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Briefly

Energy assistance

East Central Illinois Community Action Agency will assist low-income residents with energy assistance from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Tuesday at Hoopeston Multi Agency, 206 S. First Ave. Bring Social Security cards for everyone in the household, current gas and electric bills, proof of income for the last 30 days for everyone in the household, and rent receipt.

Dedication ceremony set

The statue and base for the Vietnam War Memorial have been received and will be installed on the concrete pad shortly. A dedication program is scheduled for 1 p.m. Sunday, November 21 at the south end of McFerren Park in Hoopeston. The public is invited to attend. Details about the program will be released soon.

Coat drive

There are many children in our community who need coats. If you would like to donate new or gently-used coats, please drop them off at Hoopeston Multi Agency, 206 S. First Ave., from 9 a.m.-noon and 1-4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Library board packets available

Petition packets for trustee for Hoopeston Public Library

District are available at the desk of the library at 110 N. Fourth St., Hoopeston. Completed petitions may be filed December 13-20 at the library. The consolidated election is April 5, 2011.

Library hours are 9:30 a.m.-8 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 9:30-6 Friday and 9:30-3 Saturday.

Miracle Tree

Miracle Trees are now up with names of children who need your help making Christmas a little brighter. Trees are Pamida and Global Fashions and are decorated with tags containing information on each child, including sizes, interests in games, etc.

Anyone interested in helping a child have a merrier Christmas is asked to take a tag and return purchased gifts by December 10.

Also, Hoopeston Jaycees have Toys for Kids boxes around Hoopeston to collect toys, books and games for local children.

Senior Thanksgiving

Hoopeston Multi Agency will host a Senior Citizen Thanksgiving dinner at noon Thursday. To make a reservation, call 283-5544. Please bring a covered dish to share.

Larkin's Barber Shop

117 E. Attica St. (on alley)
Rossville IL

(217) 772-1440

Open: Tues., Wed., Thurs. Fri.

7 a.m.-5 p.m.

Sat. 7 a.m.-noon



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Darville Family YMCA • Auditory Care

JOIN US for free health screenings, cooking demonstrations, and presentations on many local health resources **Saturday, November 20, from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. at the St. Anthony's Parish Hall, 313 E. Lincoln Street, Hoopeston.** Flu shots will be offered from 10 a.m. to noon for \$30, or billed to your health insurance when you present your valid insurance card.



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113 E. Main, Hoopeston 283-5888

Veterans Day Special

All You Can Eat Lunch Buffet for 2

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Dinner Buffet 4-9 p.m. Friday

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The Hospital Gift Shop

Wolf's Chocolates!!

(217) 283-5582

Back buying gold sterling, coins, old watches this Saturday in Global Fashions!
Make that extra \$\$ just in time for Black Friday Christmas shopping!
Buying 10 am-2 pm,
no appointment required
In home appointments available Saturday after 2 pm Call Shannon 217 841-3991



Court Dispositions

October 7, 2010

Asheley Compton, Hoopeston, pleaded not guilty to battery; trial January 6, 2011.

Rafael Resendez, Hoopeston, pleaded not guilty to battery; trial January 6, 2011.

Richard Ingram, Hoopeston, pleaded not guilty to theft; trial December 2.

Kyle Douglas, Alvin, new status hearing November 4.

Becky Gibson, Hoopeston, failed to appear at status



hearing; cases transferred to Vermilion County Circuit Court, Danville.

Weather



Chance of rain today, tonight and tomorrow. Highs near 53, lows near 34.

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

Obituaries

BITNER - John Bitner, 63, of Melvin died at 7:27 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 13, 2010 at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Funeral arrangements were incomplete at Lamb Funeral Home, 303 N. Church St., Gibson City.

JUSTICE - Marjorie E. (Harness) Justice, 87, of Milford, died at 11:50 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 10, 2010, at Hawthorne Inn Nursing Home, Danville. Funeral service and burial will be private. Visitation was 12-2 p.m. Monday at Knapp Funeral Home, Milford. Memorials are suggested to Milford Township Fire District.

WATSON - Jewel Mae Watson, 80, of Thomasboro, died at 1 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 14, 2010, at home. Arrangements are pending at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston.

Classifieds

CHILD CARE

Mustard Seed Christian Daycare in Rossville has Immediate Openings Available in our Infant (6 - 15 months) and School Age (6 - 12 yrs) Classrooms. The school age classroom is before/after school and all day when there is no school. School age students get homework assistance, a healthy snack, and age appropriate activities. Call today for more information 217-748-6370 or check out our website at www.mustardseedchristiandaycare.org

HELP WANTED

Church seeks mature, responsible adult (18+) to care for small children during worship service, special events. Plan creative, age-appropriate activities, provide nurturing, safe environment. Background check required. Send letter of interest and resume to Personnel Committee, P.O. Box 297, Hoopeston IL 60942

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Thank You

To all my family, friends and loyal customers:

The last 18 months have been the most trying time of my life and I know that I have not always been available to many of you. But I had a commitment to my wife that I made to her the day we got married - "in sickness and in health, til death do us part." As you know, God called Pat home on August 29, 2010 after a courageous battle on her part.

I just want to say thanks to my family, friends and customers for all your support and understanding during this time. I also want to thank all the nurses, CNAs and support staff at Hoopeston Nursing Home while Pat was there for therapy. Dr. Colbert and the staff of the medical center also were very kind and caring to Pat. Thank you so much of taking time with Pat!

Also, I want to thank Hoopeston Ambulance Service for their prompt service when needed, as well as the volunteer firemen who showed up to offer assistance

when called. I also want to thank everyone at Carle Hospital for the care they gave to Pat during her stays there. A special thanks to everyone on Six North Tower.

The road has been pretty rough at times and I hope you never have to travel the path we did, but if you do, I hope you have the support of people like I received.

The problem with doing a thank you is that someone gets left out and if I have, I say a special thank you to you. All I can say is thanks to everyone who brought food, sent flowers or cards or said a prayer - Thank you from the bottom of my heart.

I am back at the office now and hope to provide the service to which you are entitled.

Finally, Pat, I miss you and love you more each day. Walk slowly until we meet again someday.

Thanks to all.

Leon Polson
Polson Insurance

6th Anniversary & New Tower Celebration

Wednesday, November 17, 2010

9:30 am - 6 pm

Join us as we celebrate our 6th Anniversary and our new towers in Rossville, Rankin and Potomac!

- * Refreshments
- * Enter to win a smartphone!
- * Phone School (learn how to send pictures, surf the web, and more!)
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