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**The PIT STOP at FAST LANES**  
**Tuesday: Beef or chicken & noodles or Speedway (Ranch) Burger**  
**Wednesday: Ribeye Sandwich or Spaghetti**  
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**Friday: Cod or Rib eye Steaks**  
**Saturday: Prime Rib or Rib eyes**  
 Youth League starts Tuesday night. Anyone interested is urged to be here at 6:30.  
 Coming Saturday, Sept. 27 - 8:30-12  
**Yesterday's Country**  
 featuring Charlie & Speed Crozier, Terry Polson and the worst Packer fan, Dave Borders  
**Sunday, September 28, it's Country Music Legend Gene Watson** at the civic center starting at 2 p.m. Limited tickets still available.  
 Call or stop by Fast Lanes!  
**719 W. Elm, Hoopeston (217) 283-6505**

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## Changes, additions, give teeth to Hoopeston dog ordinances

Hoopeston City Council approved new ordinances that protect dogs from bad people and protect people from bad dogs.

The council unanimously approved ordinances concerning cruelty to animals, biting dogs, vicious dogs, dangerous dogs, possessing dogs while possessing illegal drugs and companion animal hoarding at Tuesday night's meeting.

Some of the ordinances expand definitions, while others are completely new, said Alderman Brandon Hamilton, who presented the ordinances based on input from police Chief Mark Drollinger, animal control officer Sherry Klemme and city attorney Andrew Mudd.

Below is a synopsis of each ordinance:

**Cruelty to animals** is defined by overworking, beating torturing or killing any animal, or causing or knowingly allowing such things; by working old, maimed, sick or disabled animals; failing to provide food and water, shelter or veterinary care or abandoning old, maimed, sick or disabled animals on a roadway; by inducing or allowing a fight between animals; failing to provide sanitary living environment or leaving an animal anywhere where its life is threatened by exposure, heat or cold.

The **biting dogs** ordinance makes it illegal for anyone to give away or take outside the city limits any dog that has injured a person by causing an abrasion to the skin. Instead, the owner must deliver the dog to the animal control officer, for it to be confined for 10 days or as determined by the officer, and to pay resulting boarding costs. The ordinance does not apply to animals used by law enforcement.

A **vicious dog** is defined as one that, unprovoked, bites, injures or attacks a person or other animal; has been used or trained for dog fighting; has found to be a dangerous dog by definition of the ordinance and the owner/keeper has found to be in violation on two separate occasions. Any dog that bites or attacks a person or other animal will presume to be vicious. However, no dog will be deemed vicious if it bites or attacks anyone who has tormented or abused it or its offspring; anyone assaulting its owner; or a dog professionally trained for law enforcement duties.

Dogs that have been deemed vicious may not be kept indoors on patios, porches or where it might escape through a window screen or door screen. Outdoors, such dogs are to be enclosed or muzzled on a 5' cable with a See **ORDINANCES** on other side

**B I N G O**  
**7 p.m. every Thursday**  
**Hoopeston**  
**American Legion**  
**502 E. Penn**

**John Gick**  
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**VFW Menu**  
 Orange & 4th Ave., Hoopeston  
 Wednesday: **Wings 5-8 p.m.**  
 Thursdays: **Tacos by Norma 11 a.m.-2 p.m. and 5-8 p.m.**  
 Fridays: **NFCC Fish Fry 11-7**  
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**Spring/Summer Sale**  
**Jeans Sale**  
**GLOBAL FASHIONS**  
305 E. Main, Hoopeston

## Briefly

### Breast cancer support group

Hoopeston Breast Cancer Support Group meets the third Thursday of each month in the Country Terrace dining room at Carle Hoopeston Hospital.

The next meeting will be Thursday, Sept. 18, at 7 p.m. Anyone whose life has been touched by breast cancer is welcome.

### DACC College Day

Danville Area Community College will host their 35th Annual College Day from 9-11 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 18, in the Mary Miller Center Gymnasium.

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tensile strength of 300 lbs., physically controlled by a person over 18.

Additionally, the owner will be required to pay \$250 to obtain a “vicious dog” tag from the city, which is to be attached to the dog’s collar. Also, a “Beware Vicious Dog” sign must be prominently displayed where the dog is kept and the owner must keep a minimum of \$100,000 liability insurance for potential acts by the dog.

Any vicious dog impounded more than once in a 12-month period will be put down.

**Dangerous dogs** are defined as those that, because of its aggressive nature, training or characteristic behavior, present a risk of serious harm or death to people or damage to property, if not kept under restraint and direct control.

Dogs deemed dangerous must be confined in the same manner as vicious dogs and a “beware of dog” sign posted where the dog is kept. The owner must pay a \$75 fee for a “dangerous dog” tag. Minimum liability insurance and other restrictions are also required.

**Prohibition of possession of dogs while possessing illegal drugs** prohibits anyone involved in manufacturing, delivering or possessing with the intent to manufacture or deliver any controlled substance or cannabis in violation of state laws. Possession is prohibited in any dwelling unit or on the premises of any single-family dwelling.

Any person in the dwelling or on the premises of a single-family dwelling during the violation shall be

Representatives from over 60 four-year colleges and universities from 7 different states and the armed forces will be on campus to provide admissions and transfer information.

For more information, call the Admissions office at 217-443-8802.

### Tiny Tots

“Curious George” is the theme of this week’s Tiny Tots story program at Hoopeston Public Library. Tiny Tots meets at 10:30 a.m. Fridays in the children’s room.

presumed to be in possession of any dog found on site at that time.

**The companion animal hoarding** ordinance is based on state law and is includes, but is not limited to cats, dogs and horses and mandates that owners must provide sufficient good quality wholesome food and water, adequate shelter and protection from the weather, veterinary care, when needed, to prevent suffering, and humane care and treatment.

The law also sets rules for tethering a dog outside, including not doing so to a dog that has a condition that might be worsened by tethering. The dog must be tethered in a way that will prevent it from becoming entangled with other dogs; is not tethered with a lead that exceeds one eighth of the dog’s body weight or is a tow or log chain. The tether must have a lead that measures 10’. The dog must have a property fitting harness or collar other than the lead or a pinch, prong or choke collar and must not be tethered in a way that allows it to reach the property of another person, a public walkway or road.

Tethering requirements do not prohibit a person from walking a dog on a hand-held leash or conduct that is related to cultivating agricultural products if the restraint is necessary for the dog’s safety or for things such as hunting or obedience training.

### Weather



Sunny today. High 72. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 48. Tomorrow, sunny. High 76, low 59.

All are welcome. Preschool youngsters should be accompanied by an adult.

### Obituaries

**NEWMAN**—Carol M. Newman, 87, of Hoopeston, died at 2:06 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 13, 2014, at Heritage Health, Hoopeston. She will be cremated. Visitation will be 11 a.m. until the 1 p.m. memorial service Saturday at Hoopeston United Methodist Church. Burial will be private. Anderson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

## Classifieds

### APARTMENTS FOR RENT

Honeywell Apartments: 2 BR, includes water, heat, pest control, off street parking (815) 984-4513

### HELP WANTED

Area farmer looking for harvest help. CDL and clean drug screen are a must! Would help obtain CDL for the correct applicant. Send short resume and 3 references to [joesmith8320@gmail.com](mailto:joesmith8320@gmail.com)

Seasonal driver needed. CDL required and must pass drug screen. For information call 217-375-4275 or visit Crop Production Services 289N 1700 East Rd Cissna Park, IL 60924

Dietary/kitchen help needed. Current Illinois State Food Sanitation License required. Must apply in person at Autumn Fields.

### HOUSES FOR RENT

2 BR, remodeled. Garage, dining room, big kitchen, washer/dryer hookups. \$400 deposit, \$400/mo. No pets. (217) 283-6021

### REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Hoopeston - Duplex for sale. 2 bedroom units, many updates. \$9900/year gross rents, tenants pay all utilities. Owner may finance with approved credit and 10% down. \$65,000. For more information, call 217-304-6547.

854 E. Washington St. Hoopeston. 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, attached garage. Call for an appointment: 217-495-2053

### RUMMAGE SALES

St. Anthony Church Parking Lot Sale, South Third St. and East Maple. Sat., 7 a.m. Antiques, collectibles, tools & more. All proceeds go to needy families in Hoopeston area.

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