

BLACK FRIDAY DEALS!!!

Here's a sneak peek of some of the deals during our Black Friday Sale!*

Stanley Hammer.....	\$6
Mocha Tool Set & Log Basket.....	\$20
Makita 4½" Grinder.....	\$60
Sparrow Helicopter.....	\$80
Stanley 20 pc. Screwdriver Set.....	\$15
8" Adjustable Wrench, 8" Lineman Pliers.....	\$6
Stanley 25' Tape.....	\$6
Black & Decker Gyro Cordless Screwdriver.....	\$28
14.5" Magnet Floor Sweeper.....	\$20

+ much more!

*While supplies last

Olympic Hardware

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Hoopeston EMA report says Gifford tornado missed city

Hoopeston Emergency Management Agency (EMA) conducted an active response to the severe weather that occurred on Sunday, Nov. 17.

At approximately 11 a.m., Hoopeston EMA weather spotters were called out. Around 1:15 p.m., the line of storms reached the Hoopeston area and trained spotters witnessed multiple signs of an incoming wind event or tornado. At 1:17 p.m., Hoopeston EMA Coordinator, Scott Strawser, decided to sound the warning sirens in Hoopeston.

Once the storm passed, Hoopeston EMA staff began

damage assessment in Hoopeston. Power was out throughout town, as well as land line telephone service. Minor wind damage was noted throughout town, and a large tree had fallen on Chestnut St. between Fourth and Fifth streets. The rafters on the new addition under construction at Autumn Fields Adult Community were blown down.

Hoopeston EMA was contacted by the National Weather Service and Vermilion County EMA to conduct initial damage assessment in an area northwest of

See TORNADO on other side

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Sunday, December 1st
Open House
Door Prizes ~ Refreshments
Starting at 1 p.m., as a special treat, Stacy Sprague will be here to sing songs from her new CD, "Christmas Time Is Here."

Flowers & Gifts by Mully Culbert
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Don't forget to pick up your Thanksgiving Pies and Dinner Rolls
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Wednesday: Rib eye Sandwich or Speedway Burger/fries
Thursday: Closed
Friday: Closed for lunch. For dinner, it's Cod, Rib eyes

Wednesday
7-8-9 Pin Tournament
Starts at 7 p.m. - Open to everyone

Open Bowling
Friday 2 p.m.
Saturday 12-close
Sunday 12-4

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Black Friday and Small Business Saturday Specials

Nov. 29 & 30 Only

30% Off Citizen Eco-Drive watches

30% Off Bridal Jewelry (in stock)

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The Magic of Christmas

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Saturday, November 30 • 5-8 p.m.

**Hoopeston United Methodist Church, 403 E. Main
 and Hoopeston Civic Center**

Take a free ride on the MAGICAL EXPRESS
 to a magical Christmas land, with free activities.

Christmas crafts: 5 tickets/\$2.

Hot chocolate bar and food court (extra charge).

Take your own photos with Santal

Board the Magical Express at the United Methodist Church.

Buses will leave the church and the Civic Center every 15
 minutes, for the round-trip Magical Express experience.

You may stay as long as you'd like!

The final bus will leave the Civic Center at 8 p.m.

Children MUST be accompanied by an adult on the bus!

Wear your pajamas, if you'd like!



New Books at the Library



Fiction

Harvest of Rubies by Tessa Afshar (Large Print/
 Inspirational)
 Roxy's Story by V.C. Andrews
 Esrever Doom by Piers Anthony (Science Fiction)
 Return to Me by Lynn Austin (Inspirational)
 Catch and Release by Lawrence Block

Police News



Christopher McFadden, 30, of Hoopeston, was arrested after an incident at 8:06 p.m. Sunday in the 400 block of east Washington. He was charged with domestic battery on a complaint from a 27-year-old Hoopeston woman and was also charged with interfering with the reporting of domestic battery.

McFadden was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

Tornado continued from other side

town. Damage was noticed along a line ranging from an area west of Route 1 to East Lynn, and as far south as 3700N road. Heavy damage was noted along 990E road and 770E road.

Hoopeston EMA staff also assisted the Rankin-East Lynn Fire Protection District in blocking roadways and manning the East Lynn fire station. Around 4:50 p.m., power was restored to Hoopeston. Pictures of the damage, as documented by Hoopeston EMA, are available on Hoopeston EMA's Facebook page at www.facebook.com/HoopestonEMA

The National Weather Service stated that the weather event that struck the Hoopeston area was the same tornado that struck Gifford in Champaign County. That storm started 2 miles east of Thomasboro (Champaign County) and lifted 3.6 miles southwest of Wellington (Iroquois County). That tornado traveled 29.7 miles, and was 1/4 mile wide with a peak wind of 140mph, and missed a direct impact of the City of Hoopeston by a few miles.

Weather



Chance of flurries today. High 35. Tonight, cloudy. Low 18. Tomorrow, partly sunny. High 29, low 17.

The Litter of the law: a Mrs. Murphy Mystery by Rita Mae Brown & Sneaky Pie Brown (Mystery)
 Deadline by Sandra Brown (Large Print)
 Spring Awakening (A Summerset Abbey novel) by T.J. Brown (Large Print)
 The Dating Games: #1 First Date by Melody Carlson



Hoopeston Junior Women's Club

Taco Night

Wednesday, Nov. 27 4-8 p.m.

Hoopeston American Legion

Tacos 50/50 drawing Bake Sale Nachos
 \$2 ea. Gift Basket Raffle Supreme
 3/\$5 Music by Rockin' Roy DJ
 All proceeds go back to our Community!

Hoopeston All-In-1 Day

Are you planning to attend DACC classes
 in Danville or Hoopeston in the spring?

**Complete orientation, placement testing and
 registration at the DACC Higher Learning Center in
 Hoopeston December 6, from 9a-5p (lunch provided)**

Career Assessment Day December 2nd from 1-5p

New Spring classes added in Hoopeston!

Math 105 (taught by Mrs. Konieczki) and Reading 098

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