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## HA student council members to hold food drive tonight

Local students are waging a war on hunger in door-to-door combat.

Members of the Hoopeston Area High School and Middle School student councils will hold a door-to-door food drive Tuesday night, said Quentin Ryder, high school student council sponsor.

"Our intent is to canvass the town on the 14th," Ryder said. The drive will begin at 5 p.m. and is expected to end at about 7:30 p.m.

Approximately 16 to 18 high school students, and about 21 junior high students, will go door-to-door in teams, Ryder said.

While some students will collect, others of the 23 high school council members and over 40 middle school council members will be sort collected food and transport it to the Grant Township Food Cupboard, Ryder said.

Collecting food is nothing new for Hoopeston Area students. In previous years, students were asked to bring cans of food to school, but that was discontinued this year. "It became less and less successful," Ryder said.

Residents are asked to donate canned goods or other non-perishable food items.

## Township officials begin seasons of miracles for youngsters

With Christmas just over a month away, Grant Township officials have started the season of miracles for local children.

Screening for the Miracle Tree will begin Wednesday, said Grant Township supervisor Carol Flint.

The Miracle Tree program decorates trees with the names and vital gift information for local children whose Christmas would be less bright without help from local residents.

The Miracle Tree program is available to children ages 12 or younger, Flint said. Information on the children, such as clothing sizes and toy preferences, are put on cards which will decorate Christmas trees at Weber Drug Store and Pamida.

Last year, 150 children in 71 families received Christmas presents through the program, Flint said. How many will be helped this year is unknown. "We have no anticipation on what to expect," she said.

Screenings, which will cover participation in Grant Township Food Cupboard services, as well as

holiday food baskets and the Miracle tree, will be held from 9:30-11:30 a.m. and 1-3 p.m. weekdays beginning Wednesday, Flint said. Appointments are not necessary.

Applicants must show proof of income and Social Security cards or birth certificates for all family members. Screenings will be conducted through Dec. 12, Flint said.

## Jaycees sponsor Toys for Tots

The Hoopeston Jaycees are accepting good used and new toys for its Toys for Tots campaign.

Handmade toys, such as those made from scraps of wood and doll accessories such as clothing and blankets, are also accepted.

Toys may be taken to the Grant Township offices, Jerry's IGA or LCR Mechanical. McDonald's is also accepting toys and giving coupons to those who donate.

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## Court dispositions



**Oct. 5: Graciela Sanchez**, Danville, speeding, rule to show cause issued.  
**Christina Shields**, Hoopeston, speeding, rule to show cause issued.  
**Brandon Shipman**, Hoopeston, speeding, plea by mail.  
**Adrianne Smith**, Hoopeston, no valid driver's license, rule to show cause issued.  
**Robert Soto**, Texas, improper U turn, pleaded guilty, \$75 total.  
**Abby Staley**, Hoopeston, permitting unauthorized person to drive, plea by mail.  
**Allen Thomas**, Knox, Ind., speeding, rule to show cause issued.  
**Howard Verburt**, Wisconsin, speeding, plea by mail.  
**Kevin Vogel**, Rileon, speeding, rule to show cause issued.  
**Heather Voyles**, Wellington, disobeying stop sign, plea by mail.  
**Melissa Waymaz**, Evansville, Ind., speeding, warrant issued.  
**Mitchell Yorgler**, no address, illegal squealing, plea by mail.  
**Genaro Zamarripa**, Hoopeston, no insurance, warrant issued.


## Obituaries

**NEATHERY** - Jack Fulton Neathery, 65, of East Lynn, died at 5 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 12, 1995, at United Samaritans Medical Center, Logan campus, Danville. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at the First Christian Church of Hoopeston. Burial will be in Floral Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be 6-8 p.m. Wednesday at the Hamilton-Orr Funeral Home with Masonic services at 8 p.m. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children, Chicago unit, 2211 N. Oak Park Ave., Chicago, IL., 60635-3392.




## Police News

A boy's 10-speed bicycle was found Monday at 750 E. Main. The owner may identify and claim it at the police station.



## Weather

Partly sunny and cold today. High in the low to mid 30s. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low in the low 20s. Tomorrow, variable cloudiness. High near 36, low near 25.



## In the Hospital

**Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital**  
 Nov. 9 1995  
**Admitted:** Andy Barber and Willie Mae Leslie, Hoopeston.  
**Discharged:** James Kessinger, Hoopeston.  
 Nov. 10, 1995  
**Admitted:** none.  
**Discharged:** none.  
 Nov. 11, 1995  
**Admitted:** none.  
**Discharged:** Esther Mortensen, Hoopeston.  
 Nov. 12, 1995  
**Admitted:** none.  
**Discharged:** Andy Barber, Hoopeston.

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