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## Maple Grade School sets 2016 kindergarten registration

Youngsters who will be five on or before September 1 are eligible to attend kindergarten in the fall. Maple Grade School is holding registration to allow parents to get their future students enrolled.

Registration will be from 8:30-11 a.m. and 1-5:30 p.m. on Tuesdays, April 12 and 19 at Maple. Parents must call Maple, (217) 283-6665, to schedule an appointment time for registration, which will include a screening for each student. Each screening will last about 30 minutes. Screenings must be done before students are assigned to a class.

Adults must accompany youngsters to the registration, to fill out paperwork and meet with a school representative to go over enrollment procedures.

Parents are asked to bring or send their child's birth certificate, social security card, shots record and dental and vision records.

## Head Start registration going on

Registration is going on now for Hoopeston Head Start. The program is open to children who will be three or four years old by September 1, 2016. Head Start provides safe, quality care, half day program (morning or afternoon) qualified teachers, healthy meals, access to free medical and dental services; and is for income-eligible families.

For more information, call Casandra Avalos, (217) 283-6474.

**VFW Menu**  
Orange & 4th Ave., Hoopeston  
Thursdays:  
**Tacos by Norma**  
11 a.m. - 2 p.m. and 5 - 8 p.m.  
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## What a kick!

Students at Okinawan School of Karate demonstrate their moves at Saturday's WHPO Expo at McFerren Park Civic Center.

**Special of the Month**

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## What makes a Special Day

By BERTHA PARSONS

How many Special Days did you have in March? What is a Special Day and what's all the fuss about?

What's the definition of "special"? I like to say; "personal, wonderful, a great event, such as a birthday, anniversary, wedding, Easter, Christmas, Valentine's Day, let's go shopping day, I just got good news from my doctor day, I had breakfast with a friend day."

You see, we can make any day and every day special. My Mother used to tell me that often. She grew up on a farm with four brothers and two sisters. Being the oldest, she helped raise her siblings. Life for her, like a lot of others during the Depression, was hard. Somehow she always made the days special.

April is very special for me. It is my anniversary that has been and continues to be a great adventure. My oldest son and youngest daughter were born in April. They continue to give me joy and sometimes find me a bit crazy with all the fuss I make over birthdays. Since I'm their #1 Mom, they have to put up with me.

What kind of world would this be without "Special Days" It would be sad, lonely and grumpy. We all like for someone to remember us on our birthday. Now I don't have to have balloons and flowers, but I do like cake and ice cream with a card and a handwritten note.

I could not mention all the Special Days we could have every day. Sometimes my family thinks I've lost my marbles because I try to find something special about each day as well as each person I meet along the way. (I keep my marbles in a jar on a shelf so they can see that I know exactly where they are.)

Like Mother said, "Make every day special." Can we do it? Why not give it a try! Laugh a lot, smile every chance you get. Try and notice all the special people and occurrences in our lives every day. It just might make for more Special Days.

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## From the Blotter

A **cell phone** was found Tuesday near Maple School. The owner may identify and claim it at the police station.

**Police were called** at 7 p.m. Tuesday to Casey's General Store, 115 E. Orange, after someone pumped gas, then left without paying.

## HA team lags behind BH, M/CP

The Cornjerkers lagged behind Bismarck-Henning and Milford/Cissna Park in Saturday's boys and girls track meet at Hoopeston.

BH boys led the field with a team score of 78, followed by 46 for M/CP and 39 for Hoopeston area.

For the ladies, BH again led, with 72, followed by M/CP with 66 and HA with 24.

## New Books at the Library

### DVDs

The Sylvester and Tweety Mysteries. The Complete First Season

Is Your Mama a Llama? and More Classic Children's Stories

Ice age. A mammoth Christmas Special

Merry Madagascar

Good Night, Gorilla and More Great Sleepytime Stories

## Weather

Chance of showers today. High 49. Tonight, chance of showers, snow. Low 33. Tomorrow, chance of rain, snow. Breezy. High 45, low 25.

**Hoopeston Junior Women's Club**  
**CARNIVAL**  
 Sunday April 10<sup>th</sup> 1 to 3 p.m.  
 McFerren Park Civic Center  
 •Games •Prizes•Food Bounce House•Fun  
 Freewill donation  
 Bring a canned good for the Food Cupboard  
 Masonic Lodge I-Chip Available

Here's what's showing at the

# Little Lorraine

## STAR WARS: THE FORCE AWAKENS

Fri., 7 p.m., Sat., 4:30 & 7 p.m.

Sun. 2 & 5 p.m.

Minimum donation \$5/adults, \$2/children under 16

**Don't forget the Dippin Dots!**

Proceeds to Save the Lorraine Theatre Foundation

Tune in at 5 p.m. tonight-  
**Hoopeston Happenings**

**Karla Coon**

on upcoming classes & programs at the  
 Hoopeston Higher Learning Center  
 on WHPO!

# Classifieds

## HELP WANTED

Seasonal Help Wanted, CDL helpful, but not required. Please inquire at Crop Production Services Hoopeston. 19052 St Rt 9 Hoopeston IL 60942 EOE

Mustard Seed Christian Daycare is accepting applications for a teacher qualified classroom teacher and classroom aides. Please can Nicole or Terri at 217-748-6370.

Church pianist/organist, First Christian Church, Hoopeston, IL. Sunday AM, Wednesday 4-5 p.m., and occasional Saturday PM. Traditional Worship Format. For additional information, please contact/leave message 217-283-6691 Church Office; 217-304-2415 Anita cell phone.

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