

This Week at the VFW

Wednesday:
Wings by Sylvia 5-8

Thursday:
Tacos 11-2, 5-8

Friday:
Fish Fry & Tenderloins 11-2, 5-8
428 W. Orange, Hoopeston

Ross Township is accepting sealed bids on their former Maintenance Building. Notice of bid procedure as well as an appraisal is posted at the Township office in Rossville. Sealed bids must be received by September 1, 2016 by 5:00 p.m. Sealed bids will be opened during the regular meeting of the Township Board on September 19, 2016 for review. All bids are subject to Illinois Statutes regarding Townships, as well as the Board's approval. Mail sealed bids to: Ross Township Office (Sealed Bid), P.O. Box 171, Rossville, IL 60963.

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R.M. Jackson hired as county housing authority director

Vermilion County Housing Authority's new executive director said the "4 Cs" offer a continued comprehensive and coordinated effort for success.

R.M. Jackson was hired by the VCHA Board of Commissioners after an extensive eight-month nationwide search. The board contracted with Jackson to head its public housing authority in May 2016.

Jackson has more than 20 years' expertise in public housing direction, property management, planning and development and grants administration. VCHA Chairman Ty O'Riley and Vice Chairman Terry Prilaman said the qualifications make her "an excellent fit for the Public Housing Authority of Vermilion County.

Jackson recently served as infrastructure compliance analyst for the State of Louisiana Office of Community Development-Disaster Recovery Unit.

Her expertise as executive director in both Louisiana and Missouri allowed her to address and alleviate concerns and challenges of VCHA and its continuity. She also served as grants administrator for the city of Hammond, La., while working in collaboration with social service and law enforcement agencies that protect and serve the same populations.

With a bachelor of arts in political science/business

administration from Rockhurst College in Kansas City, Mo., Jackson received extensive training from the National Association of Housing & Redevelopment Officials (NAHRO) and Neighborworks America on affordable housing programs, community outreach and engagement, housing advocacy, nonprofit management, financial literacy, homeownership and transitional housing.

Among her certifications are public housing manager, occupancy and financial management, housing quality standards, maintenance, executive leadership and grand management. She is active in state chapters and regional conferences.

Jackson said "compliance, communication, commitment and compassion" will be her team's mantra while serving their public housing constituency.

Already in her first 30 days, VCHA has been chosen to take part in a national pilot program what will benefit those who participate in public and subsidized housing throughout Vermilion County communities.

Jackson is currently residing in Danville.

VCHA is based in Rossville and has properties there, along with Hoopeston, Georgetown, Fairmount and Allerton.

Winners named from 2016 Little Miss Sweetcorn Pageant

As Hoopeston gets ready to welcome 30 contestants to the revamped National Sweetheart Pageant, some younger contestants took to the stage Saturday for a chance to claim a crown.

The 2016 Little Miss Sweetcorn Pageant was held Saturday at First Church of God. Fourteen girls participated. This year's winners were selected and include:

- Baby Miss: Sophie Longfellow
- Tiny Miss: Clara Leslie
- Young Miss: Jackie Perez
- Junior Miss: Madison Bruens
- Teen Miss: Allee Lewis
- Sandra Morgan was the overall winner and was named Little Miss Sweetcorn 2016.
- Isabelle Crippin was named Miss Photogenic.

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Photo by Billie Sue Langdoc

Did you hear...

Toonces, the cat, seems to whisper to Doug the donkey on Billie Sue Langdoc's farm in Indiana. The winter shot is the first winner in the 2016 Summer Snaps photo contest, earning Langdoc \$25 and a chance at the \$100 grand prize.

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Briefly

Library to hold back to school bash

Hoopeston Public Library will hold a free Back-to-School Bash for kids entering grades K-6 from 2-3 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 18. The event will offer a variety of favorite outdoor games, a back-to-school story and other fun surprises. Weather permitting, activities will be held outside on the front (west) lawn.

Breast cancer support group to meet

The Hoopeston Breast Cancer Support Group will meet at 6 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 18 at The Pit Stop at Fast Lanes Bowling Alley. The group is open to breast cancer patients and survivors.

For more information, call Pat Foster at (815) 984-4040.

Reunions

- High school cross country is celebrating its 50th anniversary this year at Hoopeston Area High School. A reunion will be held Labor Day weekend. Current and former cross country runners may choose to participate in the Bill Orr Memorial 5K. XC members will also take part in the National Sweetcorn Festival Grand Parade, take a tour of the school and attend a meet and greet to be held at Fast Lanes. T-shirts are available for purchase to mark the occasion.

Those who plan to attend need to contact Rich Stipp at Stippre@hoopeston.k12.il.us or Richard.stipp@gmail.com with the number who will be in their party. Reservations are due by August 19.

- Hoopeston Class of 1966 is celebrating its 50th reunion on September 2-4. We have many activities planned and hope classmates and teachers can join us! If you have not received information (classmates and/or our great teachers) please call (217) 474-6439.

- Hoopeston-East Lynn Class of 1976 is having its 40th class reunion on Friday, Sept. 2 at the Hoopeston American Legion from 6 p.m.-? Class members and others are encouraged to attend and register in advance. There is no fee to attend but contributions will be ac-

cepted at the door.

Organizers need to know how many to plan for so please register online at www.surveymonkey.com/r/RV8ZJNL or call Rebecca Halley at (719) 200-2193 for more information.

Classifieds

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Ravens Livestock and Farms Inc. is looking for a local driver. Must have CDL and farm background. Contact (217) 304-1523.

Full-time housekeeper, experience necessary. Apply in person at Autumn Fields Adult Community 325 E. Orange St. Hoopeston.

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Email publish@justthefacts.net or call (217) 283-9348 to place your ad!

Weather

Flash flood watch until 7 a.m. Tuesday. Chance of storms today. High 80. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Low 65. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 83, low 65.