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## Grant-Butler assessor advises proof needed for exemption

Some property owners may have gotten sticker shock when they opened their new property tax bill.

Senior citizens who previously had the senior citizens assessment freeze may have found the exemption missing from their bills.

Susie Ward Drollinger, Grant-Butler assessor, said Matt Long, Vermilion County Supervisor of Assessments, has changed some things and residents must show proof to receive the exemption.

To get the exemption reinstated, taxpayers must provide proof of income with their most current tax return. Proof of identification is also required.

Residents may take their documents to the Grant

Township office, 525 S. Market, to be copied, Drollinger said, adding residents should check their tax bills before paying to make sure they are receiving the correct exemptions.

For question, call Drollinger's office, (217) 283-6868.

## Fire Calls

Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 5:32 a.m. Wednesday to an activated alarm at Carle Hoopeston Regional Health Center, 701 E. Orange. Firemen were called off by building staff who said it was a malfunctioning alarm.

**Rossville Family Restaurant**

open Mother's Day

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**Open Fridays & Saturdays,  
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**Friday:** Cod dinners or sandwiches and Rib eye Steak

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## Briefly

### No paper Monday

Just the Facts will not be printed Monday Publication will resume Tuesday.

### City announcements

•Hoopeston Street and Alley Department will begin alley cleanup May 14, weather permitting. Cleanup will start in the northwest corner of town. This is for yard waste only. No plastic, lumber, landscape materials, concrete or brick will be picked up. Piles that have those materials will not be picked up.

## McGEE MARTIAL ARTS

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*Classes held Saturday mornings*

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5-8 p.m. Friday

**American Legion**

502 E. Penn, Hoopeston

**Serving Cod, Chicken, Shrimp,  
Chicken Tenders**

*with fries or onion rings, plus baked beans, slaw, roll*

**Register for Preschool!**

**Small Wonders Preschool**

**3- and 4-year-old Classes**

Located at

**First Presbyterian Church**

915 E Orange, Hoopeston, 217-283-6229

**Director: Sarah Tribbey**

*Classes begin September 4, 2018*

•Hoopeston Water Department will begin flushing hydrants on Fridays, starting June 1. Please be aware this could possibly cause some rust in the water mains. It is suggested not to do laundry during that time period.

### At the library

Coming events at Hoopeston Public Library include:

**Tiny Tots** story program, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Friday. For children ages 0-4 accompanied by a caregiver.

**Tree Climbers genealogy group**, 10-11 a.m. Saturday. For beginner or experienced genealogists.

**Music & Motion**, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Monday. For pre-K

## SBA disaster loan team to be in Danville starting Saturday

The Small Business Administration Disaster Loan Outreach Team will be working in Vermilion County this Saturday from 10am – 2pm and next week, Monday-Friday from 9am – 6pm. Residents who experienced damage due to the flooding conditions covered by this declaration are eligible to apply for long-term, low interest loans through the Small Business Administration (SBA).

To get details on the type of assistance offered residents, check the SBA Disaster Fact Sheet at: <https://disasterloan.sba.gov/> and clicking on Fact Sheet.

### Letters to the Editor

#### *School should teach LGBTQ history*

Pastor Taubert, with all due respect, your reasoning for not wanting the bill mandating LGBTQ history in public school is flawed.

As a member of the LGBTQ community, I don't know more people that have gotten an STD or divorce than in the heterosexual community.

As a lover of history, I appreciate learning about all facets of life and what the roots were of our current civilization. With that being said, our present-day society has evolved into more and I think it's vital that our new generations learn not only war history, geography, etc., but history on how a particular community had to - and in many states still have to - fight for the equal rights that heterosexuals have.

I understand why you, and the retired teacher do not think it needs to be taught, but sometimes learning about humans is more important than focusing solely on faith.

Cody Davis  
Chicago

-second grade kids. Action and movement songs, story and craft. Adult caregiver must accompany child.

**Cooking the Books**, May 24. This month's selection is "Mexican Food." Choose a recipe from our special selection at the main desk. Our staff will copy it for you to take home, fix and bring back to share from 6-7 p.m.

### Bowlers wanted

Bowlers are needed for Fast Lanes' Summer 9 Pin League, which starts May 30. Cost is \$11 per person. To sign up or for more information, call or stop by Fast Lanes, 719 W. Elm, (217) 283-6505.

An SBA team will set up a Disaster Loan Outreach Center (DLOC) at the new Vermilion County Administration Building, 201 N. Vermilion St., lower level, Danville. Residents wishing to inquire about possible SBA loan assistance may meet with the SBA team members during the above-listed times.

Residents are asked to enter via the handicapped ramp access on the south end of the County Administration Building and follow the signs to the DLOC location in the new Vermilion County Emergency Management Agency offices in the Lower Level (basement) of the building.

Residents may also apply on-line by going to: <https://disasterloan.sba.gov/>.

Anyone with questions may contact the Vermilion County Emergency Management Agency at 443-6010.

### Obituaries

**WHITE** - Holly Suzanne White, 43, of Watseka, died at 10:36 a.m. Sunday, May 6, 2018 at Riverside Medical Center, Kankakee. She was cremated. Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Monday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Private memorial service will be held. Memorials are suggested to the family, c/o Anderson Funeral Home, 427 E. Main St., Hoopeston IL 60942.

### Weather

Partly sunny today. High 84. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Low 64. Tomorrow, chance of thunderstorms. High 75, low 58. Sunday, mostly cloudy, chance of storms late. High 80, low 59. Monday, partly sunny. High 84, low 63.

## Classifieds

### APARTMENTS FOR RENT

HOOPESTON: 2 Bedroom, 1 bath apartment. Handicap Accessible. Full basement. Clean, great neighborhood. Yard w/patio. W/D hookup. Walk to stores. NON SMOKING. No pets. Text 217-260-8762. Available June 1. \$485.

Large 3 bedroom apartment, down stairs, washer dryer hook up, \$500 month 217-283-7439

### HELP WANTED

The Village of Rossville is accepting applications for part time police officers. Applications will be accepted until 5 p.m. Friday, June 8, 2018 at Rossville Municipal Building, 120 E. Attica Street, Rossville, IL 60963. The office is open Mon-Fri 9a-5p. Candidates must complete application, submit resume and sign waiver for background check. Must be available to work nights and weekends.

Hoopeston Area CUSD #11 has openings for the following positions for the 2018-19 school year:

•Classroom/Paraprofessional Aide at Maple Elementary School (Paraprofessional license recommended or 60 college credit hours)

•In School Suspension Classroom/Paraprofessional at Hoopeston Area Middle School (Paraprofessional license recommended or 60 college credit hours)

•Office Secretary at John Greer Elementary School

•Personal Aide at John Greer Elementary School

Applications are available online at Hoopeston Area CUSD's website, [www.hoopeston.k12.il.us](http://www.hoopeston.k12.il.us)

Farm help needed. CDL required. Ravens Farms. (217) 304-1943.

### RUMMAGE SALES

HOOPESTON: 839 E. Elm. Sat., 8-2. Clothing, household, tools, stained glass, misc.

HOOPESTON: Hoopeston Nazarene Church, 402 E. Honeywell. Sat., 8-1. Proceeds to summer mission trips.

HOOPESTON: 702 E. Maple. 6 families! Name brand clothing, small-4X, bags, shoes, jewelry, housewares, lots of misc. Fri. 7-7, Sat., 7-noon.

### SERVICES

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