

### **CHRISTMAS**



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Nov. 24-25 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Nov. 26 noon-4 p.m.



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annual Christmas Open House

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Nov. 24, 25, 26

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Hoopeston's only locally-owned daily news publication! P.O. Box 441, Hoopeston, IL. 60942 (217) 283-9348

## Council approves new sign welcoming visitors to Hoopeston

Hoopeston officials hope a new sign on Route 1 and Main St. will help draw traffic to the downtown area.

The Hoopeston city council Tuesday night approved purchasing a V-shaped sign to be placed at the intersection. The sign will say "City of Hoopeston, Founded 1871, People Who Care About You."

Approximately \$5,000 was allotted for the sign, said alderperson Susan Comstock, civic improvement committee member.

Pillsbury donated \$1,000 towards the price before closing earlier this year, said committee chairman David Borders.

In other action, the council approved spending \$13,721 for an unmarked police car. The 1996 Crown Victoria will be purchased from Terry's Ford, Lincoln, Mercury in Peotone.

At the Nov. 7 meeting, the council approved pur-

chasing two marked police cars from Terry's. Those cars cost \$13,921 each.

The new car will replace a 1992 Chevrolet for which the city will receive a \$4,500 trade-in.

In unrelated action, the council:

Dapproved allocating \$1.8 million of city funds if a \$500,000 state grant is received to upgrade the sewer treatment plant. Mayor Bob Ault said money has been set aside for several years.

Improvements are expected to cost \$2.3 million.

□approved a \$14,720 bid from Silver Brothers Construction for a storage shed at Floral Hill Ceme-

approved updating the city code book with new ordinances.

Alderman Harold Cox was the sole dissenting vote. Cox was unhappy with ordinances concerning cats and rules limiting the size of buildings in the city.

## **Briefly**

#### Auxiliary officers named

ROSSVILLE-Two new members were appointed to the Rossville auxiliary police.

Jason Anderson and Brad Leaver were approved as auxiliary officers at Monday's village board meeting.

The appointments bring the total number of auxiliary police to 15.

#### Extra shopping

Those who plan to do some Christmas shopping tomorrow, or anytime this holiday season, can make a local child's Christmas so much better by participating in the Miracle Tree or Toys for Tots programs.

Children's names and gift information will be on Miracle Trees at Weber Drugs and Pamida. New or good used toys for the Toys for Tots program can be dropped off at Travel Discoveries, McDonald's, Jerry's IGA, LCR Mechanical or Grant Township offices.

#### **Grocery winners**

Todd Henk and Carol Oyler, both of Hoopeston, were winners in Sunday's Alpha Chi drawing for \$50 grocery certificates. The certificates may be used at either Jerry's IGA or Price Less. Money raised will be used for community projects.

Homecoming
Open House
A Community Tradition
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## Marcia's Bloomers

2-7 p.m. Thanksgiving Day 8 a.m.-7 p.m. Nov. 24-25

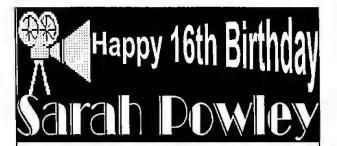
1-7 p.m. Nov. 26

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#### GARAGE SALES

Gigantic rummage sale, Wayne's World arcade, 101 E. Main, Nov. 24-25, 8 a.m.-? Items too numerous to mention.

#### HELP WANTED

Mechanic. Apply in person, Beaty's Auto Sales & Service, 301 S. Market, Hoopeston.

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#### **Court dispositions**



Nov. 2: Donald Foley, Hoopeston, paid \$95 in full.

**Alicia Foxworthy**, Rossville, disobeying stop sign, nolle pros.

Michele Grove, East Lynn, status check on payments, rule to show cause issued.

Roger Harrison, Kankakee, rule to show cause hearing, nolle pros; speeding, \$95, three months court supervision.

**Daniel Miller**, East Lynn, status check for payment, rule to show cause issued.

Hilario Palomo, Hoopeston, rule to show cause hearing, total \$2,590, warrant issued.

**Darrell Pickett**, Hoopeston, uninsured and speeding, nolle pros.

Robert Pratt, Hoopeston, speeding, costs only, three months court supervision.

Ryan Rigsby, Hoopeston, illegal transportation, failed to appear, rule to show cause issued.

**Pamela Rife,** Rossville, failure to reduce speed, \$95 total, three months court supervision.

Hendry Rodgers, Hoopeston, to pay \$537, continued, status check May 2.

Charles Richardson, Hoopeston, to pay \$95, continued to Dec. 7.

#### **Police News**



**Ryan J. Goodner,** 405 S. Second Ave., reported Monday that someone took his billfold from the Hoopeston Area High School locker room. The billfold contained money, Goodner's license and other papers.

John W. Williams, 19, of 210 E. Thompson, was arrested at 10:44 p.m. Monday charged with driving on a suspended license. He was released on \$100 cash bond.

**Troy L. Denham,** 29, of 508 Dice, was arrested at 2:20 p.m. Tuesday, charged with battery on a complaint from Craig L. Morris, 321 E. McCracken.

Denham was released on a notice to appear.

Michael Reffett, Alvin, speeding, three months court supervision.

Abby Staley, Hoopeston, paid \$95 in full.

**Christina Shields**, Hoopeston, rule to show cause hearing, warrant issued.

**Michael Sexton,** Danville, speeding, continued to Dec. 7.

Allen Thomas, Knox, IN., rule to show cause hearing, failed to appear, warrant issued.

**Jennifer Wagoner**, Hoopeston, disobeyed stop sign, \$95, three months court supervision.

**Howard Verburgt**, Wisconsin, speeding, \$95 total, three months court supervision.

**Ryan Inman**, Milford, rule to show cause hearing, failed to appear, warrant issued.

**Hector Castillo**, Hoopeston, to pay \$100, failed to appear, rule to show cause issued.

#### **Obituaries**

MISNER - Jeff Misner, 39, of Tolono, formerly of Hoopeston, died at 6:50 p.m. Saturday in a car-truck accident north of Urbana. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Wolfe Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Burial will be in the Potomac Cemetery. Visitation will be one hour before services.

#### In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital Nov. 20, 1995

**Admitted:** Marvin Sprague, Hoopeston. **Discharged:** none.

#### Weather



Partly sunny today. High in the mid to upper 40s. Tonight, becoming cloudy. Low in the upper 30s. Thanksgiving Day, partly cloudy. High near 45, low near 36. Friday, Saturday and Sunday, partly cloudy. Highs in the upper 40s to mid 50s. Lows in the upper 20s to mid 30s. Chance of rain Saturday.



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