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## Music, magic, more scheduled at WHPO business expo

Music, magic and a look at area businesses will be  
available at the annual WHPO Business Expo this  
weekend.

The McFerren Park Civic Center will be packed with  
42 exhibitors, said Becky Buss, WHPO on-air  
personality. "It's the most we've ever had," Buss said of

the event, which has been held for about 15 years.

Exhibits of special note include a display of the  
Internet by the Hoopeston Public Library, a display of  
televised sewer inspections by Gress Liquid Waste and a  
limousine from King Motors.

See EXPO on other side

## Hoopeston area pitches in to help Kentucky flood victims

Organizers of a local drive to help Kentucky flood  
victims have devised a list of needed supplies.

Personal items needed include soap, cleaners, paper  
towels, toilet paper, blankets, sheets, towels, wash  
cloths, shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrushes, tissues,  
acetaminophen/aspirin, first aid items and bleach.

Small hand tools, such as hammers, screwdrivers,  
pliers, nails, hand saws, flashlight batteries and rubber  
gloves are needed, as are baby items, including formula,  
food and furniture

Food items needed include fruit juice, canned fruit,  
meats and vegetables, salt, pepper, sugar, flour, dried  
beans, pasta products, cereal/oatmeal and canned or dry  
milk.

Easter basket goodies of wrapped candy that will not  
melt and small toys or school items are also being

collected.

Items will be collected this weekend at the Ravens  
Trucking trailer at the IGA parking lot. Collection hours  
will be 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m.  
Sunday. Items may also be taken to individual churches.

Anyone who has items to be picked up may call (217)  
283-5785 or 283-6267.

Cash donations may be sent to the Hoopeston Area  
Ministerial Association, c/o Fr. Jerry Pilon, St. Anthony  
Catholic Church, 423 S. Third St., Hoopeston. Those  
sending checks should write "flood" on the check memo  
line. Contributions may also be sent to Falmouth Flood  
Disaster Relief Fund, P.O. Box 213, Falmouth, KY  
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## WHPO Business Expo

10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, March 15  
Noon-4 p.m. Sunday, March 16  
McFerren Park Civic Center, Hoopeston  
*Entertainment*

### Saturday:

- Hoopeston Area 5th & 6th grade band & chorus - 10:30-11:30
- Fashion Show, Global Fashions - Noon
- Academy for the Performing Arts - 1 p.m.
- Magician Deon Hackely - 2 p.m.
- Comedian Randy Jones - 3 p.m.

### Sunday:

- Hoopeston Area High/Middle School Show Choirs and Jazz Bands
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42 Exhibitors!

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## Expo continued from other side

Other exhibits will range from lawn care companies to satellite dishes. New exhibits are expected to include Iroquois Customs, makers of gazebos; Bud's Car Stereo from Danville and Sky Quest satellite dishes.

Old favorites will also be on hand, including Richard Layden, owner of Layden Produce. "I think he's been there ever since the very first one," Buss said.

A mix of familiar and new entertainment will also be provided.

Hoopeston Area band and choral groups will perform again this year, as will newcomers Deon Hackely, a magician who will perform at 2 p.m. Saturday and comedian Randy Jones who will be on at 3 p.m. Saturday.

Also, photographers will be on hand during the expo to take family photographs for the Hoopeston history book and the Hoopeston Chamber of Commerce will begin selling tickets for its drawing for a new car, Buss

said.

The weekend weather forecast may help boost attendance. "When we have bad weather, it actually helps us," Buss said, offering one bit of advice: "It's going to rain all weekend so you might as well come out to the civic center."

The expo will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and noon to 4 p.m. Sunday.

## Police News



Jason M. Feltus, 23, of 730 E. Main, was arrested at 3:21 a.m. Wednesday, charged with domestic battery, auto theft, driving on suspension and a warrant arrest from Iroquois County on a traffic charge.

Feltus was taken to the Public Safety Building in

## Lunch Menus



### Hoopeston Area grade schools

MONDAY: Z rib/bun, French fries, slaw, peaches.

TUESDAY: Hamburger/bun, corn, cheese, fruit cocktail.

WEDNESDAY: Sausage, pancakes, veggie sticks, orange, graham crackers.

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

FRIDAY: Fish nuggets, tri tator, applesauce, pudding, bread, margarine.

### Hoopeston Area High/Middle School

MONDAY: Z rib/bun or ham & cheese/bun, French fries, macaroni salad, peaches.

TUESDAY: Hamburger/bun or sub/bun, corn, cheese, slaw, fruit cocktail.

WEDNESDAY: Chili or vegetable soup, crackers, toasted cheese, veggie sticks, orange, cookie.

THURSDAY: Chicken steak or hot dog/bun, whipped potatoes, green beans, roll, margarine, pears.

FRIDAY: Fish nuggets or roast beef/bun, tri tator, applesauce, pudding, bread, margarine.

### Rossville-Alvin schools

MONDAY: Ravioli, seasoned green beans, chilled fruit, Rice Krispie treat.

TUESDAY: Chicken & rice, carrots, fresh fruit salad, pretzel/cheese sauce.

WEDNESDAY: Beanie wienies, corn bread, lime Jello/bananas.

THURSDAY: Meatloaf, buttered potatoes, peas, baked apples, homemade bread.

FRIDAY: Taco casserole, shredded lettuce, Spanish rice, fruit pizza.

All menus include milk.

## In the hospital



### Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital

March 4, 1997

**Admitted:** Mabel Deck and E. Geraldine Burton, both of Hoopeston.

**Discharged:** Mary Forshier, Hoopeston.

## Weather



Showers likely today. High in the low 50s. Tonight, rain or snow. Low in the mid 30s. Tomorrow, rain or snow. High near 40, low near 38.

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