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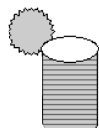
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Police to crack down on trains blocking city rail crossings

You're on your way to work or school but you can't get there from here because there's a train blocking the Main Street crossing. And Penn. And Orange. And Thompson.

The Hoopeston Police Department plans to do something about that.

Chief Mark Drollinger has notified CSX Railroad that officers will begin issuing tickets when trains violate the city ordinance limiting the time crossings may be blocked.

Drollinger notified the railroad after an incident May 1 in which a CSX train blocked every crossing for about 45 minutes. During that time, a student crawled under the stopped train because he was fearful of getting in trouble for being late to school.

The ordinance states trains may block crossings for no more than 10 minutes. Violations of 10 to 15 minutes are punishable by a fine from \$200-\$500. Delays of more than 15 minutes are punishable by a

Briefly

Volunteers needed

Volunteers are needed to deliver meals for the Meals on Wheels program, sponsored by CRIS Senior Services.

To volunteer or for more information, call Susan at the Hoopeston Multi Agency, 283-5544.

Items needed

County Terrace residents are looking for donations of men's and ladies' hats. If you have hats to donate, call Debbie Chandler at 283-9215 or bring them to the Country Terrace office.

Explorers seek members

Hoopeston Explorers Post 511 will sponsor a First Night open meeting at 6 p.m. May 22 at city hall.

Boys and girls ages 14-20 who have an interest in law enforcement are encouraged to attend.

For more information, contact Chief Mark Drollinger or Officer Jeremy Welch at 283-5196.

Tiny Tots

"Dinosaurs" is the theme of this week's Tiny Tots story program at the Hoopeston Public Library children's room.

Tiny Tots meets at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday and 10:30 a.m. Friday. The program is open to children ages 1-4 who are accompanied by an adult.

Game Day

Active Seniors Game Day is still held at 1:30 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at Country Terrace Apartments.

Active Seniors bingo is held at 1:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. Transportation for bingo can be arranged with the Multi Agency at 283-5544.

Hoopeston Youth Football

Golf Outing

Sunday, May 18 Hubbard Trail

8:30 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.

4 person scramble

Both shifts still

open

\$45/person

Scratch & Peo-

So many selections
Cemetery Memorial Day
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baskets, vases, silk bushes, shepherd's
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Home Team

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Honoring those who protect and serve

Members of the Hoopeston Police Department are celebrating National Police Week, May 11-17. Members of the department are, front row from left, Sgt. James Goodrum, Chief Mark Drollinger and Sgt. Jim DeWitt; second row, officers Roger Beaty, Ephriam Bolin, Steve Bane and Jeremy Welch; back row, Chad Smith, Doug Wagoner, Darin Tate and Adam Watson.

Obituaries

INGOLD - Gladys Ingold, 79, of Hoopeston died at 6:05 a.m. Friday, May 9, 2003 at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital. Funeral services were 11 a.m. Monday at Hamilton-Orr Funeral Home. Burial

was in Rankin Union Cemetery, Rankin. Visitation was 2-5 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to Rankin United Methodist Church.

TRUEBLOOD - Joseph F. Trueblood, 78, of Hoopeston died at 3:15 a.m. Friday, May 9, 2003 at Veterans Affairs Illiana Health Care System, Danville. There will be no services. Brown-Alkire Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Police News



Three men were arrested on charges of possession of cannabis after a traffic stop at 11:49 p.m. Sunday at Wyman and North Seventh.

Mitch L. Means, 19, of 707 E. Washington, Joshua E. Brackmann, 21, of 505 E. Lincoln and Casey A. Burkett, 19, of 514 S. Fifth St., were charged with possession of under 2.5 grams of cannabis.

All were released on notices to appear.

Weather



Mostly sunny today. High 72. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 48. Tomorrow, chance of thunderstorms. High 72, low 52.

For current weather conditions, call (217) 283-

Brianna's Baby Shop Sale out front Today

9

a.m.-? (weather permitting)
Girls size 7, 8, 12, 14 & juniors
Boys sizes 3t, 7, 12-14

Classifieds

AUCTIONS

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CARD OF THANKS

Thank you to everyone at Maple School for the Spring Fling donations for Andrew Myers.

The parents of Andrew Myers

CHILD CARE

Responsible 13-year-old would like summer babysitting job. Please call Eliza at (217) 283-7068.

Mother of 1 will babysit in my home. References available. (217) 748-4274.

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