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Educator comes out of retirement to help kids' club

A long-time friend of children is helping some local youngsters get a community service group off the ground.

Chalmers Flint, retired school principal, met with six Hoopeston youngsters to form a community youth group.

The group hopes to provide "a positive image for youth in the community," Flint said. That image will be earned through work efforts, such as helping the Hoopeston Multi Agency or area senior citizens.

Bill McElhaney, Jr. and Billy Robinson are spearheading the group, which meets at the Eastern Illinois Multi Purpose Center. Leaders are not expected to be chosen until more members sign

up.

Flint's involvement with the group will be short-term. "They have four to six weeks to make the thing work," he said. "At that point, I'll bow out."

Flint, who retired earlier this year after being principal at John Greer Grade School, said the boys approached him about helping with the group, something he thought was a good effort.

"I thought if these students really want to do something, I should contribute some time," he said.

Those wanting information on the group may contact McElhaney at 283-9755; Robinson at 283-7641 or the EIMPC, 283-9351.

Vermilion County treasurer lists September deposits, interest

Herb Hales, Vermilion County treasurer, reported that for the month of September 1994, the county had \$31,837,807.54 invested in time deposits and U.S. Treasury bonds, earning between 3.3 and 9.1 percent interest.

County funds on hand in interest-bearing checking accounts total \$7,443,789.81, earning between 2.5 and 3.75 percent.

County funds in interest-bearing checking accounts total \$6,671,615.49, earning 2.5 to 4.25 percent. All money handled by the treasurer totals \$38,509,423.03.


Deposits of local interest include: Palmer American National Bank, Hoopeston branch, \$730,000; Rankin branch, \$100,000; Community Bank of Hoopeston, \$1,811,053.88; Hoopeston Household FSB, \$100,000; and First National


Bank of Rossville, \$281,312.15.

Other deposits include: First Midwest Bank, \$15,289,684.03; Palmer American National Bank, total, \$8,476,170.48; main bank, \$7,446,170.48; Tilton branch, \$100,000; First National Bank of Danville, \$933,740.69; Allerton State Bank, \$137,443.68; First National of Catlin, \$318,106.15; First National Bank of Fairmount, \$574,739.40; First of America, \$365,000; First National Bank of Georgetown, \$243,786.01; Kansas State Bank, \$100,000; Oakwood State Bank, \$2,254,239.99; First National of Ogden, \$1,988,330.34; First Ridgefarm State Bank, \$702,892.47; Sidell State Bank, \$206,855.36; First National Bank of Westville, \$168,330.34; and U.S. Treasury bonds, \$4,533,919.39.

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Up & Coming

EIMPC activities

Upcoming activities at the community center include: Wednesday, 9 a.m.-noon, Manpower representative; 11:30 a.m. community potluck; Thursday, 9 a.m., coffee hour; 12:30 p.m., eu-chre.

Sports schedule

The Hoopeston Area sports schedule this week includes: Thursday, high school cross country versus Paxton-Buckley Loda, here, 4:30 p.m.; junior high girls basketball versus Paxton-Buckley

Loda, here, 6:15 p.m.; Friday, high school football versus Cumberland, there, 7 p.m.; Saturday, high school volleyball, county at Westville, time to be announced.

Expansion celebration

Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital and Nursing Home will host an Expansion Celebration at 2 p.m. Oct. 16, south of the hospital.

The event commemorates construction of the nursing home expansion and the assisted living complex.

Police News



A boy's black Huffy 10-speed bicycle was found Tuesday at 607 N. Seventh St.

A girl's pink 10-speed Huffy Mountain bike was found Tuesday and taken to the police station. The bicycle, which has white speckles, may be identified and claimed at the police station.

Donna Pearce, 508 N. Third St., reported Tuesday that the windshield of her 1993 Ford pickup truck while it was parked in her driveway. The windshield had been shot twice with a bb gun.

Christopher P. Gress, 29, 723 1/2 W. Washington, was arrested at 10:48 a.m. Tuesday on a warrant for failure to appear. He was released on \$300 cash bond.

Kenneth D. Seals, 40, of 431 W. Elm, was arrested at 12:13 p.m. Tuesday on a warrant for failure to appear. He was released on \$300 cash bond.

Court Dispositions



Tammy Fouse, Hoopeston, status check on payments, continued to Dec. 15.

Noel Gonzalez, Hoopeston, to pay \$75, rule to show cause to be issued.

William Mitchell, Hoopeston, to pay \$178.50, rule to show cause to be issued, Nov. 3 court date.

Austin Rhodes, Hoopeston, to pay balance on restitution, notice to be issued.

Museum segment rescheduled

A segment on the Bicycle Museum of America, owned by former Hoopeston resident Toni Hurd and her husband, Jim, was preempted on yesterday's Good Morning America.

A date when the piece will air has not been set.

In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital
Oct. 10, 1994

Admitted: none.

Discharged: none.

Weather



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