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Massage therapist coordinates citywide cleanup effort

Kristi Evans of Hands On Massage Therapy is getting her hands on more than sore muscles Sunday.

Evans is spearheading a group of volunteers that will go throughout the community cleaning up trash. She hopes residents will help her.

The clean up effort is in honor of Earth Day, April 23, Evans said. Vermilion Waste has donated garbage bags and a Dumpster that will be placed on the cement slab at the corner of Penn and First Ave.

Other sponsors include the city of Hoopeston, which is

providing a truck for disposing of limbs and branches; Hoopeston Area Health Care Foundation, which paid for postage to send letters to civic organizations; and the Hoopeston Chamber of Commerce.

Volunteers are asked to pick up garbage bags at the collection site anytime after 11 a.m.

The event is solely to clean up trash, Evans said. "All we're doing with this one is picking stuff up," she said.

For more information or to volunteer, call Evans at (217) 283-4258 or 283-4012.

Briefly

Benefit set

A benefit will be held from noon to 7 p.m. Sunday at Rickey G's in Rossville for the Ivan Booher family.

The fundraiser will include food, a 50/50 drawing, and drawings for prizes such as gift certificates and savings bonds. The band "2 Day Notice" will play from 3-7 p.m.

The bar will be open during the benefit but non-alcoholic beverages will be available, said event co-organizer Brenda Pancake.

Funds raised will be used to defray medical costs related to Mr. Booher's cancer treatment.

Coaches needed

The Hoopeston Girls Softball Association needs coaches for this season. Anyone interested in coaching is asked to call (217) 283-7456, 283-7265, 283-7077 or 283-7251.

Volunteers appreciated

The Hoopeston Multi Agency will celebrate Volunteer Appreciation Week next week. A reception for volunteers will be held from 1-3 p.m. Tuesday at the agency, 206 S. First Ave.

Tiny Tots

"Dream Time" is the theme of this week's Tiny Tots story program at the Hoopeston Public Library children's room. Tiny Tots will begin at 10:30 a.m. Friday.

The program is open to children ages 1-4 who are accompanied by an adult.

Cookbook donation received

The Hoopeston Public Library received a gift of cookbooks from local author Marilyn Moore to be used as premiums for donations to the library's building fund. For a minimum \$100 donation, donors may select a book of their choice. Books will be available as long as current supplies last.

For more information on making a donation, visit the library or call Lou Graham at (217) 283-6711.

Swim team registration

Registration for the Hoopeston Swim Team will be from 9 a.m.-noon April 21 at the Hoopeston city hall.

The cost is \$10 for one child, \$20 for two and \$25 for three or more.

These are not swim lessons. Children who wish to join the swim team must be able to swim one length of the pool.

Bulletin for bosses
 Administrative Professionals' Week
 starts April 23
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 is Wednesday

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Hoopeston Migrant Head Start

is now accepting applications for the following positions on a full time seasonal basis, June-October:

Teacher: for infant or toddler rooms: associate or bachelor's in early childhood education required (or in the process thereof), \$7.55-\$11.97 salary, implement curriculum.

Program Support Coordinator: high school diploma or equivalent, \$6.42-\$10.13 salary, must be proficient in Microsoft Word or Word Perfect, Windows, and Lotus or Excel. Performs clerical duties.

Health Coordinator: course work beyond high school in nursing or community health, \$7.12-\$11.43 salary. Enrolls children and families into the health component, ensures medical screenings are completed.

Health Coordinator Assistant: training and/or experience in the health field is helpful. \$6.42-\$10.13. Assists Health Coordinator.

Family Services Coordinator Assistant: training and/or experience in social service area is helpful. \$6.42-\$10.13 salary. Assists Family Services Coordinator 20 hours per week in enrolling children into the program and providing services to families.

All candidates are strongly encouraged to attend an all-expenses paid week of training in Springfield in May. It is strongly suggested teacher candidates be bilingual. Bilingual candidates are required for all other positions. For more information, call (815) 984-3706 or fax letter of application to (815) 984-4500. You may email questions to hmhs98@soltec.net. Deadline for all positions is April 27, 2001.



Lunch Menus



Hoopeston Area grade schools

MONDAY: Mini corn dogs, fries, soft pretzel, cheese sauce, fruit cocktail.

TUESDAY: Chicken & noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, bread, oleo, peaches.

WEDNESDAY: Ravioli, cheesy breadstick, sugar cookie, pears, juice.

THURSDAY: Taco meat/chips, lettuce, tomato, cheese, orange.

FRIDAY: Rib/bun, tator tots, pudding, raisins.

Hoopeston Area Middle/High School

MONDAY: Pork chop or chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, peas, bread, oleo, fruit cocktail.

TUESDAY: Chicken & noodles/roll or fish/bun, cheese

slice, green beans, peaches.

WEDNESDAY: Turkey tetrazini or steak nuggets, tator tots, bread, oleo, sugar cookie, applesauce.

THURSDAY: Taco meat/chips or mini corn dogs, lettuce, tomato, cheese, salsa, oranges.

FRIDAY: Peanut butter & jelly, chicken noodle or cheese soup, crackers, trail mix.

Rossville-Alvin schools

MONDAY: French toast, egg & sausage, hash brown, orange juice.

TUESDAY: Pizza Hut, salad, apple.

WEDNESDAY: Corn dog, tator tots, peaches, Jello/fruit.

THURSDAY: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn, pineapple, bread, butter.

FRIDAY: Pork BBQ, au gratin potatoes, fruit salad, cake. All meals include milk

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Police News



Christopher W. Ward, 20, of East Seminary, was arrested at 10:50 a.m. Tuesday at 845 E. Young. Officers charged him with home invasion and battery after police said he forced in a back door at that address and battered a 17-year-old man. Ward was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

A **30-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported Wednesday that some had taken bird houses, a swag lamp and vine used for decorations at Brianna's Baby Shop, 107 E. Main.

Two people were arrested following a traffic stop at 11:05 p.m. Wednesday at West Thompson and North Seventh Ave.

Richard M. Brantley, 26, of 212 A Fifth St., Cissna Park, was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, operating an uninsured motor vehicle and improper lane usage. He was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville in lieu of bond.

A passenger in his vehicle, Scott G. Foster, 33, of 301 W. Grant, Milford, was charged with possession of un-

der 2.5 grams of cannabis. He was released on a notice to appear.

A **20-year-old** man reported Thursday that several fishing poles and reels were taken from the 200 block of North Ninth Ave.

Fire Calls



The Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 6:57 p.m. Tuesday to a house fire at 625 E. McCracken. Police also responded.

Firefighters were called at 9:39 p.m. Wednesday for a car on fire at Penn and Third Ave. The vehicle was later towed.

In the Hospital



**Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital
April 18**

Admitted: none.

Discharged: Ora Gray, Dorothy Gossett.

Weather



Chance of thunderstorms today. High 70. Tonight, showers. Low 56. Tomorrow, partly cloudy. High 78, low 55. Sunday, scattered showers. High 75, low 53.

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

New Books at the Library



Fiction:

Running Blind by Lee Child
Texas Vigilante by Bill Crider (western)
Broken Wings by John Douglas
Gabriel's Story by David Anthony Durham
Night Work by Laurie R. King (mystery)

Not-for-profit organization is seeking to hire an executive director. Full time position. College degree and/or experience in grant writing and social work. Good communications skills, management experience, financial budgeting experience, demonstrated fund development experience and strong organizational, interpersonal and relationship building skills. Candidate must be energetic and self-motivated. Send cover letter, resume, references and salary expectations to: Hoopeston Multi Agency, ATTN: Board of Directors, 206 S. First Ave., Hoopeston, IL. 60942. All Applications must be received by May 7, 2001 to be considered. EOE

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