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Clerk reports on new voting law Lynn Foster, Vermilion County Clerk, is advising

voters of a new state law that requires voting equipment to notify voters if they do not vote for every office on the ballot. This is referred to as an undervote.

If you choose not to vote for all offices listed, your ballot will be returned to you by the tabulator and a message will appear on the tabulator's readout, informing you of which offices you undervoted. If you have voted all the races you intended, you may have your ballot accepted as is by asking the election judge to override the notification. If you did not intend to undervote, you

Valentine's kids program set

Hoopeston Public Library and University of Illinois Cooperative Extension-Vermilion County Unit will present "Valentine's Fun" for kids ages five-13 from 4:30-5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 9, at the library, 110 N. Fourth St.

The program will feature hands-on crafts and snacks with a Valentine's Day theme.

Space is limited so preregistration is recommended. Call the library at (217) 283-6711 or stop by the Children's Department.

Love Hoopeston Area Sports? Love Pizza?

Hoopeston Area Sports Boosters are selling

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Gene and Dorothy Thomas celebrate their 70th anniversary at Provena United Samaritans Medical Center. Danville. Also pictured is Mike Brown, Provena USMC president and CEO.

Couple celebrates anniversary at Provena Medical Center

Being married 70 years is a tremendous accomplishment; imagine celebrating in a hospital! But that's just what Gene and Dorothy Thomas of Hoopeston did Wednesday, along with the help of staff at Provena United Samaritans Medical Center in Danville, where Mrs. Thomas is a patient.

To brighten the occasion, her nurse on 3 West arranged for Food & Nutrition Services to deliver a cake and balloons to 88-year-old Dorothy and her visiting husband. The couple was also paid a personal visit from Mike Brown, President & CEO at Provena United Samaritans to wish them congratulations.



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Hoopeston Lions Club

Pancake Breakfast

Saturday, February 6 Serving 6 a.m.-2 p.m.

Hoopeston American Legion Adults \$5 Under 6, free

Hoopeston Area Middle School drops to Catlin, Rossville

Hoopeston Area Middle School's seventh and eighth grade volleyball teams were defeated in two matches this week.

In action Monday, HAMS traveled to Catlin, where the seventh grade lost 25-7, 25-15, bringing their record to 5-2.

In the eighth grade match, the local team lost 25-14,

Rylee Martin was ace leader for the night with four.

On Tuesday, the teams hosted Rossville. The seventh grade team lost by scores of 25-7 and 25-15. In eighth grade action. Hoopeston Area took the first set, 22-25. but went down 25-14, 25-11 in the remaining sets.

Leah Schmid was ace leader for the games with three.

Briefly

DVDs available

DVDs of Hoopeston Area High School's Veterans Day program are available at the school. Cost is \$5 each.

R-A Youth League baseball signups

Rossville-Alvin Youth League baseball sign-ups will be held from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 30 at the Rossville Fire Station.

Cost is \$45 for the first child and \$70 for two children.

Benefit set

A benefit for Willamina Clayton will be held from

New Books at the Library



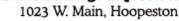
Children's library **DVDs**:

Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince Curious George: A Very Monkey Christmas Bob the Builder: Bob's White Christmas Pippi Longstocking: Pippi's Christmas Jim Henson's Fraggle Rock: A Merry Fraggle Christmas

FRIDAY: **Baby Back Ribs** Serving 5-8



Bar & Package Liquor Store





2-5 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 30 at Rossville Fire Station's community room. Lia Sophia and Mary Kay will be on sale with 30 percent of each order donated to the Claytons in cash.

Orders will be back in time for Valentine's Day.

Former cheerleaders sought

Hoopeston Area High School is looking for former Hoopeston cheerleaders who would like to perform the school song with the current HAHS cheerleaders before the boys varsity basketball game (Senior Night) at 7 p.m. February 19.

If you are interested please contact the high school office 283-6661.

Prom dress drive

Hoopeston Multi Agency is accepting donations of used prom dresses to help young girls attend prom. For more information, call the Multi Agency (217) 283-5544 or Virginia Yaden, 283-5554.

Voting continued from other side

may return to the voting booth and mark any office you missed.

"This notification is in no way intended to suggest or recommend that voters cast votes for all offices," Foster said. "If you choose to undervote, all other validly cast votes will be properly counted."

Weather



Partly sunny today. High 16. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Low 5. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 19, low 3. Sunday, mostly sunny. High 20, low 16.

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

Police News



A 45-year-old Hoopeston woman reported at 8:33 a.m. Wednesday that someone damaged her vehicle in the 500 block of South Sixth Ave.

Classifieds

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321 S. Second Ave., Hoopeston. 2 BR. \$375/mo.+deposit. No pets. References. (217) 304-3477

302½ W. Washington, Hoopeston. 1 BR. \$325/mo.+deposit. No pets. References. (217) 304-3477

HELP WANTED

Hoopeston Area Community Unit School District #11 is seeking applications for a full time personal aide for an elementary student for the remainder of the 2009-10 school year. Applications are available in the Superintendent's Office, 615 East Orange, Hoopeston, IL. Deadline for applications is January 29, 2010.

Community Bank is accepting applications for a part-time teller. Applications may be picked up at 221 Bank St., Hoopeston IL 60942.

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