

## The PIT STOP at FAST LANES

**Monday:** Taco Salad  
**Tuesday:** Chicken or Beef & Noodles  
**Wednesday:** Ribeye Sandwich,  
**Thursday:** Swiss Steak  
**Friday:** Cod & Ribeye  
**Saturday:** Open at 11 a.m. after parade  
 Full menu

**Saturday evening: Prime Rib & Ribeye**

**Closed Sunday & Monday, Labor Day**

**Open Bowling**

**Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday til close**

**YOUTH SIGNUP NOW.**

**BOWLING STARTS 9/11~**

**Ladies neded for Monday Night Ladies League. Call Fast Lanes or Karen Porth.**

**Friday Night League has opening for a couple of 4 person teams.**

**Call for more information.**

**Tickets on sale for  
 TONY BOOTH & Smoke River  
 Saturday, Dec. 11 at Fast Lanes!**

**Coming Sept. 19**

**Bowlers Choice Tournament  
 Squads at 9 & 12.**

**September 25-26**

**Seniors Tournament**

**50 & over at Lincoln Lanes on  
 Saturday, at 9 a.m. and 12 p.m.,  
 then finals at FAST LANES  
 on Sunday at 10 a.m. and 12 p.m.**

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## Author to share memories Sunday at Hoopeston library

Hoopeston native and author Don Shields will speak and sign copies of his book, "Growing Up Doughnut," at 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 5, at Hoopeston Public Library, 110 N. Fourth St.

"Growing Up Doughnut" is a story of simpler times in a small town that could be Anywhere, USA, but is set in Shields' hometown. It tells of the times when kids played until the streetlights came on and parents watched out for everyone's kids.

The story is funny, poignant, thought-provoking and, at times, heartbreaking. Although somewhat autobiographical in nature, Shields said the story is a work of

creative non-fiction with characters and themes that are universal.

Copies of the book will be available for purchase.

For more information, call the library, (217) 283-6711.

## Briefly

### Slab to be closed

Hoopeston city slab will be closed September 4 and 6 for the Labor Day holiday.

### Bowlers needed

Women bowlers needed for Monday night league at Fast Lanes in Hoopeston. Call Karen Porth 772-1105, Sharon Potter 748-6770 or Amy Wise 497-7199.

### Scout registration

Cub and Boy Scout registration for the 2010-2011 season will be 7-8 p.m. Friday Sept. 10 at Hoopeston Methodist Church. Cub Scouts are for boys in the 1st - 5th grades. Boy Scouts are for boys in the 6th grade and up but not yet 18 years old. Meetings are held on the third Friday of every month until May, at the church.

Cub Scouts enjoy learning about the community, patriotism, special projects and several events such as Fellar Cake Bake, Raingutter Regatta Races and the Pine-wood Derby.

Boy Scouts are much more involved with camping, community service and outdoor education through merit badge certifications.

### Save the Lorraine

A planning suggestion to save the Lorraine Theatre will be held at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 11, at the Lorraine. Owner Josh Caudle said the meeting is to discuss ideas and suggestions "to keep the Lorraine going for the long haul. All with constructive solutions and productive input are welcome to attend."

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**Wellington Lions Club**

**Ice Cream Social**

**Wednesday 4:30-7 p.m.**

**Park Shelter**

**Sandwiches & Desserts**

**Meet the contestants for the  
National Sweetheart Pageant!**

**In the  
Beer Tent  
Labor Day Weekend!**

Friday:

**Southbound 9-1**

Saturday:

music all night long with  
**Outbound Drive &  
Full Circle Band, 9-1**

Sunday:

**Bike Show** starts at noon  
**\$1.50 domestic beer**

Music by **Bathtub Gin &  
Sixty Three**

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**33rd Annual  
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 Saturday-Sunday-Monday  
 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

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## SBDC at DACC to host 'Internet Marketing 103: Social media, video and syndication'

The Small Business Development Center at Danville Area Community College will host "Internet Marketing 103: Social media, video and syndication" on Tuesday, September 14, from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. at the DACC office in the Village Mall. The \$20 registration fee includes lunch. Register by September 10th by calling (217) 442-7232 or at [www.dacc.edu/cce](http://www.dacc.edu/cce).

Marketch's Graham Peck will present: managing your business's social media presence, learn how to choose the right service and how it will impact your business, how to check your brand reputation and how video can help your business.

The Small Business Development Center, located in the DACC office at the Village Mall, provides informa-

tion and assistance to potential and existing Illinois small businesses through one-on-one counseling and training sessions. Those services include:

One-on-one business counseling for existing and start up businesses.

Assistance with developing, writing, and implementing business plans.

Preparing and implementing budgets.

Cash flow management.

Evaluating business acquisitions.

Evaluating legal entities.

Periodic Training Seminars.

Help identify-  
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for business fi-  
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Assistance with  
financial analysis  
and planning.

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### Fire Calls



Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 7:23 p.m. Monday to the 400 block of East Penn for an activated carbon monoxide detector. No injuries were reported.

### Obituaries

**BAKER** - William George Baker, 82, of New Caney, Tex., formerly of Hoopeston, died at 4:16 p.m. Friday, August 27, 2010, at Cleveland Regional Hospital, Cleveland, Tex. Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Burial will be in Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston, with military rites by Hoopeston American Legion and VFW posts. Visitation will be 5-8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

**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.

Drawing 1 p.m. Sept. 6 at HRHC Tent at the Festival  
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2nd place 15%  
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### Weather



Chance of thunderstorms today, tonight and tomorrow. High today 87, low 69. Tomorrow, high 84, low 63.

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

## Classifieds

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rossville Street Bazaar, Labor Day weekend. Vendors wanted. Call (217) 748-4344

### APARTMENTS FOR RENT

325½ S. Third St., Hoopeston. 3 BR upstairs.\$375+security. Fridge, stove included. No pets. References. For application, call (509) 432-3900

HOOPESTON - COZY 2-Bedroom 1-Bath corner Apt. Full basement. Walk to shopping, quiet area. Adult Complex.. NO PETS. \$475 + deposit. 626 S 8th. 217-260-2546. Available for immediate move in. Non Smoking

UPSTAIRS APARTMENT- Spacious, 2-3 bedroom, 1 bath, major kitchen appliances, washer/dryer; water/sewer; no smoking, service animals only; application, lease - first/last month rent, deposit; \$400 per month. Call 217-283-6463.

### HOUSES FOR RENT

Hoopeston: 904 W. Main. 2 story, 3 BR, fenced yard. \$550/mo. References, no pets. For application call (509) 432-3900.

1 BR - 520 S. 7th Street - \$360/mo. Deposit and references required.. No pets. Available immediately. Phone 217-474-9623.

### MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

Lane double reclining sofa, green/brown solid color, \$125; small La-Z-Boy recliner with dark brown slipcover, \$25. Call 217-283-7364.

### PETS

Free to good home: one-year-old dog, unknown breed, possible whip. Neutered, chipped, current on shots, housetrained. Loves water, bath time. Owner died. (217) 474-9229

### VEHICLES FOR SALE

1991 Ford F-150, motor great, needs starter work, body in good condition, interior good, solid vehicle. asking \$750.00 call 217-799-2385.