







## Feed My Lambs starts Monday

Feed My Lambs summer lunch program will begin its ninth summer at Hoopeston First United Methodist Church, 403 E. Main St.

Hoopeston Area students, pre-K through eighth grade, who qualify for a school book waiver fee this year are encouraged to come receive a free sack lunch Monday-Friday at the church fellowship hall beginning Monday, June 5. Lunches will be served from 11 a.m. to noon daily and can be picked up and taken or enjoyed in the air-conditioned fellowship hall.

Please call 217-283-6738 for any questions or information on how to volunteer.

**Steak Fry** Friday 5:30-8 p.m. **American Legion** 

502 E. Penn, Hoopeston Also Chicken Breast Served with salad, baked potato, roll

First Presbyterian Church VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL Maker Fun Factory: Created by God and Built for a Purpose

June 11-15 3:30-5 p.m. 915 E. Orange, Hoopeston Call and Register - (217) 283-6229 Preschool-Fifth Grade Music, Skits, Videos Games & Fun Foods

# Bennett to be in city on Monday

Rep. Tom Bennett (R-Gibson City) will meet with constituents in Hoopeston on Monday, June 5.

"I encourage those with questions or concerns about legislation or issues facing the General Assembly in Springfield to stop by," Bennett said.

The meeting is open to the public and appointments are not required.

Bennett will meet with constituents at 5 p.m. at the Hoopeston City Hall, 301 W. Main.

Those who cannot attend or who have questions at any other time can contact Rep. Bennett at (815) 432-0106 or through his website at www.repbennett.com.



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# Hoopeston library invites kids to 'Build a Better World' at 2017 Summer Reading Program

The annual Hoopeston Public Library Summer Reading Program kicks off at 2 p.m. Monday, with a magic show for all kids ages 3 through 5th grade. This year, participants

will "Build A Better World"

and a wide range of age-appropriate activities are planned. The program runs through July 14. Activities for



Hoopeston Area School District is conducting an online survey to help develop priorities and is asking residents, along with students, family and staff, to participate, said incoming Supt. Suzi Hesser. The survey will be open until June 15 and may be reached via a link at www.hoopeston.k12.il.us.

Survey results will be shared with the community through a report to the school board., she said.

#### Basketball camp set

Coach Matt Colston and the high boys basketball team will host a summer basketball camp for anyone interested in improving their game and becoming a better basketball player.

Camp is open to incoming third through sixth grader boys and girls and will be from 10-11:45 a.m.. Monday, June 12-Thursday, June 15 at John Greer. Cost is \$30, with checks payable to HAHS Basketball.

Walk-ins are welcome, but every camper should have a guardian with them on the first day of camp to sign the consent form. The form is also available at, <u>www.hoopeston.k12.il.us</u>..For more information, contact Colston at <u>colstomr@hoopeston.k12.il.us</u>.

#### At the library

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include: **Coffee and Coloring**, 10-11 a.m. Monday. Relax, have a cup of coffee and enjoy coloring. Supplies provided or bring your own. No children, please.

Mary Hartwell Catherwood Book Club, 1:30-2:30 Monday. Discussion on "A Man Called One" by Fredrik Backman. preschool children (age 3 through 5 who have not yet attended kindergarten) will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Fridays. Sessions for grades K-5 (just completed) will be held at 2 p.m. on Mondays and Thursdays.

The Summer Reading Program is open to all area children, even if they do not have a library card, and you do not need to attend all sessions to participate.

Children must be registered by a parent/adult caregiver. Registration is going on now at the library, or online at

### Obituaries

**CARTER** - Carolyn P. Carter, 77, of Milford, formerly of Hoopeston, died Tuesday, May 30, 2017 at Iroquois Memorial Hospital, Watseka. Graveside service will be at 1 p.m. Friday in Maple Grove Cemetery, Milford. Memorials are suggested to Milford Fire Department or donor's choice. Knapp Funeral Home, Milford, is coordinating arrangements.

## Hoaks twins indicted in Oklahoma

Former Hoopeston twins Birdie Jo and Becky Jo Hoaks are wanted in Oklahoma, accused of writing bad check to pay for thousands of dollars of stamps.

According to printed reports, the Hoaks twins, 47, of Choctaw, Okla., stole more than \$14,000 worth of postage stamps by writing bad checks. They are also accused of opening several checking accounts at different banks.

Officials allege the twins would open a checking account, making several small deposits of \$5 to \$200. They would then go to post offices in Oklahoma to buy the stamps, knowing the checks would not clear.

The pair were indicted by a federal grand jury in the Western District of Oklahoma for nine fraudulent purchases in Oklahoma City, El Reno, Hinton, Moore, Duncan, Tecumseh, Shawnee and Asher.

In their younger years, the androgynous-looking twins would pose as boys to obtain food, clothing and housing from churches and other agencies. When their gender was discovered, the Hoakses would leave whatever town they were in..

The Hoaks twins have been investigated for previous scams and cons in Vermont, Texas, New York, Maine, Kansas, Arkansas, South Dakota, Utah **hooplib.org**. Children can also be registered on kickoff day or any time during the six weeks of the program. For more information, call or stop by the library, 110 N. Fourth St., Hoopeston, or check out the program schedule on the library's website, **hooplib.org**.

## Weather

Mostly cloudy, chance of thunderstorms today, tonight. High 82, low 63. Tomorrow, chance of storms. High 85, low 66. Sunday, storms likely. High 82, low 59.



7-10 p.m. for all high school kids Games•Movies•Refreshments•Homework Help Supported by community non-profit organizations

### Classifieds APARTMENTS FOR RENT

Hoopeston: Cozy 2 Bedroom, 1 Bath. Recently painted, wellmaintained. Refrigerator, stove, full basement. Walk to shopping. Nice yard. Quiet area. Handicap accessible. Nonsmoking, no pets. References checked. Available June 1. \$485/mo, \$485 dep. Call or text 217-260-8762.

#### HELP WANTED

The Pit Stop at Fast Lanes accepting applications for part time cooks, prep workers. 20 hrs a week. Must have or be able to get food sanitation license .Evening work. No phone calls accepted. Experienced cook. Hubbard Trail Country Club. Stop by to complete an application or call the clubhouse, (217) 748-6521.

#### RUMMAGE SALES

HOOPESTON: 705 S. Third St. (in alley). Sat., 8 a.m.  $50\phi$  sale on clothing & shoes. LOTS of toddler, Jr., men, women, some brand new. All misc. items  $25\phi$  - books, toys, home decor. Bicycles \$5, Pack n Play \$2, electric weed eater \$1. Free TVs, old but work (2 large, 2 small)

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