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Raising the flag

Volunteers high and low install the "God Bless America" display Saturday at McFerren Park, in preparation for the Christmas season.

From the Blotter

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Terry L. Williams, 28, of Hoopeston, was arrested after a 24-vear-old Hoopeston woman reported at 4:30 a.m. Thursday that he entered her home in the 200 block of West Maple while she was sleeping and threatened her. Williams was located at his home, charged with home invasion and taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

A Hoopeston man reported at 12:30 p.m. Thursday that his purplish 10-speed bicycle was missing from the 500 block of South Sixth St.

A 30-year-old Hoopeston woman reported at See POLICE on other side

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PEP potluck

Hoopeston First United Methodist Church will hold its monthly People Enjoying People Potluck at 5 p.m. Monday, Oct. 23 at the church, 403 E. Main. Everyone is welcome! Main dish, drinks and table service provided. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share.

Reserve your seat

"Hoopeston Lore" will be presented at 6 and 7:15 p.m. Tuesday at Hoopeston Public Library. Reserve your seat by signing up at the library main desk. An additional performance will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 29 at Autumn Fields.

The show is written and directed by Tom Sweeney and is adapted from early historical writings of Hoopeston settlers.

Spooktacular

Hoopeston Jaycees will host the annual Spooktacular in downtown Hoopeston from 5:30-7:30 p.m. Thursday. Youngsters are welcome to trick-or-treat at downtown businesses and take part in the annual costume contest.

Halloween coloring contest

Children up to age 13 are invited to participate in a Halloween coloring contest sponsored by the employees of the Hoopeston Police Department.

Police continued from other side

5:06 p.m. Thursday that someone committed a theft at 11 a.m. Thursday in the 600 block of East Wyman. Police are investigating.

Edward Puente, 37, of Chicago, was arrested after police were called at 9:57 p.m. Thursday to a disturbance in the 700 block of South First Ave.

Wanted on an Illinois Department of Corrections warrant for parole violation, he was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await extradition.

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One prize will be given in each of four age categories: 5 years and under; 6-8 years; 9-11 years; and 12-13.

Pictures may be picked up at the police station, at 301 W. Main, and must be returned to the station by November 17.

Maple Madness winners

Recent winners in the Maple Madness fundraiser are: October 18, Rose Norman, Hoopeston, \$75; October 19, Megan Heinte, Gibson City, \$25.

At the library

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include: **Brain Health** series, Thursdays through October 26, 10-11:30 a.m. Sponsored by U of I Extension.

Cooking the Books, monthly cooking program, will feature "Pumpkin Platters" this month. Stop at the front desk, select a recipe from the special cookbook selection. Staff will copy the recipe for you to bring back and share from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Thursday.

Tiny Tots, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Friday. For youngsters 0-4 who are accompanied by a caregiver.

Youth wrestling signups

Hoopeston Area Youth Wrestling signups will be held October 29, from 2-4 p.m., at the Hoopeston Fire Station, 114 N. Market. Cost is \$75 per person and includes the

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 7:19 p.m. Friday in the 600 block of West Washington.

Police said Brandon Davis, of Cissna Park, backed a 2001 Ford F150 from a driveway into a parked 2014 Chevrolet owned by Alyson Zarate, of Rossville.

An employee of Casey's General Store on Orange reported at 4:21 p.m. Saturday that the driver of an unknown vehicle drove off without paying for gas.



USA wrestling card.

Trick or treating

Hoopeston trick-or-treating will be 5:30-8 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 31. Youngsters are asked to only to go homes with porch lights on.

Township to have signups

Signup for Miracle Tree, Santa Cares Too and Toys for Kids will be held November 6-9 at Grant Township of-

Lunch Menus

Hoopeston Area grade schools

MONDAY: Hotdog/bun, fries, cucumber slices, applesauce, milk

TUESDAY: Pizza rolls, baby carrots, salad, peaches, milk

WEDNESDAY: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, bread, butter, celery sticks, pears, milk

THURSDAY: Taco, chips & salsa, baby carrots, salad, pineapple, milk

FRÎDAY: Hamburger/bun, baked beans, mixed fruit, Cherry Star juice, milk

Hoopeston Area Middle School

MONDAY: Chicken patty, corn, salad, applesauce, milk, juice

TUESDAY: Chicken & noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple, milk, juice

WEDNESDAY: Tacos, chips & salsa, salad, pears, milk, juice

THURSDAY: Mini corndogs, baked beans, salad, peaches, milk, juice

FRIDAY: Pizza, salad, mixed fruit, milk, juice

Hoopeston Area High School

MONDAY: Chicken patty or ham & cheese, corn, salad bar, applesauce, milk, juice

TUESDAY: Chicken & noodles or Hot Pocket, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple, milk, juice

WEDNESDAY: Tacos or pork BBQ, refried beans, chips & salsa, salad bar, pears, milk, juice

THURSDAY: Mini corndogs or cheeseburger, baked beans, salad bar, peaches, milk, juice

FRIDAY: Pizza or fish sandwich, salad bar, mixed fruit, milk, juice

Weather

Chance of showers today, tonight. High today 62, low 43. Tomorrow, chance of showers. High 51, low 36.

fice, 525 S. Market. Times will be 9-11 a.m. each day. Signups must be done by a parent or legal guardian of the child being registered. Bring proof of each child being registered and proof of a Hoopeston address.

Obituaries

HENNING - Adalaide V. Henning, 81, of Tucson, Ariz., formerly of Hoopeston, died October 6, 2017 at Banner University Medical Center, Tucson. Visitation will be 10 a.m. until the 11 a.m. celebration of her life Wednesday at Blurton Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Graveside service will be at Floral Hill Cemetery.

MENSCHEL - Steven P. "Steve" Menschel, 61, of Hoopeston, died at 12:10 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 19, 2017 at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Per his wishes, he will be cremated and no service held. Burial will be at a later date.

POUNDS - Tamara S. Pounds, 53, of Mattoon, died Tuesday, Oct. 17, 2017n at Carle Foundation Hopsital, Urbana. Cremation rites have been accorded by Knapp Funeral Home, Milford.

TABOR - Frederick James Tabor Jr., 57, of Hoopeston, died at 9:40 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 18, 2017 at home. Graveside service will be at 1 p.m. Monday at Danville National Cemetery, 1900 E. Main St., Danville. Burial will follow with military rites by Danville American Legion Post. Memorials are suggested to donor's choice.

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