



Texas Hold 'Em Style Raffle

Saturday, June 12

Hoopeston VFW

Sign up at noon

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Thursday Buffet is back!

Starts June 10, 5-7 p.m.

\$6.99 + tax

Drinks not included

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Scott Sprague checks debris as Doug Crawley operates a high hoe Tuesday at the cleanup site in Rossville.

Rossville fire cleanup resumes, waste taken to local landfill

ROSSVILLE—Cleanup is underway again at the site of a Feb. 27 fire, weeks after the Vermilion County Health Department halted debris removal.

Doug Crawley and Scott Sprague were on site Tuesday, removing debris from the site of the downtown Rossville fire.

The waste, which had been taken to a private site near Bismarck, is now being taken to the Allied Waste facility in Hoopeston, said Mayor Terry Prillaman.

It was the waste that shut down cleanup efforts last month, after health department officials found clean waste - including concrete, bricks and rock - mixed with unclean debris, including wood, carpet and metal pipes.

All waste, including that at the private site, will now

be taken to the landfill, which will increase cleanup costs. Sprague said the charge for a ton of waste is \$37. Each truck contains approximately 15-20 tons. Trucks began hauling waste Monday and were expected to maintain an almost nonstop shuttle between Rossville and Hoopeston through Thursday.

While many are happy that the remains of the fire, which burned four downtown businesses, will be cleaned, some speculate that the cost of taking debris to the landfill will not allow owners to rebuild.

Some business owners said shortly after the fire that they were unsure if they could afford to rebuild. While insurance will pay on the buildings, that money is not expected to be enough to cover cleanup and rebuilding.

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June 12 1-4 p.m.

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104 Thompson Ave., Rossville



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Police News



Jamie J. Miller, 35, of 712 E. Lincoln, was arrested at 9:15 p.m. Tuesday in the 700 block of East Lincoln. He was charged with domestic battery on a complaint from

Briefly

Cookout set

Hoopeston Youth Football will hold a cookout from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday at Jerry's IGA. Rib eye sandwiches will be sold.

a 35-year-old Hoopeston woman and interfering with reporting a domestic battery. He was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville. The woman was treated at released at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital.

Lazer & Lights

DJ/Karaoke

Friday 8:30-12:30 in the beer garden

Gudgel-Swinford reception

7 p.m. Saturday Open to the public

Pla-Mor Lanes

719 W. Elm, Hoopeston

Obituaries

PENICOOK - Rosemarie "Rosie" Penicook, 65, of Wellington died at 12:45 a.m. Wednesday, June 9, 2004 at home. Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at Brown-Alkire Funeral Home. Burial will be in Brenton Cemetery, Piper City. Visitation will be 5-8 p.m. Friday and one hour before services Saturday at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to Wellington United Methodist Church or Iroquois Memorial Hospice.

Weather



Chance of thunderstorms today, tonight and tomorrow. High today 80, low 68. Tomorrow's high 83, low 68.

For current weather conditions, call Hoopeston Weather Service (217) 283-6221.

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Everything must go! \$1-\$5 items. Make offer on furniture, shelving, counters. Friday-Saturday-Sunday, June 11-12-13, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. No refunds. Cash & Carry only. 111 S. Chicago St., Rossville, IL Bonnie & Don Wolfe, owners. Formerly Traditions Flower Shop.

RUMMAGE SALES

636 & 645 E. Young. Saturday, June 12. 8-?

609 W. Penn, Hoopeston. Fri. & Sat., 8-? Baby clothes (newborn-3, mostly boys), other clothing, bassinette, baby swing, crafts.

918 W. Penn, Hoopeston. Sat., 8-2. Stereo equipment, kitchen table, clothes, albums, VCR movies, baby clothes, lots of misc.

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