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## City streets to be 'Highways to Heaven' for fundraiser

People of Hoopeston- Hear Ye! We are making an offer never before made in the history of the world. On Saturday, October 27, all highways and streets in Hoopeston will be proclaimed "Highways to Heaven." Mock toll booths will be available on street corners to procure tickets to heaven for a mere free will donation," said Aly Nicholls, Senior, HAHS, St. Anthony Youth Group.

"Doesn't it make sense that if you support our service project to help others that you ought to go straight to heaven?" asked David Cornelius. "You will receive a ticket to heaven as a receipt. Be sure to save it for 'later use'!"

"Where else can anyone get a free pass to heaven?" asked Terra Scharlach. "I really believe that it will be worth the drive to the highway intersection just to take advantage of such a deal. I mean a sure ticket to heaven for a mere donation? Hard to believe!"

Hard to believe or not, the St. Anthony Youth group will be operating mock "Highway to Heaven" toll booths all day on Saturday at the highway intersection. Many will remember the popular TV Series of the 1980's with the same name. Proceeds will be in support of their 13th annual mission trip in June, this year to Lancaster, PA.

Each year the St. Anthony Youth Group goes on a mission trip. They go where it is not only a service project to help others in need, but where they can have a different social, cultural and spiritual experience as well.

In June, in New Orleans, students helped improve one of our nation's most needy cities. They also socialized with 225 other students their age, began and ended each day in prayer and experienced the true culture of the South. They worked four days and had one free day.

The work experience included house and building repair, landscaping and soup kitchens. On the free day, they toured an old plantation, enjoyed New Orleans "po boy" sandwiches, rode the trolley down magnificent St. Charles Street, had dinner in the French Quarter, walked down Bourbon St. and finished the day listening to old

See HEAVEN on other side

## Police News

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 3:47 p.m. Sunday in the 400 block of South Dixie Highway. Police said Rhonda Carter, of Hoopeston, in a 2011 Dodge Nitro, backed into a 2008 Saturn owned by Amy Crawford, of Milford.

Tuesday is  
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## Briefly

### Hoopeston Area fall concert

Hoopeston Area's fall concert will begin at 7 p.m. Thursday in the middle school gym. The concert will feature the middle school band, middle and high school choruses and music of the Marching Cornjerkers.

It is also Senior Night—senior music students and their parents will be recognized.

The 2013-14 drum majors and color guard captains will also be announced.

### Library celebrates football

Hoopeston Public Library celebrates the fall football season of Hoopeston and Rossville teams with a vintage photo display in the case in the Reading Room area. The display is called "Football: Teams and Touchdowns."

### Seniors to meet

Rossville senior citizens will gather at 1 p.m. October 25 at the fire station. Everyone is welcome! The event is sponsored by Rossville Community Organization.



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**Sunday, November 4, 2012**

Brunch Served 8 a.m.-1 p.m.

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**Biscuits & Gravy, Rolls, Egg Casserole**

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### Sign me up

Tosha Piper, left, and Linda Zimmerman, right, listens as Sharon Dixon, of Financial Network, describes an animated bear to be given away at last week's Women's Night Out. The bear was won by Ginger Bertram. Women's Night Out was sponsored by Hoopeston Regional health Center and Robinson Chiropractic of Hoopeston.

### Heaven continued from other side

New Orleans Dixieland Jazz at Preservation Hall. According to Charlene Cessna, "New Orleans was really different, it was just like being in a foreign country."

"And the other students we met will be friends forever," added Hannah Bray.

In New Orleans students slept on a school's classroom floors. "We do that every year," said Dane Nicholls. "But, in New Orleans it was a grade school with no locker room or showers. We showered each day in makeshift showers composed of five shower heads fed by one outdoor faucet. It was not only cold water, but hardly any pressure as well. We had to dance around just to get wet."

This year in Lancaster, the students will have an Amish experience in addition to their service projects.



### Weather



Chance of storms today. High 77. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 59. Tomorrow, sunny. High 79, low 61.

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

### Classifieds

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