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Police seek information from public on armed robbery

Police are asking seeking information from the public in connection with an armed robbery Sunday night. According to Hoopeston police, a 24-year-old woman reported at 11:15 p.m. Sunday that a disguised person, brandishing a handgun, entered Tedd's Home Beverage, 101 W. Main.

The suspect, a male, is considered armed and dangerous, according to a police department press release. Police did not disclose what was taken from the store. Anyone with information about the crime is asked to call Hoopeston police, (217) 283-5196 or Crime Stoppers, (217) 446-8477.

HPL to celebrate Library Card Month with gift in September

Today's libraries are about more than books. They are creative educational spaces for learners from birth to high school and beyond. September is Library Card Sign-up Month, a time when Hoopeston Public Library joins with the American Library Association and public libraries nationwide to make sure that every local resident has the most important card of all - a library card!

Library cards are free to any resident of the Hoopeston Public Library District. During September, patrons of all ages who sign up for a new library card will receive a small gift. All new cardholders will also be entered into a month-end prize drawing. Adults can win an HPL gift bag and children can win a book and book bag. Librarians provide important resources to families whose children are at the earliest stages of development, by teaching parents and caregivers the components of

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 Saturday Night: Feudin Hillbillies 9 p.m.-1 a.m.

- 32 oz. Bucket Drinks
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- Like & Share The Pump Facebook page for chances to win free Cover Charge to both bands!
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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

5 p.m. Gates Open—\$3 admission
Display Area, Midway, open
5 p.m. Cowboys, Clowns & Kids Program (Annex)
5-6:30 p.m. "The Arts Will Survive" Art Show
Entry Drop-Off (Little House)
5-10 p.m. Ride Special Bracelet Night
6:30 p.m. Pro Rodeo (Annex)
Beer Garden opens (Annex)
11 p.m. Midway, Beer Garden close

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

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)
1 a.m. Beer Garden closes

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

6 a.m. Flea Market opens
7:30 a.m. 1 Mile Fun Run/Walk (Honeywell School)
8 a.m. Bill Orr Memorial 5 K (Honeywell School)
8-1 p.m. Car Show registration (southeast McFerren Park)
8:45 a.m. Little Corn Eaters Run (Honeywell School)
9 a.m. Gates Open (\$3 Admission)
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
1-2 p.m. Vinny Santanelli Music (Center Stage)
"The Arts Will Survive" Art Show display (Little House)

1:30-5 p.m. FREE SWEETCORN

2-3 p.m. Tammy's Dance Arts Center (Center Stage)
3 p.m. Ponytail Contest (Center Stage)
3 p.m. Car Show Awards presented
3:30-5 p.m. Alex Jenkins and the Bombers (Center Stage)
6 p.m. National Sweetheart Pageant Preliminary (Civic Center)
7 p.m. Beer Garden opens (Annex)
8 p.m. Jon Pardi concert (Annex)
11 p.m. Midway Closes
1 am Beer Garden closes

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

9 a.m. Gates Open (\$3 Admission)
11 a.m. Children's Fishing Derby signup (Crabtree Shelter)
Noon Midway, Display Area open
Ride Special - Bracelet all day
Noon-1 p.m. Christopher Bontjes, Magician (Center Stage)

12-1:30 p.m. National Sweetheart Pageant
Autograph Session (Civic Center)

12-4 P.M. FREE SWEETCORN

12-4 p.m. "The Arts Will Survive" Art Show
Display (Little House)
12-5 p.m. Hoopeston Area FFA Petting Zoo
12:30-1 p.m. Corn Eating Contest registration
(by Center Stage)

1 p.m. Corn Eating Contest (by Center Stage)

1-2 p.m. Kasey Burton Music (Center Stage)

Strolling Magic (throughout the Park)

2-3 p.m. Christopher Bontjes, Magician
(Center Stage)

3-5 p.m. Groove Catz (Center Stage)

5 p.m. Demo Derby (Annex)

•Power Wheels 4 p.m. •Lawn Mowers 5 p.m.

•Main Feature 7 p.m.

Beer Garden opens (Annex)

6 p.m. National Sweetheart Pageant Finals (CC)

10 p.m. Midway closes

Pageant Reception (Civic Center)

12 a.m. Beer Garden closes

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

8 a.m. Flea Market Opens

9 a.m. Gates Open (\$3 Admission)

Display Area Opens

9-9:45 a.m. Cream of the Crop Pretty Baby Contest registration
(Civic Center)

10 a.m. Cream of the Crop Pretty Baby Contest (Civic Center)

11 a.m. Diaper Decorating Contest (Center Stage)

Noon Midway opens

Ride Special - Bracelet all day

12-12:45 -p.m. Morgeson Family Band with Miss Hoopeston, Holly
Morgeson (Center Stage)

12-4 p.m. FREE SWEETCORN

Hoopeston Area FFA Petting Zoo

1-3 p.m. Back Paiges (Center Stage)

3-3:30 p.m. Kids Pie Eating Contest registration (by Center Stage)

3:30-4 p.m. "The Arts Will Survive" Art Show entry pick up
(Little House)

3:30 p.m. Kids Pie Eating Contest (Center Stage)

4 p.m. Husband Calling Contest (Center Stage)

9:00 p.m. Midway closes

Please bring your own chair to sit at the Center Stage

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Obituaries

KAUFMAN - Mary Louise (Frintz) Kaufmann, 84, formerly of Morton and Cissna Park, died Thursday, Aug. 25, 2016 in East Peoria. Visitation will be 2-6 p.m. Wednesday at Knapp Funeral Home, Cissna Park and 9 a.m. until the 10 a.m. funeral Thursday at Grace Bible Church, Cissna Park. Graveside service will follow in Cissna Park Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to World Team.

State charges filed, local charges dropped against Hoopeston woman

City ordinance violations against a Hoopeston woman have been dropped after charges were filed by the Vermilion County State's Attorney's office.

Candi Miller, 30, of Hoopeston, was arrested April 24 on three counts of aggravated cruelty for allegedly leaving three dogs unattended.

Upon review of the case, police announced last week that she had been charged with ordinance violations for cruelty to animals.

On Friday, Miller pleaded not guilty to one county of aggravated cruelty and three counts of cruel treatment. Bond was set at \$10,000, 10 percent to apply. A preliminary hearing is set for September 15.

Library continued from other side

early literacy which help children develop the basic tools for school readiness.

Older students can access high-speed Internet, digital tools and the opportunity to work with trained professionals on how to use them.

Libraries offer adults a wide range of services and programs for career and personal development. With a library card, local residents can enjoy print and online books and services, magazines, movies and more.

For more information on how to get a library card, call or stop by the library today. Hoopeston Public Library is located at 110 N. Fourth St., Hoopeston.

Weather

Chance of thunderstorms today. High 85. Tonight, cloudy, then chance of storms. Low 68. Tomorrow, chance of thunderstorms. High 80, low 58.

Briefly

Library book sale

Hoopeston Public Library will hold its annual "Sweetcorn Festival Book Sale" through Friday, Sept. 3. Featured are a wide assortment of adult, teen and children's fiction and nonfiction titles, VHS movies and other items. Everything is priced at \$2 per bag or 3 bags for \$5. Bags will be available or patrons may bring their own.

The sale will be in the upstairs north board room during regular library hours: 9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday-Thursday, and 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., Friday.

For more information, call the library at 217-283-6711.

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