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Local Little League tournament namesake dies Monday

The man whose name has been associated with Hoopeston Little League and bowling has died.

Frank R. Longfellow, 73, died at 3:45 a.m. Monday at his home.

Mr. Longfellow had been involved with Hoopeston Little League for 32 years. In honor of that commitment, the Frank Longfellow tournament was started 25 years ago.

Mr. Longfellow, an avid bowler, was also honored with a place in the Hoopeston Bowling Hall of Fame.

Funeral services for Mr. Longfellow will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Hamilton-Orr Funeral Home. Burial with military graveside rites will be in Floral Hill Cemetery.

Visitation will be 5-8 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

Memorials are suggested to Hoopeston Little League or Carle Hospice, Danville.

Police News

Susan Zamora, 50, of Parkview Court, was ticketed for improper lane usage after an accident at 11 p.m. Sunday in the 800 block of East Orange.

Zamora, in a 1992 Pontiac, swerved to miss cat and hit a mail box owned by Angie Bell.

Police are investigating three reports of burglary and criminal damage to property reported Monday morning.

The first occurred in the 300 block of West Penn, where someone cut a lock on a shed. An ATM machine was damaged.

Coin and other machines were damaged in the second incident, in the 900 block of West Orange.

The third incident occurred in the 1000 block of South Third Ave., where the back passenger window was broken from a vehicle. Burglars attempted to remove a stereo from the vehicle.

R'ville police to have checkpoint

Rossville police will be checking vehicles Nov. 24 and 28 to make sure children are safely secured.

The checkpoint will be held from 4-7 p.m. Wednesday and again from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday in the 300 block of North Chicago St.

The checks are part of Operation ABC Mobilization, a National child safety program.

In the Hospital

Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital

Nov. 18

Admitted: Nellie Kelnhofer, Mary Severs, Mary Knake, Orrin Holmberg, Hoopeston.

Discharged: Robert Glover, Andrea Thomas.

Nov. 19

Admitted: Bishop McMurry, Marjorie Brockway, Hoopeston.

Discharged: Mary Severs, Mary Knake, Brooke McKenzie.

Nov. 20

Admitted: none.

Discharged: Bishop McMurry, Charles Ripley.

Nov. 21

Admitted: none.

Discharged: Hazel Reed.

Weather

Chance of rain today and tonight. High 68, low 43. Tomorrow, partly sunny. Steady temperatures near 47.

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