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**NEW lineup at VFW**

- **Wednesday: Buddy Burgers & Chicken Wings, 5-8**
- **Thursday: Tacos, 5-8**
- **Friday: Buddy Burgers & Tenderloins, 5-8**

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**Jaycees announce registration for this year's Birthday Club**

Hoopeston Jaycees are proud to continue an extension outreach program from their annual Toys for Kids project. The Hoopeston Jaycees "Birthday Club" will serve Hoopeston Area School District families monthly in 2017.

Parents and guardians of children ages 0-10 may register for their children to be enrolled in the Birthday Club program. Adults will then be able to shop for two new toys per child per birthday from a selection of toys.

Families are asked to have qualified for the book waiver fee through the school district. If a child is under school age, please be prepared to show addi-

tional proof of income.

Shopping will take place on the final Saturday of each month for the following month's birthdays (i.e., April birthdays will shop on Saturday, March 25), with private appointments for each family.

Shopping location will be in Hoopeston and will be determined on a monthly basis. Participants will be notified of location and appointment times by mail and/or phone.

Parents may register their children for the program at [www.hoopestonjaycees.org](http://www.hoopestonjaycees.org).

**From the Blotter**

An 80-year-old Hoopeston woman turned in a counterfeit \$5 bill to police at 1:21 p.m. Saturday.

Beau Edwards, 36, of Hoopeston, was arrested after a traffic stop at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at East Washington and Fifth St. He was charged with driving while license revoked and released with a mandatory court date.

See POLICE on other side

**Little Ninjas Karate**  
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**Briefly**

**At the Library**

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include: **Builders Club**, a monthly get-together for children in grades K-6, will meet at 3:30 p.m. Thursday. The club offers the opportunity to build with Legos and other materials.

Coffee & Coloring will meet at 10 a.m. Monday, Jan. 9. This program is free for adults. Materials will be provided or feel free to bring your own.

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

**War museum lists schedule**

During January, the Vermilion County War Museum will be open 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturdays and will be closed weekdays for maintenance and remodeling.

New displays are planned in the World War II and Korean War areas. The museum is a Blue Star facility and offers free admission to active duty military personnel and their families all year.

To schedule a group tour, call (217) 431-0034 or email [vcwm@comcast.net](mailto:vcwm@comcast.net).

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**As the Holiday Season is upon us, we find ourselves reflecting on the past year and on those who have helped to shape our business in a most significant way. We value our relationship with you and look forward to working with you in the year to come. We wish you a very happy Holiday Season and a New Year filled with peace and prosperity.**

**Computer Works**  
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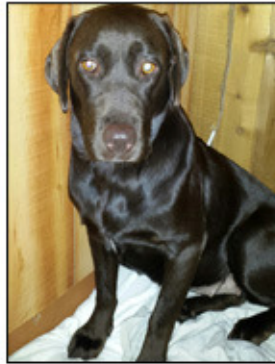
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## LOST DOG

2-year-old  
Chocolate Lab  
"Maggie"  
Danner

Last seen over the weekend in the Penfield area on Rt. 136 East of the Oasis, just west of the county line.



She is a rescue dog and extremely scared. She will run if chased.

If seen, please call

**(217) 474-1438 or (217) 474-8326**  
or contact Hoopeston Animal Rescue or Vermillion County Animal Control.

## Police continued from other side

**Max Jones**, 44, of Hoopeston, was arrested after police were called at 12:17 a.m. Sunday about a disturbance in the 400 block of South Fourth St.

He was arrested on preliminary charges of domestic battery, interfering with reporting domestic violence and unlawful restraint on a complaint from a 45-year-old Hoopeston woman. He was also charged with resisting

arrest.

The woman sought medical treatment for injuries.

Police said Jones was found hiding in the house and was taken into custody. While in custody, he flooded his cell, then claimed he needed medical attention. He was taken to Carle Hoopeston for treatment and when discharged, was taken to the Public Safety Building in Dan-

ville to await arraignment.

**George Eleopoulos**, 50, of Hoopeston, was arrested after police were called at 5:28 p.m. Sunday to a domestic dispute in the 400 block of East Honeywell. Wanted on a Cook County warrant for contempt of court, he was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await extradition.

## New Books at the Library

### Fiction

This Was a Man by Jeffrey Archer (regular and large print)  
What Light by Jay Asher (young adult)  
And Every Morning the Way Home Gets Longer and Longer by Fredrik Backman  
No Man's Land by David Baldacci  
Someone to Love by Mary Balogh (paperback)  
Like a Bee to Honey by Jennifer Beckstrand (paperback)  
The Other Einstein by Marie Benedict  
The Cinderella Scheme by Toni Blake  
The Bewitching Hour by Toni Blake  
The Guy Next Door by Toni Blake  
Remnants of Trust by Elizabeth Bonesteel (Central Corps/science fiction)  
Killer Takeout by Lucy Burdette (large print)

## Lunch Menus

### Hoopeston Area grade schools

TUESDAY: No school  
WEDNESDAY: Chicken patty/bun, corn, applesauce, juice, milk  
THURSDAY: Cheese quesadilla chips & salsa, baby carrots, salad, pineapple milk  
FRIDAY: Mini corndog, baked beans, cucumber slices, mixed fruit, milk

### Hoopeston Area High/Middle School

TUESDAY: No school  
WEDNESDAY: Cheese quesadilla or pork BBQ, refried beans, chips & salsa, salad bar, pears, milk, juice  
THURSDAY: Chicken patty or cheeseburger, fries, salad bar, peaches, milk, juice  
FRIDAY: Pizza or fish sandwich, salad bar, mixed fruit, milk, juice

Calendar Girl by Audrey Carlan (Volume Four)  
Deck the Hallways by Kate Carlisle (large print)  
Come Hell or Highball by Maia Chance (mystery)  
Night School by Lee Child  
The Sleeping Beauty Killer by Mary Higgins Clark  
Chaos by Patricia Cornwell (regular and large print)  
Odessa Sea by Clive Cussler

Turbo Twenty-Three by Janet Evanovich  
The Whole Town's Talking by Fannie Flagg  
Tru Blu by Melissa Foster  
Children of Eden by Joey Graceffa (young adult)  
Tantalizing Maria by Helen Hardt (Temptation Saga # 7)  
The Girl on the Train by Paula Hawkins

## Obituaries

**ABBOTT** - Ruth Elaine (Irvin) Abbott, 58, of Hoopeston, died Tuesday, Dec. 27, 2016 at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. She will be cremated. No service is scheduled. Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston, is handling arrangements.

**BRAY** - Lucille (Franklin) Bray, 97, of Potomac died December 30, 2016 at home. Visitation will be 6-8 p.m. Tuesday at Blurton Funeral Home, Potomac. Graveside service will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Potomac Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to Church of Christ in Potomac.

**GREGER** - Beverly Ann (Smith) Greger, 82, of Rantoul, formerly of Villa Grove, died Wednesday, Dec. 28, 2016 at Eagles View Assisted Living, Rantoul. Visitation will be 10 a.m. until the 11 a.m. funeral Tuesday at Knapp Funeral Home, Rankin. Graveside service will be at 2:30 p.m. at Villa Grove Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to donor's choice.

**SINGLETON** - Dale Leonard Singleton, 92, of Fishers, Ind., formerly of Hoopeston, died December 29, 2016 at St. Vincent Hospital, Indianapolis, Ind. Visitation will be 10 a.m. until the 11 a.m. funeral Tuesday at Knapp Funeral Home, Rankin. Graveside service will be at 2:30 p.m. at Villa Grove Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to donor's choice.

## Weather

Chance of rain, fog today. High 42. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Low 19. Tomorrow, sunny. High 23, low 11.

tion will be 11 a.m. until the 1 p.m. funeral Wednesday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Graveside service and burial will follow in Floral Hill Cemetery with military rites by Hoopeston American Legion post. Memorials are suggested to St. Vincent Hospice, 8402 Harcourt Road, Suite 210, Indianapolis, IN, 46260.

## Classifieds

### HELP WANTED

Part-time CNA, for all shifts must be able to work Holidays and weekends. Apply in person at Autumn Fields Adult Community 325 E Orange St Hoopeston.

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