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\$2 donation per person
Paige LeWallen drawing

Wally's Pub
 Rossville (217) 748-6858

Karaoke
 Friday, 9-1

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Residents can get double dose of Independence Day fireworks

Hoopeston and Rossville will offer fireworks displays for residents to celebrate Independence Day.

In Hoopeston, the display will begin at dusk Friday (approximately 9 p.m.) at the Hoopeston Soccer Field on South Sixth Ave. The display is being provided by Hoopeston Regional Health Center.

Rossville's pyrotechnics will be held at dusk Saturday at Christman Park, sponsored by the Sons of the American Legion.

Prior to the fireworks, Rossville will hold other events, kicking off at 11 a.m. with a 4th of July parade, running from the high school, down Chicago St., and ending at

Christman Park.

Sons of the American Legion will sell fish sandwiches at the park, also beginning at 11 a.m. Rossville Fire Department will have its water slide in the park, as well.

At 4:30 p.m., Rossville Community Organization will hold the rescheduled Dixie Duck Dash down the North Fork of the Vermilion River.

The race had been slated for Drivin' the Dixie Days but was postponed because of high water in the North Fork.

Ducks are still available to rent or purchase at 204 W. Stufflebeam Dr., or by calling (217) 748-6435.

Briefly

Free popsicles

The Hoopeston Community Church of the Nazarene will be handing out free popsicles at McFerren Park from 11:30 am -12:30 pm on Friday July 3. We are promoting our upcoming Vacation Bible School and helping you cool off! Come see us!

Benefit set

A benefit will be held to benefit the Howard family Saturday at Deano's on Main. Cost is \$3/single, \$5/

couple. Jessica and Samule Howard's son died in an accident recently. Mr. Howard and Jessica's brother were injured in the accident. Money raised will be donated to the family for hospital bills and funeral expenses.

Time To Register For Fall Soccer

Children ages Toddler-13 can register to play fall soccer at www.danvillesoccer.org. Those who do not have internet can contact Bob Brown at 283-5475. Deadline is July 25.

July 4th Sale
Gallerie Romantique
Rossville
Saturday only Sale
11 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Closed Friday and Sunday this week

Second Chance Rookies
4th of July
Party

2:30 p.m. Hot Dog eating contest
4 p.m.: Corn Hole Tournament
8:30-12:30: Furion
Prizes & Drink Specials

Sierra Foster and Matthew Davis
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Tuesday	Chicken & Noodles
Wednesday	Ribeye Sandwich
Thursday	Swiss Steak
Friday	Cod & Ribeye

Friday in the Beer Garden
 Enjoy the fireworks &
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Police News

A **15-year-old** Rantoul boy was charged with criminal trespass to a motor vehicle after an incident at 4:35 p.m. Tuesday in the 700 block of West Orange.

Officers were called to the area for a report of boys running through the alley. The boy was found in a parking lot, allegedly trying to remove a battery from a vehicle parked next to his to put in his vehicle.

The boy and a juvenile with him, were released to their parents. A juvenile petition was filed with the Vermillion County State's Attorney's office.

A **41-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported at 9:13 p.m. Tuesday that people in a van stopped at the end of

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HELP WANTED

Hoopeston Area School District is seeking applications for the following positions:

Bus Driver	Start date will be August 20, 2009
Substitute Bus Drivers	
Cafeteria	Start Date will be August 20, 2009
Substitute Cafeteria Workers	

Application deadline is July 13, 2009. Applications are available in the Superintendent's Office, 615 E. Orange, Hoopeston. Office hours are 7:30-12:00, 1:00-4:00.

Local Business Seeks Customer Relations Coordinator

Principal Responsibilities:

1. To participate in all areas of our customers experience to include all administrative functions created by the retail sale, digital, written, and telephone follow up, as well as all customer retention activities.
2. Ensure the accuracy of company website.
3. Maintains and updates the Customer Service database.

We Require:

Qualifications/Experience:

Two years of college preferred, job experience may satisfy.

Skills:

Communication Skills - written and oral. Professional and strong personality with the ability to communicate effectively with people of all backgrounds, education and experience. Present ideas effectively to all audiences. Writing is clear, well organized, and to the point.

A thorough understanding of Microsoft Office applications.

E-mail resume to: inbox110@verizon.net

HOUSES FOR RENT

421 E. Thompson, Hoopeston. Small but very nice 2 BR home. \$390/mo.+deposit. No pets. (217) 474-0828

HOUSES FOR SALE

Very nice 3 BR, 1 BA home at 842 E. Orange St. New kitchen

her driveway to yell at her and throw eggs at her car in the 600 block of South First Ave.

A **set of keys** on a long lanyard was found at 5:45 a.m. Wednesday at East Penn and Third St. The owner may identify and claim them at the police station.


A **32-year-old** Hoopeston man reported at 2:45 p.m. Wednesday that the license plate to his trailer is missing.

He was unsure when or where it disappeared.

Joseph L. Comstock, 23, of Hoopeston, was charged with reckless driving after an incident at 6:50 p.m. Wednesday in the 700 block of South First Ave. He was charged on a complaint from a 49-year-old Hoopeston man who alleged Comstock drove at him, causing him to drive off the road.

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Weather



Mostly sunny today. High 82. Tonight, chance of thunderstorms. Low 62. Tomorrow, chance of thunderstorms, then mostly cloudy. High 78, low 61. Sunday, partly sunny. High 82, low 59.

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

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LOST & FOUND

Pink Kodak digital camera. Left in Centennial Park, Rankin after fireworks on Saturday night. If found please call 217-504-1874. It is a lot of sentimental memories on it.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

8 Single Family rental units for sale. Good houses with many updates and good tenants. \$42,900/yr. in rents. Asking \$280,000. For more information, e-mail hoopestonrentals@yahoo.com. Serious inquiries only.

RUMMAGE SALES

330 W. Maple, Hoopeston. Fri. & Sat., 8-? Large sale! Lots of new items added. Nice, clean clothing—children & adults; nice glassware; some antiques and bedding.

316 W. Chestnut, Hoopeston (in alley). Huge 5 family sale. Fri. & Sat., 7 a.m.-12 p.m. Lots of boys & girls clothes (baby-size 7), misc. baby items, furniture, tables, shoes, books, plus size women's clothing, maternity, brand new Tupperware, misc. items.

917 S. 2nd Ave., Hoopeston. July 3 and 4 from 8 a.m.-? No early sales. A little of everything!

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