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## Friday, August 20, 2021

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## Briefly —

### At the library

Tree Climbers genealogy group, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Saturday. For beginners to experienced genealogists! Back to School Book Sale starts Monday in the low-

er level meeting room (south entrance).

Fiction and non fiction titles will be available, as well as lots of crafting books, children's fiction, classics, inspirational fiction and more. Everything will be \$2/bag or three bags for \$5. Bring your own bag or bags will be available.

Masks will be required in the building.

Bulk garbage day

Bulk garbage day, for Hoopeston residents only, will be

## Multi-Family Garage Sale

Friday, Aug. 20, 9 am - 5 pm Saturday, Aug. 21 8 am - 12 pm 406 E. Lyle Street Milford, IL Name Brand Mens, Womens (XS-3X), Juniors, & Kids Clothing and Accessories Infant & Kids Toys, Household items & Decor, DVDs, Books

Call us today at 855-692-7824 to get water delivered to your home or business or visit our office at 102 N 1st Ave. in Hoopeston to pick up your water!

SOLUTIONS, LLC

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.

Phone/Fax: (217) 283-9348

Lourdine Florek, Owner

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.

### 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.

### Birthday card shower

Beverly Yaden will celebrate her 90th birthday and a card shower is being held in her honor. Cards may be mailed to Bev c/o Jane Longfellow, 840 E Chestnut St, Hoopeston IL 60942. Please help us celebrate!

#### **Resident reminders**

• The Hoopeston slab is for yard waste only - branches, leaves, grass clippings, etc. Construction and other debris is not allowed.

• Residents are asked to not use the so-called flushable wipes. Despite being labeled "flushable," they do not break down and are clogging city sewers.

• Please do not mow grass into the street. It is a hazard for motorcyclists and bicyclists and can clog city sewers.

### From the Blotter

A motorcycle rider received minor injuries when his bike was struck by a passing truck.

Police said Thad Finnell, 28, of Hoopeston, on a 1999 Yamaha motorcycle, was stopped in Parkview Court. Christopher Billingsley, 26, also of Hoopeston, in a 2013 Ford truck, tried to go around him and hit the motorcycle. No tickets were issued.



**DACC Higher Learning Center** Hoopeston **Register now for Fall Semester!** Classes begin August 23, 2021 ENGL-101 (Rhetoric and Composition 1) Monday and Wednesday, 2-3:15 p.m. or Wednesday, 6-8:40 p.m. LITR-103 - (Intro to Fiction) Tuesday and Thursday, 2-3:15 p.m. SPCH -101 (Oral Communication) Wednesday, 6-8:40 p.m. SOCY-100 (Sociology) Tuesday 6-8 p.m. \*\*\* Late start class - begins September 21 \*\*\* HLTH-102 (First Aid and Personal Safety) Tuesday 6-8 p.m.

BOFF-140 (Medical Terminology) Monday and Wednesday, 4-5:40 p.m.

MATH-107 (Applied Math Concepts) Monday-Wednesday, 4-5:40 p.m.

CBUS-150 (Bus. Computer Systems) Thursday, 6-8 p.m.

GED/HiSet - Begins September 14 Tuesday and Thursday, 6-8:30 p.m.

Call for more information!! Call 217-283-4170, stop by 847 E. Orange, Hoopeston or visit www.dacc.edu/hoopeston

### **Obituaries**

**ECKERT** - Betty L. "Granny" Eckert, 90, of Walker, MI, formerly of Hoopeston, passed away Sunday August 15, 2021, at Yorkshire Manor in Walker..

She was born December 14, 1930, in Tab, IN., the daughter of Charles B. and Lillie Mae (Turner) Hopkins Sr. She met Paul D. Eckert Sr. while he was in the service at Chanute Air Force Base and they later married on February 27, 1955, in Hoopeston. He preceded her in death.

She is survived by one daughter, Diane (Terry) Field of Birmingham, AL; one son, Danny (Pat) Eckert of Grand Rapids, MI; one brother, Doug Hopkins; two sisters-inlaw, Lucina Haubert of Marion, OH and Judie Reynolds of Fort Mill, SC; five grandchildren, Jan Eckert, Mandy (Abraham) Sangha, AJ (Tara) Eckert, Tye (Kali) Eckert, and Travis (Cayla) Field; 12 great-grandchildren, Karsen, Caden, Avery, Brynnly, Emersyn, Isaac, Norah, Asher, Theo, Ivy, TJ, and Colton; and seven nieces and nephews, Shelley, Chuck, Jeff, Bruce, Beth, Barry, and Paul.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her parents; one sister, Shirley Crabtree; two brothers,



James "Hoppy" Hopkins and Charles "JR" Hopkins; and seven nieces and nephews, Becky, Brian, Brad, Hodgey, Esther, David, and Carol.

Betty graduated from John Greer (Hoopeston) High School in the Class of 1948 where she was also a cheerleader. She worked at A&P Grocery Store in both Hoopeston and Danville until her retirement. She later operated, with Paul, Eckert's Root Beer Stand for five years and then began cleaning Community Bank and the telephone building. Betty was a member of the First Church of the Nazarene in Hoopeston where she was very active, serving many years as the Sunday School Leader, Treasurer, custodian, and on the Missionary Board. Both Betty and Paul served the Lord in many ways for many years. In her earlier years, she bowled in the Monday Night Bowling League at Pla-Mor Lanes in Hoopeston. She loved her classmates and served on the Class of 1948 Reunion Committee for many years. Betty was a Cornjerker fan, Illini fan, and an Ohio State Buckeve fan.

A graveside service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday August 28, 2021, at Floral Hill Cemetery in Hoopeston, IL, with Mike Stipp officiating.

Memorials may be made to the First Church of God 1004 E. Orange St. Hoopeston, IL 60942.

Please visit www.anderson-funeral-home.com to view Betty's eternal tribute page and to send the family condolences.

Anderson Funeral Home in Hoopeston is handling the arrangements.

**PETTICE** - Steve Pettice, 74, of Potomac, died at 10:29 a.m. Monday, Aug. 16, 2021, at home. Visitation will be noon until the 2 p.m. celebration of his life Saturday at Hillery Assembly of God. Burial will follow in Gundy Cemetery, Bismarck. Memorials are suggested to the family. Blurton Funeral Home is handling arrangements. Condolences may be left at www.blurtonfuneral homes.com.

### Weather

Patchy fog, then sunny today. High 86. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 69. Tomorrow, chance of thunderstorms, then partly cloudy. High 86, low 67. Sunday, sunny. High 83, low 64.

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

## Classifieds

#### EMPLOYMENT WANTED

Class A CDL holder seeking part of full time harvest work for local farmer in Hoopeston or within 25 miles. I have hopper, end dump and tanker experience and can also operate most any equipment, including, but not limited to, auger carts and any ground working implements, chisel, cultivator, turbo till, etc. Please call (217) 597-4554 if you're interested in offering me a position (over 20 years verifiable experience).

#### HELP WANTED

NAPA Hoopeston is looking for a full time Counter/Delivery person. Successful candidate will be very knowledgeable about automotive/truck parts and computers, able to answer phones and wait on customers. Must do daily and monthly paperwork and be capable of doing all activities the store manager does in case of his absence. ASE certified counter person preferred but not required. If interested, pick up a application at NAPA 226 E Main St. Hoopeston.

Floral Hill Cemetery is seeking applications for a full time cemetery employee. Must be willing to work in the elements, have basic computer skills, and work well with the public. Questions, please call City Hall at 217-283-5833 or Floral Hill Cemetery at 217-283-6311. Applications may be picked up at City Hall, 301 W Main St. at the Administration Office Monday-Thursday, 8 am-3 pm and Friday, 8 am-1 pm and must be turned in to the Administration Office at City Hall. Applications available to fill out online at www.cityofhoopeston.com, Services, Employment Opportunities.

Part-time Housekeeper wanted (approximately 15 to 20 hours a week, Monday thru Friday daytime) for small, private home without children in Rossville. Must be detail oriented, mature and reliable. We offer competitive wages with flexible hours.

General duties include overall cleaning and tidying of home (living areas, bathroom, kitchen, etc.); changing linens; drop off and pick up service for laundry; cleaning interior windows; removing garbage and recycling; management of household supplies. Optional duties can include running errands (grocery shopping, mail, etc.) and preparing meals for the family.

Email ethomas@hubcitymedia.com with experience and contact information.

Greene Galvanized Stairs seeks a full time customer service representative in East Lynn. Position covers receptionist, data entry, and administrative support duties. Must have excellent verbal and written communication skills and demonstrate attention to detail. General computer usage and data entry skills required. Send resume and cover letter with salary expectations to PO Box 191, East Lynn IL 60932 or careers@greene binstairs.com.

East Lynn Fertilizer is seeking a full time applicator. Call 217-375-4225 or stop by 41284 S Main St., East Lynn, IL for more details. KSi is looking for qualified candidates for the following full-time positions in our Cissna Park, IL facility:

#### \*Controls Technician \*Production Associate

\*Work Study – This position is specifically for an incoming high school senior looking for work study credit for the upcoming school year. The student will work in the production and/or shipping departments.

For job descriptions and benefit information, visit our website, www.ksiedge.com and click on the "Join Our Team" tab. Fill out an application from our website, send inquiries to hr@ksiedge.com, or call 785-284-0600 ext. 1422. Applications may also be picked up at our location: 454 N State Route 49, Cissna Park, IL 60924.

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

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.

Full-Fill Industries Henning, is offering many job opportunities for full-time applicants, with a full benefit package, or part-time positions. 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> shifts available. We offer a part-time flexible work schedule from 8 am-4 30 pm M-F for Moms & Dads.

Graduating seniors that are 18 looking for a summer job or not pursuing a college career, we offer career opportunities.

Apply on-line at www.full-fill.com go to employment or Employment opportunities and apply as indicated. EOE

Dogtown Heating, Air, & Plumbing is in search of an experienced HVAC technician to help serve our customers in the area. Pay based on experience. Health insurance, Life insurance, and 2 weeks paid vacation. We have a family atmosphere that serves our customers with honesty and integrity. Email brad.dogtown@gmail.com

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 1<sup>st</sup> St. in Hoopeston or call us at 855-692-7824.

#### HOUSES FOR RENT

2 bedroom home 1 level, washer & dryer hook up, all electric, large yard. \$600 month 217-304-1103

#### RUMMAGE SALES

ROSSVILLE: 410 S. Chicago. Fri. 8-4, Sat. 8-noon. Precious moments, Christmas decorations, kitchen items, electronics, limited clothing, misc.