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State declares sales tax holiday in time for school shopping

SPRINGFIELD – With the first statewide back-to-school sales tax holiday starting this Friday, August 6 running through Sunday, August 15, the Illinois Department of Revenue is reminding families to plan on shopping for the new clothes and school supplies their children need to get a good start at school this year. A list of items qualifying for the five percent sales tax break is available at www.tax.illinois.gov and can be downloaded or printed from any computer and used to help plan necessary back-to-school purchases.

“Parents and guardians looking forward to sending their children back to school should welcome the sales tax holi-

day. This is the equivalent of a five percent discount on the must-have items for the first day of school,” said Brian Hamer, Director, Illinois Department of Revenue.

During the ten-day sales tax holiday, the 5% portion of sales taxes collected at retail registers will be waived. Sales taxes collected on behalf of local governments will continue to be collected. The tax holiday runs about a week longer than those in Iowa and Missouri which traditionally occur during the first weekend in August. This provides Illinois families more time to select and purchase the items their children need for back-to-school.

Families in Illinois spend between \$800 million and \$1.2 billion on back-to-school gear for their children. The five percent sales tax holiday will save them between \$40 and \$60 million in tax payments.

Qualifying products include:

Clothing

Retail selling price must be less than \$100

- household and shop aprons
- athletic supporters
- bathing suits and caps
- belts and suspenders
- coats and jackets
- gloves and mittens
- hats, caps, and ear muffs
- lab coats
- neckties
- rainwear
- rubber pants
- scarves
- underwear
- school uniforms
- shorts and pants
- skirts and dresses
- hosiery and pantyhose

**Rossville 2nd Annual
Homecoming Street Dance**
featuring
Captain Rat
and the **Blind Rivets**
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Saturday, Aug. 7 8-11 p.m.
Food - Beer - Soft Drinks
Bring your lawn chairs to East Attica in
Rossville and be prepared for
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Monday:	Taco Salad & Fruit Plate
Tuesday:	Beef/Chicken & Noodles & Fruit Plate
Wednesday:	Ribeye Sandwich, Italian Beef & Fruit Plate
Thursday:	Swiss Steak & Fruit Plate
Friday:	Cod & Ribeye
Saturday:	Closed for Cappelan-Stock wedding reception. Sorry for any inconvenience
Sunday:	Closed

Open Bowling Daily 1-close

Congratulations to Jammie Wilson, driver of the #61 modified for his FEATURE win at KANKAKEE on FRIDAY NIGHT, JULY 30!

Leagues now forming. Call for details
Youth League signup Aug. 3. Bowling starts Sept. 10

See HOLIDAY on other side

North Fork Conservation Club

Fish Fry

Fish, Tenderloins, Hamburgers,
Chicken Strips, Shrimp and many sides

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Sept. 6 at HRHC
Tent at the Festival

1st place 25% of proceeds
2nd place 15%
3rd place 10%

Hoopeston Area Healthcare Foundation

50/50 Raffle

Tickets \$5 each or 6 for \$25

Unlimited number to be sold!

Tickets available at HRHC Business Office,
HRHC Registration & Foundation Board Members

Need not be present to win. Must be 18.

Fish Fry

5-8 p.m. Friday

American Legion

502 E. Penn, Hoopeston

Also shrimp & chicken

Includes salad or slaw, baked beans, fries, roll.

Carry-outs available 283-6312

Holiday

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- shirts and blouses

Footwear

Retail selling price must be less than \$100

- shoes, sneakers, and shoe laces
- sandals
- slippers
- socks and stockings
- footlets
- boots and overshoes
- insoles for shoes
- steel-toed shoes

School supplies

Used by students in the course of study, including

- binders
- book bags
- calculators
- cellophane tape
- blackboard chalk
- compasses
- composition books
- crayons, highlighters, markers
- erasers

FRIDAY:

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- pencils and pencil leads, pens, ink, and ink refills for pens
- pencil boxes and other school supply boxes

Briefly

Youth football signups

Hoopeston Youth Football is still signing up football players and cheerleaders. Call Lee Curry, (217) 304-1084 or got to Razor's Edge Barbershop or call the shop at (217) 283-7883 to get signed up today!

Obituaries

DAVIS - Minnie "Lee" (Williams) Davis, 82, of Milford, died Tuesday, August 3, 2010, at Watseka Rehab & Health Care Center. Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Knapp Funeral Home, Milford. Burial will be in Sugar Creek Cemetery, Stockland, Visitation will be 4-8 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

Corrections

It was incorrectly reported in the July 29 issue that Chase Miles was arrested after hitting a 16-year-old girl. Miles was charged with striking a boy.

Times for school registration listed in the July 27 for Thursday, Aug., 12 were incorrect. Times are 8:30-11 a.m. and 12:30-3:30 p.m.

Just the Facts regrets the errors.

Weather

Sunny today. High 85. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 62. Tomorrow and Sunday, mostly sunny. High tomorrow, 87, low 66. Sunday, high 90, low 69.

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

- pencil sharpeners
- protractors and rulers
- scissors

Classifieds

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

325½ S. Third St., Hoopeston. 2 BR upstairs.\$375+security. Fridge, stove included. No pets. References. For application, call (217) 304-3477

HELP WANTED

Hoopeston Migrant Head Start is seeking applications for bus drivers. Starting wage is \$12.37. Send resume to P.O. Box 136, Wellington IL 60973 or fax to (815) 984-4500. Call the office at (815) 984-3706 for any questions. Positions are open until filled. EOE

HOUSES FOR RENT

Hoopeston: 904 W. Main. 2 story, 3 BR, fenced yard. \$550/mo. References, no pets. For application call (217) 304-3477.

Hoopeston: 1001 W. Honeywell. 3 BR ranch. Storage shed.. \$550/mo. References, no pets. For application, call (217) 304-3477

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

2 used Ameri-Glide electric stair chair lifts. Excellent condition. One 10' lift \$600 and one 8' lift \$500 or both for \$1000. Call 217-497-6186.

RUMMAGE SALES

HOOPESTON: 852 E. Elm. Fri. & Sat., 8-noon. Moving and multi-family sale! Furniture, lamps, housewares, clothing, misc. Something for everyone!

HOOPESTON: 42450 N 1700 E (1 mile north of Conservation Club). Fri., 6-8 p.m., Sat., 7-noon. Furniture, TVs, housewares, glassware, adult & children's clothing, baby items & clothing, tools, van, motor home & more to come. Rain or shine!

HOOPESTON: 801 S. Fifth St., Sat., 8-1. Boys clothes, 6-24 mos., men's, women's, Jr. clothes, shoes, purses, lots of misc.

HOOPESTON: 728 S. Fifth St. Sat., 8-1. Rita Haggerty. Boys, girls, women & men's clothing, little girls pageant dresses, girls/teen formal dresses, lots of shoes, double stroller, PackNPlay, lots of books & videos, toys, games, housewares, water heater

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