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Briefly

Meetings

- Hoopeston City Council, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Hoopeston City Hall, 301 W. Main. Action items include approval of the annual tax levy. Agenda and Zoom link are at www.cityofhoopeston.com.
- Hoopeston City Council, special meeting at 9 a.m. Sat-

urday for an overview of city finances, followed by an executive session for personnel and pending litigation.

At the library

Upcoming activities at Hoopeston Public Library include:

Hoopeston Public Library is offering a holiday gift to

area families in the form of free family photos. Appointments are limited and can be scheduled from 5-8 p.m., Tuesday, Dec. 7; or 2-5 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 11. Appointments are required and must be made at the library, no later than Monday, Dec. 6.

Call 217-283-6711 for an appointment.



Welcome to Christmas

The Lorraine Theatre was transformed into a Christmas wonderland for a family activity Wednesday evening. Above left, beautiful trees and cutouts of a gingerbread house, lollipops and a gingerbread man welcome families into the lobby. Left, Grayson, 22 months, peeks around dad, Colin Carswell, as mom Brittney Myers looks on. Sister Jaidyn, not pictured, hurried past to the area for children's games and Santa.



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Illinois State Police, Iroquois state’s attorney investigate Danforth officer involved shooting

DANFORTH - A Saturday shooting in rural Danforth is being investigated by the Illinois State Police (ISP) Division of Criminal Investigations (DCI) Zone 3.

According to an ISP press release, Iroquois County Sheriff Clinton J. Perzee requested an investigation into the non-fatal officer-involved shooting involving

an officer from the Iroquois County Sheriff’s Office (ICSO).

On December 3, 2021 at approximately 9:41 p.m., the ICSO responded to a residence in rural Danforth, for a 911 call of a domestic disturbance. The subject, a 40-year-old male of Danforth, was reportedly involved in a domestic dispute with another resident.

From the Blotter

A Champaign man was arrested after police conducted a traffic stop at 3:23 p.m. Thursday at East Seminary and Front.

After a search of the vehicle, Priyadarshi Purnendu, 34, was arrested on preliminary charges of possession of a controlled substance and possession of drug paraphernalia. He was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

Titus T. Barber, 48, of Hoopeston, was arrested after officers made contact with him at 9:04 p.m.

The PIT STOP at EAST LANES
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Lunch & Dinner Specials

Monday: Meatloaf, Taco Salad or grilled and breaded Tenderloins
Tuesday: Speedway Burger and Chicken or Beef & Noodles
Wednesday: Rib eye sandwich and Prime Rib sandwich
Thursday: Swiss steak or Popcorn Shrimp
Friday: Cod and Rib eye steak dinners
Saturday: Prime Rib and Rib eye steak dinners

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Weekday Breakfast Hours 5:30-10 a.m.
Breakfast Buffet:
Serving 7-10 a.m. Saturday 7 a.m.-Noon Sunday.

Shop Hoopeston for the holidays!

Thursday in the 300 block of East Penn.

Wanted on a Vermilion County warrant for failure to appear, he was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville on the no-bond warrant.

Lunch Menus

Hoopeston Area Grade School menu
MONDAY: Maple and John Greer closed
TUESDAY: Maple and John Greer closed
WEDNESDAY: Maple and John Greer closed (Maple closed until December 13)
John Greer only
THURSDAY: Mini Pancake & sausage nuggets, hash brown, baby carrots, mandarin orange, milk
FRIDAY: Pepperoni pizza, salad, celery sticks, peaches, milk

Hoopeston Area Middle School menu
MONDAY: Chicken wrap, veggies, corn, applesauce, milk
TUESDAY: Country fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple, milk
WEDNESDAY: Tacos, refried beans, chips & salsa, veggies, pears, milk
THURSDAY: Chicken pot pie w/biscuit, mixed vegetables, veggies, peaches, milk
FRIDAY: Pizza, veggies, mixed fruit, vegetable juice, milk

Hoopeston Area High School menu
MONDAY: Chicken wrap or ham & cheese, salad bar, corn, applesauce, milk, juice
TUESDAY: Country fried steak or Hot Pocket, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple, milk, juice
WEDNESDAY: Cheese quesadilla or pork BBQ, chips & salsa, refried beans, salad bar, pears, milk, juice
THURSDAY: Chicken pot pie w/biscuit or cheese-burger, mixed vegetables, salad bar, peaches, milk, juice
FRIDAY: Pizza or fish sandwich, salad bar, mixed fruit, milk, juice

While Iroquois County deputies were on scene, the male subject returned. The male subject took actions which endangered the lives of the other residents as well as the deputies. The deputies discharged their weapons striking the subject. Officers immediately rendered aid, and the subject was transported to an area hospital for treatment where he is expected to survive. No officers or other residents were injured during the incident.

According to a release from the Iroquois County Sheriff’s department, the male was taken to Riverside Hospital in Kankakee. Along with ISP Department of Investigations, the incident is being investigated by the Iroquois County State’s Attorney’s Office, which is reviewing the chain of events.

In its press release, ISP said, “This is an active and ongoing investigation, and no additional information will be released at this time.”

Obituaries

LINDER - Shirley Ann (Coffey) Linder, 77, of Potomac, formerly of Cheneyville, died at 4:56 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 30, 2021, at Accolade Healthcare, Danville. Visitation will be 11 a.m. until the 1 p.m. celebration of her life Saturday at Blurton Funeral Home, Potomac. Burial will follow in Potomac Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to Alzheimer’s Association. Condolences may be shared at www.blurtonfuneralhomes.com.

SCHERMANN - Herbert H. Schermann, 90, of Milford, died Sunday, Nov. 28, 2021, at Heritage Woods, Watseka. Knapp Funeral Home, Milford, is handling arrangements. Condolences may be shared at www.knappfuneralhomes.com.

SYMMONDS - Lucille M. (Christensen) Symmonds, 97, of Paxton, formerly of Rankin, died Wednesday, Dec. 1, 2021, at Carle Hoopeston Regional Health Center. Visitation was 12 p.m. until the 1 p.m. funeral at Cox-Knapp Funeral Home, Paxton. Burial was in Rankin Union Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to First Lutheran Church, Paxton, or Grace Lutheran Church, Rankin. Condolences may be shared at www.coxknapp.com.

Weather

Mostly sunny, breezy today. High 34. Tonight, clouds. Low 17. Tomorrow, cloudy, chance of snow late. High 27, low 20.

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

Classifieds

HELP WANTED

Hoopeston Area CUSD #11 is accepting applications for a part time computer technician assistant. Duties include providing desktop support, assisting with infrastructure and A/V projects. <https://phl.applitrack.com/roe54/onlineapp/default.aspx?Category=Technology>

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.

Looking for a great job in the medical field? Interested in natural healthcare? Busy chiropractic office needs a team-oriented person with good customer service and phone skills. Candidate will be trained to assist with patient care. Robinson Chiropractic has 4 locations in Illinois: Danville, Hoopeston, Westville, and Watseka. Please send resume to trina.keller@robchiro.com.

Full-Fill Industries in Henning is hiring for 1st Shift Waste Handlers, \$18/hour. Apply at www.full-fill.com/em_ploymentopportunities Applications available onsite. EOE

Hub City Media is hiring! We’re looking for an entry level Technical Specialist and an experienced Lead Systems Engineer in our Rossville office. Learn more and submit your resume via www.hubcitymedia.com/careers.

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.

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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