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Honeywell School seeks information from former students

We are trying to find past Honeywell students (especially early Honeywell students) who are willing to write some of their memories for our school history page on our website - www.hoopeston.k12.il.us Honeywell School

Our fourth grade typing students are doing this project to practice their new keyboarding skills. They will enter them on the web page. Some suggestions include:

- what years you attended
- what memories do you have of:
- teachers
- recess
- lunch
- rules
- punishments
- the building
- books you remember reading
- Anything would be welcome - short or long. We will use your name

See HONEYWELL on other side



Fourth grade typing students take a break from their duties. They are just two of the students who are compiling a book on early Honeywell students and their memories of the school.

Local funeral home chain changes hands, stays in family

A change in owners, but not the family that started it, has been announced for Wolfe Funeral Home & Cremation Service.

Rodger B. Wolfe, son of Donald C. and Bonnie E. Wolfe, will continue to operate the funeral homes and business his father started some 30 years ago.

Rodger Wolfe and his wife, Marjorie, purchased the business, allowing the senior Wolfes to retire. Rodger Wolfe plans to continue serving the public with the

same dedication and commitment that Wolfe Funeral Homes have always offered, according to a press release.

The funeral homes serve the communities of Hoopeston, Rossville, Rankin, Potomac and Westville. "I hope the people will continue to be good to Rodger and Marj as they have been to Bonnie and I over the past years," Don Wolfe said in the release. "We have made great friendships and for that we are very thankful."

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Still time left to apply for extra help to meet cost of new Medicare prescription program

By Keith Strinmoen
Social Security District Manager in Danville, IL

There is still time to apply for extra financial help through the new Medicare prescription drug program that went into effect on January 1, 2006.

These days, many Medicare beneficiaries have already decided which of the Medicare plans to sign up for. Others may still be making a decision. But if you have limited income and resources, don't forget to see if you can qualify for extra help to pay for part of the monthly premiums, annual deductibles and prescription co-payments under the new prescription drug program. You can apply even if you have already decided upon a prescription drug plan.

That extra help could be worth an average of \$2,100 per year for those who qualify.

Social Security continues to take applications from Medicare beneficiaries who may be eligible for the



New Books at the Library



Children's Room

Fiction

No more TV, sleepy cat by Harriet Ziefert
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The Pigeon has feelings, too! by Mo Willems
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Rough weather ahead for Walter the farting dog by William Kotzwinkle

Season of the sandstorms, Magic tree house #34 by Mary Pope Osborne

Think big by Nancy Carlson
Wag my tail by Richard Powell

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unless you request it not be used.

If you have any pictures it would be wonderful if you shared them with us. We will scan them and return them immediately!

Thank you for helping the students take pride in their school by looking back into our long history! Send letters to: Honeywell School, 600 E. Honeywell, Hoopeston, IL 60942; e-mail: Hoopeston@hoopeston.k12.il.us

extra help. To qualify, an individual must have total annual income below \$14,700 and resources limited to \$10,000. The limits for a married couple living together are higher: \$19,800 in combined annual income and \$20,000 in resources. These resources can be slightly higher – an additional \$1,500 per person – if some of the money will be used for burial expenses. Even if your annual income is higher, you still may be able to get some help if you support other family members who live with you; have earnings from work or live in Alaska or Hawaii.

Also, it is important that all beneficiaries understand that even if they qualify for the extra help, they still need to enroll in a Medicare-approved prescription drug plan to obtain both coverage and the extra help.

So remember: it is not too late to see if you qualify for some extra help with prescription drug costs.



Wait for us by Harriet Ziefert

Where are the Dogsharks? by Harriet Ziefert

Wiggley Party by Wiggles

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Nonfiction

Prize-winning science fair projects for curious kids by Joe Rhatigan

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Videos

Friendship's field

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Weather



Partly cloudy today and tonight. High 35, low 19. Tomorrow, chance of flurries. High 33, low 17.

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

More than four million people have already applied. But if you are not one of them and you think that you might qualify for the extra help, you can complete an online application at www.socialsecurity.gov. Or you can contact Social Security at 1-800-772-1213 (TTY 1-800-325-0778) and ask for an application in the mail, or request more information. But the clock is ticking, so do it today, and then enroll in the new Medicare prescription drug program by May 15, 2006.

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