





# Open House July 21 from 2-7 pm

Parents are invited to tour the daycare and observe the classes. The new pre-school curriculum from Horizons will be on display. Bring your questions and come see what we have to offer your children.

Mustard Seed Christian Daycare cares for infants starting at 6 weeks-12 years. We offer a full pre-school within the daycare setting and before and after school care.

Part-time and Drop-in children are welcome if space is available. Email:

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Phone/Fax (217) 283-9348 Lourdine Florek, owner

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## Diabetes health fair set at nursing home community room

You can never know too much about your health and maintaining your diabetes. This is why Hoopeston Regional Health Center wants to make sure you know that they are here to help you.

As a kickoff to the upcoming Diabetes Awareness Classes that will be taught by Sowmya Gurukar, Hoopeston Regional Health Center Dietician, HRHC will be hosting a Diabetes Awareness Health Fair on July 20, 2010. This event will be held from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. in the Hoopeston Community Memorial Nursing Home Community Room.

There will be so much offered during the course of this evening. Attendees will be given the opportunity to talk to the HRHC about their current diabetic needs, set up a one-on-one consultation with her, and learn more about the upcoming classes.

Along with hearing from Sowmya, the health fair will

**Police News** 



**A 20-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported at 3:22 p.m. Sunday that someone took several items from her apartment in the 700 block of South First Avenue.

**Justin Mercier**, 21, of Milford, turned himself in to police at 11:40 p.m. Sunday.

Wanted on a Vermilion County traffic warrant for failure to appear, he was released on \$750 cash bond with a new date in Vermilion County Circuit Court.

## **Cleanup group meets Tuesday**

Be a Part of It Litter Control group will meet at 6 p.m. Tuesday at the corner of Main and Sixth Avenue to clean up trash in the area. Everyone is invited to join in cleaning up our city!

include a diabetic friendly cooking demonstration, blood sugar and blood pressure checks, and other diabetes maintenance information. Elissa Hooper, HRHC athletic trainer, will show simple at home exercises for maintaining you health, and attendees will be able ask questions from one of the very qualified HRHC Providers. Come out to learn more about maintaining diabetes, while having fun and enjoying some diabetic friendly appetizers and food samples.

If you need more information or have questions please contact Hoopeston Regional Health Center at 217-283-5531

Tuesday is

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Saturday, July 31
Hubbard Trail Country Club
Tee times: 8 a.m & 1 p.m.

Forms available on the school district website, www.hoopeston.k12.ll.us

Sports
Physicals

Contact HAHS Athletic Trainer Elissa Hooper at 217.495.0821 for questions.

**Who:** All Athletes planning to play a sport during the 2010-11 school year. Exceptions if you are going into 6th or 9th grade

(You will need a COMPLETE physical prior to start of school) A parent/guardian signature is required by the IHSA/IESA.

What: Sports Physical

(all athletes must have one on file to participate in athletics.)

When: Tuesday, August 3, 2010

3:30 – 5:00 pm walk-in

**Where:** Charlotte Ann Russell Medical Center 801 E. Orange Street • Hoopeston

**Cost:** \$15



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Physicals for Fall sports must be completed and turned in by August 11, 2010

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## — Briefly

#### Pick up your ducks

Those who have not claimed their Dixie Duck Dash ducks may do so from 6-8 p.m. July 22 at the Cadle Pavilion in Christman Park, Rossville. Thanks to all that purchased ducks and supported RCO!

#### **Employee appreciation**

Hoopeston Regional Health Center administration will hold an employee appreciation event from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday at St. Anthony parish hall. The event if for employees, spouses and board members at Hoopeston Regional Health Center and its affiliate clinics.

For information, call Nicole Kerner, (217) 283-5531, ext. 406.

### Deep Sea Adventure VBS

Hoopeston Community Nazarene will hold a one-day Deep Sea Adventure vacation bible school event from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, July 24. A sack lunch will be served, which includes peanut butter. Call (217) 283-9771 for information or for pickup.

#### Soccer camp

Youth Soccer camp will be held August 2-5 at Hoop-

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McFerren Park Rt. 1, Hoopeston eston Area High School. Grades 5-8 will be from 3:45-6 p.m. and grades PreK-4 from 4:30-6 p.m. Registration is \$35. Forms are available at the high school office or by calling John Klaber at 283-5623. Those who turn in their registration by July 21 will receive a free soccer ball.

#### Girls basketball camp

Hoopeston Area girls youth basketball camp will be held August 9-13 at John Greer Grade School. Girls in grades 1-4 will attend from 8-9 a.m.; grades 5-6 from 9-10:30 a.m.; and grades 7-8, 10:30 a.m. to noon.

Registration is \$30. Forms are available at the high school office. Those registering by August 2 will receive a free basketball and camp t-shirt.

### Meetings

• Hoopeston City Council, 7 p.m. Tuesday, city hall

#### **Letters to the Editor**



I have been reading some spots about Scooter and Jerky and can't seem to get all the information read to figure out who is dating who, and who don't even care anymore.

Is someone mad at Scooter for drawing Jerky in the old days and claiming he did it, and you feel it belongs to the later crowd or what is the problem? If he drew it, he drew it. So what's up? Quit talking in riddles and say something.

Art Simpson of 1962, you are gonna have to explain this all to me like you use to do when we were in high school. Are we starting a charity to donate to? Why not get on with what you want to get on with. Geez.

I would be happy to buy something. Who is selling it?

David Catron
1962 graduate
Cuero, Tex.

#### Weather



Chance of thunderstorms today, tonight and tomorrow. High today 87, low 71. Tomorrow, high 87, low 71.

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

• Hoopeston Area School Board, 6:30 p.m. Thursday, high school library. Special meeting to discuss the use of Jerky by Cornjerker Nation.

## **Court Dispositions**



#### June 3

**Cyndi Houston**, Danville, case continued generally.

#### July 1

**Brian Hislop**, Cissna Park, pleaded guilty to possession of cannabis, fined \$180; status hearing October 7.

**Brian Hislop**, Cissna Park, possession of drug paraphernalia charge dismissed.

#### **Obituaries**

LONG - James O. Long, 63, of Watseka, died Sunday, July 18, 2010, at Provena St. Mary Hospital, Kankakee. Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Baier Funeral Home, Watseka. Burial will be in Sheldon Cemetery, Sheldon. Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to the family or charity of the donor's choice.

Mr. Long was a stepson of Clara Long of Hoopeston.

# Classifieds

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