



Retirement readv

Loni Gress, City of Hoopeston office manager, displays a retirement cake at a luncheon in her honor Friday. Gress, employed by the city for 26 years, was hired by former Mayor Bob Ault and served under mayors Chalmers Flint, Bill DeWitt and Bill Crusinberry.



April's Learn & Lead Academy to sponsor color run/walk

A color run/walk will be held Saturday at McFerren Park as a scholarship fundraiser for Learn & Lead Academy of Hoopeston.

Registration for the race/walk will be held from 8-10 a.m. at McFerren Park. Entry fee is \$5 per person; \$20 for a group of four; \$25 for six; \$30 for a seven-member group and \$35 for eight or more.

The event will begin at 10:30 a.m. and will include five paint stations and one bubble station to run/walk through. This is not a timed event so participants may run or walk at their own pace.

All children will receive medals and event pictures will

Additionally, there will be raffle prizes, a bounce house and games.

All ages are welcome to participate and strollers are welcome. No pets are allowed.

The academy, owned and operated by April Jones, is a

County candidates' forum tonight

A candidate forum for the November 8 election will be held from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Monday at the Bremer Theater on the DACC campus. It is open to the public.

Candidates for contested county races participating include Linda Lucas-Anstey and Bill Wright for auditor; Steve Cornett and Jane McFadden for coroner; and Michael Madigan and Scott Bennett for Illinois District 52 senator. Sen. Mark Kirk and challenger Rep. Tammy Duckworth have also been invited.

The audience will be able to submit written questions before and during the forum and speak with candidates afterwards. Sue Stine, Vermilion county Treasurer, will moderate. Co-chairs are Marilyn Satterwhite and Nancy Boesdorfer. Sponsors are Business Women of Vermilion County, DACC Annuitants Association, Danville Public Library and Executive Club.

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Contemplative prayer classes

The Rev. Tom Cici of First Christian Church, Hoopeston, will teach classes in contemplative prayer at 6 p.m. Wednesdays October 5, 19 and 26 in the church fellowship hall, 502 E. Main. People 13 and older are welcome. For more information, please call (217) 283-6691 or email **disciple@myfrontiermail.com**.

Daycare seeks items for rummage sale

Mustard Seed Christian Daycare is in need of rummage sale item donations such as clothes, toys, baby items, housewares, furniture, games, electronics, or anything saleable!

Items may be dropped off Monday-Thursday, Oct. 3-6 at 351 N Chicago, Rossville in Community Room (in

From the Blotter

Police are investigating a burglary at Hoopeston Subway, 912 S. Dixie Hwy, reported at 8:24 a.m. Thursday by the store manager. Police said someone broke into the business and stole an undisclosed amount of money.

The Roadmaster bicycle found September 23 was claimed by the owner Friday.

Lunch Menus

Hoopeston Area grade schools

MONDAY: Chicken nuggets, broccoli/cheese, applesauce, juice, milk

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

WEDNESDAY: Country fried steak, mashed potatoes, corn, pears, bread, butter, milk

THURSDAY: Taco, refried beans, chips & salsa, salad, pineapple, milk

FRIDAY: No school

Hoopeston Area High/Middle School

MONDAY: Chicken strips or ham & cheese, salad bar, corn, applesauce, milk, juice

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

WEDNESDAY: Spaghetti or BBQ rib, Max Stick salad bar, pears, milk, juice

THURSDAY: Mini corndog or cheeseburger, baked beans, salad bar, peaches, milk, juice FRIDAY: No school back) by the gym. For more information or to for item pickup, call DesaRay, 217-772-1330.

At the Library

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include: Monday, Oct. 3

Coffee & Coloring, 10 a.m. Free for adults. Coloring projects and materials available or bring your own. Meet in the Teen Room (upstairs north).

Mary Hartwell Catherwood Reading Group, 1:30 p.m. Meet in the lower level meeting room. Interested new members are always welcome.

Wednesday, Oct. 5-Friday, Oct. 7

Pick up your free pumpkin at the library for its first pumpkin decorating contest to be held at 2 p.m. October 14. Awards will be given in age groups and a "Family" category.

Obituaries

PHELPS - Elizabeth (Hausz) Phelps, 105, of Wellington, died at 12:43 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 29, 2016 at home. Arrangements are pending at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston.

ROACH - Charles Meredith "Chuck" Roach, 80, of Hoopeston, died at 5:40 a.m. Friday, Sept. 30, 2016 at VA Illiana Health Care System, Danville. Visitation will be 10 a.m. until the 1 pm. Funeral Tuesday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Burial will follow in Gundy Cemetery, Bismarck. Memorials are suggested to Chestnut Street Church of Christ, 709 E. Chestnut St., Hoopeston IL 60942 or to the Veterans' Memorial in Rossville.

YERGLER - Anita H. (Hult) Yergler, 92, of Cissna Park died Wednesday, Sept. 28, 2016 at home. Visitation was 3-7 p.m. Sunday at Knapp Funeral Home, Cissna Park and will be 9:30 a.m. until the 10:30 a.m. funeral Monday at Christian Bible Church, Cissna Park. Burial will be in Cissna Park Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to Christian Bible Church or Iroquois Memorial Hospice.

Weather

Patchy fog today, then partly sunny. High 71. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 54. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 77, low 59.

Thursday, Oct. 6

Builders Club (formerly Lego Club) 3:30-4:30 p.m.. Free and fun for kids from grades K-6.

For more information on any event, call the library, (217) 283-6711.

Tutors sought

DACC Higher Learning Center - Hoopeston is looking for tutors for volunteers for a new tutoring program that will be open to learners ages third grade to adult. Tutors may be adults or high school students who need a community service project. For more information, call the Higher Learning Center, (217) 283-4170.

Vendors needed for health fair

Hoopeston Multi Agency will hold a health and wellness fair on October 20 and is seeking vendors for the event. Anyone interested may call (217) 283-5544 or email Courtney Wallace at <u>administra-</u> tor@hoopestonmultiagency.com.



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