



The Pump
Bar & Package Liquor Store
1023 W. Main, Hoopeston

Mon.: **Homemade Chicken & Noodles w/mashed potatoes**
Tues: **Footlong Chili Cheese Dog & Curly Fries**
Wed.: **Chicken Salad Croissant w/chips (LUNCH ENDS AT 12:30)**
Thurs.: **Taco Salad**
Fri.: **Ribeye Sandwiches & Broccoli?Cauli Salad (ONLY LUNCH, NO DINNER SERVED)**

Labor Day Weekend Schedule
Fri., Sept. 4: The band **Country Feel**
Sat. Sept. 5: The band **Feudin Hillbillies**
Sun. Sept. 6: **Golf Cart Contest 1-2:30 Cornhole Tournament**
(Registration 2pm Tourney starts at 3pm)

Come in and try your luck with our LIVE VIDEO GAMING!

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Lourdine Florek, owner

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Study of northeast flooding problem approved by council

A Danville engineering firm has been hired for a feasibility study of flooding on Hoopeston's northeast side. C2 Engineers will receive \$16,360 for the study, the goal of which will be to take storm water from Thompson, Young and McCracken and retain it in the railroad Y behind the 200 block of Main, which Mayor Bill Crusinberry estimated is about a two-acre depression. The water would then slowly be released into the storm system to avoid flooding communities south of Hoopeston.

The study will include measuring elevations to determine if the plan can be done and then determine a way to do it, said Sam Cole, C2 engineer. The action came on a day when a storm quickly dumped more than 2" of rain in the area, causing flooding.

In related action, the council approved a \$218,888 bid from Schaumburg & Schaumburg of Danville to install a new water main south on Rt. 1 from Main St. to Crown Ford.

This year's budget included \$300,000 for the project, which also has about \$50,000 in engineering costs, said engineer Mike Streff of Farnsworth Group.

See FLOODING on other side

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VFW
Orange & 4th Ave., Hoopeston

No Tacos Thursday, Sept. 3.
Have a safe Labor Day Weekend!

Special of the Month

\$5 Mail-in Rebate See Store for details

While Supplies Last!

11.97 Before Mail-in Rebate
1.1 Gal. Wand

Insect Killer

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Hoopeston American Legion
502 E. Penn

NO BINGO
Thursday

Tune in at 5 p.m. tonight-
Hoopeston Happenings
Aly Nicholls
Miss Hoopeston 2015
on WHPO!

DQ BAKES!

Fudge Stuffed Cookie
Apple Tart
Triple Chocolate Brownie

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St. Anthony Tacos
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Do it Best

72nd National Sweet Corn Festival

September 3-7, 2015

McFerren Park - Hoopeston

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

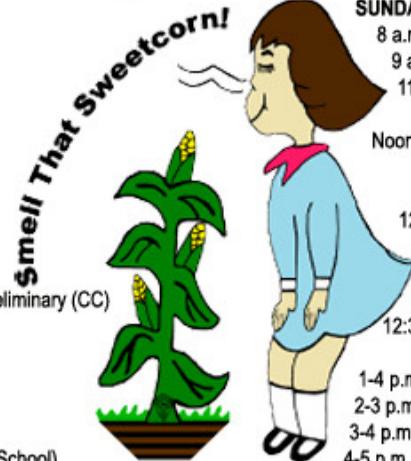
- 5 p.m. Gates Open—\$3 admission
Display Area, Midway, open
- 5-10 p.m. Ride Special Bracelet Night
- 11 p.m. Midway closes

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

- 5 p.m. Gates Open (\$3 Admission)
Display Area, Midway open
- 5-10 p.m. Ride Special Bracelet Night
- 6:30 p.m. Truck & Tractor Pull (Annex)
Beer Garden opens (Annex)
National Sweetheart Pageant Preliminary (CC)
- 7-10 p.m. Raffle (Legion Shelter)
- 11 p.m. Midway closes
- 1 a.m. Beer Garden closes

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

- 6 a.m. Flea Market Opens
- 7:30 a.m. 1 Mile Fun Run/Walk (Honeywell School)
- 8 a.m. Sweetcorn 5 K Run (Honeywell School)
- 8:45 a.m. Little Corn Eaters Run (Honeywell School)
- 9 a.m. Gates Open (\$3 Admission)
- 9 a.m.-Noon Car Show Registration
- 10:30 a.m. Grand Parade (Downtown Hoopeston)
- Noon Midway, Display Area open
Ride Special Bracelet all day
- 12-5 p.m. Hoopeston Area FFA Petting Zoo
- 12:30 p.m. Brian Headley, Old Time Blacksmith Demo
(West of Corn Line)
- 1-1:30 Nicole Osier, Hoop Dancer (Center Stage)
- 1-4 p.m. Raffle (Legion Shelter)
- 1:30-5 p.m. FREE SWEETCORN**
- 1:30 p.m. Brian Headley, Old Time Blacksmith Demo
(West of Corn Line)
- 2-3 p.m. Tammy's Dance Arts Center (Center Stage)
- 2:30 p.m. Brian Headley, Old Time Blacksmith Demo
(West of Corn Line)
- 3 p.m. Car Show Awards Presented
- 3-3:30 p.m. Nicole Osier, Hoop Dancer (Center Stage)
- 3:30 Brian Headley, Old Time Blacksmith Demo
(West of Corn Line)
- 4-6 p.m. Doc Ashton & the Root Canals (Center Stage)
- 6:30 p.m. National Sweetheart Pageant Preliminary (CC)
- 7-10 p.m. Raffle (Legion Shelter)
- 7:30 p.m. John Michael Montgomery concert (Annex)
Beer Garden opens (Annex)
- 11 p.m. Midway Closes
- 1 am Beer Garden closes



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

- 8 a.m. Flea Market Opens
- 9 a.m. Gates Open (\$3 Admission)
- 11:30 a.m.-Noon Corn Eating Contest Registration
(Center Stage)
- Noon Midway, Display Area open
Ride Special Bracelet all day
Corn Eating Contest (Center Stage)
- 12-1:30 p.m. Sweetheart Autograph Session
(Center Stage)
- 12-4 p.m. FREE SWEETCORN**
- 12-5 p.m. Hoopeston Area FFA Petting Zoo
- 12:30-2 p.m. Jani Massey Band and Craig Massey
Live Painting Auction (Center Stage)
- 1-4 p.m. Raffle (Legion Shelter)
- 2-3 p.m. HAHS vocal ensembles (Center Stage)
- 3-4 p.m. A Natural High (Center Stage)
- 4-5 p.m. Gordy & Brooke Allen (Center Stage)
- 5 p.m. Demo Derby (Annex)
•Lawn Mowers 5 p.m. •Power Wheels 6 p.m.
•Street Truck Cash Pull 6:30 p.m.
•Main Feature 7 p.m.
Beer Garden opens (Annex)
- 6:30 p.m. National Sweetheart Pageant Finals (CC)
- 10 p.m. Midway closes
Pageant Reception (Civic Center)
- 12 a.m. Beer Garden closes

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

- 8 a.m. Flea Market Opens
- 9 a.m. Gates Open (\$3 Admission)
Display Area Opens
Baby Contest Registration (Civic Center)
- 10 a.m. Cream of the Crop Pretty Baby Contest (CC)
Midway opens
Ride Special Bracelet all day
- 12-1 p.m. Coal Black Exotic Animal Show (Center Stage)
- 12-4 p.m. FREE SWEETCORN**
- Hoopeston Area FFA Petting Zoo
- 1-3 p.m. High Cotton (Center Stage)
- 1-4 p.m. Raffle (Legion Shelter)
- 3-4 p.m. Coal Black Exotic Animal Show (Center Stage)
- 3:30-4 p.m. Ponytail Contest registration (east of Center Stage)
- 4 p.m. Ponytail Contest (Center Stage)
- 9:00 p.m. Midway closes

Please bring your own chair to sit at the Center Stage
JAYCEES HAVE THE RIGHT TO ALTER THIS SCHEDULE

Obituaries

McVICKER - Eileen McVicker, 88, of Mascoutah, formerly of Hoopeston, died at 2:20 p.m. Monday, Aug. 31, 2015, at Terrace on the Park, Mascoutah. Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Thursday at Blurton Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Celebration of her life will be at 1 p.m. Friday at Community Church of the Nazarene. Burial will follow in Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston. Memorials are suggested to Willing Witness Group at the Mascoutah First Baptist Church or the Community Church of the Nazarene, Hoopeston.

WISDOM - James "Wizzy" Wisdom, 72, of Hoopeston, died at 5:45 a.m. Monday, Aug. 31, 2015, at Heri-

tage Health, Hoopeston. Visitation will be noon to the 3 p.m. funeral Saturday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Burial will be in Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston, with military rites by Hoopeston American Legion and VFW posts. Memorials are suggested to Hoopeston Area Sports Boosters, 615 E. Orange St., Hoopeston IL 60942.

Classifieds

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PUBLIC NOTICE

9/1/2015

All items of personal property stored in unit # 87 Jerica Carrington also # 125 Sarah Zamora Tanner and #10 Adelina Vela at budget Mini Storage RT 9 and 6th Ave. Hoopeston Illinois will be disposed of 9/26/15 (per) section 95/4 of the self storage facility act 06-61

RUMMAGE SALES

ROSSVILLE: Rossville Community Rummage Sales will be Labor Day weekend. Watch for signs!

HOOPESTON: Fri. 7-2. Moving sale. Women's bike, outside storage boxes, rocker, jogging stroller, living room outfit, Worx blower, men's women's kids (boys and girls), motorcycle pipes (HD) knickknacks, Christmas décor, toys, lots of misc. Come rain or shine.

HOOPESTON: 521 E. Penn. Thursday ONLY! 8-3. Lots of furniture, 128' special order 6" gutter system, TV & stand, patio bricks, tools, tires, outdoor toys, antiques, mirror, ping pong table, holiday items, craft supplies & more.

Flooding continued from other side

In unrelated action, the board:

- Heard from Alderman Brandon Hamilton that the police department will turn a confiscated 2005 Chevrolet Trailblazer into a police vehicle.

- Learned two men have been added to Hoopeston Fire Department's roster. Nick Cushman and Trevor Rush are the new firemen.

- Approved Iroquois Federal as the city's primary financial institution.

- Named Lourdine Florek as new Ward 3 alderwoman. She replaces Larry Baughn, who was elected to the Vermillion County Board in December.

Weather

Mostly sunny today. High 87. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 69. tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 89, low 68.

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