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Rise in Covid cases results in cancellation of events, movies

Organizers have pulled the plug on two upcoming special events due to increases in positive COVID-19 tests in the area.

The vendor fair sponsored by 112 Wine and Coffee Shoppe, will not be held Saturday, as scheduled. Organizer Emily Brown said the decision was made after talking to county health officials.

"Our county is experiencing a high positivity rate and large events are discouraged," she posted on 112 social media. "We have been so looking forward to this event and are heartbroken to cancel it, but we want to do our part to stop the spread and keep our community safe." She plans to hold the event next year.

youngsters to trick-or-treat at Hoopeston merchants.

When this year's Spooktacular was announced, the Jaycees requested businesses hand out individuallywrapped candy and the annual costume contest was canceled. Now, the entire event is a no-go. The social media posting for the change said, "we were informed by the City of Hoopeston that the Spooktacular would have to be cancelled."

tancing and face coverings.

In a final closing, Save the Lorraine officials have announced no movies will be shown at the Little Lor-

Public Health Administrator Doug Toole on Tuesday announced that Vermilion County had 17 new positive tests. Five of the new cases are family-related to previously reported positive cases. The additions brings the county total of positives to 1,112. Of those, 224 cases are active, with 10 hospitalized. Forty-three

In Wednesday morning numbers posted by Illinois

Alvin 8	Potomac 25
Bismarck 18	Rankin 12
Cissna Park 22	Rossville 17
Milford 21	Wellington 9

Another event, Spooktacular, set for October 26, is also canceled. Sponsored by Hoopeston Jaycees, the annual event is a pre-Halloween staple, allowing

Lourdine Florek, Owner

Trick-or-treating on Halloween has not been canceled, and youngsters may go door-to-door from 5:30 -7 p.m. on Halloween night. Participants are asked to follow COVID-19 guidelines regarding social dis-

raine until further notice.

people were released/recovered Tuesday.

Department of Pubic Health, a cumulative total of 65 positive cases was reported in the 60942 zip code, which includes Hoopeston and Cheneyville. That is up from 58 on Sunday. Other communities and total positive cases include:



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Obituaries

FOSTER - Euna Bray Foster, 85, of Rossville, died at 7:12 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 13, 2020, at Heritage Health, Hoopeston. Per her wishes, she will be cremated and no service held. Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston, is handling arrangements. Condolences may be left at www.anderson-funeral-home.com.

PAYNE - Rick Edwin Payne, 70, of Hoopeston, died at 11:20 p.m. Friday, Oct. 9, 2020, at home. He will be cremated. Visitation will be 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Tueday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Graveside service will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston. Those who attend are asked to wear face coverings and socially distance. Memorials are suggested to American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 22478, Oklahoma

City OK 73123. Condolences may be left at www.anderson-funeral-home.com.

PRATHER - John David "Dave" Cass Prather, of Las Vegas, Nev., formerly of Rossville, died Thursday, Aug. 5, 2020, at home. He was cremated. Graveside service will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Rossville Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to Shriners Hospitals for Children, P.O. Box 863765, Orlando, Fla. 32886. Anderson Funeral Home is handling arrangements. Condolences may be left at www.andersonfuneral-home.com.

RHOADES - Anne M. (Tubbs) Rhoades, 84, of Hoopeston, formerly of Milford, died at 4:25 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 10, 2020, at Gibson Area Hospital An-

From the Blotter

Floyd Shanks, 33, of Danville, was arrested after a traffic stop at 3:08 a.m. Tuesday in the alley just west of the 200 block of Market.

He was charged with driving while license revoked and operating an uninsured vehicle and was released on notices to appear in Vermilion County traffic court.

Gage M. Fouse, 26, of Hoopeston, was arrested after police were called at 5:20 a.m. Tuesday to the 900 block of East McNeil for someone standing in the road and who was almost hit.

Police said Fouse was found with lawn equipment that was not his, The owner was identified and wished to press charges.

Fouse was charged with theft under \$500 and was released on a notice to appear.

Cody D. Coon, 23, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 1030 a.m. Tuesday at the police station after he went there to clear up a situation that occurred Saturday.

Police were called at 3 a.m. Saturday to the 600 block of East Seminary, where a 20-year-old Hoopeston man alleged Coon trespassed, damaged property and committed battery.

When Coon went to the police station, he was charged with those offenses and was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

Court Dispositions

August 12

RVFM 13 Series LLC, Columbia, failed to appear at initial appearance for general nuisance; sentencing September 8.

Éric Russell, Hoopeston, general nuisance case dismissed by hearing officer.

Stephen Spivey, Hoopeston, failed to appear at initial appearance for trespassing; sentencing September 9.

September 9

Raymond Lazarich, Bourbonnais, failed to appear at status hearing for general nuisance; case sent to state for further enforcement.

Tyler C. Griffin, Hoopeston, failed to appear at initial appearance for theft; sentencing October 14.

Brandon R. Irvin, Hoopeston, failed to appear at

status hearing for unlawful acts constituting disorder; case sent to state for further enforcement.

James R. Roof, Hoopeston, failed to appear at status hearing for battery; case sent to state for further enforcement.

Vicki L. Ford, Hoopeston, failed to appear at initial appearance for disobeying police; sentencing October 14.

Vicki L. Ford, Hoopeston, failed to appear at initial appearance for battery: sentencing October 14.

Weather

Chance of showers today. High 57. Tonight, clear, patchy frost. Low 32. Tomorrow, sunny. High 57, low 34. For real time Hoopeston weather, visit justthefacts.net/weather/.

nex, Gibson City. She will be cremated. Public visitation will be 9:30-11 a.m. Saturday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Private memorial service and burial will be held. Memorials are suggested to Grand Township Food Cupboard, 525 S. Market St., Hoopeston IL 60942 or Save the Lorraine Foundation, P.O. Box 247, Hoopeston IL 60942. Condolences may be left at www.anderson-funeral-home.com.

STRAWSER - Robert Wayne "Bob" Strawser, 88,

of Rossville, died at 1:40 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 13, 2020, at Heritage Health Hoopeston. Graveside service will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Rossville Cemetery with military rites by Hoopeston American Legion Post #384. Memorials are suggested to Heritage Health Therapy and Senior Living, 23 N. Dixie Hwy., Hoopeston IL 60942 or Rossville Church of Christ, 514 E. Attica St., Rossville IL 60963. Condolences may be left at www.anderson.funeral.home.com.

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Vermilion County Animal Shelter is hiring kennel workers, full and part time available! Email ksnyder@vercounty.org or visit www.vercounty.org/jobs_general.htm for an application.

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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.

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