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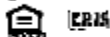
Saturday, Sept. 2 9-10 a.m.

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Briefly

Class reunion

The Hoopeston High School classes of 1950, 1951 and 1952 will hold a reunion at 7 p.m. Saturday at Plamor Lanes, 719 W. Elm, Hoopeston.

Slab closed

The Hoopeston city slab will be closed Saturday, Sept. 2 for the Labor Day holiday. It will reopen with regular hours, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 8.

GED classes

The Hoopeston Multi Agency will host GED classes beginning at 4 p.m. Sept. 18. For more information, call the agency at (217) 283-5544 or 283-5785.

Nifty Fifty hostess returns

After a five-year absence, Louise Reece has returned as hostess of the Community Bank's Nifty Fifty Travel group for people ages 50 and over.

Aerobics/Step/ Interval Training

Mon.-Wed.-Thurs.

Starts Sept. 11

5:15-6:15 p.m.

Betty Shaffer

(217) 283-5715

The group will take its first bus trip Sept. 28 to Goodfield, Ill. Future plans include a trip to Peoria for the Festival of Lights and a dinner/show on Dec. 2.

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Reece is organizing a mailing list of people interested in the trips. Those interested may leave their names and addresses at any Community Bank facility.

No paper Labor Day

Just the Facts will not be published Monday, Sept. 4 for the Labor Day holiday. Publication will resume Tuesday, Sept. 5.

ABATE bike show

The Hubbard Trail chapter of ABATE will host the largest bike show of its kind in central Illinois on Sept. 4 at the National Sweetcorn Festival.

Those wishing to participate may sign up between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. Drawings with prizes will be held and free camping for motorcyclists will be available Sept. 1-4 at Howdy's. For information, call Howdy at (217) 339-2350.

Candidate reception

A reception for Craig DeArmond, circuit judge candidate, will be held from 5:30-7:30 p.m. Sept. 7 at Turtle Run Golf Club and Banquet Center, Danville. Tickets are \$50 per person and may be purchased by calling (217) 446-3515, (217) 443-3588 or at the door.



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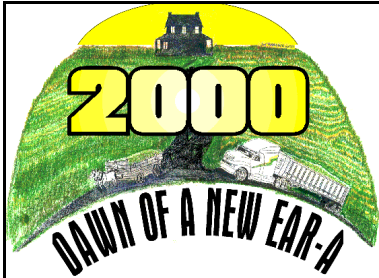
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Louise Reece

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57th Celebration

National Sweetcorn Festival

Labor Day Weekend Aug. 31-Sept. 4, 2000

McFerren Park - Hoopeston

Sponsored by the Hoopeston Jaycees

Thursday, Aug. 31

- 5 p.m. Gates Open - \$2 admission
Beer Tent & Display Area Open
- 5-10 p.m. Ride Special *Bracelet Night— \$10
- 7 p.m. Truck Tractor Pull 1 (Annex)
- 8-11 p.m. DJ - Beer Tent
- 11 p.m. Midway & Beer Tent close

Friday, Sept. 1

- 5 p.m. Gates Open - \$2 admission
Midway, Beer Tent & Display Area Open
- 5-8 p.m. Art Show Opens (Girl Scout House)
- 7-10 p.m. Bingo (Legion Shelter)
- 7 p.m. Truck/Tractor Pull II (Annex)
National Sweetheart Pageant (Civic Center)
- 9 p.m. -12 a.m. DJ in Beer Tent
- 11 p.m. Midway closes
- 12 a.m. Beer Tent closes

Saturday, Sept. 2

- 6 a.m. Flea Market Opens
- 7:30 a.m. 1 Mile Fun Run/Walk - Honeywell School
- 8 a.m. Sweetcorn 5K Run - Honeywell School
- 8:45 a.m. Little Corn Eaters Run - Honeywell School
- 9 a.m. Gates Open - \$2 admission
- 10:30 a.m. Grand Parade - Downtown Hoopeston
- Noon Midway, Beer Tent & Display Area Open
Art Show Opens (Girl Scout House)
Petting Zoo, Pig Races, Pony & Camel Rides
- 12-1 p.m. Sherman and the Big House Band (Band Shell)
- 1 p.m. Hooterville Iron Car Show (South End)
Kent Sorrells Magic Show (Band Shell)
- 1-4 p.m. Bingo (Legion Shelter)
- 1-5 p.m. Free Sweetcorn Served
- 3 p.m. Everyone's Favorite Hypnotist Show (Band Shell)
- 4-5 p.m. Sherman & The Big House Band (Band Shell)
- 4-6 p.m. The Easters (Beer Tent!)
- 6 p.m. Demo Derby I (Annex)
- 7-10 p.m. Bingo (Legion Shelter)
- 7-9 p.m. Elvis (Band Shell)
- 7 p.m. National Sweetheart Pageant (Civic Center)
- 9 p.m. -12 a.m. DJ in Beer Tent
- 11 p.m. Midway closes

12 a.m. Beer Tent closes

Sunday, Sept. 3

- 8 a.m. Flea Market Opens
- 9 a.m. Gate Opens - \$2 admission
- 10 a.m. Horseshoe Pitching Contest
- 11 a.m. -1 p.m. Grant Manor Cowboy Church
- Noon Midway, Display Area, Art Show Open
Petting Zoo, Pig Races, Pony & Camel Rides
- 12-4 p.m. Free Sweet corn served
- 12=6 p.m. The Fabulous David
- 1 p.m. Children's Fishing Derby
Kent Sorrells Magic Show (Band Shell)
- 1-4 p.m. Bingo (Legion Shelter)
- 2-5:30 p.m. "STARLIGHTERS" Big Band (Beer Tent)
- 3 p.m. Everyone's Favorite Hypnotist Show (Band Shell)
- 6 p.m. Demo Derby II -(Annex)
- 7 p.m. National Sweetheart Pageant Finals (Civic Center)
- 7-9 p.m. Elvis (Band Shell)
- 7-10 p.m. Teen Dance (Beer Tent)
Bingo (Legion Shelter)
Pageant Reception
Midway closes
- 10 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 4

- 8 a.m. Flea Market Opens
- 9 a.m. Gates Open - \$2 admission
- 9:30 a.m. Antique Auto Show (South End)
Display Area Opens
- 11 am.-12:15 pm. Cayuga Bluegrass Band
- Noon Midway, Beer Tent, Art Show Open
Petting Zoo, Pig Races, Pony & Camel Rides
- 12-4 p.m. Free Sweetcorn Served
- 12-5 p.m. Ride Special *Bracelet Day \$10
- 12-6 p.m. The Fabulous David
- 12:15-1:30 p.m. Mitchell's Bluegrass Band
- 1-4 p.m. Bingo (Legion Shelter)
- 2-3:30 p.m. Talent Show
- 2-5 p.m. DJ in Beer Tent
- 4-5 p.m. Mitchell's Bluegrass Band
- 5-6 p.m. Cayuga Bluegrass Band
- 9 p.m. Midway & Beer Tent close

New books at the library



Fiction:

- The Poisonwood Bible by Barbara Kingsolver (Oprah's Book Club)
- Circumnavigation by Steve Lattimore (story collection)
- Swimming in the Congo by Margaret Meyers
- While I was Gone by Sue Miller (Oprah's Book club)
- Listen to the Silence by Marcia Muller (mystery)
- Ties That Bind by Judith Pella (inspirational fiction)

Non-fiction:

- Recipes from the Old Mill by Sarah E. Myers
- A Celebration of Children by Edith Schaeffer
- The 100 Absolutely Unbreakable Laws of Business Success by Brian Tracy
- Welded Sculpture of the Twentieth Century by Judy Collischan
- Brewer's Dictionary of Phrase and Fable, 16th edition (reference)

In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital

Aug. 29

Admitted: Marie Webber, Hoopeston.

Discharged: Onie Reed, Frances Cox, Edith Vance.

Weather



Hot, humid today. High 90 with heat index of 105. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 70. Tomorrow, partly sunny, humid. High near 90, low near 69.

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