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## Schools to review presidential speech before showing students

Hoopeston Area school officials are expected to preview a speech by President Barack Obama before allowing students to see it.

President Obama will address children in all public schools at noon (EDT). His planned speech, on the im-

portance of education, came under fire from conservatives who were concerned about part of the lesson plan for the speech, which included having students write letters to themselves detailing how they would

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### Flying high

Brooke Malone, 23 months, and her dad, Mike, of Decatur, ride a flying elephant Saturday at the 66th annual National Sweetcorn Festival at McFerren Park.

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**Police News**



A **45-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported at 9:24 a.m. Tuesday that someone took a flat screen TV from the 800 block of South Second Ave.

**Genaro D. Zamarripa**, 38, of Hoopeston, turned himself in to police at 2 p.m. Wednesday. Wanted on a Vermilion County traffic warrant for failure to appear/no insurance, he was released on \$619 cash bond.

A **29-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported at 3:52 p.m. Thursday that another woman made threats against her in the 700 block of East Maple. A report was forwarded to the Vermilion County State's Attorney's office for charges.

A **55-year-old** Hoopeston man reported at 6:14 p.m. Thursday that several items, including tools, were taken from his garage in the 700 block of East McCracken.

**Daniel Saldivar**, 53, of Hoopeston, was arrested after an incident at 2:37 p.m. Friday in the 700 block of South Sixth Ave. He was charged with disorderly conduct on a complaint from a 56-year-old Hoopeston woman who alleged Saldivar grabbed and threatened her.

Saldivar was located and issued a summons to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

An **eight-year-old** Danville boy was treated and released from Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital following an accident at 2 p.m. Saturday in the 500 block of West Washington.

Police said the boy, on a bicycle, disobeyed a yield sign and was hit by a 1994 Dodge driven by Doug Musk of Hoopeston.

No tickets were issued.

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 6:28 p.m. Saturday at Rtes. 1 and 9.

Police said Hsian-Jung Shu, of Danville, in a 2001 Mitsubishi, stopped, continued northbound and hit an east-bound 2004 Oldsmobile driven by Kathleen Franklin of Hoopeston.

A **35-year-old** Hoopeston man reported at 9:43 a.m. Saturday that someone deposited a substance which damaged his property.

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THURSDAY: Spaghetti, salad, max stick, pineapple  
FRIDAY: Fish sandwich, fries, mixed fruit, Teddy Grams


**Hoopeston Area Middle/High Schools**

TUESDAY: Cheeseburger or sub sandwich, fries, peaches

WEDNESDAY: Taco or burrito, salad, pears, pudding  
THURSDAY: Pork BBQ sandwich or chili cheese dog, nacho chips, pineapple, juice  
FRIDAY: Sausage pizza or fish sandwich, salad, mixed fruit

**CRIS/SAMS Meals**


Menu unavailable

**Weather** 

Partly sunny today. High 80. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Low 58. Tomorrow, partly sunny. High 80, low 59.

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

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help the president.

That part of the lesson plan was dropped after the criticism.

Some school districts in the U.S. will shut down Tuesday, while conservative groups are urging parents to keep their children at home. Other districts are allowing students to opt out of the viewing.

Hoopeston Area students are not expected to watch the speech live. Instead, media teacher Dan Reed will download the speech and make DVD copies for each school building. Staff will review it to decide if its content is such that it can be used within a lesson at a later date.

President Obama's speech was to be made available on the White House web page on Monday. It will air live on C-SPAN and the White House web site.