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First Baptist Church to present the movie *Milltown Pride*

Will Wright dreams of playing baseball in the big leagues and is ready to sacrifice anything to make it happen.

But in South Carolina during the 1920s, the only path to pro baseball is through the local textile mill team. Against the wishes of his wealthy father, Will leaves his family and privileged life behind to work in the harsh conditions at Newton Mill. His natural talent on the field makes him the rising star of the mill-league team - and also earns him a dangerous rival.

How much will he risk for his chance at the big leagues? And when you hit rock bottom, is there a way

up?

Those questions will be answered Saturday and Sunday, when First Baptist Church of Hoopeston presents the feature-length film, *Milltown Pride*.

Saturday's event is strictly for those 12-20 and will begin with a softball game at 2 p.m. Attendees will also enjoy a ball park supper before seeing the movie.

Sunday, all ages are welcome for the 4 p.m. screening.

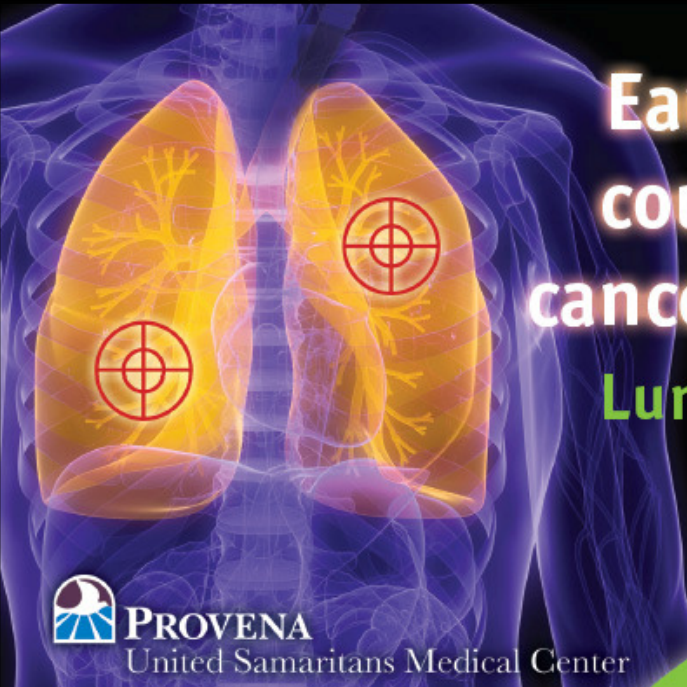

Thomas Sneed (Will Wright) will attend both showings, which are free.

For more information, call (217) 283-6820. Visit MilltownPride.com to learn more about the movie.

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A few weeks ago we lost a special man, a husband, father, son, grandfather, and friend, Jim Pajor.
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 Thank you!
 Just two simple words, we cannot begin to express how grateful we are for all of the support. The enormous amounts of love, support and condolences we have received from our community have been most humbling. Comforting words, thoughts and prayers of Hoopeston citizens and the surrounding communities have made an impossibly painful situation a little less painful. In our time of need, you were there for us. In our time of grief, you grieved with us. In our time of sorrow, you helped to lift our spirits. You are the backbone of our business and we will continue to be there for you as you have been there for us. Your support is never ending. Our local fire department and Lions Club will benefit greatly through the memorials you all have given in Jim's memory. Jim's send off was amazing...I love that man. And he smiles...

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Obituaries

CLINGAN - Kyle Clingan, 22, of Alvin, died Sunday, April 22, 2012, in Alvin. A celebration of his life will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Crossroads Christian Church, Danville. Burial will be in Gundy Cemetery, Bismarck. Visitation will be 4-8 p.m. Thursday at Sunset Funeral Home and Cremation Center, Danville.

McPHERSON - Wilma (Seitz) McPherson, 85, of Milford, died at 7:58 p.m. Saturday, April 21, 2012, at Home. Visitation will be 5-8 p.m. Wednesday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Burial will follow in Floral Hill Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to Iroquois Memorial Hospice, 200 Laird Lane, Watseka IL 60970.

RUTLEDGE - Michael Brian Rutledge, 49, of Hoopeston, died at 12:50 a.m. Sunday, April 22, 2012, in Hoopeston. Arrangements are pending at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston.

Police News

Wayne S. Propes, 39, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 9:10 a.m. Sunday at Parkview Court. He was charged with criminal trespass to state supported property and disorderly conduct and was released on bond.

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 4:04 p.m. Monday in the 500 block of North Dixie Highway. Police said Gayla J Comstock, of Hoopeston, drove a 2005 Hyundai into a newly-paved driveway. Comstock's car became stuck in wet cement and had to be towed from the scene.

Police said the driveway was not blocked by cones.

Briefly

Seniors to meet
Rossville Senior Citizens will meet at 1 p.m. Thursday at the fire station. Everyone is welcome!

Hydrant flushing
Hoopeston Water Department will begin flushing hydrants Friday, weather permitting.

Basketball awards
Hoopeston Area High School boys basketball will host an awards assembly from 2-3 p.m. Sunday, May 6, in the high school cafeteria, where awards will be presented and dessert enjoyed.

An information session will also be held, including summer information and plans for the program.

Fire Calls

Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 8:33 a.m. Monday to the 400 block of East Thompson for a report of a smell of something burning in a home. Nothing was found, no damage reported.

Weather

Chance of storms today, tonight. High 72, low 55. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 66, low 41.

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

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Rossville-Alvin School District is an equal opportunity employer. Application deadline is May 1, 2012 by 4:00 pm.

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