

As the Holiday Season is upon us, we find ourselves reflecting on the past year and on those who have helped shape our business in a most significant way. We value our relationship with you and look forward to working with you in the year to come. We wish you a very happy Holiday Season and a New Year filled with peace and prosperity. From the Computer Works, Inc., and us to you!

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# Just the Facts

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## Briefly

### Meetings

- Rossville Village Board, 7 p.m. Monday, village office. Action items include discussion/approve project for ARPA funds, lift station invoices on interim loan; motor fuel tax resolution, update on park pavilion improve-

ments. Residents may participate in the meeting remotely by calling 1-415-655-0001, enter the meeting number 2553 654 8906 and the passcode 1234.

The village finance/purchase committee will meet at 6:45 p.m. that evening.

- Hoopeston City Council, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Hoopeston City Hall. Action items include appointment of a new Ward 2 alderman and the wastewater phosphorus study agreement with Fehr-Graham. Complete agenda and Zoom link are available at [www.cityofhoopeston.com](http://www.cityofhoopeston.com).

- Hoopeston Area School Board, 6 p.m. Thursday, middle school library. The board will immediately go into closed session. The public portion of the meeting will follow. An agenda will be available at [www.hoopeston.k12.il.us](http://www.hoopeston.k12.il.us).

### Breast cancer support group

Hoopeston Breast Cancer Support Group meets at 6 p.m. the third Thursday of each month at the Pit Stop at Fast Lanes Bowling Alley. The next meeting will be January 20. Please spread the word and join us to offer support to past and present breast cancer survivors. For more information, call Pat Foster, (815) 984-4040 or (309) 208-9829.

## From the Blotter

A 43-year-old Hoopeston woman reported at 11:41 p.m. Thursday that someone damaged a door to a building the 200 block of South Dixie Hwy. The damage is under investigation.

**Gage Fouse**, 27, of Hoopeston, was arrested after officers were called at 12:09 p.m. Friday for a domestic battery in the 200 block of North Ninth Ave. Fouse was charged with domestic battery on a complaint from a 75-year-old Hoopeston man and was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

**Hoopeston police** are investigating the theft of two ladders from the 200 block of East Lincoln. The incident  
**See BLOTTER on other side**

## Fire Calls

Hoopeston Fire Department responded at 10:19 p.m. Thursday to Parkview Court for an unusual odor in a residence. No injuries were reported.



Photo provided

## A big check

First Farmers Bank & Trust has built an endowed scholarship fund to support students at Danville Area Community College. Representing the bank with the "Big Check" for an additional \$2,000 contribution to the fund is Branch Manager Brandi Totheroh. Flanking Ms. Totheroh are DACC President Stephen Nacco and DACC Foundation Executive Director Tonya Hill.

## Lunch Menus

### Hoopeston Area grade school menus

MONDAY: No school  
TUESDAY: Cheese quesadilla, chips & salsa, salad, baby carrots, peaches, milk  
WEDNESDAY: Chicken patty/bun, broccoli, celery sticks, pears, milk  
THURSDAY: Biscuit & gravy, sausage links, baby carrots, mandarin orange, Veggie Juice, milk  
FRIDAY: BBQ rub/bun, baked beans, baby carrots, pears, milk

### Hoopeston Area Middle School menus

MONDAY: No school  
TUESDAY: Chicken strips, veggies, corn, applesauce, milk  
WEDNESDAY: Spaghetti, Max Stick veggies, peaches, milk  
THURSDAY: Cheeseburger, baked beans, veggies, peaches, milk  
FRIDAY: Pizza, veggies, mixed fruit, Veggie Juice, milk

### Hoopeston Area High School menus

MONDAY: No school

TUESDAY: Chicken strips or hot ham & cheese, corn, salad bar, applesauce, milk, juice

WEDNESDAY: Spaghetti or BBQ rib, Max Stick, salad bar, peaches, milk, juice

THURSDAY: Hotdog or cheeseburger, baked beans, salad bar, peaches, milk, juice

FRIDAY: Pizza or fish sandwich, salad bar, mixed fruit, milk, juice

## Obituaries

**CICHY** - Dorothy Ann (Skalon) Cichy, 83, of Woodworth, died Thursday, Jan. 13, 2022, at home. Visitation will be 9 a.m. until the 10 a.m. funeral Friday at Knapp Funeral Home, Milford. Burial will be at noon Friday in Abraham Lincoln national Cemetery in Elwood. Memorials are suggested to Vietnam Veterans of America. Condolences may be left at [www.knappfuneralhomes.com](http://www.knappfuneralhomes.com).

**CROW** - Lester Arthur Crow, 79, of Milford, died Wednesday, Jan. 12, 2022, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Visitation will be 10 a.m. until the 11 a.m. funeral Tuesday at Knapp Funeral Home, Milford. Burial will follow in Maple Grove Cemetery, Milford, with military rites by Watseka American Legion Post 23 and Iroquois County VFW Post 7450. Memorials are suggested to

donor's choice. Condolences may be shared at [www.knappfuneralhomes.com](http://www.knappfuneralhomes.com).

**JUDY** - Donna Judy, 88, of rural Hoopeston, died at 1:01 p.m. Friday, Jan. 14, 2022, at home. Arrangements are pending at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston.

### Blotter continued from other side

was reported at 3:09 p.m. Saturday.

**Two Hoopeston men** were arrested after police stopped a vehicle for a traffic violation at 5:52 p.m. Saturday in the 700 block of West Main.

The driver, Roy Jones, 41, was cited for driving while license suspended and operating an uninsured vehicle. He was released on notices to appear in traffic court.

His passenger, Robert Colunga, 30, was arrested on an outstanding Vermillion County warrant and was released on a notice to appear in Vermillion County Court.

**A 41-year-old Hoopeston woman** reported the theft of a license plate at 10:28 p.m. Saturday. The theft, in the 300 block of West Washington, is under investigation.

**Joshua A. Cravero**, 32, of Milford, turned himself in to the Iroquois County Jail on January 12 to begin serving a 180-day sentence for failure to comply with the sex offender registry act.

**Barbara A. Shields**, 46, of Goodwine, was arrested by Iroquois County Sheriff's Police on January 13. She was charged with possession of methamphetamine, less than 5 grams and possession of drug paraphernalia. She posted the required bond and was released.

## Weather

Partly sunny today. High 31. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Low 22. Tomorrow, partly sunny. High 41, low 28.

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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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