

May Market Weekend
 Thursday 3-7 p.m., Friday 10 a.m.-5 p.m.
 Saturday 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Mother's Day Market
 Saturday, May 12 10-3

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Hoopeston Area FFA members named Section 18 officers

Daniel Bass has made history. The Hoopeston Area High School student was recently named president of Illinois FFA Section 18 president, the first HA student ever named to the post in the Illinois FFA's 89-year history.

Election for section officers was held March 24 at Danville Area Community College. Each of the section's 10 schools sent two delegates to the election prior to the Section 18 Banquet, Bass said.

Candidates have the opportunity to give speeches on why they feel they are best for the position. After the speeches are done, delegates vote.

When the votes were counted, Hoopeston Area's delegates was each named to an office: Bass as president and Kolin Dugle as treasurer.

"It is an extreme honor to have the opportunity to serve Section 18, but I am most proud of the fact that I have the opportunity to represent Hoopeston on a larger level,"

Briefly

Birthday wishes

Former Hoopeston resident Lila Gray will celebrate her 90th birthday on May 9 and would enjoy hearing from friends.

Cards and well wishes may be sent to Lila Gray, 1035 S. Main St., #407, Decatur IL 62521.

At the library

Coming events at Hoopeston Public Library are:

Builders Club, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Thursday. Kids in grades K-5 build cool stuff. This is the last one of the school year.

Bass said. "Throughout the year, I hope to advocate the benefits of agriculture and to show students that dreams can become realities."



Photo contributed
 Illinois FFA Section 18 officers, front, from left, Olivia Allison (Secretary from Kansas), Alexis Kiser (Reporter from Oakland), Brianna Bange (Historian from Shiloh); and back, Harrison (Sentinel from Kansas), Andrew Davis (Vice President from Georgetown-Ridge Farm) Daniel Bass (President from Hoopeston Area) Kolin Dugle (Treasurer from Hoopeston Area)

Register for Preschool!
Small Wonders Preschool
Open House, May 6, 5-6 p.m.
 3- and 4-year-old Classes
 Located at
First Presbyterian Church
 915 E Orange, Hoopeston, 217-283-6229
Director: Sarah Tribbey
Classes begin September 4, 2018

 **Hoopeston Lions Club**
 Monthly
Fish Fry in the Park
Saturday, May 5 Noon-6 p.m.
McFerren Park
 Serving ocean perch, hamburgers, hotdogs, fries, cole slaw and drinks.


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From the Blotter

BUTLER - James D. "J.D." Butler, 79, of Milford, died Friday, April 27, 2018 at Presence St. Joseph Medical Center, Joliet. Memorial visitation will be 4-8 p.m. Friday at Knapp Funeral Home, Milford. Memorial service will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at United Methodist Church, Milford. Burial will follow in Maple Grove Cemetery, Milford. Memorials are suggested to Milford United Methodist Church or Milford Ambulance.

MORRISON - Margaret June "Mardy" Morrison,

99, of Casey, formerly of Lehigh Acres, Fla., Dallas, Tex., and Hoopeston, died Monday, April 23, 2018 at Heartland Nursing Center, Casey. Visitation will be 10 a.m. until the 11 a.m. funeral Friday at Markwell Funeral Home, Casey. Burial will follow in Washington Street Cemetery, Casey. Among her survivors is a niece, Joyce Shore, of Hoopeston.

WARD - Michael "Mike" Warden Ward died at 7:25 a.m. Tuesday, April 17, 2018 at Heritage Health, Hoopeston. He was cremated. Graveside service will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston, with military rites by Hoopeston American Legion Post #384. Memorials are suggested to

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Sheri Lau, 59, of Hoopeston, was arrested after police were called at 2:24 p.m. Monday to the 900 block of East Young for a dispute. She was charged with domestic battery for allegedly battering another female in the residence.

Lau was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

Special Olympics, 605 E. Willow St., Normal IL 61761 or donor's choice.

WOOD - Robert Dowin Wood, 41, of Hoopeston, died at 10:22 p.m. Friday, April 27, 2018 at Carle Hoopeston Regional Health Center, Hoopeston. He

will be cremated. A celebration of his life will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Hoopeston American Legion. No burial will be held. Memorials are suggested to the family of Robert Wood c/o Anderson Funeral Home, 427 E. Main St., Hoopeston IL 60942.

Court Dispositions

April 5

Sherard Jones, Hoopeston, found guilty by default of restraint of dogs, fined \$220, status hearing May 3.

Helen Kochell, Hoopeston, pleaded guilty to theft, fined \$200.

Vicki L. Foster, Hoopeston, found guilty by default of possession of cannabis prohibited, fined \$200; status hearing May 3.

Weather

Chance of thunderstorms today, tonight. High 83, low 65. Tomorrow, thunderstorms likely. High 79, low 62.

Classifieds

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Wednesday, May 16-June 13, 6-9:30 p.m.

Class fee \$96 plus textbook

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