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Briefly

Music Booster winners

Winners in this week's Hoopeston Area Music Booster calendar drawing are: Mar. 12, Louise Jackson, Danville; Mar. 13, Chad Thomas; Mar. 14, Bonnie Kay Wood, Watseka; Mar. 15, Grant Mitchell; Mar. 16, Clarence Wilson.

Multi Agency van schedule

This week's schedule for the Hoopeston Multi Agency transportation project is: Monday, Hoopeston shuttle; Tuesday, Merrillville, Ind. (leave at 8:30 a.m.); Wednesday, Danville; Thursday, Hoopeston shuttle; Friday, Danville.

For more information or to arrange a ride, call the Multi Agency at (217) 283-5544.

Community center activities include: Monday, ladies bridge, noon; Tuesday, ladies euchre, noon; Thursday, men's coffee, 9:30 a.m., men's euchre, noon.

Show choirs place

The Hoopeston Area show choirs competed at the Watseka Invitational Show Choir Contest this weekend. The middle school choir received third place among 10 schools and the high school show choir received fourth place of 13 schools.

Marissa Torres and Anna Reutter received outstanding performer awards for middle school and high school students, respectively.

The middle and high school show choirs and jazz bands will compete at Herscher on Saturday and the middle school will host the Vermilion County Music Festival on Thursday. The event is a band and chorus concert with students from throughout the county.

Soap box meeting

East Central Illinois Soap Box Derby will host an informational meeting will be held 7-9 p.m. March 19 at the First Christian Church, 502 E. Main. The meeting is for youngsters ages nine-16 interested in building and driving in the soap box derby on June 2 in Rantoul. It is also for companies interested in purchasing cars or helping sponsor the race.

Coffee Hour

The Active Seniors group would like to invite anyone age 60 or older to a free coffee and social hour from 7-8 a.m. Tuesdays in the Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital cafeteria.

A second coffee and social hour will be held from 9-10 a.m. Wednesdays in the Country Terrace activity room.

Parking is available in the south parking areas of the nursing home and Country Terrace.

For more information, call Charlene Ervin, 283-9215.

Meetings

Hoopeston Area School Board, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, high school library.

HA Boosters set Fun Night

The Hoopeston Area All Sports Boosters will sponsor their annual Fun Night on March 24.

This year the booster club will take busloads of students in seventh through 12th grade to the WMCA in Danville for a night of fun. The purpose of Fun Night is to raise money for the athletic department. This year's effort is geared to upgrading and remodeling the high school weight room.

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Police News



Bobby D. Kinnaird, 17, of Rankin, was arrested at 1:55 p.m. Saturday in the 600 block of East Orange.

Kinnaird was charged with illegal possession of alcohol by a minor after police said a case of beer was found in the trunk of his car.

He was released on a notice to appear.

Treston J. White, 23, of 504 E. Thompson, was arrested at 11:55 a.m. Saturday at the police station.

White was arrested on a criminal felony warrant and a traffic warrant and charged with two counts of theft, two counts of forgery and escape.

He was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

Martin O. Hollis, 30, of 914 May St., Danville, was arrested at 7:33 p.m. Saturday in the 500 block of West Penn.

He was charged with battery on a complaint from a 40-year-old Danville man who told police Hollis walked into the house uninvited and struck him in the face.

Hollis was released on \$100 cash bond.

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 9:10 a.m. Sunday in the 100 block of East Maple.

Police said Janet Bivans, in a 1996 Ford, was west-bound in the 100 block of West Maple when something broke in the tie rod area of her vehicle. The vehicle pulled sharply to the right, jumped a small curb and hit a no parking sign.

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Lakeview College of Nursing offers taped program for RNs

DANVILLE—Lakeview College of Nursing will soon offer an alternative to classroom learning for registered nurses who wish to obtain their baccalaureate degree.

Beginning April 3, courses will be available on videotape for the college's RN to BSN Completion

Program.

The 13-month "Fast Track" program is offered to registered nurses who have completed their basic general education requirements for their bachelor's degree.

The plan consists of upper-division nursing courses and clinical hours that can, in part, be completed through the RN's current employer.

The program was developed after several nurses asked about a completion program but had difficulty finding time to attend class.

Registration for the new program is underway. For more information, contact Lakeview College of Nursing at (217) 443-5238 or email admissions@lakeviewcol.edu.

Fun continued from other side

The booster club will honor donors this year by placing the names of those who give \$100 to \$500 on a plaque in the weightlifting area. Donations of more than \$500 will be recognized on an area on the wall with the business logo or name on it.

The support of businesses, family and friends helps make the fundraiser a success for the club and students.

This is the only time this year the group will solicit funds.

Donations may be sent to Hoopeston Area Sports Boosters, c/o Dana Kuntz, 623 E. Penn St., Hoopeston, IL 60942.

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Occasional showers, thunderstorms today. High 57. Tonight, mostly cloudy, showers early. Low 36. Tomorrow, chance of light rain or snow. High 42, low 30.

For current weather conditions, call the **Hoopeston Weather Line** at **(217) 283-6221**.

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Fish Fry

5-8 p.m. Friday
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