

Email:
publish@justthefacts.net

Just the Facts

Phone/Fax: (217) 283-9348
Lourdine Florek, Owner

Tuesday, February 27, 2018

Hoopeston's only locally-owned daily news publication!

P.O. Box 441, Hoopeston IL 60942

www.justthefacts.net

County 4-Hers, Illini Fighting Hunger to fight food insecurity

DANVILLE—Although Illinois is a leading producer of ag, one in five Illinois children experiences hunger. Vermilion County 4-H and Illini Fighting Hunger are answering the call to help struggling families in their local communities through the 4-H Feeding and Growing program.

Since 2013, Illinois 4-H members and volunteers have packaged 1,000,000 meals in partnership with Illini Fighting Hunger, a University of Illinois student group which looks for local solutions to hunger. Volunteers are asked to come help assemble meals on March 17 from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. at the DACC Bremer Center (2000 E Main St, Danville). All people over 8 years old are welcome to come volunteer.

Threat deemed not active

An investigation of an incident Thursday at Hoopeston Area High School, in which a student made a verbal threat to a staff member, was deemed to be not an active threat.

Supt. Suzette Hesser said the threat was referred to Hoopeston Police Department and investigated by the department and high school administration.

All threats to students, faculty and schools are taken seriously, Hesser said. No one was in any danger because of the incident, she said.

Volunteers will form assembly lines to combine and seal ingredients for a rice casserole meal for distribution to local food pantries and agencies in need. The nutritious meals include long-grain white rice, a blend of vitamins and chicken flavoring, dehydrated vegetables and textured soy protein.

"The balanced, nutritious meal provides 16 essential vitamins and minerals and is easy to prepare," said Bill Million, U of I Extension 4-H youth development specialist. Families are also provided easy recipes using the meal ingredients.

"Food insecurity threatens the health of children and families across the state," said Million. "4-H Feeding and Growing teaches youth to assess the needs in their communities and act based on what they find."

One may join the fight against hunger in Vermilion County by registering for this event [here](#).

See **FOOD** on other side

From the Blotter

Jeremy Clingenpeel, 39, of Oakwood, was arrested after police were called at 7:36 p.m. Friday for a suspicious vehicle in the 700 block of South Third St. Wanted on a Ford County warrant, he was released on bond with a new court date.

LITHGOW AUTOMOTIVE

1121 S. Dixie Hwy., Hoopeston
217-283-5171



Carquest Auto Parts Store
Automotive Service Center
Automotive Machine Shop

We turn brake rotors & drums, offer cylinder head & engine machine work, resurface heads & manifolds plus more!

www.LithgowMotorSports.com

Show your vehicle some love!



Full Service
Oil Change

10W30, 5W30 or 5W20 w/coupon. Expires 2/28/18

Hoopeston Express Lube



Rtes. 1 & 9, Hoopeston
(217) 283-5373

www.quicklube4u.com

We're in High Gear



for Our
50th Year!

Year-long event going on now!

Come in and register for 4 chances to win!

June 16th- 2 separate auto details valued at \$100 each

July 7th- A pair of Cubs/Cardinals tickets

August 18th- Grand prize of \$500.00 in cash

NO PURCHASE NECESSARY!

Winners will be announced on WHPO and in Just the Facts!

•We've **DOUBLED** our inventory for this event!

•New lenders added to serve **YOU** better!

•Great Selection!

•Affordable down payments!

•Free popcorn and smiles daily!

•Accepting all trades!

•Save on everything in stock!

•Look for events all year!

*OUR MISSION: To provide our customers with a quality vehicle
at an affordable price, with no high pressure.*

Let us EARN your business today!

See Larry, Jerry, Richard, or Bonnie for YOUR vehicle needs!



301 S. Dixie Hwy. Hoopeston

URICHMOTORS.COM

217-283-6888

3 ROOMS CARPET CLEANING
\$99*
LIMBACHS' 217-495-1134
 EXP. 3/30/18

VISA MasterCard DISCOVER

*Rooms over 250 sq. ft., Great Rooms, LR/DR Combo considered 2 rooms

Seafood Sale
 March 1, 2, & 3
 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

While Supplies Last!!!
 Bringing excitement to stores and communities

www.superiorfoods.co

Hoopeston IGA
 1030 W. Chestnut St.
 Hoopeston IL. 60942
 217-283-6683



Photo submitted

Straight shooters

Winners of the Country Financial 3-point shoot –out held during last week’s Hoopeston Area Boys Class 2A regionals are, from left, Ryan Reeder, Monticello; Jake Sellett, St. Thomas More; Mitch McNutt, Gibson City/Melvin Sibley; and Graham Eighner, Hoopeston Area.

***Food* continued from other side**

University of Illinois Extension provides equal opportunities in programs and employment.

If you or your child need a reasonable accommodation to participate, please contact the Extension Office.

Weather

Sunny today. High 58. Tonight, cloudy, chance of showers. Low 44. Tomorrow, chance of showers. High 57, low 46.

Smoked BBQ
 at
Rossville Family Restaurant
 715 S. Chicago
Lunch & Dinner
Saturday, March 3rd & Sunday, March 4th
Pulled Pork Butt, Pork Ribs & Beef Sirloin

Court Dispositions

February 1

Kayla Petty, Hoopeston, found guilty of battery, fined \$280; status check March 1.

Vaida Crose, Hoopeston, pleaded guilty to unlawful assembly, fined \$200; status check March 1.

Bradley David, Hoopeston, pleaded guilty to criminal damage to property, fined \$200; status check March 1.

Erik Pelicant, Hoopeston, trial continued to March 1.

Robert Ferrell, Hoopeston, failed to appear; two cases continued for further enforcement.

Classifieds

COMMERCIAL SPACE FOR RENT

WILLDON BUILDING - Office space available. WilldonBuilding.com. Multiple size options. All utilities included in rent. Internet. Conference room. Central reception area. Dedicated restrooms. Break room.

HELP WANTED

Experienced CDL driver with clean driving record wanted. Local haul occasional over the road work. Contact Brent @ 815-405-4000

Mustard Seed Christian Daycare is growing and needs to hire subs and aides and teachers. Requirements: if you are 18 years old, and love children, you qualify for an aide position. Teachers need to meet DCFS teacher qualifications. We want our children to learn Spanish, art, and music. Preference will be given to applicants with these skills. Call Nicole at 217-748-6370 to apply.

Greene Galvanized Stairs is accepting applications for full-time Production and Packaging positions. Fabrication and/or order fulfillment experience is a plus. Send resume to PO Box 191, East Lynn IL 60932 or jobs@greenebinstairs.com.

Experienced dog groomer wanted. Business opportunity for the right person. State-of-the-art facility in Hoopeston area. Send name, contact, info, qualifications and references to doggroomer129@gmail.com

HOUSES FOR RENT

2 BR, \$500/mo. No pets. (217) 283-7028

VEHICLES FOR SALE

2015 Ford F150 XLT, 4x4 Super Crew cab, 3.5V6, tow module/trailer hitch, 18" wheels, chrome step bars, bed liner, bed cover. Remote Start. Exterior caribou metallic with camel interior-custom seat covers. 12,000 miles. Excellent condition. Serious inquiries only. Call 217-260-4050 after 5:30 pm.

Email publish@justthefacts.net
 or call (217) 283-9348 to place your ad!