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Hoopeston Area administrators, staff get three percent raises

Hoopeston Area principals, assistant principals and non-union district staff will see a three percent bump in their paychecks, approved by the district board Thursday.

Principals Suzie Root, Dan Walder and John Klaber, along with assistant principals Katie Coulter and Kim Hutzel and Curriculum Director Michelle White will receive the increase, along with others in positions not covered by the union.

Salaries of union members are determined by the contract between the union and the district.

In other personnel action, the board approved hiring several teachers for summer education programs and the 2022-23 school year, as well as transfers and resignations, including:

- New teachers for the 2022-23 year, pending proper licensure and background check, Valerie Mims, first grade; Adam Drake, first and second grade music and HAHS/HAMS choral director and co-director show choir director, color guard sponsor and 1/2 musical stipend; and Jaryd Clark, HAHS ag education teacher.

- Joanna Walder, transferred from self-contained special education aide to third grade special education aide for the new year.

- Resignations of Lucinda Overlander, Maple aide, and Tina Jackson, John Greer aide, effective at the end of this year.

- Summer Intensive Intervention Program personnel were hired, including teachers Taylor Haskins, Heather Cloud, Brenda Mowery, Kandi DeLahr, Jamie Miller, Tonna Hofer, Rachel Gillins, Jamie Pruitt, Jennifer Robinson, Jennifer Gaddis, Keighlee Brand, Rick Harbacek, Mary Schoonover, Karen Eighner, Brad Jones, Maria Baldwin and Bonnie Sterrenberg.

Others hired for the summer program are Christie Pancake, aide; Carrie Birch, Emily Carter and Linda Lugo, secretaries; Beth Walder, social worker; Kendra Marquis, speech/language pathologist; and Linda Walsh, custodian.

- Extended school year staff were hired. Teachers will be

Connie Huffman, Sara Troxel and Kris Kellerhals. Aides will include Christy Wiggs, Debbie Pickett, Amber Wilson, Angie Torres, Sarah Tribbey and Mindy Copher. Jodie Havens was hired as the program's speech-language pathologist.

Appointments for the Summer Intensive Intervention and extended school year programs will begin June 6.

- Building & grounds summer employees were approved. Effective June 1, they include Carl Ankenbrand and Taylor Haskins, limited schedule after teaching; and Lucas Hofer, Angelina Layden, Linda Lugo, Ethan Smith, Les Symmonds, Brooke Walsh, Linda Walsh, Riley Wyss, Eric Zorns and Tracy Zorns.

- Educational support personnel were approved for the 2022-23 year.

- Pending background check, Janet Crouch was added to the district mentoring program.

- Kevin Root was hired as head high school boys basketball coach for the 2022-23 year, effective April 28.

In other business, the board:

- Approved spending \$12,066.37 for Chromebook cases and approved the annual Chromebook replacement plan for the 2022-23 school year.

- Approved IHSA membership for the coming year.

- Approved the district Accelerated Placement Philosophy and Procedures.

- Approved repair and refinishing of the high school

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From the Blotter

Hoopeston Police were called at 3:49 p.m. Monday for items taken from a garage in the 800 block of Thompson. The burglary is under investigation.

Lori J. Luca, 57, of Westville, was arrested after a traffic stop at 5:12 p.m. Monday. She was charged with no valid license and possession of alcoholic liquor in a motor vehicle and was released on notices to appear in Vermilion County Court.

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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

Briefly

At the library

Coming events at Hoopeston Public Library are:

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.

Builders' Club, 3:30 p.m. Thursday, for kids who like to build.

City Chat, a monthly opportunity for residents to discuss city issues with Mayor Jeff Wise, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Saturday, May 7.

 **HUBBARD TRAIL COUNTRY CLUB**
FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER
May 6 5-8 p.m. RSVP (217) 748-6521
Appetizers: Mozzarella w/Marinara•Breaded Cauliflower•Onion Rings•Breaded Mushrooms
\$6 each or any 3 for \$12
Baskets: Hamburger \$13
Cheeseburger, Catfish or Shrimp Basket \$14
Baskets include fries & cole slaw
Sides: Fries \$4•Cottage Cheese or Cole Slaw 1.50

Day of Prayer gathering

A National Day Of Prayer gathering will be held at noon Thursday, May 5 at Hoopeston City Hall. Please join us for prayer around our flag. All pastors are invited to offer prayers.

Contact Valarie Hinkle with questions, 217-274-2956.

Moms' group

A new moms' group will meet at 10 a.m. the first Friday of every month at Hoopeston Multi Agency, 206 S. First Ave. Come meet other moms and their children. The goal is to build friendships for moms and their children. For information, call/text Somer at (309) 242-5017.

Bulk garbage day

Bulk garbage day, for Hoopeston residents only, will be held from 7:30-10:30 a.m. Saturday at Hoopeston City

Weather

Mostly cloudy today, tonight. High 62, low 47. Tomorrow, chance of showers, showers likely late. High 66, low 55.

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

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.

Obituaries

STOCK - Lester H. Stock, 91, of Cissna Park, died Saturday, April 30, 2023, at home. Visitation was 4-7 p.m. Tuesday at Knapp Funeral Home and will be 9 a.m. until the 10 a.m. funeral Wednesday at Apostolic Christian Church, Cissna Park. Burial will be in Apostolic Christian Cemetery, Cissna Park. Memorials are suggested to the church. Condolences may be shared at www.knappfuneralhomes.com.

Classifieds

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Homekeeper, errands and occasional out of town appointments for senior lady. CNA certified a plus. 8 to 10 hours weekly to start. Please supply experience and two work references. Non-smoker. Email resume to publish@justthefacts.net.

Silgan Containers is hiring for a General Labor position. Please visit silgancontainers.mua.hrdepartment.com/hr/ats/Posting/view/12666 for more information and to apply.

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 iroquoiscountylil.gov/offices/sheriff. Applications/resumes may be

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cafeteria floor for \$33,700.

- Approved requests for proposals (RFP) for a district truck and school furniture.

- Approved the design and RFP for outside bleachers and press box for replacement in summer 2021.

- Approved a quote from Sprinkmann Insulation to replace the insulation on heat pipes in the John Greer tunnel.

- Approved a leave of absence for a teacher for the 2022-23 year and approved payment of a retirement bonus of an educational support person at the end of this year.

- Approved the school calendar for 2023-24 as presented.

- Approved keeping closed executive session minutes from April 9 and 22, May 20, June 17, July 15, August 4, 19 and 21 and September 16, all from 2021, due to confidentiality.

- Approved destruction of executive session minutes from May 21, June 18, July 16, August 20, September 2 and 17, all from 2020.

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