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## Allison Pickett named Barbara Standish DAR Good Citizen

The Barbara Standish Chapter of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution (NSDAR) announced the student selected as the Hoopeston Area High School DAR Good Citizen for year 2022 is Allison Renee Pickett. She is the daughter of Jason and Deborah Pickett, Hoopeston.

Pickett has been very active in school athletics especially in track and field, where she received All Vermilion County for four years and women's cross country Vermilion County champion, and in 2021, Vermilion Valley Conference girls' 3200m champion. Music is also of interest to her. She is a member of the band and involved in jazz band, pep band, marching band, concert band and in the combo for the show choir.

Pickett's academic endeavors won her first place in biology 2021 Academic Challenge Regional, third place in engineering 2021 Academic Challenge Re-



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gional. She is a member of the National Honor Society and has yet the rest of the year for challenges in her athletics and academics.

She is a volunteer at Autumn Fields for special occasions and is part of Hoopeston St. Anthony Youth Group and has participated in their outreach going to Memphis, TN to help that community to work on apartments. She is employed locally at Kirby Foods in Hoopeston.

Her plans are to attend a four year university to major in exercise science, pursuing a career as an exercise physiologist, athletic trainer, a physical education teacher, or a career in biomechanics.

This award will be presented by the DAR at the school's yearly Award Presentations. It is sponsored by the local chapter, Illinois Organization and the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

## Eastern Illinois Food Bank to hold Rossville food distribution

*Those who wish to participate asked to preregister online*

Eastern Illinois Foodbank (EIF) is distributing food to area families from 9:30-10:30 a.m. April 9 at Rossville Church of Christ, 514 E. Attica St. It is open to Vermilion and Iroquois county residents.

Those attending are asked to bring boxes or bags to transport food.

The distribution is part of the Foodbank's Foodmobile Program, a system of mobile food pantries designed to help bring nutritious food to rural or underserved areas.

Those planning to attend should pre-register at [www.EIFclient.com](http://www.EIFclient.com), although doing so does not guarantee a place in line. Income guidelines are below.

For each additional member, add \$747.

Maximum monthly income per eligible household								
Household Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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### Free Family Movie Night

Hoopeston Community Church of the Nazarene will host a free Family Movie Night at 6 p.m. Saturday at the church, 402 E. Honeywell. "Facing the Giants" is the feature. Free refreshments will also be served.

### At the library

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include: **Tech Day**, 10:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday. Local computer experts Jim Eyrich and Jeff Wise will be on hand to

### Fire Calls

Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 10:20 p.m. Tuesday to the animal shelter, 901 W. Main, for an unknown alarm in the area. After investigating the building all units cleared with no fire located.

### Weather

Partly sunny today. High 70. Tonight, mostly cloudy, chance of rain. Low 46. Tomorrow, rain. High 64, low 37.

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answer questions about cell phones, tablets or laptops. No appointments needed. Just stop by with your full-charged device, as well as any passwords or log-in information needed.

**Stitchin' Time**, every Wednesday, 10:30 a.m.-noon. If you like to crochet, knit or do other needlework, join others who gather with their needles and yarn.

**Seed Starting for the Home Gardener**, 1 p.m.

## Court Dispositions

March 9

**Jerry D. Sisk**, Hoopeston appeared at status hearing in two cases of general nuisance; new status hearing April 13.

**Kenneth D. Dale**, Hoopeston, failed to appear at initial appearance for restraint of dogs by owner, found guilty by default, fined \$180; status hearing April 13.

**Lindsey M. Warner**, Hoopeston, failed to appear at status hearing for alcoholic containers prohibited in public; case sent to state for further enforcement.

**Lindsey M. Warner**, Hoopeston, failed to appear at status hearing for disobeying police; case sent to state for further enforcement.

Thursday, March 31, lower level meeting room. Illinois Master Gardeners present the free program.

**City Chat**, a monthly opportunity for residents to discuss city issues with Mayor Jeff Wise, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Saturday, April 2.

### HASA registration

Hoopeston Area Softball Association will hold the last Sunday registration from 1-4 p.m. March 27. The league's final registration will be 5-7 p.m. Wednesday. Both are at Hoopeston City Hall, 301 W. Main.

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## Classifieds

### HELP WANTED

Rossville Family Restaurant is accepting applications for servers. Need to be available evenings and weekends. Room to grow into day shift and catering. Experience a plus but not necessary. Apply in person and fill out an application.

Hoopeston business is looking for an employee with data entry and telephone skills and multiple other office duties. Send resume to [publish@justthefacts.net](mailto:publish@justthefacts.net).

Iroquois County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for full – and part time correctional officers, responsible for the daily supervision and care of arrestees brought to and/or detained at the Iroquois County Jail. Must be high school graduate or have GED, Iroquois County resident at time of employment (for full time) submit to criminal background check and have basic computer skills. Full time starting salary is \$39,685.65, part time wage is \$15/hr. Applications may be picked up at the Iroquois County Jail/Sheriff's Office, 550 S. Tenth, Watseka or online at [iroquoiscountyil.gov/offices/sheriff](http://iroquoiscountyil.gov/offices/sheriff). Completed applications/resumes may be mailed to the above address or emailed to [cperzee@co.iroquois.il.us](mailto:cperzee@co.iroquois.il.us). EOE

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Hoopeston hair salon looking for a cosmetologist, nail tech and esthetician. 765-413-3062

City of Hoopeston Cemetery is seeking applicants for a fulltime position. Candidate must have a valid driver's license and high school diploma or equivalent. Computer skills are necessary. Potential supervisory roll with proper training and licensing. Applications available at [www.cityofhoopeston.com](http://www.cityofhoopeston.com) under the Services tab/Employment Opportunities or City Hall, 301 W

Main St.

City of Hoopeston Cemetery is seeking applicants for a seasonal position. Candidate must have a high school diploma or equivalent. Applications available at [www.cityofhoopeston.com](http://www.cityofhoopeston.com) under the Services tab/Employment Opportunities or City Hall, 301 W Main St.

City of Hoopeston Police Department is taking applications for the position of probationary police officer. Applications will be accepted until the testing date of April 2, 2022. Testing will begin at 10 a.m. April 2 at Hoopeston Area Middle School Library for the written test. The physical agility test will take place immediately after the written exam.

Silgan Containers is hiring for Press Line Mechanics. Please apply online at: [silgancontainers.mua.hrdepartment.com/hr/ats/Posting/view/12464/0](http://silgancontainers.mua.hrdepartment.com/hr/ats/Posting/view/12464/0)

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City of Hoopeston Police Department is taking applications for certified police officers/part time certification is recognized. Applications will be ongoing; no deadline applies for certified officers.

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