

SATURDAY NIGHT
at the
LORRAINE



Country/Rock band based out of NW Indiana and NE Illinois blends high energy country with rock.
7 p.m. Tickets: \$15 ea.

From 5-7 p.m., grab a bite from



Dine under the marquee or order to go. Check out the fresh, delicious options this area food truck offers!

Soups Cup \$3/Bowl \$5 Served with Bread

Tomato Basil Orange
Hungarian Mushroom

Crab Cakes \$10

BLT Grilled Cheese \$6

Jalapeno Popper Grilled Cheese \$6

Pesto-Goat Cheese Grilled Cheese \$6

Classic Cheese Toastie \$6

Drinks \$2

Bottled Water, Blood Orange San Pellegrino, Pepsi made with Real Sugar, Mad Goat Coffee (special events only)

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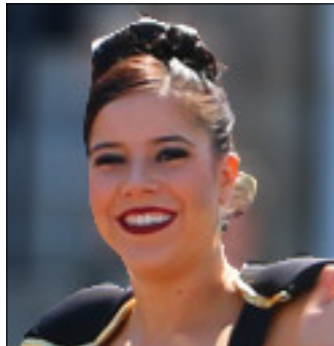
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Nevada Sweetheart, mom injured in concert shooting

A contestant in this year's National Sweetheart Pageant and her mother were injured in Sunday night's shooting at the Route 91 Harvest Festival, a country music event in Las Vegas.

Miss Nevada, Paige Melanson was shot in the elbow. Her mother, Rosemarie, was shot in the chest and was in critical but stable condition Monday.

Pageant officials, as well as her host family for the festival, Darren and Natalie Duncan, of Rossville, are asking for prayers for the women, as well as all the victims and families of those killed when Stephen Paddock opened fire on a crowd estimated at 22,000 people, from the 32nd floor of the Mandalay Bay resort.



Paige Melanson, above, pictured during this year's National Sweetcorn Festival parade, and her mother were injured in Sunday's shooting incident in Las Vegas.

The event is being called America's deadliest mass shooting. As of Monday afternoon, 58 people had died and 515 were reported injured in the shooting.

According to printed reports, Paddock, 64, was a retired accountant and heavy gambler who had no criminal record. Family members said they had no clue why Paddock opened fire.

National media reports said Paddock's father, Benjamin Hoskins Paddock, was a serial felon who was jailed in 1960 for robbing an Arizona bank. He escaped in 1968 and was on the run until he was caught in 1971, after trying to run an FBI agent down with his car. For a time, the elder Paddock was on the FBI's most wanted list.

Foodmobile to be in Rossville for giveaway on Saturday

ROSSVILLE—Eastern Illinois Foodbank will distribute a truckload of food to area families from 10-11:30 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 7 at Rossville Church of Christ, 514 E Attica Rd. All Vermilion County residents who meet income eligibility criteria (*see below*) are welcome. Attendees are asked to bring boxes or bags to transport food.

The distribution is part of the Foodbank's Foodmobile Program, a system of mobile food pantries designed to help bring nutritious food to areas of chronic or extreme

need. Through the program, local companies and organizations are invited to contribute toward a one-day distribution of food and optionally participate in the distribution process. The cost to partner with the Foodbank on a Foodmobile distribution is \$3,000.

The Foodmobile distribution comes at a critical moment for area residents. Data released by Feeding America, the nation's network of food banks, shows 14% of people in eastern Illinois are considered food insecure -

See **FOODMOBILE** on other side

Maximum monthly income per eligible household (for each additional household member over 8, add \$644):								
Household Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Monthly Income	\$1,859	\$2,504	\$3,148	\$3,793	\$4,437	\$5,081	\$5,726	\$6,370

October Market

Thursday 4-7, Fri. 1-5, Sat. 9-1

Fall Specials ~New Farm Pieces

Scentsy Bars (retired) at Special Savings

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Smoked BBQ

at

Rossville Family Restaurant

715 S. Chicago

Lunch & Dinner

Saturday, Oct. 7th and Sunday, Oct. 8th

Pulled Pork Butt, Pork Ribs & Beef Brisket

DACC Higher Learning Center - Hoopeston

Yoga - Balance Class

Tuesday & Thursday, Oct. 10-Nov. 2, 6:30-7:30, \$50

ACT Prep Workshop

Saturdays, Oct. 14-Nov. 18, 9 a.m.-noon, \$175

Microsoft Excel 2013 - Level 1

Tuesday, Oct. 17-Nov. 7, 5:30-8:30 p.m., \$96

Digital Photography

Wednesday, Oct. 25-Nov. 15, 5:30-8:30 p.m., \$75

eBay - Buying and Selling

Thursday, Oct. 26, 609 p.m., \$45

Knitting for Beginners

Mondays, Oct. 30-Dec. 4, 5:30-7:30 p.m., \$80

Spring 2018 Registration

begins October 30, 2017

Advising and Counseling - November 21, 9 a.m.-noon

Call to make your appointment.

Call for more information and to register!

Call 217-283-4170, stop by 847 E. Orange, Hoopeston,

or visit www.dacc.edu/hoopeston

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October 7th & 8th
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 Outdoor vendors will feature crafts, antiques, fall and Christmas decorations, etc.
 Rossville Methodist Church
 Chicken Noodle Dinner Saturday
 Buds B-B-Q will be set up Sat. & Sun.
 Come visit
VILLAGE OF ROSSVILLE
 For questions or booth registration, call Sherry Decker, (217) 433-9056

Briefly

Yearbooks in

2017 Graduates, the Yearbooks are here! Please pick them up in the High School office. There are some extras for sale for \$50.

At the library

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include:

Brain Health series, Thursdays, Oct. 5-26, 10-11:30 a.m. Sponsored by U of I Extension.

Builders Club, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Thursday, for grades K-5. Build cool stuff!

Pumpkin Decorating Contest. Today is the last day to pick up a pumpkin at Hoopeston Public Library for the contest. Or you may bring your own.

Turn in decorated pumpkins Thursday between 9:30 a.m. and 8 p.m. or Friday, 9:30-noon.

Pumpkins will be judged at 3 p.m. Friday and the winners announced.

Tiny Tots, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Friday. For youngsters 0-4 who are accompanied by a caregiver.

Contemplative prayer lessons

The Rev. Tom Cici, of First Christian Church, will offer free lessons on contemplative prayer on Thursdays, Oct. 5, 19 and Nov. 2 at the church, 502 E. Main, Hoopeston. For more information, contact him at 765-541-0611 or call the church, (217) 283-6691. Leave your name and a brief message if there is no answer.

Maple Madness winners

Recent winners in the Maple Madness drawing are: Oct. 1, Lloyd Cox, Hoopeston, \$150; Oct. 2, Silvia Leyh, Danville, \$25; and Oct. 3, Penny Nuss, Hoopeston, \$25.

WMD Winners

September winners in the Women Making a Difference 50/50 drawing are: Raymond Puffenbarger, \$50; Suzanne Lawson, \$30; and Kay Brown, \$20.

Sports Roundup

Volleyball

The Blue Slam traveled to Georgetown on September 26, where they lost to the Buffalos, 8-25, 11-25.

Ali Watson and Payton Small had one kill each. Maddie Goble had two assists and Marisa Rush had 17 digs.

The Lady Cornjerkers traveled Thursday to Salt Fork, losing to the Storm 8-25, 15-25.

From the Blotter

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 3:15 p.m. Monday in the alleyway of the 500 block of South Third St.

Police said a 17-year-old Hoopeston girl, driving a 2008 Volkswagen, was westbound and struck a Frontier utility pole.

Foodmobile continued from other side

which means they sometimes lack adequate access to food - and nearly 20% of children are food insecure.

To be eligible, a household must have an income at or below 185% of the federal poverty level, or approximately \$3,746 per month for a family of four. Full eligibility criteria are listed below. Other area Foodmobile distributions can be found by visiting the Foodbank's website at www.eifoodbank.org and clicking "find help."

Raven Rutherford and Marisa Rush led the way in digging, with 21 and 17, respectively. Small and Mercy Linder each went 3 of 3 in service, with four aces between them. Small and Rutherford had one kill each.

Soccer

Hoopeston Area used home field advantage Thursday to beat Schlarman 4-2 after going into the half at 3-1. Scoring for Hoopeston in the first half was Lucas Hofer from Josh Delfino and Payton Fredrick from Brennen Granados. In the second, it was again Fredrick from Granados and Rhys Root from Granados.

On Saturday, the team traveled to Iroquois West, where they tied the Raiders 2-2.

Jon Blumberg scored first, unassisted, for IW. Hoopeston answered with a score by Neil Williams from Granados.

Neither team added to the total until the second, when Granados scored on an assist from Root. IW's Angel Baradas tied, unassisted.

Wes Ravens had 10 saves for the Cornjerkers. Hoopeston Area is now 9-10-1, while IW is at 17-4-1. The Cornjerkers hosted Herscher on Monday.

Weather

Showers likely today, tonight, tomorrow. High today 76, low 69. Tomorrow, high 74, low 58.

Alley cleanup to start October 9

Hoopeston Street and Alley Department will begin alley cleanup October 9, weather permitting. Only grass, leaves, and brush will be picked up.

If any plastic, concrete, lumber, or landscape material is in the pile, it will not be picked up. If a fire pit with concrete blocks or landscaping blocks around it has the brush, grass, and leaves in it, it will not be picked up.

 **Hoopeston Lions Club**
LAST ONE OF THE SEASON
Fish Fry in the Park
Saturday, Oct. 7 Noon-6 p.m.
McFerrer Park
 Serving ocean perch, hamburgers, hotdogs, fries, cole slaw and drinks.

Classifieds

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

2 BR, washer/dryer hookup. \$375/mo. Plus deposits. (217) 283-7439

Honeywell Apartments: 2 BR, includes water, heat, pest control, off street parking (815) 984-4513

HELP WANTED

Full time person needed at Smitty's Dual Wheel. Apply in person 8 miles west of Rossville.

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

Hair dresser needed at Family Style Beauty Salon, Hoopeston. Call (217) 283-9211.

Hoopeston Area CUSD #11 has an immediate opening for a Classroom Aide at John Greer Elementary School. Applications are available online at Hoopeston Area CUSD's website, www.hoopeston.k12.il.us under the BOE heading.

SERVICES

Quality Buildings and Repair LLC can give free quotes on older pole buildings, new roofs, sides, doors, etc. Dale Vogel, (217) 283-9585

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