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## Two Cornjerker wrestlers, one bowler heading to state

Three Hoopeston Area athletes from two sports will advance to state competition this weekend.

Sophomore Jaylyn Linder finished fourth in the LaSalle -Peru sectional bowling tournament Saturday with a 1258 total after bowling games of 226, 201, 242, 213, 154 and

Linder will compete at Cherry Bowl Lanes in Rockford. State finals will be held Friday and Saturday.

Kavla Goble bowled 1073 in the sectional, finishing 43rd. Mercy Linder had a 1038, Emma Glotzbach 1006 and Alyssa Yaden rounded out the team with 751.

The Lady Cornjerkers came in tenth of 12 teams. Teams going to state include New Lenox - West, Minooka, Joliet West and Sterling.

Two Hoopeston Area wrestlers came out of the Olympia sectional with a trip to the state finals.

HA junior Ezra Elliott took first place in the 126 lb. class, defeating Andrew Steffes of Kankakee McNamara in a 6-2 decision.

At 182, Cornierker senior Eliseo Zamora lost the consolation match to Micah Downs of Clinton in a 9-4 decision but his fourth place finish was enough to get him to

Injuries plagued a couple of HA's grapplers. Cole Gaddis could not compete due to an injury and Dale Ashby

See STATE on other side

#### Fire Calls

Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 9:23 a.m. Friday to the 500 block of South Market for a strong odor of natural gas outside of a building. Ameren employees were also notified to remedy the situation. No injuries were reported.

#### From the Blotter

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 9:08 a.m. Saturday at Jerry's IGA, 1030 W. Chestnut. Police said Dylan Slaughter, 17, of Hoopeston, in a 1997 Chevrolet, was stopped in a parking space. He did not see a 2004 Jeep driven by Jasmine Sills, 23, of Hoopeston, approaching, and opened his door into the path of the oncoming vehicle.

Patrick Henning, 44, of Hoopeston, was arrested after a traffic stop at 12:37 a.m. Sunday at Main and Bank. Stopped for having an expired registration, Henning also was wanted on a Vermilion County warrant.

Henning was charged with driving while license revoked and on the warrant and was released on bond for the traffic violation.

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## **Hoopeston Patriot's Club BIG** Breakfast

Saturday, Feb. 17 6 a.m.-noon At Hoopeston VFW Post 4826

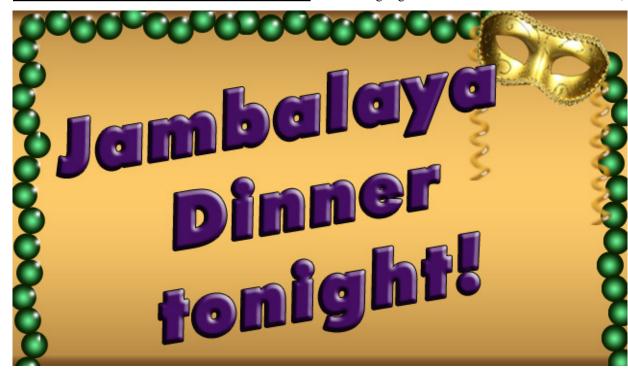
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## Pairings set for 2A boys' regionals at Hoopeston Area

Paxton-Buckley Loda and Bismarck-Henning/ Rossville-Alvin will face off in the opening game of the 2A boys' basketball regionals hosted by Hoopeston Area High School.

The first game will be held at 6 p.m. Monday, Feb. 19, followed at 7:30 by the night's second game, pitting the Cornjerkers against Champaign St. Thomas More.

Tuesday evening will see Monticello and the winner of Game 1 at 7 p.m.

On Wednesday, Gibson City-Melvin Sibley will take on the winner of Game 2.

Country Companies is sponsoring a 3 point shootout at 5:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 23. Contestants will draw numbers at 5:30 p.m.

After the shootout, the winners of games 3 and 4 will face off in the championship game at 7 p.m.

Doors will open to the public at 5 p.m. each night. Admission is \$5 per person.

Hoopeston Area media class will video the tournament, which will be streamed at <a href="www.nfhsnetwork.com/schools/hoopeston-area-high-school-hoopeston-il">www.nfhsnetwork.com/schools/hoopeston-area-high-school-hoopeston-il</a>

### — Briefly

#### **Music Moolah winners**

Winners in the Hoopeston Area Music Boosters "Music Moolah" drawing are:

February 1, Amy Linares, \$150; February 2, Dale Richardson, \$25; February 3, Christi Langellier, \$25; February 4, Vickie Murphy, \$25; February 5, Terry Beauvois, \$50; February 6, Todd Anderson, \$25, donated back; and February 7, George Patterson, \$25.

#### At the library

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include: **Music in Motion**, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Monday. For pre-K to second grade. Action and movement songs, story and craft. Adult caregiver must accompany child.

**Teen 3D Printing**, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Friday. For teens

in grades 6-12. Learn to make things using our 3D printer.

**Sensory Storytime**, 10-11 a.m. Saturday. Designed especially for children with special needs, activity will include a story and craft.

**Tree Climbers** genealogy group, 10-11 a.m. Saturday. For beginner or advanced genealogists. Use HPL's online resources, including Ancestry.com

#### **Breast Cancer support group**

Hoopeston Breast Cancer Support Group will meet at 6 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 15 at The Pit Stop. All past and present survivors are welcome. For more information, call Pat Foster, (815) 984-4040 or (309) 208-9828.

#### **Blotter** continued from other side

Megan M. Brewster, 30, of Hoopeston, was ticketed for failure to obtain insurance after an accident at 9:46 a.m. Sunday in the 100 block of South Fourth St. Police said Brewster, in a 2008 Chevrolet coupe and Misti D. Kaag, 54, of Hoopeston, in a 2017 GMC Arcadia, collided. Brewster was at fault, police said.

No injuries were reported at the time of the report.

Police are investigating counterfeit currency after an employee of Hoopeston Coin Laundry reported a fake \$20 bill was used. The customer said the bill was obtained as change in Danville.

Kayla Petty, 23, of Hoopeston, turned herself in to police at 7:50 p.m. Sunday. Wanted on an Iroquois County

#### **State** continued from other side

was injured during his first match and was unable to continue.

Individual scoring for the sectional was:

Ezra Elliott 3-0

Cole Gaddis did not compete

Dale Ashby injured in first match

Eliseo Zamora 3-2

Adam Colunga 0-2

Gage Kenner 0-2

CJ Curry 0-2

State finals will be held February 15-17 at the State Farm Center in Champaign.

#### Weather

Mostly sunny today. High 37. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 26. Tomorrow, partly sunny. High 47, low 43.

warrant for failure to appear, she was released on bond.

Robin Irvin, 37, of Hoopeston, was arrested after police were called at 9:04 p.m. Sunday to the 700 block of South First Ave., for a woman refusing to leave.

She was charged with criminal trespass to real property and disorderly conduct and released on bond with a date in Vermilion County Circuit Court.

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