GRAND OPENING



Sunday, March 8, 2020

112 East Main Street, Hoopeston, IL



HOURS

Sunday 6:00am-6:00pm Monday 6:00am-10:00pm Tuesday 6:00am-10:00pm Wednesday 6:00am-10:00pm Thursday 6:00am-10:00pm Friday 6:00am-Late Saturday 6:00am-Late





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Former Hoopeston woman gets Indiana's highest citizen honor

Former Hoopeston resident Alexis Dean Rosales was recently recognized with the Distinguished Hoosier Award by Indiana Gov. Eric Holcomb. This award is one of the highest honors given by the State of Indiana to its citizens, and is granted at the discretion of the governor to outstanding residents for their accomplishments and contributions to their communities.

"It was a privilege to present Alexis Dean Rosales with this award to recognize her more than 12 years of work at the Indiana Department of Correction," Gov. Holcomb said. "She's played a critical role in revamping educational programming and vocational training initiatives that are helping lower recidivism and empowering inmates to enter the workforce."

Rosales recently accepted a new position with Gateway Foundation, and will be relocating to Chicago with her husband, Rick.

Rosales is a 2002 graduate of Hoopeston Area High School. She earned a bachelors degree from Indiana State University in 2006, and a Masters in Public Af-

Little Lorraine to debut Box Office Breakfast with Mr. B's, Frozen 2

Leap out of bed early Saturday to take advantage of a special offering by the Save the Lorraine Foundation.

Box Office Breakfast will be offered at 10 a.m. on Leap Day, Feb. 29 at the Little Lorraine, 214 E. Main, Hoopeston.

The event will partner a movie - Frozen 2 - with the choice of three breakfast items from Mr. B's Café: a half order of biscuits and gravy, an egg sandwich or a pancake with a strip of bacon or sausage.

When movie-goers pay their \$5 admission at the counter, they can order one of the breakfast selections for an additional \$5, which includes a choice of drink from the theater, said Marta Pierce, who, about a year

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fairs from IUPUI in 2019. She is the daughter of Terri and Mel Hambleton, and Mike and Teresa Dean. all of Hoopeston.



Photo contributed

Indiana Gov. Eric Holcomb presents the Distinguished Hoosier award to Alexis Dean Rosales, a former Hoopeston resident.





Rossville Fire Station 617 N. Chicago

Pancakes, sausage, biscuits & gravy

HOOPESTON AREA SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION
Registration
February 29 Noon-2 p.m.
Fast Lanes
For ages 5-18
\$50 - ages 5-7, \$70 - other ages
\$50 each additional sibling
Register online at www.leaguelineup.com/hasa



Briefly

The Gathering

Rossville Community Organization is hosting The Gathering for Rossville area senior citizens, at 1 p.m. Thursday at Rossville Fire Station.

At the library

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include: **Stitchin' Time**, 9:30-11:30 a.m. Wednesday. Crochet instruction provided. Other needle crafters welcome to make new friends with similar interests.

Big Bang Thursday, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Weird and wacky science for kids in grades 3-5.

Cooking the Books, 6-7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 23. This month's theme is Soup-Er Bowl. Pick a recipe from our special section. We'll copy it for you to take, make and bring to share. Bring serving utensils. Drinks and tableware provided.

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ago, saw Cereal & Cinema offered at a small theater in Indianapolis.

When the movie starts, orders will be taken to Mr. B's. At 20 to 30 minutes into the movie, the film will be stopped and food delivered to their seat/table, then the movie will resume.

Traditional concessions will also be available for purchase.

The idea "caught my attention since we had been doing Pizza and a Picture for a few months, at that time," Pierce said. With the pizza/movie combo a success and thinking it would be "a great idea for families," she brought it up to the board, noting it would not work as an every Saturday promotion.

"It would have to be the right movie to get people up and out of the house early on a Saturday morning," she said. "As soon as Frozen 2 was released, I knew that was the right movie!"

The Lorraine board then approached Robin Lawson at Mr. B's, who was "on board immediately," Pierce said. Both parties then worked out the breakfast choices that would be available and Box Office Breakfast with Mr. B's was official."

The foundation hopes to offer Box Office Breakfast on a quarterly basis, depending on what films are released at the time. "This will be a great addition to the Little Lorraine and area families," Pierce said. "And we can't say enough about how awesome Pizza King and Mr. B's are to support the Lorraine Foundation with Pizza & Picture on Fridays and Box Office Breakfast with Mr. B's."

Tree Climbers Genealogy Group, 10 a.m. Saturday. For novice and experienced researchers.

For more information on any library program, call (217) 283-6711.

Baseball registration

Hoopeston baseball registration for players ages 5-15 will be held Saturdays, Feb. 29 and March 7, from 9-11 a.m. and Sundays, March 1 and 8, from 1-2 p.m.

Weather

Winter Weather Advisory until 6 p.m. Wednesday with snow accumulations of 3"-6" possible. High 32. Tonight, cloudy. Low 17. Tomorrow, partly sunny. High 26, low 14.

For real time Hoopeston weather, visit justthefacts.net/weather/.

at Hoopeston City Hall.

Fees are \$55 for t-ball, \$70 for Instructional, Minor and Major leagues and \$80 for Pony League.



Classifieds

HELP WANTED

Hoopeston Area CUSD #11 will be accepting applications for summer cleaning crew. Applications may be picked up at the District Office and dropped off no later than March 20, 2020.

City of Hoopeston is accepting applications for seasonal workers. Applications may be picked up at City Hall, 301 W Main St.

City of Hoopeston Swimming Pool is accepting applications for lifeguards and assistant manager for the 2020 season. Applications are available at City Hall, 301 W. Main St. 7 a.m.-4 p.m. Mon-Fri.

Robinson Chiropractic, a thriving and expanding chiropractic clinic, is looking for team oriented, multi-tasking, detail-oriented people. Candidates will be trained to assist with patient care. Customer service and phone skills a must. Candidates must be enthusiastic, outgoing, positive, great with people and have an interest in natural health and wellness and be flexible as we continue to thrive and grow in offices. Send resumes to trina.keller@robchiro.com.

United Prairie-Hoopeston has opening this Spring for the following: CDL Drivers and Non-CDL. Please pick up applications at 18978 E 3850 North Rd, Hoopeston, IL 60942. For more information, please call the office, 217-888-0164 or Jordan Reese, manager, 217-918-2876.

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