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Vermilion County in warning for rise in positive virus cases

Vermilion County is one of 30 counties considered to be at a warning level for novel coronavirus disease (COVID-19). A county enters a warning level when two or more risk indicators that measure the amount of COVID-19 increase.

The warning is for the week of August 30-September 5, said Public Health Administrator Doug Toole. It is based on the number of new cases per 100,000 and the number of emergency department visits for COVID-19-like illnesses.

A press release on the increase was issued by the Illinois Department of Public Health on Friday afternoon.

To comply with metrics set by the state, target numbers

Middle school teachers to travel

To support their students' education, Hoopeston Area Middle School teachers will meet with students on Wednesday, in their communities, starting this week. The schedule will be:

8:30-9:30 a.m. Rankin Lions Club
 10-11 a.m. East Lynn Church basement
 11:30-12:30 Wellington Lions Club park shelter
 1-2 p.m. Jaycee Pavilion at McFerren Park

Students are asked to wear masks while meeting with teachers. For more information, call the school, (217) 283-6664.

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are 50 or fewer new positive cases per 100,000 people and a decreasing or stable number of emergency department visits. Vermilion County reported 96 visits per 100,000 and had a 1.5 percent increase in those seeking treatment in emergency departments.

During that week, the county's positivity rate also increased to 3.8 percent, still under the state-mandated level of less or equal to eight percent, but higher than it had been in previous weeks.

Toole said testing was up that week, which normally reduces the positivity rate. "That means we are seeing a wider community spread," he said.

According to the press release, although reasons for counties reaching a warning level varies, some common factors for an increase are associated with college parties, weddings, large gatherings, bars and clubs, long-term care facilities and other congregate settings, travel to neighboring states, and spread among members of the same household who are not isolating at home. Cases connected to schools are beginning to be reported. General transmission of the virus in the community is also increasing, the release said.

Toole said the warning is an opportunity to "remind and encourage businesses and residents to be thoughtful."

If Vermilion and other counties in Region 6 do, too, the state could tighten up some of the guidelines to aid in social distancing and return the region to a lower risk situation, he added.

Other counties in Vermilion's region include Iroquois, Ford, Dewitt, Piatt, Champaign, Madison, Moultrie, Douglas, Edgar, Shelby, Coles, Cumberland, Clark, Fayette, Effingham, Jasper, Crawford, Clay, Richland, and Lawrence.

As of Saturday, Vermilion County had 66 active cases, with four hospitalized and the rest in home isolation. The cumulative number of positive cases is 424, with 21,954 negative test results. Four residents have died of causes related to the novel coronavirus.

See WARNING on other side

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 Lunch also available both days!



Briefly

Meetings

- Hoopeston City Council, 7 p.m. Tuesday, city hall. An updated nuisance ordinance will be discussed.
- Hoopeston Area School Board, Thursday, high

Obituaries

EDMONDS - Barbara Regena (Thomas) Edmonds, 86, of Danville, of Danville, formerly of Rossville, died at 4:14 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 5, 2020, at home. Graveside service will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Rossville Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to Danville Humane Society. Blurton Funeral Home is handling arrangements. Condolences may be left at www.BlurtonFuneralHomes.com.

Warning continued from other side

As of Sunday morning, the 60942 zip code, which includes Hoopeston and Cheneyville, remained at 31 cumulative positive cases, according to IDPH data. Rossville's 60963 increased to 10 cases.

In neighboring communities in Iroquois County, Milford's number rose to nine and Cissna Park has had 14 confirmed cases.

school library. 6 p.m. public hearing on budget followed by regular meeting. Items include personnel changes and budget approval.

Hydrant testing

Village of Rossville Maintenance Staff will begin hydrant testing the week of September 14, 2020. Please use caution during this time when doing laundry!

Online story time

- Hoopeston Public Library has introduced Online Storytime with Ms. Janell for children ages 2-6. To see the videos, an adult must "like" the HPL Facebook page, then request to join the closed group, HPListen&Learn.
- Big Bang Thursday online for grades 3 and older started Thursday, Sept. 10.

Weather

Patchy fog, then sunny today. High 75. Tonight, clear. Low 50. Tomorrow, sunny. High 76, low 53.

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

Splash pad to close

Hoopeston splash pad is closing for the season. The last day it will be open to the public is Friday, Sept. 18.

Bulk garbage day

The next bulk garbage day in Hoopeston will be Saturday, Sept. 19, from 7:30-11:30 a.m. This is for

items too large to fit in the blue totes and is for Hoopeston residents only. ID will be checked.

Vendors wanted

Looking for vendors for the Rossville Fall Festival to be held October 3 and October 4th. Booth fees are \$25. Contact Sherry Decker at 217-433-9056.

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United Prairie-Hoopeston has openings for Fall help 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.

Mechanic wanted. Experience with heavy truck, construction, and agricultural machinery preferred. Call 217-474-8349.

Cade's Heating and Air HVAC installer/ service tech. must have valid IL drivers license and EPA freon license. Please send resume to ramcade@frontier.com or 101 E Penn St., Hoopeston IL 60942.

Private in home caregiver 5 days/week from 7 to 11 for female with dementia. Hoopeston area. Must be able to use lift equipment for transfers. Call Tracey at 765 490 9642. May text for contact.

East Lynn Fertilizer is seeking full time and seasonal help. Requirements include at least a Class B CDL and ability to pass a drug test. Call 217-375-4225 or stop by 41284 S Main St., East Lynn, IL for more details.

Teasdale Latin Foods has immediate openings on 2nd shift in both Distribution and Manufacturing. Pay to be determined based on experience level. Stop by the Human Resources office at 215 W. Washington Street, Hoopeston, for more detail. Please no phone calls.

Aquality Solutions is looking for full-time delivery drivers skilled in efficiency, organization, and flexibility. Delivery Drivers will deliver bottled water and bagged salt to commercial and

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