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A funnel cloud, top, spotted along Route 1, by Bill Ewaniuk Monday night. Below, a lightening strike hits Hoopeston.

**Area dodges bullet during
 severe storm activity Monday**

Lightening strikes and funnel clouds were in the area but caused no reported damage to the Hoopeston area.

Storms originally thought to strike southern Iroquois County veered south, bringing storms to Hoopeston, Rossville and Rankin.

Hoopeston's tornado sirens were sounded at least three times during the evening, from about 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Three tornado touchdowns were reported, one north of East Lynn at about 6:20 and two shortly after 7 p.m. northwest of Rossville.

Weather spotters reported cloud rotation above Hoopeston Area High School and shortly after, Hoopeston's water tower.

A chance of thunderstorms was in the forecast for Tuesday and extended into Wednesday, as well.

Briefly

Soccer registration

It's time to register for DASA soccer! Register your child age 1-13 for fall soccer at www.danvillesoccer.org. Registration deadline is July 12, 2010.

If you have questions or are interested in coaching a team please contact Bob or Emily Brown at 217-283-5475.

Be a Part of It meeting

Be a Part of It will have an informational and progress report meeting at 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 23, at Fast Lanes. Everyone is invited to attend!

Lane reunion

The 71st annual Lane reunion will be held at noon Sunday, June 27. Please come!

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 Tuesday: Chicken/Beef & Noodles & Fruit Plate
 Wednesday: Ribeye Sandwich & Fruit Plate
 Thursday: Swiss Steak & Fruit Plate
 Friday: Cod & Ribeye
 Saturday: Prime Rib & Ribeye
 Open Bowling
 Wednesday-Saturday 1-close
 Closed Sunday
 Let us cater your special day.
 Also we have a meeting room available for your groups!
 Wednesday - BE A PART OF IT meeting 7 p.m. at Fast Lanes
 719 W. Elm, Hoopeston (217) 283-6505



American Legion Post 384
502 E. Penn, Hoopeston

Pancake Day
Saturday, June 26
6 a.m.-Noon

Serving Pancakes, Sausage, Eggs
Biscuits and Gravy

All you can eat \$5.50/person; 4 & under free

Wally's Pub
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Court Dispositions 

June 3

Andy Alkire, Hoopeston, pleaded guilty to possession of drug paraphernalia, fined \$180; status hearing September 2.

Ginger Sturgeon, Mumfordsville, Ky., general nuisance case dismissed.

Vicki Ford, Hoopeston, pleaded not guilty to assault; trial August 5.

Kyle Douglas, Alvin, status check September 2.

Police News

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No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 10:39 a.m. Monday at Wyman and North Fifth Street.

Police said Brittiney A. Deaton, of Hoopeston, was westbound in a 1999 Dodge van when she collided with a 2002 Dodge Durango driven by Elizabeth M. Hernandez, also of Hoopeston.

Storm found before storms hit

Our dog, Storm, was found Monday evening, south of Red Top Cemetery. She was hanging around the Gernand house near the cemetery but when called, would run into the cornfield. Mrs. Gernand kindly called me and I went out to try to get her. After what seemed like an eternity of calling, Storm finally came bounding out of the field, her usual jumpy, wiggly self, just a little thinner.

Storm, who is afraid of storms, was home before the bad weather hit, and was the recipient of a lot of food, a bath and some serious ear and belly scratching.

A HUGE thank you to everyone who prayed, searched for her or called about possible sightings. We are so glad to have our girl home and it wouldn't have been possible without your help. God bless you all!

Lourdine



Fire Calls 

Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 4:10 a.m. Monday to the 1000 block of East Thompson for smoke inside a structure. No injuries were reported.

Obituaries

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Weather 

Chance of thunderstorms today. High 80. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 60. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 83, low 63.

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

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