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Spring in the air but golf carts should not be on streets-yet

It's not spring according to the calendar but the thermometer says otherwise. And once we feel like it's spring, we get the urge to clean the house, work in the garden and take the golf cart for a spin.

Don't do that last one yet.

Hoopeston Police Chief Mark Drollinger residents that golf carts may only be on city streets starting April 1.

Also according to the ordinance, only licensed drivers may operate golf carts in the city. Carts must be properly equipped and may not be operated on streets with posted speed limits of 35 mph or more. They may only cross Routes 1 and 9 at designated crossings. Golf carts must

be inspected by the police department and the operator must have a valid permit from the city.

The complete ordinance is available at [http://www.amlegal.com/nxt/gateway.dll/Illinois/hoopeston_il/cityofhoopestonillinoiscodeofordinances?f=templates\\$fn=default.htm\\$3.0\\$vid=amlegal:hoopeston_il](http://www.amlegal.com/nxt/gateway.dll/Illinois/hoopeston_il/cityofhoopestonillinoiscodeofordinances?f=templates$fn=default.htm$3.0$vid=amlegal:hoopeston_il).

While golf carts are permitted by the city, other low speed vehicles (LSV) must be licensed by the state. LSVs are defined as vehicles capable of going up to 25 mph that have tip over bars, along with seatbelts and a solid windshield. LSVs may be driven year round, while golf carts may be driven from April 1-November 30.

Don't 'fore'-get Bar Stool Golf

United Community Fund of Grant Township will hold one of its major fundraisers Saturday when local watering holes will have Bar Stool Golf.

All Hoopeston bars and clubs participate in the event, which raises money to help support social service and youth sports agencies.

Each establishment is limited to 15 teams; some establishments still have limited openings. For more information, call the bar/club of your choice.

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Briefly

Seeking groups to fund

Hoopeston Junior Women's Club is looking for local nonprofit agencies that could use some financial help. Funds will come from the group's upcoming spring carnival. To be eligible, groups must serve local children. Successful applicants will also provide volunteers to work at the carnival on Sunday, April 15.

To be considered, send a request listing the group's plans or needs and how funds would be used. Entries

must be received by April 1 and may be sent to HJWC, P.O. Box 225, Hoopeston IL 60942.

Vendors wanted

Women Making a Difference is seeking vendors for an event from 4-8 p.m. Friday, May 4, and 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday, May 5, at Hoopeston American Legion. Interested vendors are asked to call Betty, (217) 283-5715, or Marlene, 283-7027.

Additionally, WMD will have a fish/pork BBQ dinner

March 31 at Hoopeston American Legion and will sell raffle tickets for four \$50 Casey's gas cards. Money raised will be used for the group's scholarship program.

Spring production

Hoopeston Area High School drama department will present "Little Shop of Horrors" at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday in the high school auditorium. The musical is about an orphan who finds a strange plant. Admission is \$3 for adults, \$2 for students and free for senior citizens.



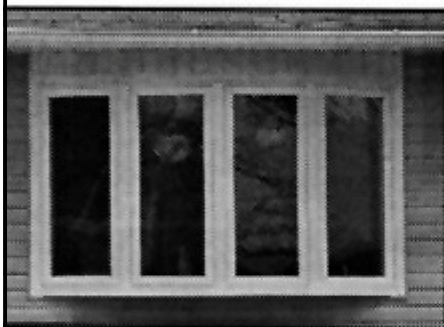
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Anthem Chevrolet has been awarded the 2011 Mark of Excellence Award from Chevrolet as recognition for being one of the highest performing dealers in the country.

The award means Anthem Chevrolet met or exceeded their 2011 Chevrolet sales, customer satisfaction index and vehicle registration effectiveness index objectives, as well as other measurable criteria.

In a letter to the dealership, Alan Batey, vice president of Chevrolet sales and service, congratulated Dave McFadden, owner operator of Anthem Chevrolet, on his willingness to push the dealership's performance to new heights and called him a role model for dealers across the country.

The 2011 award marks the second year in a row that Anthem Chevrolet has earned this distinction.

Lunch Menus



Hoopeston Area grade schools

MONDAY: Chicken nuggets, corn, applesauce, cookie, milk

TUESDAY: Double stuffed pizza, salad, peaches, milk

WEDNESDAY: Chicken fettuccini, salad, Max Sticks, pears, milk

THURSDAY: Mini corndogs, pineapple, milk

FRIDAY: No school

Hoopeston Area Middle/High schools

MONDAY: Chicken patty/bun or ham & cheese, corn, applesauce, pudding, milk

TUESDAY: Cook's choice

WEDNESDAY: Cook's choice

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Obituaries

NEWTON - Nancy L. Newton, 76, of Hoopeston, died at 6:22 p.m. Wednesday, March 14, 2012, at home. Arrangements are pending at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston.

PETERSON - Charles Peterson, 82, of Chrisman, formerly of Hoopeston, died at 5:56 p.m. Wednesday, March 14, 2012, at Pleasant Meadows Christian Village, Chrisman. Arrangements are pending at Anderson Fu-

Police News



Seth J. Gredy, 26, of Hoopeston, was arrested after an accident at 11:28 p.m. Tuesday in the 300 block of North Market.

Gredy, in a 1996 Oldsmobile, was southbound on Market when he allegedly hit a 1995 Chevrolet owned by Jenna Hart, also of Hoopeston, then fled.

Gredy was cited for reckless driving, no insurance, leaving the scene of an accident, failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident and illegal transportation of alcohol.

Police reported a passenger in Gredy's vehicle had minor injuries but refused medical treatment.

An 18-year-old Hoopeston woman reported at 1:08 p.m. Wednesday that someone damaged her vehicle in the 400 block of East Seminary.

Weather



Chance of storms today. High 79. Tonight, cloudy. Low 59. Tomorrow, chance of storms. High 78, low 61. Sunday, partly sunny. High 78, low 59.

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

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SCHROEDER - Helen D. Schroeder, 94, of Watseka, formerly of Milford, died Tuesday, March 13, 2012, at Iroquois Memorial Hospital, Watseka. Funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Calvary Lutheran Church, Watseka. Burial will be in Maple Grove Cemetery, Milford. Visitation will be 5-8 p.m. Friday at Knapp Funeral Home, Watseka, and 9-10 a.m. Saturday at the church. Memorials are suggested to donor's choice.

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