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Summer Fun Club has activities scheduled for youngsters

What is your child going to do this summer?
How about a day camp full of fun?
Hoopeston Area Youth Club is again sponsoring a

summer program for children entering kindergarten through fourth grade. Ginger Gonzalez will be returning as the lead instructor.

Each session will run Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at McFerren Park Girl Scout House.

Activities include swimming, fishing, games, crafts, songs and more.

Sessions will be held June 8-12, June 15-19, June 22-26, June 29-July 3, July 6-10 and July 13-17. Cost is \$25 per child for each session. Checks may be made payable to Hoopeston Area Youth Club. There is no fee assistance available for the program this year.

Children are expected to bring a sack lunch daily. HAYC reserves the right to cancel any session if sufficient numbers of children are not signed up for that week. Refunds will be made available.

Applications are available in each school building. They may be mailed or returned, along with fees, to Summer Fun Club, c/o Ginger Gonzalez, 615 E. Orange St., Hoopeston IL 60942.

For more information, call Gonzales at (217) 504-2372 or (217) 283-6667.



Photo submitted

Winners

Students from the Okinawan School of Karate competed in the Ron Reed Open Karate Tournament in Sullivan, Ind., on April 18th. Melissa Johnson took second place in Kata (forms) and third place in sparring. Mary Bushong placed second in Kata and sparring. Johnson and Bushong also did team Kata for the Creative division and placed third. Alejandro Limon earned a second in Kata and Sparring as well. All students train two days a week at the Okinawan School of Karate with head instructor Mike Webb.



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Police News



Humberto M. Sanchez, 31, of Hoopeston, was arrested after an incident at 6:16 p.m. Thursday in the 500 block of East Main.

He was charged with theft under \$300 on a complaint from a 50-year-old Hoopeston man who alleged Sanchez took a package containing a cell phone delivered to the man's house.

Sanchez was released on \$100 bond.

A **61-year-old** Hoopeston man reported at 7:15 p.m. Thursday that someone took a Cold rifle from his vehicle, which was parked in the 800 block of West Main.

A **56-year-old** woman reported Friday that someone took her purse from her vehicle. The burglary occurred between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Thursday in the 700 block of East Main.

Ulise Delos-Santos, 20, of Hoopeston, was arrested after an incident at 4:50 p.m. Friday in the 400 block of South Second Ave.

He was charged with criminal damage to auto under \$300 on a complaint from a 74-year-old Hoopeston woman who alleged Delos-Santos broke out a window to her vehicle.

Delos-Santos was released on \$100 bond.

Martin C. Varela, 43, of Rankin, turned himself in to police at 9:45 p.m. Saturday. Wanted on a Champaign County traffic warrant for failure to appear/driving on revoked license, Varela was released on \$1,000 cash bond with a new court date in Champaign County.

Becky Gibson, 24, of Boswell, Ind., was arrested after an incident at 10:10 p.m. Saturday in the 300 block of West Penn.

She was charged with battery under Hoopeston ordinance on a complaint from a 26-year-old Hoopeston man who alleged Gibson struck him.

Gibson was released on a notice to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

Obituaries

MANSANAREZ - Marissa Lynn Mansanarez, infant daughter of Ashley Henry and Bradley Mansanarez of Hoopeston, died at 9:24 Thursday, April 23, 2009, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana.


Her twin sister, Vanessa Marie Mansanarez, died at 5:50 p.m. Sunday, April 19, 2009, at the hospital.

Graveside services were at 1 p.m. Saturday at Floral Hill Cemetery Chapel, Hoopeston. Visitation was noon to 1 p.m. Saturday at the cemetery chapel. Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston, was in charge of arrangements.

MULLEN - James L. Mullen, 70, of Rossville, died Friday, April 24, 2009, at home. Graveside service will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday at VA National Cemetery in Danville. Visitation will be 6-8 p.m. Monday at Wolfe Funeral Home, Potomac. Memorials may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

TWEEDY - William "Bill" Tweedy Jr., 86, of Hoopeston, died at 5 a.m. Saturday, April 25, 2009 at Hoopeston Community Memorial Nursing Home. Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Burial will be in Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston. Visitation will be 5-8 p.m. Monday at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to Hoopeston American Legion, Hoopeston Lions Club or Hoopeston United Methodist Church.


Fire Calls



Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 5:44 p.m. Saturday for a leaf fire that got out of control and ignited a garage. The fire occurred in the 500 block of South Second Ave. Damage was minimal and no injuries were reported.

The department was called at 5:11 a.m. Sunday to Centennial Manor, 426 E. Honeywell, for an activated carbon monoxide detector. No injuries were reported.

Weather



Thunderstorms today and tonight. High 76, low 57. Tomorrow, mostly cloudy. High 66, low 46.

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

Briefly

City slab rules

Hoopeston City Slab is for tree limbs and yard waste only. If rules are not followed, the slab will be closed to the public. Scheduled dates for drop-offs will be posted and will be supervised if rules are not obeyed. Please report illegal dumping with violator's license plate number to city hall or the Street & Alley Dept.

Preschool screening

A free preschool screening for all three-, four-, and five-year-olds will be held Thursday, April 30 at First Presbyterian Church, 915 E. Orange St., Hoopeston. The screening determines each child's knowledge of general concepts, speech, language and motor skills.

Birth to three screenings are available the same day.

To schedule an appointment or for more information, call (217) 283-6668. Please bring child's Social Security number.

Meetings

- Rossville Village Board, 7 p.m. Thursday; swearing in of new officials.
- Hoopeston Area School Board, 7 p.m. Thursday; swearing in of new officials.

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