tying the Knot by Susan May Warren (Large Print/ Inspirational)

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