

Fish Fry

American Legion

5-8 p.m. Friday
502 E. Penn, Hoopeston
Serving Cod, Steak, Shrimp, Pork Chops,
Chicken Tenders & Chicken
plus salad, homemade onion rings or fries & roll



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Briefly

Softball signups

Hoopeston Softball signups will be held from noon-2 p.m. Saturday at Hoopeston City Hall.

Baseball signups

Hoopeston Area Youth Baseball will accept registrations until April 1 and will waive the \$20 late fee. Forms are available at Razor's Edge or contact Laura Warner, (217) 495-0433 or Tammy Ravens, 304-1525.

Class reunion meeting

H-EL Class of '77 35th reunion meeting will be

held at 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 28, at Brad and Jody Herman's house. Please plan to attend if you would like to help with reunion plans.

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.

Clinic to be closed

Charlotte Ann Russell Medical Center will be closed Sunday, April 8, to observe the Easter holiday.

Football meeting

Hoopeston Area school district will hold a community meeting at 7 p.m. April 10 in the high school auditorium to discuss the future of the high school football program. The community is invited to attend.



Cafe Delights
Bakery & Cafe
417 S. Market
Hoopeston
(217) 283-5566

Proceeds For Post Prom
Make sure you get the donuts you want. Call today to place your pre-orders for Saturday donut pickup. Also, order and prepay for your graduation cake on Saturday and **10%** of your cake purchase will also go to the Post Prom.

Easter Sale

Bunny Rabbits, Little Girls' Purses,
Aprons, Easter Eggs, Plush Easter

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 **Saturday March 24**
Ring Girl Contest
Signups 7-10:30 p.m.
Contest at 11 p.m.
Friday March 30
Weigh-ins 6-7:30 p.m.
Saturday March 31
Fights at 7 p.m. McFerren Park
After Party at Blue Moon
immediately following fights with DJ Rockstar

The Karate Club 
Bill & Susan McGee
upstairs of Multi Agency
206 S. First Ave., Hoopeston
(217) 497-3916 (217) 497-7307

 **Karon S. Gibson**, 69, of Hoopeston, was ticketed for disobeying a traffic control device after an accident at 7:59 a.m. Tuesday. Gibson, in a 2011 Chevrolet bus owned by East Central Community Action Agency, Danville, reportedly told police the sun was in her eyes as she pulled into the intersection of Lincoln and South Sixth Avenue, hitting a 1995 GMC delivery truck, owned by Interstate Brands Corp., of Peoria, and driven by Rodney D. Strebing, of Danville. No injuries were reported.

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 11:42 a.m. Tuesday in the 500 block of East Thompson. Police said Katherine S. Seiders, of Hoopeston, backed a 1996 Dodge from a driveway into a 2004 Chevrolet truck owned by the City of Hoopeston.

A **47-year-old** Hoopeston man reported at 10:45 p.m. Tuesday that someone took money from Hoopeston Area High School on March 16.

Christine Rhodes, 36, of Hoopeston, was arrested at

Teens raise money for shelter
First Church of God teens raised over \$1000 with the proceeds going to C.A.R.A. (Citizens for Animal Rescue and Adoption). Teens held a rummage/bake sale on St. Patrick's Day. Pamida also allowed teens also set up a donation cart to give people the opportunity to donate pet supplies.

We would like to thank everyone that donated items, baked goodies and helped with the sale. A special thank you to Twisted Sisters who donated a trailer full of items for the sale. It was a huge success. This is just one project the First Church of God youth group has planned.

BUY & SELL
•Antiques
•Gently-used Clothing
•Home Furnishings
1/2 PRICE
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Clothing
March 8-30
TWISTED SISTERS
129 S. Chicago-Rossville IL 60963
Sherry Decker - 217 433-9056
Wed.-Sat., 10-5 or by appointment

Police News 

9:46 p.m. Tuesday at Orange and Third. Wanted on a Vermilion County small claims warrant, she was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

A **24-year-old** Hoopeston man reported at 9:39 p.m. Tuesday that electronics were stolen from the 300 block of North Eighth Avenue.

A **set of keys** was found at 8:35 a.m. Wednesday at the McFerren Park annex. The owner may identify and claim them at the police station.

A **lime green** Next bicycle was reported stolen Wednesday from the 200 block of West Maple. The tires have flames on them.

A **dark metallic** blue bicycle was stolen from the 400

Rossville Legion to hold fundraising dinner Friday
Rossville American Legion will hold a Cheeseburger Night at the legion from 4-8 p.m. Saturday, March 24.

The menu will include burgers, fries and homemade desserts. Cost is \$6 for a single burger, fries and dessert or \$7 for a double burger, fries and dessert.

The Escapees will play from 8-?

Proceeds will go towards Independence Day fireworks and building maintenance.

Weather 
Chance of showers today, tonight, tomorrow. High today 70, low 52. Tomorrow, high 66, low 50. Sunday, sunny. High 67, low 49.

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

 **It's Spring!
2012 Memberships
available!**
North Fork Conservation Club
4148 N 1700 East Rd., Hoopeston 283-4646
Fish Fry Fridays, 11 a.m.-7 p.m.

block of West Elm. There is fringe on the handlebars.

A **black and white** BMX-type bicycle was found Wednesday at McFerren Park. The owner may identify and claim it at the police station.

Classifieds

APARTMENTS FOR RENT
Upstairs Apartment House- Hoopeston, 3 Bedroom, 1 Bath, Garage Space \$375 plus Sec. Deposit. References, Background check. 217-304-3477 after 4pm
Layden Manor Apartments: Taking applications for a 2 bedroom, second floor apartment with many upgrades. Call Dawn at 217-304-1761.

HELP WANTED
The City of Hoopeston Street and Alley Department is now taking applications for a full time employee. Applicants must be 21 years of age, have a valid driver's license, have a high school diploma or GED and be able to acquire a CDL or equivalency thereof, within 90 days of hiring. Must be able to perform heavy and sustained manual labor and be able to lift at least 100 lbs. Applicant should be self-motivated, safety conscious and be able to follow instructions. Must be able to pass a physical, drug test and background check. Application may be picked up at the City Building-water department window. The City of Hoopeston is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Applications must be returned by March 26, 2012.

LOST & FOUND
LOST: 1 yr. old black & white female cat. Last seen Sunday in 600 block of West Elm. If found, please call (270) 366-2436

NOTICES
The City of Hoopeston Parks Dept. is taking bids for the spraying of Ball Field, Parks and other depts. Specs may be picked up at Hoopeston City Hall. Bids will be opened on April 3 at 10:00 a.m.

The City of Hoopeston Parks Dept. is taking bids for a 60" Bell Deck Zero Turn Hydro mower with a 25-30 Hp Motor. This should be a commercial model, and a trade in of a 2010 Toro 2 master 60 inch deck with 27 Hp Koeler motor. 705 working hrs.

RUMMAGE SALES
HOOPESTON: 619 E. Young, Sat., 9-6 In house sale. Salt & pepper shaker collection, dishes, men's clothing, furniture, appliances. Everything must go!

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