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Board approves corrective action plan, varsity cut policy

Some activities will be curtailed at Hoopeston Area schools as a means of having more instructional time.

At Thursday evening's meeting, the school board approved the district's corrective action plan. The plan covers field trips, PBIS celebrations, assemblies, Christmas programs and other activities.

Field trips, designated as activities outside Hoopeston, will be limited to one per building per year. John Greer will include Outdoor School and DARE trip to the Public Safety Building, while the high school will keep anatomy class trip to DACC, special education junior/senior trip to DACC for transition conference; and junior to College Day at DACC.

PBIS (Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports) celebrations will be allowed 4-7 times, approximately one hour long and not to interfere with math/reading instruction. Optional booster/pop-up celebrations may be 25-30 minutes long as data reflects. Boot camps and refreshers are not included and are considered part of the PBIS instruction.

Assemblies are expected to be educational and tied to curriculum. The day before Christmas can be used as flexible time in all buildings.

Christmas programs for kindergarten through fourth grade will be moved to a Sunday afternoon, different from the middle/high school concert. Each entire grade will sing one to two songs, culminating in one song sung by all grades at the end of the program.

John Greer band and chorus tour has been changed so that it will remain at John Greer with Maple and Honeywell students coming to the school for the concert at a time to be determined by John Greer staff.

Some things have been cut from the calendar, including an assembly for Sweetcorn Festival queens, as well as Halloween and Valentine's Day parties. Birthday

treats will be allowed in grades kindergarten-fourth during milk break time only. Passing out treats outside the classroom is not allowed.

Fifth and sixth grade will have birthday recognition during recess.

Activities that will be kept/unchanged include Ag in the Classroom, Traveling Naturalist, hearing/vision/dental screenings, school pictures, restroom breaks and Veterans Day assembly.

Activities that will be kept but timing adjusted include bullying presentations, which will take place during PE or lunch recess; Jump Rope for Heart, during PE; Air-wave, moved to end of the year celebration; fundraiser assemblies, moved to PE or lunch recess; Big Brothers/Big Sisters and breakfast, kept but need better communication with high school teacher on schedules and times for kids and breakfast; Book Fairs, held during Grandparents Day or after school.

Also, Grandparents Day will be held on the same day for both Maple and Honeywell, with one serving breakfast and the other serving lunch. The DARE graduation will be kept but will not include the sixth grade band and yearbook pictures will take place during lunch recess.

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In related action, the board approved the extracurricular cut policy, which allows all head coaches to cut a team to a workable number. Each head coach must consult with the high school principal and athletic director before initiating the policy. The police is for varsity teams only; co-op teams are exempt from it.

Coaches will communicate the police with each athlete and parent during the pre-season meeting, covering

suiting up, playing time, lettering requirements and training rules.

Cuts may be made after a maximum of three practices and coaching staff is required to meet with the principal and AD before any student athlete is cut.

Coaches are expected to counsel students on a regular basis regarding their skills relative to the sport. Counseling is to be done in a positive manner and is not meant as a means of chasing athletes away but to help them evaluate their abilities and future participation in a given activity.

Families must understand that students who make the varsity team may not suit up for all games and playing time ought not be assumed, according to the policy.

In unrelated business, the board:

- Approved the retirements of Christine Newman, fourth grade teacher, and Cheryl Pugh, third grade teacher and the resignations of Kara Haley, eighth grade math and Mitch Pruemer, Honeywell PE.
- Approved hiring Lucy Overlander, part time Maple personal aide; Bre Johnson, developmental kindergarten

teacher; Jillian Caughron, third grade teacher; Candance Freeman, fifth grade teacher; Rachel Zick, sixth grade teacher; Greg Kuhn, high school English teacher; Toni Duval, middle school classroom aide/eighth grade volleyball coach/varsity volleyball coach; and Karen Romig, middle school reading interventionist.

Briefly

Football camp

Hoopeston Area High School football camp will be held next week from 6-8 p.m. nightly. Cost is \$15.

VBS

Hoopeston Community Church of the Nazarene will hold "PRAISE" vacation bible school from 6-8 p.m. July 22-26. Children ages 4-sixth grade are welcome. Stealth Force 7, a Christian improve group, will take part in each session, which will also include music, games, crafts and snacks. To register, call (217) 283-9771.

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Police News

A key and key ring were found outside the McFerrer Park Civic Center at 7:15 a.m. Thursday. The owner may identify and claim them at the police station.

Thomas J. Wray, 22, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 7:45 a.m. Thursday at Downtown Motel, 200 E. Main. Wanted on a Vermilion County warrant for failure to appear/jury trial, he was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

A set of keys was found at 7:32 p.m. Thursday in the ShopKo parking lot. The owner may identify and claim them at the police station.

Heidi Cano, 33, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 11:13 p.m. Thursday in the 200 block of East Washington. Wanted on a Vermilion County warrant for failure to

appear, he was released on \$200 bond with a new court date.

Police are investigating a hit-and-run accident reported at 3:30 p.m. Friday at 1028 W. Chestnut. An unknown vehicle hit a parked 2012 Dodge Charger owned by PV Holding Corp., Charlotte, NC.

A 15-year-old Hoopeston girl was arrested after a disturbance at 5:19 p.m. Friday in the 400 block of East Honeywell. The girl was charged with possession of cannabis and was released on a notice to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

Vicki Ford, 54, of Hoopeston, was arrested after a verbal altercation at 7:55 p.m. Saturday in the 800 block of East Seminary. She was released on a notice to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

A Modern Fairy Tale

Goldilocks' Porridge Shop

Goldilocks opened a porridge shop after visiting the Three Bears.

She wanted to increase business and advertised in the longest-running publication in the land. Then the bill came. "These prices are too high and nobody bought my porridge," she said. She advertised in another publication but noticed they piled up in doorways and saw dogs treating them as toys. "My ads are not being seen and no one is buying my porridge," she said.

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Fire Calls



- Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 8:56 p.m. Friday to Hoopeston Regional Health Center, 701 E. Orange for an activated alarm, which turned out to be a malfunction.
- Firemen were called at 6:59 p.m. Saturday to the alley of the 700 block of East Elm for an illegal burn.

Obituaries

BAINBRIDGE - Russell Bainbridge, 74, of Ross-ville, formerly of Las Vegas, died at 5:46 p.m. Thursday, July 19, 2012, at home. Arrangements were incomplete at Wolfe Funeral Home & Cremation Service, Hoopeston.

Weather



Hot today. High 98. Tonight, cloudy. Low 72. Tomorrow, chance of storms. High 97, low 71.

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