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Briefly

Cookout fundraiser

Hoopeston Jaycees will host a fundraising cookout from 10:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday at Jerry's IGA in Hoopeston Plaza. Ribeye sandwich, chips and drink will be available for $6 or sandwich only for $5. Miss Hoopeston 2008, Brook Judy, will also be at the event.

Proceeds will be used for the Underprivileged Children's Christmas project.

Warf Memorial Tournament

The Dave Warf Memorial Tournament is being hosted at the Hoopeston Little League field this weekend? Players, families, coaches, whoever from past and present are invited to come out and support the Hoopeston All-Star Team for this tournament.

Gospel music in the park

Chrisman Park in Rossville will be the scene of the start of this year's Gospel Music in the Park series, which begins this weekend as part of Drivin' the Dixie.

The King Family, playing gospel bluegrass and Judith Montgomery, southern gospel soloist, will perform from 2-4 p.m. Saturday at the park.

Bring lawn chairs. In case of rain, it will be moved to the park pavilion. A freewill offering will be taken.

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Poochie Pageant registration extended

Got a curvaceous Cocker? A charming Chow? A multi-talented mutt? Register them in the first annual Poochie Pageant.

Registration for the pageant has been extended to June 18. The registration form is available at www.hoopeston-il.gov.

The pageant will be held June 21 at McFerren Park with a parade at 10 a.m. Dogs will be judged in formal wear, swimsuit and talent classes.

Class of '78 seeks classmates

The Class of 1978 is looking for addresses for the following people for their 30th year high school reunion to be held the weekend of July 4, 2008: Scott Bagley, Scott Brown, Tracey Beaver Shipman, Jodi Burhmester, Rhonda Carswell, Rhonda Collins, Anita Cleveland, Angie Horton, Judy Norris, Marsha Shoufler, Maralee Siville. Please contact Doug Bray at 217-283-6865 or dbrayfgi@yahoo.com

Fall soccer registration

Registration is now open for the Fall 2008 season for Danville Area Soccer, and for the local Eurotech summer soccer camp. Go to www.DanvilleSoccer.org to register. Those using a credit or debit card can complete online registration now. Details are available online with immediate registration confirmation.

In-person registration for those who need to pay by cash or check, or who need scholarship assistance will be held at the complex on East Winter Ave., Danville. Dates and times are Saturday June 14 and Saturday June 21, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and 5-8 p.m. June 25.

VFW kitchen project

On Saturday June 7, the Men's Auxiliary to VFW Buddy Egnew Post 4826, Hoopeston, started the much-needed renovation and expansion to the halls kitchen. This is a joint project including the regular membership, the Lady's Auxiliary and the Men's Auxiliary. We are expanding the kitchen by 5,600 square feet and adding many more appliances.

People or businesses wishing to donate to this project should contact Terry Meador, Men's Auxiliary President, through the post

Police News

Angel K. Bane, 28, of Hoopeston was arrested at 3:19 p.m. Wednesday in the 400 block of North Ninth Ave. Wanted on a Vermilion County traffic warrant for failure to appear/driving while license suspended, she was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville in lieu of $500 cash bond.

Anita O. Duncan, 42, of Hoopeston was charged with a city ordinance violation for a barking dog. The charge was made at 7:28 p.m. Wednesday on a complaint from a 74-year-old Hoopeston man.

Linda J. Coffey, 47, of Hoopeston was arrested at 9:31 p.m. Wednesday in the 700 block of Wyman. She was charged with assault on a complaint from a 21-year-old woman who alleged Coffey yelled threats at her.

Coffey was released on a notice to appear.

Police are investigating the theft of a bicycle rack from the front of the Hoopeston Multi Agency, 206 S. First Ave. The theft occurred Wednesday or Thursday.

Obituaries

FELLER - Dale A. Feller, 65, of Cissna Park died at 3:40 a.m. Wednesday, June 11, 2008 at home. Funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Watseka chapel of Knapp Funeral Home. Burial will be in Cissna Park Cemetery with military rites by Cissna Park American Legion Post. Visitation will be 2-8 p.m. Friday at the Cissna Park chapel of Knapp Funeral Home. Memorials are suggested to Guide Dog Foundation for the Blind, Inc., Iroquois Memorial Hospice, Iroquois County Relay for Life or donor's choice.

Weather

Chance of thunderstorms today and tonight. High 79, low 61. Tomorrow, partly sunny. High 83, low 61. Sunday, mostly sunny, chance of thunderstorms late. High 83, low 65.

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

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