

# IT'S HERE!

## THE ALL-NEW



## FORD F-150



### BUILT FORD TOUGH

### TEST DRIVE TODAY!

# Crown



HOOPESTON

MERCURY

623 S. Dixie Hwy.

Phone: 217-283-7729

Lourdine Florek  
owner/publisher

Just

# the facts®

Thursday, July 11, 1996

Hoopeston's only locally-owned daily news publication!

Phone:  
(217) 283-9348

## Pack up summer fun with new tote from Friends of Library

Juggling the paraphernalia of summer just got a little easier thanks to the Friends of the Hoopeston Public Library.

The group is selling canvas tote bags just in time for summer's active lifestyles.

The burgundy and wheat bag is imprinted with a picture of the library, similar to the Christmas ornament the Friends sold last year.

The bag features a separate pocket large enough to hold a video and has a snap closure. Bags cost

\$12.50 each and are available at the library, 110 N. Fourth St.

Profits from the bag will be used for the library, said Barbara Powley of Friends of the Library. "We'll use them for extras (head librarian Lou Graham) does not have funding for otherwise," she said.

The group has used money from earlier fundraising efforts to help paint the library and for computer equipment.

## Children need special consideration in developing healthful habits

*The following column by Barbara A. Brehm, Ed.D., was submitted by Sarah Miller, owner of S.A.R.A.H.'S Fitness Center. Columns run as space allows.*

Healthful lifestyles are not for adults only; children need them, too. Good health habits make for healthy children. And the groundwork for many of the chronic diseases that develop during adulthood is laid in childhood.

Parents, caregivers and teachers can do a lot to help children develop attitudes and behaviors supporting a healthful lifestyle and preventing future illness.

Children learn more by example than by instruction during the early years. When parents and caregivers model healthful exercise, eating and stress-management habits, these habits trickle down to the children under their care.

Most important are caregivers' attitudes toward exercise, food and weight. Children seem to have a sixth sense in this regard. If they hear you evaluate people based on how they look, especially how thin they are, children learn that looking good is important. This endangers their self-esteem because the standards for

looking good, as depicted by the media, are unreachable for most of us.

Overweight children often have parents who are struggling with weight problems themselves. Weight-control issues take on a larger, more emotional meaning as children try to meet the expectations of the parents they love. It is unfortunate that in our culture, thinness symbolizes goodness, so children who are not thin likewise think they are not good. Many children, especially girls, begin dieting and worrying about weight at 8 or 10 years old.

During the early years, parents and caregivers have a lot of power over the eating and activity levels of their children. They can take advantage of this by lovingly promoting healthful lifestyles. For example, a rule that eating is done while seated at the table cuts down on recreational eating, such as mindless snacking in front of the television. Portions can be given on plates so food is not eaten directly from the box or bag. Many families limit television time and encourage more active pursuits

See CHILDREN on other side

*Children* continued from other side



## Flavored Teas for Iced Tea

Delicious Lemon, Irish Blend, and Cherry Vanilla

20 tea bags reg. \$3.98

**Special today - \$2**

*Flowers & Gifts by Molly Culbert*

702 W. Main, Hoopeston 283-5578 Open 7 Days!

## Get into the swim of summer with pool supplies from



# ACE

Hardware

■PACE 1" & 3" chlorine tablets

■HTH - pH plus & minus

■Algaecide

■Pool Shock - 1 lb. bags & liquid

Rts. 1 & 9, Hoopeston (217) 283-7727 ■Pool Sand & Diatomite earth - 25 & 50 lbs.



# BARRON CHASE

SECURITIES

Member NASD, MSRB, and SIPC

**SHARON D. DIXON**

*Account Executive*

FAX (217) 283-9238  
(800) 787-4745

207 E. Main St.  
Hoopeston, IL 60942  
(217) 283-7103

This weekend, the only safe place  
to be is inside a theatre.

# INDEPENDENCE DAY

PG-13

Nightly-7:30 Late show Fri. & Sat.-10 Matinees Sat. & Sun. 2 & 4:30

**Lorraine Theatre**  
1-800-BEST PLACE 324 E. Main, Hoopeston

# 1996 Vermilion County Fair & Expo




Route 150 West, Danville, IL  
Front gate admission - \$2/person  
Under 12 - Free

## Schedule of Events

Sunday, July 7  
**"FAMILY DAY"**  
Starts at 3 p.m.  
Kids' games and Pig Races - FREE  
Animal rides available  
**FREE ADMISSION TO GRANDSTAND FOR:  
Mike Bishop with Sweet and Sassy**  
*A musical show the whole family will enjoy*

**Monday, July 8**

Team Roping Contest	Horse Arena	7 p.m.
Queen Contest	Grandstand	8 p.m.

**Tuesday, July 9**

Team Roping Contest	Horse Arena	7 p.m.
Baby Contest	Grandstand	6 p.m.
Talent Contest	Grandstand	8 p.m.

*time approx. - follows Baby Contest*

**Wednesday, July 10**

TPA Sanctioned Tractor Pull	Grandstand	7 p.m.
-----------------------------	------------	--------

**Thursday, July 11**

Jr. Horsemanship, Halter and Performance	Horse Arena	6:30 p.m.
Non Wing Sprint Cars and Street Stock Car Races	Grandstand	Time Trials 7 p.m. Races 8 p.m.

**Friday, July 12**

Western Horse Show	Horse Arena	6:30 p.m.
Modified, Sportsman	Grandstand	Time Trials 7 p.m.
Street Stock Car Races		Races 8 p.m.

**Saturday, July 13**

Draft Horse, Pony and Mule (Halter)	Horse Arena	11 a.m.
Draft Horse, Pony and Mule (Hitch)	Horse Arena	5 p.m.
Dwarf Cars and Street Stock Car Races	Grandstand	Time Trials 7 p.m. Races 8 p.m.
Car Show/Art Show		9 a.m.
Band - Bolero		8 p.m.

instead.

Many people have problems with food, spending too much time worrying about what they eat. Children should be spared this problem. They must learn to make good choices without becoming obsessed about food.

The words "diet" and "exercise" should not be part of their vocabulary. Adults should never make an issue of limiting fats and sugars even while they are doing so.

Similarly, children shouldn't engage in physical

## Officials list winners in Vermilion County Fair competitions

Everything from babies to bulldogging is being judged at the Vermilion County Fair this week. Results from the fair include:

**Western Action:** (Monday results) calf roping, Larry Davis, Danville; bulldogging, Rusty Rock, Webbers Falls, OK., open team roping, Damon Ennis, Allerton, Bret Piatt, Westville; barrel race, Shellane Nale, Danville.

(Tuesday results) calf roping, Stormy barricklow, Lebanon, IN.; bulldogging, Brandon Strohl, Lafayette, IN.; open team roping, Bret Piatt, Westville, Mark Butzow, St. Joseph; barrel race, Bob Alexander,

activity that is boring or has no element of fun. If exercise is a chore, they will figure out a way to avoid it.

Most young children inherently are active off and on throughout the day. Play opportunities are generally all they need - a visit to the playground, pool, river or park.

Fairmount.

**Baby contest:** Erika Solis, daughter of Lori and Marshall Solis, 0-6 mos.; Danielle Richardson, daughter of Aaron and Nikki Richardson, 7-12 mos.; Unity Rollins, daughter of Gene Browfield and Sandy Rollins, 13-24 mos.; Kendrick Sturbberg, bright eyes award.

**Talent:** Lindsey Swafford, first place, junior division; Scout, Andy, Neil and Doug, first place, senior division.

**Fair Queen Pageant:** Kelly Oliver, Miss Vermilion County Fair; Carrie Griffin, first runner

## In the hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital

July 9, 1996

**Admitted:** Lillie Mae Shipman and Ted Morris, Hoopeston; Floyd Stanley, Browning.

**Discharged:** none.

## Thursday Trivia



Co-sponsored by Burger King

Call 283-9348

between 8 and 8:30 a.m. today to win!  
The winner will receive a FREE Whopper™  
Value Meal from Burger King!  
Meal must be redeemed Friday.

Today's question: **What article of clothing is celebrating its 50th anniversary this year?**

Last week's winner: **Naomi Yonke**

Last week's answer: :) **is a smiley used in electronic mail (e-mail).**

## Court dispositions



**June 20: Tina Vohs**, Rossville, to pay \$136.72, failed to appear, rule to show cause issued.

**Sarah Watts**, Hoopeston, paid \$45 in full.

**Mari Whealon**, Champaign, six counts deceptive practice, status check Aug. 1.

**Joseph Wininger**, Jasper, no parking; pleaded guilty, \$50 fine and costs, status check July 25.

**Jennifer Wagoner**, Hoopeston, no parking, pleaded guilty, \$45 total.

**Angel Zarate**, Hoopeston, to pay \$75 by July 25.

**Tommy Creamer**, East Lynn, battery, nolle pros.

**Lisa Smith**, Hoopeston, failure to yield; pleaded guilty, \$75, 45 days to pay.

## Weather



Mostly sunny today. High in the low 80s. Tonight, fair, warmer. Low in the mid 60s. Tomorrow, partly cloudy. High near 85, low near 64.

## Tax problems?

If you have received a notice from the IRS or any state tax agency, contact us for assistance. We are experienced in problem resolution and can assist you whether or not we prepared your tax return.

## R&G Tax & Professional Services

**GAIL LANE, E.A.**

**1018 W. Penn, Hoopeston**

**1-800-TAX LAWS or 283-6990**

## COMPUTER TROUBLES?

Never used a computer before?

Want to make better use of your computer?

Buying a computer?

*Let me help you by:*

- ✓ Helping you choose a computer and software- Do you really need to spend thousands on a new computer?
- ✓ Independently evaluating computers and software you may be considering - how can you tell if that price is too good to be true?
- ✓ Connecting you to the Internet, with setup and training along the way.
- ✓ Setting up computerized bookkeeping systems.
- ✓ Recovering lost files, diagnosing bad hard drives and virus scanning.
- ✓ Backing up your hard disk and data.
- ✓ Optimizing Windows, memory managers and hard drives.
- ✓ Setting up applications to suit your needs.
- ✓ Providing hands-on training in: Windows, Windows-95, DOS, word processors, spreadsheets, databases and financial software.

**LBj'services**  
Hoopeston (217) 283-7365



## Classifieds

### APARTMENTS FOR RENT

2-bedroom at Honeywell Apt. complex. Lease and deposit. No pets. Contact Bob Totheroh, Wellington, (815) 984-4513.

### RUMMAGE SALES