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Friday, Oct. 20 7 p.m.

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Social Security, SSI recipients to get 2.0% raise next year

Monthly Social Security and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits for more than 66 million Americans will increase 2.0 percent in 2018, the Social Security Administration announced Friday.

The 2.0 percent cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) will begin with benefits payable to more than 61 million Social Security beneficiaries in January 2018. Increased payments to more than 8 million SSI beneficiaries will begin on December 29, 2017. (Note: some people receive both Social Security and SSI benefits)

The Social Security Act ties the annual COLA to the increase in the Consumer Price Index as deter-

mined by the Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Some other adjustments that take effect in January of each year are based on the increase in average wages. Based on that increase, the maximum amount of earnings subject to the Social Security tax (taxable maximum) will increase to \$128,700 from \$127,200. Of the estimated 175 million workers who will pay Social Security taxes in 2018, about 12 million will pay more because of the increase in the taxable maximum.

Information about Medicare changes for 2018, when announced, will be available at www.medicare.gov.

The Social Security Act provides for how the COLA is calculated. To read more, visit www.socialsecurity.gov/cola.

Briefly

Breast cancer support group

Hoopeston Breast Cancer Support Group meets at 6 p.m. the third Thursday of each month at The Pit Stop at Fast Lanes. The next meeting will be October 19.

Please spread the word and join us for a meeting to offer support to past and present breast cancer survivors. For more information, call Pat Foster, (815) 984-4040.

VCHD to offer flu shots

Vermilion County Health Department will offer adult flu shots from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday, Oct. 20 at Hoopeston Multi-Agency, 206 S. First Ave.

Cost for flu shots for those 19 and older is \$40. The Health Department will bill Medicare, Medicaid, State Employees' employers and most private insurance plans for adult flu shots. Individuals should be prepared to present proof of these types of coverage at the time of vaccination.

Credit cards can be accepted for payment but the department charges a convenience fee.

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Court Dispositions

Bowling Sunday Night Mixed League

	October 8
Get Pumped Up	30-19
Big Dogs	29-20
Tucking 10 Pins	29-20
Final 4	27-22
Gutter Busters	25-24
4 Square Balls	24-25
Bowl Movements	23-26

Miss Kitties Kids	21--28
Last Minute	20-29
Pins & Gutters	17-32

High Team Game: 4 Square Balls 871, Get Pumped Up 764; **High Team Series:** 4 Square Balls 2319, Get Pumped Up 2050

High Men's Game: Ronnie Cappellano 278, Marvin Dobkins 268, Geoffery Berlin 264; **High Men's Series:** Marvin Dobkins 735, Geoffery Berlin 722

High Ladies' Game: Jennifer Crawley 198, Saman-

tha Strawser 183; **High Ladies' Series:** Patty Lowe 515, Jennifer Crawley 510

Men's 200+ Games: Kevin Tyler 202; Doug Wagoner 216; John Lowe 211; Kyle Richards 220; Ethan Linder 224; Jeremy Lane 229; Nick Gonzalez 207; Brandon Mann 206; Marvin Dobkins 236, 231, 268; BJ Morgenson 224, 207; Geoffery Berlin 235, 223, 264

Men's 600 Series: Doug Wagoner 607, Kyle Richards 603, Jeremy Lane 607, Marvin Dobkins 735, Geoffery Berlin 722

Ladies' 175+ Games: Patty Lowe 179, 178; Jennifer Crawley 198; Samantha Strawser 183

Monday Night Ladies League

	October 9
Bi Polor Rollers	36-13
Wild Things	30-19
Fast Lanes	21-28
Silver Brothers	11-38

High Team Game: Bi Polor Rollers 695, Wild Things 544; **High Team Series:** Bi Polor Rollers 1944, Wild things 1662

High Game: Jennifer Crawley 257, Deb Winters 175; **High Series:** Jennifer Crawley 630, Karen Porth 513

Volleyball

Hoopeston Area High School volleyball team traveled to Schlarman Academy Thursday night to face off with an excellent Hilltopper team. The Lady Cornjerkers played really hard and fought for both matches before falling 25-14 and 25-13. The coaching staff was really proud of the girls for not giving up and backing down. Kayla Goble and Ali Watson led the team in assists with 2 each while Raven Rutherford and Payton Small each had one kill. Freshman Marisa Rush led the team with 15 digs on the night followed by Small with 11 and Maddie Goble 8.

The Blue Slam went 0-3 at the weekend's Vermilion County Tournament which featured some of the team's tightest games of the season.

The ladies lost to BHRA 10-25, 20-25; Salt Fork 22-25, 18-25; and Armstrong Potomac 11-25, 14-25.

Marisa Rush led with 45 digs during the tournament, followed by Payton Small with 34 and Raven

Weather

Sunny today. High 67. Tonight, clear. Low 45. Tomorrow, sunny. High 69, low 49.

Rutherford with 13.

Rutherford led in serving, going 18 of 18 with 2 aces. Kayla Goble was 6 of 6 with 1 ace.

Small led kills with 6, followed by Mercy Linder with 4 and Rutherford with 2.

Ali Watson had 5 kills for the series, while Rutherford and Logan Robinson each had 2.

The Lady Cornjerkers are at home Tuesday for Senior Night as they take on Armstrong Potomac.

Football

Friday the 13th proved unlucky for the Cornjerkers as they fell to Westville 48-6.

Westville scoring was reserved for the first half, with 28 points in the first quarter and 20 in the second.

HA/SA/AP scored in the final quarter on two field goals from junior Carson Alwardt.

On offense, quarterback Marcus Blurton was 2 of 8 in passing for a loss of 2. The sophomore was in the red in rushing, with -13.

Jacob Catron led rushing with 29 yards, followed by Jordan Mance with 27 and Jacob Selsor with 24. Adam Colunga had 10 yards, followed by Corey Moore with 7, Jared Kellogg with 6 and Michael Welsch with 5.

Catron and Selsor each had 1 reception, Catron's for 6 and Selsor's for -8.

Catron also led in solo tackles, with 3, along with 2 assists. Selsor, Pedro Linares and Cyrus Sears each had 2 solo tackles.

The Cornjerkers will celebrate Senior Night Friday as they host Milford.

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