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Joel Bird named District 1 rep to Vermilion County Board

Northern Vermilion County has its full slate of representatives on the Vermilion County Board.
 Joel Bird was selected by the Vermilion County Republican Central Committee on April 29 to be the newest District 1 representative and was sworn in at Tuesday night's county board meeting.
 Bird replaces Darren Duncan, of Rossville, was appointed in 2014, replacing Gary Weinard, who retired. Duncan ran last November and won a four-year term but on March 11, he was selected to be Vermilion County treasurer. He began his new duties April 3.
 Bird said he had thought about running for office, but didn't take the step. As a committeeman, Bird said he was at a meeting about Duncan being named treasurer when he was approached by three or four other committeemen, who encouraged him to apply for the seat, and a couple

more outside politics, also encouraged him.
 Bird said he plans to "jump in with both feet and see what's going on in the county," but said he has no agenda.
 While a representative, Duncan often attended Hoopeston City Council meetings, both to see what was going on in the city and to keep residents up-to-date on county business.
 That's a tradition Bird is likely to continue because - as chief of the Hoopeston Fire Department - he already attends most meetings.
 Bird, 40, has been on the department for 15 years and was named chief in 2014.
 A lifelong Hoopeston resident, Bird works for Champaign Danville Grain Inspection, where inspects railroad cars at local elevators, including Hoopeston. He has been with the company for 20 years.

Briefly
 Name omitted from list
 A honoree at Tuesday's Hoopeston Area High School Awards Night was erroneously omitted. Laura Martinez received a scholarship from Learn and Lead Academy.

Tire collection
 Hoopeston is having a used tire collection from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, May 20 at the McFerren Park Annex. Residents are asked to use the West Maple annex entrance. Cost is \$2 per car tire, \$4 per semi tire and \$6 for each tractor tire. People 60 and older will be charged half price.
Box Tops for Education deadline
 Please send or bring all Box Tops for Education to Maple School by Wednesday, May 17.
At the Library
 Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include:
Cooking the Books It's a Piece of Cake! 6 p.m. Thursday, May 18. Come select a cake or cupcake recipe from the special cookbook assortment. Library staff will copy
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Mother's Day Market
 Thursday, May 11 3-7 p.m.
 Saturday, May 13, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.
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it to take home. Make the recipe and bring it back to share.

Bring your own serving utensils. Drinks and table service provided. Copies of all recipes served available to bakers to keep.

Treeclimbers Genealogy Group: 10 a.m. Saturday, May 20. A special presentation, "The Willdon Building: Its History and Its Future" presented in the lower level meeting room by Alex Houmes, vice president of Save the Lorraine Foundation.

Houmes will share about the group's acquisition of the historic landmark, including stories of its colorful past and the foundation's plans for its future.

Balloons Over Vermilion seeks volunteers

Balloons Over Vermilion is seeking volunteers to help with the festival, July 14-15 at Vermilion Regional Airport, Danville. A variety of shifts and positions are available.

To volunteer, go balloonsoververmilion.com/ and click the "sign up to volunteer" button. That links to sign-up.com which has listings of each job that is



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available per shift, with brief job descriptions and how many positions remain to be filled for each slot.

Information on the festival is available at the same link.

Shimkus rep to Hoopeston

A representative of Congressman John Shimkus (R, Illinois 15) will have a staff member in Hoopeston next week.

The representative will be available from 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at Hoopeston City Hall. Those who cannot attend in person may contact Shimkus' local office at (217) 446-0664.

Information from the congressman is also available at his website, shimkus.house.gov, where constituents may sign up for a weekly email newsletter. Shimkus also has accounts on Facebook, Twitter and YouTube.

From the Blotter

Ashley Simpson, 32, of Hoopeston, was cited for dog owner duties after Lucy, a female Rottweiler, who was running loose at 3:15 p.m. Wednesday, was found to not be current on shots and/or registration tags. She was issued a notice to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

Weather

Mostly sunny today. High 68. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 46. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 72, low 53. Sunday, sunny. High 77, low 56. Monday, mostly sunny. High 80, low 60.

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HOOPESTON: 402 E. McNeil. Fri., 8-5, Sat., 7-1. Large sale! Women's, women's plus, men's, children's clothing; lots of home décor; holiday decorations, purses, books, much misc. Sat., many 1/2 price items.
HOOPESTON: 610 S. Third Ave. Fri. 8-4, Sat., 8-1. Five family sale. Lots of clothes, shoes, household, jewelry, Christmas, furniture, lots of misc.

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