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**Caring for the multitude**

Hundreds of congregants from eight area churches listen Sunday as a participating minister preaches at Sunday's Church in the Park. The Hoopeston Community Children's Choir, under the auspices of Hoopeston Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) performed during the service, which was followed by lunch and games. The event was organized by Hunter Tibbs, Connections and Outreach Pastor at First Church of God. Other participating churches were Hoopeston Community Church of the Nazarene, Hoopeston Christian Church, New Beginnings, United Methodist Churches from Hoopeston, Wellington and Rankin and Hoopeston First Presbyterian Church.

**Barbara Standish**  
**DAR marks**  
**Constitution Week**  
 Submitted by  
**Barbara Standish Chapter**  
**NSDAR**

There are two documents of paramount importance to American history: the Declaration of Independence, which forged our national identity, and the United States Constitution, which set forth the framework for the federal government that is still in use today. While Independence Day is a beloved holiday, fewer people know about Constitution Week, an annual commemoration of the document that upholds and protects the freedoms central to our American way of life. This year, the annual celebration began September 17.

The Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) initiated the observance in 1955, when the organization petitioned the U.S. Congress to annually dedicate September 17-23 to mark Constitution Week. Congress adopted the resolution, and on August 2, 1956, President Dwight D. See DAR on other side

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## Sports Roundup

### Soccer

After a 0-0 halftime, Hoopeston Area pulled out a win against Judah Christian on September 11. Cornjerker Ethan Smith scored unassisted, then Brennen Granados scored on an assist from Trey Houmes. Hoopeston then gave up an own goal followed by an unassisted goal from Judah's Caleb Aldridge.

Hoopeston's Rhys Root scored the winning goal on a pk with less than a minute to play.

### From the Blotter

Raul Acosta, 29, of Hoopeston, was arrested after a parent of a 13-year-old Hoopeston youth made a report at 5:52 p.m. Monday alleging he had sexual contact with the child.

Acosta was charged with aggravated criminal sexual abuse and was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

### DAR continued from other side

Eisenhower signed it into Public Law #915.

The celebration's goals are threefold: to encourage the study of the historical events that led to the framing of the Constitution in September 1787; to inform people that the Constitution is the basis of America's great heritage and the foundation of our way of life; and to emphasize U.S. citizens' responsibility to protect, defend and preserve the Constitution.

DAR has been the foremost advocate for the awareness, promotion and celebration of Constitution Week. This annual observance provides innumerable opportunities for educational initiatives and community outreach, two mission areas of crucial importance to the National Society's work. By fostering knowledge of and appreciation for the Constitution and the inalienable rights it affords to all Americans, DAR helps to keep alive the memory of the men and women who secured our nation's independence, whose bravery and

The team traveled to Schlarman on September 12 where they won 4-0. In the first half, Lucas Hofer scored from Rhys Root, while in the second, Tanner Harding scored from Brennen Granados, Root from Trey Houmes and Ethan Smith from Hofer.

Wes Ravens had the shutout for the Cornjerkers.

The Cornjerkers were on the road again Friday, where they beat Clifton Central 8-2.

Scoring for Hoopeston were Tanner Harding from Brennen Granados, Rhys Root from Payton Fredrick, Root from Neil Williams, Root from Reece Williams and Neil Williams unassisted.

In the second half, scoring was Harding from Hofer, Granados from Harding and Root from Neil Williams.

Riley Wyss and Wes Ravens combined for six saves for Hoopeston.

The Cornjerkers suffered a 1-0 loss at Unity Monday, after Tyler Carter scored unassisted for the Rockets.

sacrifice made possible the liberties we enjoy today.

"The framers created a Constitution that translated into law the ideals upon which our nation was built," said DAR President General Ann Dillon. "Their vision was so forward thinking that their words still guide us today. No American history education can be complete without a thorough understanding of the impact the Constitution has had on the lives of American citizens past and present."

One of the largest patriotic women's organizations in the world, DAR has more than 185,000 members in approximately 3,000 chapters across the country and even in numerous foreign countries. DAR strives to promote historic preservation, education and patriotism via commemorative events, scholarships and educational initiatives, citizenship programs, service to veterans, meaningful community service, and more. For additional information about DAR and its programs, visit [www.dar.org](http://www.dar.org).

The team stands at 7-8 and were scheduled to face Bismarck Henning/Rossville Alvin at Bismarck on Tuesday.

### Volleyball

The Lady Cornjerkers lost to Schlarman, 16-25, 9-25, in home action Thursday. Leading the team were Maddie Goble with five assists, Mercy Linder and Sadie Drayer, both going six of six on serving and Marisa Rush with 19 digs.

The ladies played competitively against a very tough Cissna Park team on Monday, losing 14-25, 15-25.

Leading the Blue Slam were Kayla Goble and Payton Small with two kills each.

Mercy Linder, Raven Rutherford, Sadie Drayer and Goble had one block each. Goble also had seven assists, while Marissa Rush had 12 digs.

The Lady Cornjerkers play at Armstrong-Potomac Tuesday night.

The JV Blue Slam played a very close match, getting beat 21-25, 23-25.

### Football

First there was Hurricane Harvey, followed by Irma. Friday night, a Storm beat up on Hoopeston in the form of the Salt Fork football team.

Hoopeston Area/Schlarman Academy/Armstrong Potomac hosted the Storm in its 46-0 route of the Cornerkers.

Quarterback Marcus Blurton was 4 for 14 in passing, for a total of 21 yards, and -27 on six carries for the night.

Senior Adam Colunga was the leading rusher with 15 yards, with Brad Bradley, Jared Kellogg and Alex Riddle in single digits.

Jacob Catron led receiving with 27 yards for the game. Kellogg and Corey Moore each had a -3 receiving.

Cornjerkers racked up 71 tackles, with 14 solo and 57 assisted. Jacob Selsor led with three solo tackles, while Colunga and Maximus Conn each had nine assisted.

On defense, Catron had one blocked punt, while Michael Welsh and Evan McCarty had 2 and 1 fumble re-

### Weather

Sunny today. High 88. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 66. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 89, low 66.

coveries, respectively.

Currently at 1-3, the Cornjerkers will be at Bismarck Henning/Rossville Alvin on Friday night.

## Classifieds

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Full time person needed at Smitty's Dual Wheel. Apply in person 8 miles west of Rossville.

Ravens Livestock & Farms, Inc., seeks local driver. Must have CDL and farm background. Please contact (217) 304-1943.

Need an experienced waitress with a professional attitude and appearance. Must have good references. Monday thru Friday, approximately 10-1:30. Please stop by and fill out an application at The Pump in Hoopeston.

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