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**Contestants vie to be named Miss National Sweetheart**

*Editor's Note: This is the second in a series on contestants in the National Sweetheart Pageant.*

Talent and beauty will be in abundant supply during this weekend's National Sweetheart Pageant. Twenty-eight women will vie for the title, a forerunner to the Miss America Pageant.

Contestants include:

• Miss Massachusetts, 21-year-old Melanie Beth Correia. She will sing "Big Time" as her talent. She graduated from Bristol Community College with a major in health administration and dental hygiene and is a clinical dental hygienist.

• Miss Michigan, Madonna Kimberly Edmond. A student at Eastern Michigan University, the 20-year-old plans to receive a BS in education with majors in French and dance and a minor in biology. She hopes to teach and open a dance studio in the future. She will perform a jazz dance to "On Broadway."

• Miss Nevada, 22-year-old Jenny Marie Valdez. She will sing "Stuff Like That There" as her talent. She attends the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, majoring in secondary education with an emphasis in the general sciences. She plans to become a high school principal and is currently a broadcaster on a sports program.



**Wellington Lions Club**

**Ice Cream Social**

**Wednesday, Aug. 29 4:30-7 p.m.**

**Park Shelter**

**Sandwiches & Desserts**

**Meet the contestants for the National Sweetheart Pageant!**

• Miss New Hampshire, Alyssa Spellman. The 18-year-old will attend Emerson College where she plans to major in musical theater. She hopes to star on Broadway. She will sing "Wishing You Were Somehow Here Again" during the talent competition.

**Briefly**

**Streets to be closed**

Residents living on East and West Chestnut, South Third Ave. from Main to West Washington, North Fifth St. from Seminary to East Young, all of East McNeil and North Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Eighth Sts. from east Thompson to Judson are advised that the Hoopeston street and alley department will spread fresh prime oil on these streets on Wednesday, Aug. 29.

These streets will be closed until the tar and chip is completed Thursday, Aug. 30.

**Neighborhood Watch**

The Hoopeston Police Department's Neighborhood Watch will meet at 6 p.m. Monday, Sept. 10 at Country Terrace. Deputy Jere Christian of the Vermilion County K-9 unit and his partner, Zoe, will be back by popular demand.

**Slab to close**

The Hoopeston city slab will be closed Aug. 31-Sept. 3 for Labor Day.

**Garbage bag sale**

The Hoopeston Multi Agency thrift shop is having a garbage bag sale. Come in 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday-Friday and pick up a garbage bag of miscellaneous clothing and items for just \$1. The shop is at 206 S. First Ave.

**Closed for Labor Day**

Just the Facts will not be published Monday, Sept. 3 for Labor Day. Publication will resume Sept. 4

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# National Sweetcorn Festival

Aug. 30-Sept. 3, 2001 McFerren Park - Hoopeston  
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## 58TH NATIONAL SWEETCORN FESTIVAL



AUGUST 30TH - SEPTEMBER 3RD

### Thursday, Aug. 30

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

### Friday, Aug. 31

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. Covers in Beer Tent  
11 p.m. Midway & Beer Tent close

### Saturday, Sept. 1

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 - Watch for Elvis!  
Noon Midway, Beer Tent & Display Area Open  
Art Show Opens (Girl Scout House)  
Petting Zoo, Pig Races, Pony & Camel Rides  
11-1 p.m. Pink Flamingos (Band Shell)  
1 p.m. Hooterville Iron Car Show (South End) Elvis  
1-2 p.m. Boneyard Cloggers (Band Shell)  
1-4 p.m. Bingo (Legion Shelter)  
**1-5 p.m. Free Sweetcorn Served**  
2-3 p.m. Wabash Valley Band (Band Shell)  
3-4 p.m. Sweet Adelines (Band Shell)  
4-5 p.m. Magic Show (Band Shelter)  
5-6 p.m. Boneyard Cloggers (Band Shell)  
6 p.m. Demo Derby I (Annex)  
Elvis/Pink Cadillac (Demo Derby)  
6-7 p.m. Magic Show (Band Shell)  
7-10 p.m. Bingo (Legion Shelter)  
7 p.m. National Sweetheart Pageant (Civic Center)  
9 p.m.-12 a.m. Crush in Beer Tent \$5/person  
11 p.m. Midway & Beer Tent close

### Sunday, Sept. 2

Flea Market Opens  
Gate Opens - \$2 admission  
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**  
12-1 p.m. Rob Thompson Magic Show (Band Shell)  
1 p.m. Children's Fishing Derby  
1-2 p.m. Southern Gospel (Band Shell)  
Jim Hawthorne Kids Show (Corn on Cob)  
1-4 p.m. Bingo (Legion Shelter)  
2-4 p.m. Hazzard County (Band Shell)  
2-5:30 p.m. "STARLIGHTERS" Big Band (Beer Tent)  
4-5 p.m. Boneyard Cloggers (Band Shell)  
Demo Derby II -(Annex)  
6 p.m. National Sweetheart Pageant Finals (Civic Center)  
7 p.m. Hazzard County (Band Shell)  
7-9 p.m. Teen Dance (Beer Tent) Lazzier Lights  
Bingo (Legion Shelter)  
10 p.m. Pageant Reception/Midway closes

### Monday, Sept. 3

8 a.m. Flea Market Opens  
9 a.m. Gates Open - \$2 admission  
9:30 a.m. Antique Auto Show  
Display Area Opens  
Cayuga Bluegrass Band  
Midway, Beer Tent, Art Show Open  
Petting Zoo, Pig Races, Pony & Camel Rides  
**Free Sweetcorn Served**  
12-4 p.m. Ride Special \*Bracelet Day  
12-5 p.m. Harvestime Gospel (Tent)  
12-2 p.m. Jim Hawthorne Kids Show (Corn on Cob)  
1-2 p.m. Mitchell's Bluegrass Band (Band Shell)  
1-2 p.m. Bingo (Legion Shelter)  
1-4 p.m. Rob Thompson Magic Show (Band Shell)  
1:30-2:30 p.m. Cowboy Church (Band Shell)  
2:30-3:30 DJ in Beer Tent Karaoke Contest finals  
2-5 p.m. Mitchell's Bluegrass Band  
4-5 p.m. Cayuga Bluegrass Band  
5-6 p.m. Rob Thompson Magic Show (Band Shell)  
6-7 p.m. Midway & Beer Tent close  
9 p.m. Midway & Beer Tent close



## Police News



**Linda L. Brown**, 38, of #44 Parkview Court, was arrested at 4:11 p.m. Monday at Parkview Court. She was charged with disorderly conduct on a complaint from a 21-year-old Hoopeston woman following a verbal altercation.

Brown was released on a notice to appear.

A **42-year-old** man reported Tuesday that someone broke in a front door in the 200 block of North Market and damaged some amusement games.

A pair of glasses in a case was found Tuesday in the 400 block of East Main. The owner may identify and claim them at the police station.

## Obituaries

**FOX**—Loretta Fox, 59, of Rossville, died at 1:10 p.m. Monday, Aug. 27, 2001 at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at Edgewood Baptist Church, 223 Poland Rd., Danville. Burial will be in Rossville Cemetery. Visitation will be 4-8 p.m. Wednesday and one hour before services Thursday at the church. Memorials are suggested to the church. Pape Memorial Home, Danville, was in charge of arrangements.

**KILBURG**—William P. Kilburg, 72, of Rossville, died at 9:30 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 26, 2001 at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital. Funeral services with military rites will be a 1 p.m. Wednesday at First Baptist Church, Hoopeston. There will be no visitation. Wolfe Funeral Home, Rossville, was in charge of arrangements.

## In the Hospital



### Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital Aug. 27

**Admitted:** Margaret Irene Cundiff, Hoopeston.  
**Discharged:** Margaret Irene Cundiff, Ray Milburn, Paul Clingenpeel.

## Weather



Partly sunny today. High 85. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 60. Tomorrow, chance of showers, thunderstorms. High 84, low 60.

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Visually Impaired Students are seeking transportation to and from Danville Area Community College for fall classes. Transportation costs will be paid. Transportation will be needed from August 27th to December 14th. For further information please call David or Marcia at 283-7040.

### LOST & FOUND

Lost: white mixed terrier with long legs. Has green Iroquois County tag and dark brown or blue collar. Answers to "Boomer." Last seen Thursday night at Honeywell Apts. Reward. Call (217) 283-4223.

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