

The Karate Club 

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 **Hoopeston Lions Club**
Pancake Breakfast
Sat., Feb. 11 6 a.m.-1 p.m.
also serving Biscuits & Gravy
Hoopeston American Legion
502 E. Penn St.
Adults \$5 Under 6, free
Sausage available at Olympic Hardware
2 lb. bulk or patties

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Valentine's Day Specials

Filet Mignon 6 oz. \$22
Prime Rib 8 or 12 oz. \$17.75-\$19.95
Rib eye 12 oz. \$18.50
2 grilled Chicken Breasts \$12.75
Includes choice of potato, soup or salad.
No chicken/beef & noodles available this evening.

Serving 4:30-8:30
Reservations requested

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John Greer, middle school named 2011 Spotlight Schools

Two Hoopeston Area schools have been named Illinois Spotlight Schools for 2011.

John Greer and Hoopeston Area Middle School received the honor last month. They are two of 167 schools earning the honor this year.

The award recognizes high-poverty schools "where academic performance is closing the achievement gap," according to a congratulatory letter from Christopher A. Koch, state superintendent of education.

Criteria for the award include:

- At least half of enrolled students are classified as low-income in 2011
- Schools must have made Adequate Yearly Progress





for the last two years, 2010 and 2011, as required by No Child Left Behind. Under 2011 requirements, 85 percent of students had to meet or exceed standards.

- At least 60 percent of students must have met or exceeded standards in both reading and mathematics in 2011, and at least 50 percent of students met or exceeded the standards in 2009 and 2010.

According to the program's website, John Greer had a poverty rate of 66.2 percent of students, while HAMS' rate was 61 percent.

DACC College Goal Sunday

The Danville Area Community College Office of Financial Aid would like to invite you to attend a College Goal Sunday. The event will be held on Sunday, February 19, from 1:00-3:00 p.m. on the DACC campus in Vermilion Hall, Room 306. The purpose of this event is to invite families of students who will be attending college for the 2012-2013 school year to See DACC on other side



 **VFW**
Orange & 4th Ave., Hoopeston
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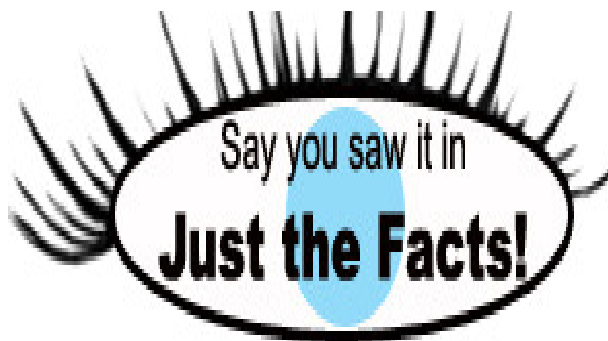
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BJ's Pump, NAPA take top spots in Hoopeston Bowling's City Tournament results

The results of the 2012 Hoopeston Bowling City Tournament have been announced.

The ladies team of BJ's Pump took first place with a score of 2,643. Members are Teri Huchel, Amy Wise, Jennifer Crawley and Karen Porth. In second was Nifty Fifty's - with Helen Taflinger, Sharon Potter, Patty Lowe and Linda VanBurke - with a score of 2,553.

Women's doubles winners were Leslie Hardcastle and Sue Troglia with a 1,357 over Jennifer Crawley and

Karen Porth with 1,339.

Susan Goble was the singles winner with a 692 over Debra Dillman and Jennifer Crawley's 666.

Women's all-events leader was Patty Lowe with 2,015 over Jennifer Crawley's 1,999.

On the men's side, NAPA took top honors with 2,839. Team members are George Fix, Bob Hamilton, Brandon Hamilton and Tony Gress. Coming in second was Ferdinand Construct with a 2,811. Members are Doug Wag-

oner, Aaron Gress, Jay Ferdinand and Chad Bruens.

Bob and Brandon Hamilton took the doubles category with a 1,463 over Dave Gaddis and Brandon Hamilton's 1,342.

Gary Toelstede's 745 was enough to take the singles category over Johnny Linder's 699.

Brandon Hamilton took all-event with 2,138 over Chad Bruens' 2,104. For all-event scratch, Hamilton and Bruens tied with 2,098 for a fine 233 average over nine games.

Obituaries

KAUFMAN - Ruth Fern (Reutter) Kaufman, 98, of Cissna Park, died Sunday, Feb. 5, 2012, at Hoopeston Community Memorial Nursing Home. Funeral service will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Christian bible Church, Cissna Park. Burial will be in Cissna Park Cemetery. Visitation was 4-8 p.m. Tuesday at Knapp Funeral Home, Cissna Park, and will be 9:30-10:30 a.m. Wednesday at the church. Memorials are suggested to Christian Bible Church Mission Fund.

KILGORE - John A. Kilgore, 71, of Milford, died Sunday Morning, Feb. 5, 2012, at his daughter's home in Royal Center, Ind. Funeral will be at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Knapp Funeral Home, Watseka. Interment will be private. Visitation will be 3-7 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

DACC continued from other side

complete the 2012-2013 Free Application for Federal Student Aid.

Participants will get hands-on help by professional financial aid specialists in completing the 2012-13 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Completing the FAFSA is the first step in determining eligibility for Federal and/or State student aid.

You will need to bring: your 2011 Federal Tax return; your parents 2011 Federal Tax Return; you and your parent's 2011 W-2 forms, 1099, or any other taxable income; and total amount of child support paid or received for 2011.

The 2012-13 school year begins with the fall 2012 semester at most colleges. DACC's fall 2012 semester begins August 20, 2012.

Make plans to attend the workshop and complete

Wrestlers take fourth at regionals, head to sectionals

Congratulations to the Hoopeston Area Cornjerker Wrestling Team who finished fourth in regionals. Individual winners include; Robbie Irvin who finished first; Zach Drollinger who finished second; Josh Johnson who finished third; Andrew Winchester who finished third; and "Big E" Ethan Linder who finished third.

These young men worked and wrestled hard the whole season and will be going to Sectionals. The coaching staff is extremely proud of every family member of the Cornjerker Wrestling team.

Other place winners are Jonny Martin and Aiden Berg who both placed fourth. Coach Ryan Morehouse would like to thank every parent, fan, and wrestling supporter, wrestling teammates Cody Coon, Trenton Lantern, Conner Willis, Devin Cartwright, Jason Wisdom, Gunner

Watson, Captain Colin Carswell, and the Hoopeston Area community, staff, and Administrators as a whole for making this and other season's a wonderful, memorable, and special experience for all those involved.

Wish our Sectional qualifiers luck on their journey to State.

Classifieds

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United Methodist Church is seeking a custodian for approximately 15 hours/week, could include some Saturday hours. Some flexibility with hours, job sharing a possibility. Job description and application can be picked up at Unger's Jewelry (283-6712) during business hours or call 283-6738 to make other arrangements.

Hoopeston Area CUSD #11 is seeking applications for a Secretarial Position at Honeywell Elementary School. Job Requirements include: Extensive knowledge of various computer programs and ability to work with students, staff and parents. Applications are available online at www.hoopeston.k12.il.us, click on Vacancies/Application

The City of Hoopeston is taking applications for the position of Animal Control. This will be a part time position for 24 hrs per week. Applications may be picked up at the Hoopeston City Hall, and must be returned by Friday February 17, 2012.

HOUSES FOR RENT

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Weather



Partly cloudy today. High 36. Tonight, clear. Low 22. Tomorrow, sunny. High 37, low 25.

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