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Briefly

Meetings

Hoopeston City Council, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Hoopeston City Council. Action items listed to include omnibus ARPA fund requests, the Covid-related state of emergency resolution and police commission appointment. Full agenda and Zoom link are at www.cityofhoopeston.com.

Men's addiction recovery group

Addiction recovery group for men. 6 p.m. Sundays in Rossville. Call or text 217-304-4211 or 217-260-1361 for details.

Help needed

Grant Township Food Cupboard needs 3-4 able-bodied volunteers to help unload the food truck at 7 a.m. the first Tuesday of every month. The food cupboard is located at 525 S. Market. Contact Charlene Ervin at cse4@frontier.com to volunteer. The task should take an hour or less.

At the library

Mary Hartwell Catherwood Book Club, 1:30-2:30 p.m. Monday. Selection is *Destiny of the Republic* by Candice Millard.

Stitchin' Time, 10 a.m.-noon Wednesdays. Crochet, knit, needlepoint, embroider or sew - whatever your needlecraft, bring your project and coffee and enjoy a morning of fun and conversation!

For more information, call (217) 283-6711 or visit it at 110 N. Fourth St. or at www.hooplib.org.

Bulk garbage day

Bulk garbage day, for Hoopeston residents only, will be held from 7:30-10:30 a.m. Saturday at Hoopeston City Hall parking lot. Residents are limited to one load per bulk day and must unload their own load or bring someone to help.

Dumping of electronics, appliances, paint, liquids, tires, batteries, yard waste, construction/demolition material or anything that fits in the provided blue totes is not allowed. Items from apartments with a dumpster will not be allowed and items from businesses and contractors will not be permitted.



Hoopeston Water Supt. Steve Baker, foreground, and Luis Marroquin, background, apply caution tape at the scene of a water main break at Seminary and Fifth St. Friday night. Water in the area was shut off and a boil order is in effect.

Main break results in shutdown, boil order on Seminary

Residents on Seminary Ave., between Fourth and Sixth streets, are under a boil order until further notice after a water main break forced water to be shut off in the area.

Hoopeston Water Department was called to the scene shortly before quitting time Friday. The four-man department was on the scene until after dark, working with the aid of a streetlight and flashlights.

Supt. Steve Baker tries to fix breaks without shutting off water in an area, but said that was not feasible for this

break.

He explained that when a portion of the water system is shut down for a repair, when the water is turned back on, it must be tested. Until Baker receives the test results, the area is under a boil order.

By statute, a boil order means consumers should boil drinking or cooking water for five minutes before use.

Baker estimated that results from the samples might not be available until midweek.

From the Blotter

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 6:35 p.m. Thursday at Rt. 1 and West Orange.

Police said Linda Means, 70, of Hoopeston, in a 2020 Buick utility, was exiting a parking lot, turning north-bound on Rt. 1, when her front passenger side struck the rear driver’s side of a 2015 Chevrolet utility, driven by Shannon Lithgow, 28, of Hoopeston.

Kristy L. Powers, 41, of Hoopeston, was arrested after police were sent at 11:59 p.m. Thursday to a domestic disturbance in the 700 block of East Main.

Powers, wanted on an Iroquois County warrant, was arrested and released on bond with a new Iroquois County court date.

Holly Irvin, 39, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 4:55 p.m. Friday. Wanted on a Vermilion County warrant, she was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville by a

Fire Calls

Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 10:12 p.m. Saturday to the 400 block of North Market for the smell of natural gas in the area. Firemen cleared the scene without incident.

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Vermilion County deputy.

Craig I. Stevens, 43, of Hoopeston, was arrested after police were called at 12:21 a.m. to the 400 block of South Second Ave., on another matter. Stevens, wanted on a Vermilion County warrant, was also charged with possession of methamphetamine. He was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

Police were called to McFerren Park at 6:53 p.m. Saturday for a report of graffiti painting on the stall doors and a mirror in the ladies’ restroom. The damage is under investigation.

Police are investigating a report made at 12:03 p.m.

Court Dispositions

June 9

Tammy J. Longest, Hoopeston, general nuisance case dismissed by hearing officer.

William R. Thomas, Hoopeston, failed to appear at initial appearance for general nuisance in two cases; sentencing in both July 21.

Chrystal G. Weigand, Hoopeston, pleaded guilty at initial appearance to restraint of dogs by owner, fined \$180; status hearing July 21.

Kaylynn L. Kruger, Hoopeston, failed to appear at initial appearance for disobeying police, found guilty by default, fined \$180; status hearing July 21.

Kaylynn L. Kruger, Hoopeston, failed to appear at initial appearance for assault, found guilty by default, fined \$180; status hearing July 21.

Weather

Mostly sunny today. High 76. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 67. Tomorrow, sunny. High 77, low 68.

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Saturday of a garage and vehicle broken into in the 700 block of South Third St.

A set of keys was found Saturday at Hoopeston Car Wash. The owner may identify and claim them at the police station.

Hunter Wright, 25, of Hoopeston, was arrested af-

ter he was stopped at 9:36 p.m. Saturday at First Ave. and West Main. Known to be wanted on a Benton County, Ind., warrant, he was also charged with violation of the Firearms Owner’s Identification Card. He was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await extradition to Indiana.

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

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Employment opportunities and apply as indicated. EOE

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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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 residential customers and must have knowledge or be willing to learn maintenance operations when not driving. Apply in person at 102 N 1st St. in Hoopeston or call us at 855-692-7824.

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