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Looking for Joy!

"What does Joy mean? Each of us gets Joy from someone or some place, or maybe something! I've found that Joy does not always come from a spectacular event or fun time! Many times great Joy comes from little things that happen every day. For instance, a card from a friend we haven't seen in years. A phone call just to say "Hi" and check on us! A friend stopping to share green beans, just because she knows I like them. Maybe an e-mail from someone special letting me know they are thinking of me. Really, little things you might say are "too little to matter". No way Jose! Every little thing in my life and yours matters.

A hot summer day and I decided to weed my flowerbed. Crazy? Yes! I am not an outdoors person but I like flowers. I got that from my Mother. Each flower reminds me of a friend. Some are big and bold, some are skinny and quiet and some are just right, just like me! My Mother could take a dead, no good flower, plant it, talk to it and it flourished! Not me! But I have learned patience and perseverance and to never give up on flowers, people or life.

It's funny how Joy plays such a big part in our life. We may think it comes only when everything is going fine. Wrong, way wrong! Joy comes when we are not even looking for it. Joy is the honey on my biscuit. The kiss from my hubby first thing in the morning. Joy is there when a friend is sick and she smiles as I stop by to say "Hi".

Let me tell you a story about pain, I had hip surgery and for many weeks after, I still had pain. I chose to think of happy times, fun events, my grandsons, delicious homemade cookies. Any happy thoughts that took my mind off of pain and gave me Joy. Yes, we all may have pain of some kind. But let me tell you, thinking of a friend's kindness or the card in the mail just to say "I'm thinking of you". Joy fills your heart!

Don't let a moment of your day go by without some Joy. Dig it out, search for it! Don't allow ugly thoughts to fill your day. Be smart, delight in all the good in your day! I know you can do it! You know you can do it! Put a smile on your face. Don't you dare allow anyone or anything to take your Joy away!

Keep it down, way down in your heart to stay! Forever!

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Rankin woman named Miss Iroquois County Fair Queen

A 19-year-old Rankin woman was crowned Miss Iroquois County Fair Queen Tuesday night.

Erin Anderson, daughter of Todd and Sara Anderson, was crowned queen from a field of six candi-

dates. She was crowned by 2019 Queen Brianne Miller, of Martinton. The fair was not held last year due to Covid.

According to her pageant biography, Anderson attends Danville Area Community College, where she studies agriculture communications. Farm Broadcaster by WITY Radio in Danville. She is a graduate of Hoopeston Area High School.

First runner-up to Anderson is Haley Lucht, 20, of Milford. She is the daughter of Anthony and Danielle Lucht.

Second runner-up is Emma Morts, 20, also of Milford. She is the daughter of Scott Morts and Kendra Morts.

Rounding out the field were Kaitlyn Bell, 20, of Crescent City, Cassie Peters, 20, also of Crescent City, and Leah Lemenager, 21, of Clifton.

This year's event marked the 50th anniversary of the pageant. The fair is celebrating its 60th anniversary this year.



Photo: Miss Iroquois County Fair Pageant
Erin Anderson, of Rankin, was named Miss Iroquois County Fair Tuesday night. She is flanked by first runner-up Haley Lucht, of Milford and second runner-up Emma Morts, also of Milford.

Briefly

Meetings

Hoopeston Area School Board, 6 p.m. Thursday, high school library. The board will immediately go into executive session. The public portion of the meeting will follow.

Support group to meet

Hoopeston Breast Cancer Support Group will meet at 6 p.m. Thursday at Fast Lanes. This is for all current and previous breast cancer survivors. For more information, call Pat Foster, (815) 984-4040 or (309) 208-9829.

Meat giveaway

Molina Healthcare and Grant Township Food Cupboard will give away free breakfast meat bundles to anyone. The give away will be held July 24 at the food cupboard, 525 S. Market St. from 12-2 p.m. or while supplies last.

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A cell phone was found Tuesday at Third St. and Maple. The owner may identify and claim it at the police station.

Justin Sellars, 26, of Milford, was arrested by Milford Police on July 7. Charged with two counts of possession of a controlled substance, he was taken to the Iroquois County Jail and released on bond.

Obituaries

ROSENBERGER - Sharon Kay (Wolfe) Rosenberger, 77, of Armstrong, died at 2:15 p.m. Saturday, July 10, 2021, at OSF Sacred Heart Medical Center, Danville. She was cremated. Burial will be at a later date in Partlow Cemetery, Armstrong. Blurton Funeral Home, Potomac, is handling arrangements. Condolences may be left at www.blurtonfuneralhomes.com.

THOMPSON - Alice Elizabeth (Hunsucker) Thompson, 96, of Potomac, died at 9:20 p.m. Saturday, July 10, 2021, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Visitation will be 10 a.m. until the 11 a.m. funeral Saturday at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Hoopeston. Burial will be at noon Monday in Greenwood Cemetery, Amherst, Wis. Blurton Funeral Home, Potomac, is handling arrangements. Condolences may be left at www.blurtonfuneralhomes.com.

Court Dispositions

May 5

Pamela S. Kitchens, Hoopeston, fine for restraint of dogs by owner paid in full, case closed.

June 9

Linsey M. Warner, Hoopeston, failed to appear at status hearing for battery, case sent to state for further enforcement.

Brian K. Swinford, Danville, reset for status hearing for nuisance structure to July 21.

Weather

Mostly sunny today, then thunderstorms likely. High 86. Tonight, thunderstorms. Low 69. Tomorrow, showers, chance of thunderstorms late. High 79, low 65.

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

Classifieds

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Silgan Containers is hiring Press Line Mechanics. Please apply online at silgancontainers.mua.hrdepartment.com/hr/ats/Posting/view/11620

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

Silver Brothers is looking for part-time mixer drivers. Hours will vary. Must have Class B CDL, pass a drug test, be able to climb a ladder, and lift 75 lbs. Pay will be \$20/hour to an experienced driver. Perfect opportunity for a retired person wanting some extra money. Stop by 105 E. Washington, Hoopeston for application.

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Mustard Seed Christian Daycare is looking to hire 2-3 part time assistant teachers. Requirements include 18 or older, high school diploma or GED, college credits are preferred but not mandatory for the right candidate, willing to undergo a background check

and fingerprinting, flexible and able to work as early as 6 30 a.m. and as late as 5 30 p.m., and have reliable transportation. Please email Nicole Gregory at mustardseed.christiandaycare@gmail.com for application information.

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