

Fish Fry

5-8 p.m. Friday

American Legion

502 E. Penn, Hoopeston

Serving Cod, Tenderloins, Shrimp, Chicken & Chicken Tenders with salad plus choice of fries, onion rings or kettle fries

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National Weather Service classifies May 6 storm as tornado

The National Weather Service in Lincoln confirmed that a tornado was contained within the severe weather that impacted Hoopeston on May 6.

Legion seeks help with flags

Hoopeston American Legion will place flags Floral Hill Cemetery graves, in preparation for Memorial Day, starting at 9 a.m. Monday. Assistance from the public is appreciated. For more information, call Bob Duffin, (217) 840-9241.

Assistance is also requested when flags are removed at 9 a.m. Thursday, May 31.

At 5:14 p.m. trained weather spotters viewed several areas of rotation around Hoopeston, along with high wind measurements. Hoopeston Emergency Management team decided to sound the warning sirens due to the low visibility, rapid rotation and high winds. At 5:18 p.m. Doppler Radar indicated a tornado touched down about 3.2 miles south-southwest of Hoopeston, traveling east, just south of Route 9 at 25 mph and was about 75 yards wide. At 5:23 p.m. the tornado dissipated about one mile southwest of City Hall, 301 W. Main St.

Based on damage, the National Weather Service categorized the tornado as an EF0 with winds of 80-85 mph.

Memorial Day Decorations for the cemetery

Many choices of stone saddles, hanging baskets, cemetery vases of permanent silks

Plants and planters

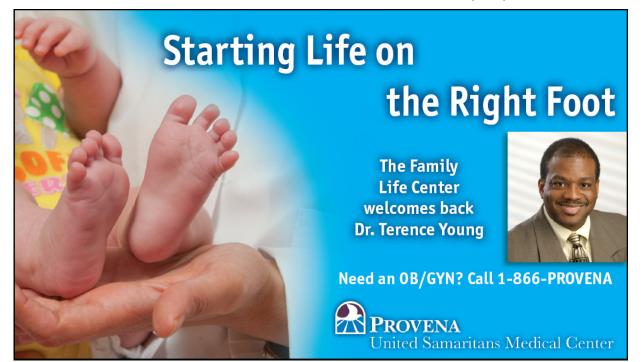
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Teacher request forms

Teacher request forms are available at Maple, Honeywell, and John Greer offices through May 25. The form has been revised. Parents will be asked to provide information about their child's personal, health, and academic characteristics. Parents will be able to request teacher characteristics that would best meet their child's needs. Specific teacher names will not be listed.

Along with parent comments, elementary principals will consider teaching stylfes, learning styles, academic skills, behavior, and class size to balance classrooms and guide placement.

Police News



A 35-year-old Hoopeston woman reported at 9:25 a.m. Wednesday that someone took an auger drill from the back of her truck while it was parked in the 800 block of East Chestnut.

A woman's ring was found in front of Sheridan's. The owner may identify and claim it at the police station.



Sunday May 20th 1-3 p.m. 506 E. Attica, Rossville Illinois 3/4 bedroom, 2 bath, many updates,



Matthew Morgan

Forms may be printed from the Hoopeston Area website, www.hoopestonk12.il.us, under Registration.

Babysitting class

American Red Cross Babysitters' Training Class will be held from 9 a.m.m-4 p.m. Wednesday, May 30, at First Presbyterian Church, Hoopeston, The one-day course for 11-15-year-olds will give them the skills and confidence to be great babysitters. Cost is \$85. Students should bring a sack lunch. Register by calling (217) 283-6229.

Change in walking hours

Effective immediately, the Civic Center will be closed to walkers at 3:30 p.m. It will not be open on Saturday

Weather



Sunny today. High 83. Tonight, clear. Low 59. Tomorrow, sunny. High 86, low 63. Sunday, mostly sunny. High 86, low 64.

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

Hoopeston Multi Agency

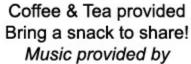
Senior Citizen Dance

May 19 6-9 p.m.

206 S. First Avenue, Hoopeston (East on Main Street, One block short of railroad tracks)

> Please come to enjoy music, fellowship & dancing

\$3 per person



Tom Kukla The Captain's Three Band

For more information, call (217) 283-5544

and Sunday at all.

Beginning June 1, it will be closed at noon.

Beginning October 1, it will be open 7:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Monday-Friday.

Lunch Menus



Hoopeston Area grade schools

MONDAY: Chicken strips, green beans, applesauce, fruit snacks, milk

TUESDAY: Maple & Honeywell-Pizza Hut (cheese) salad, peaches, milk; John Greer-hotdog/bun, mac & cheese,

WEDNESDAY: Maple & Honeywell-ham & cheese sandwich, chips, apple slices, juice, milk; John Greer-Pizza Hut (cheese) salad, peaches, milk

THURSDAY: No school FRIDAY: Report card day

Hoopeston Area Middle/High schools

MONDAY-WEDNESDAY: Cook's choice

THURSDAY: No school FRIDAY: Report card day



Classifieds

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Countryside, 217 E. Main, Hoopeston. Open Fri & Sat., 9-12. Memorial Day silk bushes \$1 and \$2 each. Stems of flowers 12 for \$2. 25 cent, 50 cent tables of bargains. Just in: red tractor

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