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# Chugging along

Members of Ian Bush's family watch as Paul Tutwiler installs a new train spring toy Thursday at McFerren Park. Ian, of Bondville, spent time with his grandfather, Bill, working on model trains. Ian died in 2008, at the age of 18. Since then, Bill Bush has worked with Hoopeston's East Central Illinois Model Railroading Club. Bush family members who attended the dedication of the toy, which bears a plaque in memoriam of Ian, include his father and stepmother, Mike and Kelli Bush; grandparents, Bill and Janien Bush; siblings Holly, Taylor and Mark Bush; and stepsiblings Emily, Daniel and Benjamin Rogers, along with ECI Model Railroading members Chuck Pajor, Lenard Compton and Chad Thomas.

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McFerren Park Rt. 1, Hoopeston

# Catlin High School senior turns school project into informational session for area voters

Will Nesbitt, a senior at Catlin High School, will be hosting a candidates town hall meeting on Saturday, September 4<sup>th</sup> at 4:00P.M. The event will be held at the Catlin Fire Station located at 107 E. Davis Street in Catlin, IL.

Scheduled to appear at the meeting will be candidates for the U.S. House of Representatives, Republican Tim Johnson and Democrat David Gill; candidates for the Illinois State Senate, Democrat Mike Frerichs and Republican Al Reynolds and candidates



## Getting there

Bryce Wallace, five, flanked by four-year-old brother Landy and his mom, Courtney, walks to Maple School Friday for his first day of kindergarten. for Illinois State Representative, Republican Chad Hays and Democrat Michael Puhr.

The town hall meeting began as a school service project for Nesbitt this past June. The senior service project came out of his Service and Community class and requires students to complete a thirty hour assignment that benefits the community.

"I wanted to do a project that I was passionate about because it makes the process more enjoy-

#### **Obituaries**

**TINCHER** - Charles E. Tincher Sr., 90, of Hoopeston, died at 10:40 p.m. Sunday, August 22, 2010, at V.A. Illiana Health Care Center, Danville. Graveside service will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston, with military rites by Hoopeston American Legion and VFW posts. There will be no visitation. Memorials are suggested to First Christian Church, 502 E. Main St., Hoopeston. Brown-Alkire Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

# **Board approves resignation,** hires new district employees

The Hoopeston Area school board on Thursday approved hiring several people, including:

Carla Mobley, middle/high school English
Brenda Granados, Maple personal aide
Danielle Clyden, eighth grade girls basketball
Larry Maynard, assistant football coach
Nikki Pruemer, high school girls track coach
Tom Benjamin and Bob Brown, volunteer soccer

coaches.

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The board also accepted Diane Goble's resignation as bus driver; honorably discharged Alisa Costa as Maple personal aide; and rescinded the employment of Joanna Knowles as middle/high school teacher.

#### Weather



Sunny today. High 80. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 53. Tomorrow, sunny. High 79, low 54.

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

able. With the problems facing the state and nation, I wanted to get the folks running for office together to discuss some solutions." Nesbitt said. "I have personally contacted every candidate and I am excited that they have committed to being a part of this event."

Nesbitt added that he is hoping that at least 100 people from the community will attend. The format will include some questions from the audience as well as standard questions concerning education, funding and job creation.

For additional information, call Nesbitt at 217-474-1460.

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#### PETS

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