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### Grant Twp. United Way street corner collection Saturday

Volunteers in blue aprons and hats will be out in force Saturday collecting for the Grant Township United Way.

Collection points will be open from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Main and Market, Main and Penn and Routes 1 and 9, said collections chairman Peter Krimbel.

Krimbel spoke at Thursday's United Way board meeting.

New multi-colored collection cubes have been constructed and will make their debut appearance

Saturday, Krimbel added.

In related business, the board discussed changing the street corner drive to May to avoid conflict with other organizations.

Krimbel suggested city officials be asked to implement a policy regarding such collections, suggesting street corner drives be limited to two monthly with at least two weeks separating each drive.

### Hoopeston Area Homecoming candidates, activities announced

Royalty will be crowned at Hoopeston Area High School this week.

King and queen candidates for Friday's homecoming have been announced.

Queen candidates are Kari Bartmess, Marissa Bushue, Esther McQuigg and Amber Garrison.

King candidates are John Bell, Todd Warf, Ramon Solis and Brian Langdoc.

Attendants will be Carley McNeely and Joel Swartz, freshmen; Telissa Walters and Kyle Voyles, sophomores; and Abbie Morgeson and Donnie Inman, juniors.

Other Homecoming activities this week included a bonfire Thursday night and the annual parade scheduled for 2 p.m. today.

Also, the Hoopeston Area Sports Boosters will sponsor their annual hog roast. Serving begins at 5 p.m. at the football field. A barbeque pork sandwich and chips will be \$3. Carryouts will be available.

The Cornjerkers will take on Peotone at 7 p.m.

### State Representative: city has had 'smacks upside the head'

Hoopeston, reeling from cutbacks at Silgan Container and the end of corn processing at Stokely, "has had more than its share of smacks upside the head," said State Rep. Bill Black (R-Danville).

Black, and other Republican candidates, spoke Wednesday night at a "Meet the Candidates" night at the Hoopeston American Legion.

"It's been one bit of bad news after another in Hoopeston lately," Black told a crowd of approximately 75 people.

Regarding changes at Stokely, Black said he tried to contact company officials about whether the state could do anything to keep corn canning in Hoopeston. "To this day, we haven't heard a word from Stokely's and I'm disappointed about that," he said, adding he has asked Gov. Jim Edgar to call company officials in Oconomowoc, Wis.

Black praised GOP presidential candidate Bob Dole, calling him "the last warrior to run for the presidency," saying Dole was "tempered during the Depression and grew up in a hurry in WWII."

See CANDIDATES on other side

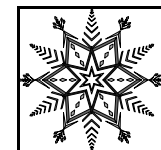
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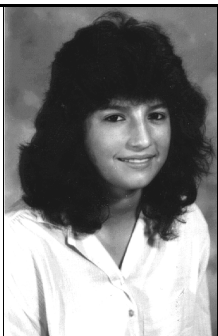
**Friday Oct. 4 7:30-5** **Saturday Oct. 5 7:30-3** **Sunday Oct. 6 10-3**

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Hoopeston Area Sports  
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## Annual Hog Roast

Homecoming Night

**Friday, Oct. 4**

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## Briefly

### County Chorus rehearsal set

The Vermilion Festival Chorus will have an informational meeting/rehearsal at 7 p.m. Monday, Oct. 7 at the Central Christian Church, Vermilion and English Sts., Danville. For more information, call the chorus office, (217) 446-5291.

### Music Booster meeting

The Hoopeston Area Music Boosters will meet at 7 p.m. Monday in the Middle School cafeteria. All interested parents are invited to attend.

## Candidates continued from other side

He then introduced Republican candidates appearing on the Nov. 5 ballot, including Keith Allen and Tim Drollinger, local Vermilion County Board candidates; Randy Lakey, running for state's attorney; Rita Garman, appellate court candidate; Judy Myers, 16-year recorder of deeds; and Dale



## Police News



**Carolyn Curry**, 704 N. Seventh St., reported Thursday that someone took a cellular phone, radar detector, two garage door openers, \$30 in change, 15 car wash tokens and a small flashlight from her garage.

A **14-year-old boy** was arrested at 3:25 p.m. Thursday at Hoopeston Area Middle School, charged with theft after police said he took candy bars without permission. The boy was released on a notice to appear.

**William D. Mitchell**, 25, of 302 Kimball, Danville, was arested at 11:41 a.m. Thursday on outstanding

warrants. He was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

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## Lunch menus



### Hoopeston Area Grade Schools

MONDAY: Chicken steak , whipped potatoes, green beans, bread, margarine, pears.

TUESDAY: Pizza boat/bun, salad, applesauce.

WEDNESDAY: Hamburger/bun, oven fries, cheese, pickles, peaches, cookie.

THURSDAY: Chicken & noodles, whipped potatoes, peas, bread, margarine, fruit cocktail.

FRIDAY: No school. Teachers' institute.

### Hoopeston Area High/Middle Schools

MONDAY: Chicken steak or sub sandwich/bun, whipped potatoes, green beans, roll, margarine, pears.

TUESDAY: Pizza boat/bun or corn dog, salad, applesauce.

WEDNESDAY: Hamburger/bun or fish/bun, oven fries, cheese, pickles, peaches, cookie.

THURSDAY: Chicken & noodles or Z rib/bun, whipped potatoes, peas, bread, margarine, fruit cocktail.

FRIDAY: No school. Teachers' institute.

### Rossville-Alvin Schools

MONDAY: Corn dog, crispy gems, carrot sticks, blueberry cobbler.

Cini, judicial candidate in the Fifth Circuit.

Also introduced were Jim Trask, regional superintendent of schools, who is not up for re-election this year; attorney Steve Miller, representing Al Salvi; Don Wolfe, representing auditor candidate Rocky Jolley; and Joel Alexander for Rep. Tom

TUESDAY: Spaghetti/meat sauce, cole slaw, fresh fruit, garlic toast.

WEDNESDAY: Meatloaf, whipped potatoes, gravy, green beans, Jello.

THURSDAY: Burritos, refried beans, oranges.

FRIDAY: No school.

All menus include milk.

## In the Hospital



### Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital

**Oct. 2, 1996**

**Admitted:** Margaret Bishop and Evelyn Beckman, Hoopeston.

**Discharged:** Naaman Lambert, Hoopeston.

## Weather



Sunny and warmer today. High in the low 60s. Tonight, fair, not as cold. Low in the low 40s. Tomorrow, partly sunny, warmer. High near 70, low near 45. Sunday, continued sunny, warmer. High near 75, low near 47.