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 will hold an organizational meeting and fundraiser  
**Wednesday, Feb. 17 at**  
**Hoopeston American Legion**  
**6:30 Chili & Potato Soup -7 Bill's comments**  
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# Just the Facts

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## All hands pitch in to move Hoopeston's 'I walked to school in a blizzard' snow accumulation



A Hoopeston resident shovels deep snow from a sidewalk early Tuesday morning.

Even though it happened on Presidents' Day and school was not in session, Monday's snow was one of those "I walked a mile to school and back in a blizzard" kind of storms.

For the first time in a long time, Hoopeston and the surrounding area experienced double-digit accumulation which was coupled with high winds.

Hoopeston implemented a new, recently-approved plan that uses not only street and alley employees, but also parks and water department workers, to clean up after large snows.

Ald. Jeff Wise, street/alley committee chairman, said roughly 10" of snow fell on Hoopeston. As his depart-

ment plowed streets, water workers cleared the area around the water plant, both fire stations, city hall and around Schumacher's, which there is a lot of drifting, he said.

Meanwhile, park employees cleaned up the park, the area around the annex and part of Maple.

The plan calls for parks workers to also plow alleys "but the snow depth was an issue in some places with their truck," Wise said. Alleys are an issue due to drifting, but we'll get to them as soon as we can. The main roads have to be done first."

Plowing started at 6:30 a.m. Monday. Workers took a  
**See BLIZZARD on other side**

### Briefly

#### Trash pickup delay

Republic Services was closed Tuesday due to Monday's snowstorm. Part of Monday's route missed Monday will be picked up Wednesday. Pickup will be one day late the rest of the week.

#### Cornjerker sports streaming

While Hoopeston Area sporting events will not be open to the public, the district has found a program that will allow fans to watch games from anywhere.

Residents may go to [www.nfhsnetwork.com](http://www.nfhsnetwork.com) and sign up for either a monthly pass for \$10.99 (cancel at any time) or annual pass for \$69.99 (can be billed monthly). Search for Hoopeston Area, then click the Subscribe button.

Regular and post-season games will be aired and on-demand events when available.

#### Volunteers needed

Hoopeston Historic Preservation Commission is asking community members to step up and volunteer their time and talents for Hoopeston's sesquicentennial celebration, to be held June 27-July 3. Fundraising efforts are underway. Donations are also being accepted for the event.

For more information, call City Hall, (217) 283-5833.



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January 13

Lawrence A. Crowley, Chicago, failed to appear at initial appearance for general nuisance; sentencing February 10.

Karla A. Cassidy, Hoopeston, failed to appear at initial appearance for restraint of dogs by owner; sentenced February 10.

Blizzard continued from other side

break from 2:30-5:30 p.m., then continued until 4 a.m. Tuesday. "They were back at it early this morning, trying to clean the rest up."

"We'll work out the kinks so we can get all three departments working in tandem when big snows like this hit. It's about everybody working together to get the city open as safely and quickly as possible."

Monday's snowfall resulted in several businesses closing early. Some, like Hoopeston Public Library, were also closed Tuesday.

In the county, plowing stopped at 7 p.m. Monday, to resume at 5 a.m. Tuesday. County offices were closed Tuesday, along with area schools and Danville Area Community College.

ing February 10.

Vicki L. Ford, Hoopeston, appeared at status hearing for battery; new status hearing February 10.

Vicki L. Ford, Hoopeston, appeared at status hearing for disobeying police; new hearing February 10.

From the Blotter

A Hoopeston man was arrested Monday in connection with a theft reported Sunday in the 700 block of South First Ave.

Blake Michael Meehan, 20, was arrested after an officer on patrol saw him at 8:01 a.m. Monday in the 200 block of South Second Ave.. He was taken to the police station where he was charged with theft and released on a notice to appear in Vermilion County Circuit Court.

Weather

Chance of snow today, tonight. High 19, low 9. Tomorrow, chance of snow. High 21, low 7.

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Classifieds

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The City of Hoopeston is accepting applications for a Code Enforcement Officer. This is a part-time position with flexible hours working approximately 40 hours per month. Applications are available on our website [www.cityofhoopeston.com](http://www.cityofhoopeston.com) under the Services link then Employment. Contact City Hall, 217-283-5833, for more information.

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