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### Early dismissal

Hoopeston Area schools will have early dismissal Friday. Grade schools will get out at 2:05; high and middle school students will be dismissed at 2:20.

### **Bowlers** needed

Three 4-person teams are needed for the Thursday Night Men's League and the Friday Mixed League at 10 Pin Alleys.

Anyone interested in being on a team may call (217) 283-5195 or go to the bowling alley at 7 p.m. Thursday or Friday.

### **Preschool screening**

Free preschool screening for all 3, 4 and 5 year olds will be held Tuesday, Sept. 16 at the First Presbyterian Church. Call (217) 283-6668 for an appointment.

Please bring you child's immunization records and Social Security number.

# **Exchange students sought**

The Hoopeston Rotary Club will host an informational meeting for students interested in becoming exchange students and their parents.

The meeting, for exchange students during the 1998-99 school year, will be at 7 p.m. Sept. 17 in the Hoopeston Area Middle School library.

Eligible students must be in the top half of their class, must be 16 by Oct. 1, 1998 and cannot turn 18 before March 1, 1998.

There is no limit on the number of students who may apply for the exchange student program.

# **Election petitions available**

Petition packets for candidates who want to run for office in 1998 are now available at the county clerk's office.

The office is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday and is on the first floor of the Courthouse Annex. Danville.

Petitions may be circulated beginning Sept. 16 and must be filed between Dec. 8 and Dec. 15.

For more information, call County clerk Lynn Foster at (217) 431-2607 or 431-2614.

### Library Daze

The fifth annual Milford Library Daze will be held from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday in Milford.

Planned events include a book sale, bake sale, flea market, farmers market, kids games, petting farm and face painting.

Food, drink and music by the Milford Community Band and Schaumburg Singers will be provided. Drawings will be held for an afghan, a painting, cash and a Santa Claus.

All proceeds go toward the library's handicapped access fund.

### **Voter registration hours**

Hours have been extended to register Vermilion County residents to vote in the Nov. 4 election.

County clerk Lynn Foster's office will be open from 9 am. to 1 p.m. on Saturdays, Sept. 13, 20, 27 and Oct. 4.

The office is on the first floor of the Courthouse Annex in Danville.

Registration will also be available from 9 a.m. to 1 p. m. Sept. 16 in the DACC Clock Tower Center and from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sept. 26 at Vermilion Manor Nursing Home.

Registered residents who have moved or changed their name, as well as new registrations, must be completed by Oct. 6 to vote in November.

To register to vote, applicants must be U.S. citizens at least 18 years old by Nov. 4.

For more information, call the county voter registration office at (217) 431-6688 or 431-2607.

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# **Police News**



**Christopher Gress,** Hoopeston, reported Tuesday that while his vehicle was at McFerren Park, someone scattered roofing nails around the wheels. The nails punctured the tires when the vehicle was moved.

**Charles R. Richardson,** 40, of 403 W. Maple, was arrested at 10:49 p.m. Tuesday at his home.

Richardson, wanted on a Vermilion County traffic warrant for failure to appear and failure to pay, was taken

### **Obituaries**

**ABBOTT** - John R. Abbott, 50, of Rossville, died at 7:50 p.m. tuesday, Set. 9, 1997, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Friday at the Rossville Church of Christ. Burial, with military graveside rites by the Rossville American Legion, will be in Mann's Chapel Cemetery. Visitation was 6-8 p.m. Thursday at the Wolfe Funeral Home. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Rosssville Church of Christ or Carle Hospice.

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to the Public Safety Building, Danville, in lieu of bond.

**Steve R. Robinson,** 24, of 920 W. Honeywell, turned himself in to police at 9 a.m. Wednesday. Wanted on a traffic warrant, he was released on \$115 cash bond.

A girl's pink and blue 10 speed bicycle was found Wednesday in the 400 block of East McNeil. The bicycle, which has white spokes, may be identified and claimed at the police station.

**Kim Torres,** 406 E. Thompson, reported Wednesday that someone took her son's black Huffy mountain bicycle from her home.

**Jim Culbert** of Flowers & Gifts by Molly Culbert, reported Wednesday that someone took the hood ornaments from a 1987 Ford, 1990 Buick station wagon, 1993 Mercedes Benz and 1988 Mercury.

The vehicles were parked at the business, 702 W. Main, when the theft occurred.

**Brian C. Beaty,** no age listed, of 704 W. Lincoln, was

arrested at 4:21 p.m. Wednesday on two Vermilion County warrants. He was released on \$395 cash bond.

**Glenda Reed,** 220 N. Market, reported Wednesday that someone scratched her 1997 Chevrolet while it was parked at 615 E. Orange.

**No tickets or injuries** were reported in an accident at 5:12 p.m. Wednesday.

Police said Jon F. Ball, 418 E. Young, pulled his 1972 Chevrolet from an alley at 216 S. Market and hit a 1993 Mercury driven by Robert A. Bruens, 324 E. Penn.

**James I. Roach,** 21, of 105 S. Donovan, Wellington, was charged with failure to yield while turning left, expired sticker on license plates, operation of an uninsured motor vehicle and driving while license suspended.

Roach was charged after an accident at 5:05 p.m. Wednesday at North Sixth Ave. and West Young.

Police said Roach was northbound in a 1996 Ford in

the 300 block of North Sixth Ave. and was going to turn left onto Young when he struck a 1994 Mercury driven by Darlene L. Brewster, 710 E. Wyman, Apt. A4.

**Brian L. Smith,** 22, of 721 S. Market, was arrested at 9:37 p.m. Wednesday, charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor (alcohol) after police said he purchased alcohol and gave it to a minor.

Smith was released on a notice to appear.

**Steve Johnson,** 1020 W. Main, reported Thursday that someone tried to open his garage door by bending it up, or had run into it with something. Police said nothing was

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### **Lunch Menus**

### **Hoopeston Area grade schools**

MONDAY: Hamburger/bun, salad, carrots, pickles, cheese, applesauce.

TUESDAY: Sub sandwich/bun, oven tater tots, corn, orange, graham cracker.

WEDNESDAY: Hot dog/bun, baked beans, slaw, fruit cocktail.

THURSDAY:Ravioli/meat sauce, salad, corn bread, cheese stick, pineapple.

FRIDAY: Turkey & noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, bread, margarine, peaches.

#### Hoopeston Area Middle/High School

MONDAY: Hamburger/bun or taco/shell, salad, carrots, cheese, applesauce.

TUESDAY: Sub/bun or Z rib/bun, oven tater tots, corn, orange, cherry crisp.

WEDNESDAY: Hot dog/bun or BBQ/bun, baked beans, slaw, fruit cocktail.

THURSDAY:Ravioli/meat sauce or sausage pizza, salad, corn bread, cheese stick, pineapple.

FRIDAY: Turkey & noodles or tuna salad/bun, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, margarine, peaches.

### Rossville-Alvin schools

MONDAY: Mr. Rib/bun, California blend/cheese, spicy apples, snickerdoodle.

TUESDAY: Sub/bun, fresh veggies, potato chips, orange.

WEDNESDAY: Chicken nuggets, scalloped potatoes, Jello/fruit, bread, butter.

THURSDAY: Lasagna, slaw, apricots, homemade bread. FRIDAY: Tuna salad sandwich, carrot & celery sticks, grapes (K-5 Lucky Tray Day).

All meals include milk.

# In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital Sept. 10, 1997

Admitted: none.

**Discharged:** Leonard Misner, June Jaynes, Edna Gaffney and Thomas Frederick, Hoopeston.

### Weather



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