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ECICAA announces funds available for LIHEAP program

East Central Illinois Community Action Agency has announced funds are available to assist income-eligible households in Vermilion, Iroquois and Ford counties with their natural gas, propane and electric bills, and furnace assistance through the Home Energy Assistance Program.

The program will begin September 1 for all income-

— Briefly — Meetings

• Hoopeston City Council's civic committee will meet at 6 p.m. Monday at city hall to discuss the International Property Maintenance Code. Zoom link is available at www.cityofhoopeston.com.

• Rossville Village Board, 7 p.m. Monday, village office. Agenda items include updates on 103 S. Chicago and 106 E. Attica, amended golf cart ordinance and student resource officer intergovernmental agreement. Complete agenda is available at www.villageofrossville.org.

The village finance committee will meet at 6:45 p.m. Monday.

• Hoopeston City Council meeting, 7 p.m. Agenda items include approval of the appropriations ordinance, appointments of police chief, citizens advisory committee appointments and planning commission appointment and bid acceptance for 105/107 E. Main. Complete agenda and Zoom link is at www.cityofhoopeston.com.

The council will hold an appropriations ordinance hearing 6:45 p.m.

• Hoopeston Area School Board, 6 p.m. Thursday, high school library. The board will immediately go into executive session. The public portion of the meeting will begin after. The agenda will be available at www.hoopeston. k12.il.us.

At the Library

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include: Adult Make & Take Craft Day, 1 p.m. Monday. Space is still available. Call to reserve your spot! Walk-ins will also be welcome. eligible households. Applications will be taken on a first come, first served basis through May 31, 2023. There will be no priority groups this program year. Households in need are encouraged to apply.

Households must be at or below 200 percent of the federal poverty level to receive a benefit from the Low See FUNDS on other side

Stitchin' Time, 10 a.m.-noon Wednesdays. Crochet, knit, sew or other needlecraft, bring your project and coffee and enjoy a morning of fun and conversation!

Treeclimbers genealogy group, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Saturday. For beginners or experienced genealogists. For more information on library programs, call (217) 283-6711 or visit 110 N. Fourth St.

Koffee & Konversation

Hoopeston Methodist Church will hold Koffee & Konversation at 8:30 a.m. Tuesdays. Free coffee, sweets and conversation. All are welcome!

Card shower

The family of Rick Nolin is having a birthday card shower. Rick will be 75 on August 26. Cards and notes of well wishes may be sent to him at: Rick Nolin, 910 Sprague Rd., Hoopeston IL 60942

Vendors wanted

Hoopeston Area Women Making A Difference club is seeking craft and product vendors for their upcoming vendor fair on September 24. For more information email hoopestonwmd@yahoo.com.

Home help

Residents who need help in buying or repairing a home they own are invited to a presentation by Julie Beer of USDA Rural Development. It will be held at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 24th at Hoopeston City Hall. She will talk about home repair and refinancing programs, as well as programs that will allow very low to moderate income residents buy a house.



Look at the time

A sign was recently posted at the downtown parking lot between H&R Block and State Farm, warning residents that the parking lot is closed from 5 p.m. to 6 a.m., except for business use. The action was taken after the parking lot was damaged and debris repeatedly left by people loitering there in the overnight hours.



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Funds continued from other side

Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP). The 30-day LIHEAP income guidelines are based on federal poverty guidelines, state median income and number of people living in the household. Guidelines are 1 person \$4,465, 2 \$3,052, 3 \$3,838 and 4 \$4,625. Addi-

From the Blotter

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 4:42 p.m. Friday at Hoopeston Area High School, 615 E. Orange. Police said a 16-year-old boy backed a 2008 Dodge Ram from a parking spot and struck a 2005 Ford Cargo van parked by a school employee.

Heather L. Hughes, 50, of Hoopeston, was cited for restraint of dogs by owner or keeper after police were called at 7:47 p.m. Friday for loose dogs in the 900 block of South Second Ave.

She was released on a notice to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

A 40-year-old Hoopeston woman was arrested after a vehicle was reported damaged at 12:47 a.m. Saturday at Hoopeston VFW, 428 W. Orange.

After reviewing camera footage, police said Karla A. Cassady was identified allegedly scratching the vehicle with a rock.

She was processed at the police station, charged with criminal damage to auto over \$500 and was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

Ulises Delos-Santos-Alanis, 33, of Hoopeston, was arrested after a traffic stop at 7:19 p.m. Saturday in the 700 block of West Orange. After investigation, he was charged with possession of cannabis (100-500 grams) and possession of a controlled substance.

He was processed at the police station and later taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

Court Dispositions

July 13

Johny B. Holt, Hoopeston, failed to appear at initial appearance for general nuisance, found guilty by default, fined \$280 plus 14 days to comply or an abatement order will be issued; status hearing August 10.

Thad Finnell, Hoopeston, failed to appear at status hearing for general nuisance; case sent to state for further enforcement.

Thad Finnell, Hoopeston, failed to appear at status hearing for breach of peace, case sent to state for further enforcement.

tional guidelines are available at www.comaction.org.

LIHEAP provides one-time benefits to eligible homeowners and renters to help with energy bills and reconnection of energy service. Propane customers are encouraged to apply when the program opens in September to take greater advantage of lower propane prices.

Applications will be taken at 66 N. Vermilion St., Danville II. Those applying must submit all required documentation, including:

Proof of gross income for all household members for the prior 30-day period, beginning with the date of application.

Sports

Eisenmann leads HA golf scoring

Shooting a 45 earned Wyatt Eisenmann team medalist at a four-team golf match Friday at Turtle Run Country Club in Danville.

Eisenmann's score was second lowest in the match, which also included Bismarck-Henning/Rossville-Alvin, Oakwood and Milford.

Oakwood's Kace Ropacz had the lowest score, of 39, making him meet medalist on the par 36 course.

BH/RA won the meet with 192, followed by Milford, 201 and Oakwood, 206. The Cornjerkers finished at 224.

HAHS scoring also included Ethan Harding with 57, Ethan Steiner, 60, Taylor Page, 62, Gavyn Miller, 70 and Landen Youhas, 72.

The loss puts the team at 0-3 for the season.

The Cornjerkers are scheduled to host Watseka, Cissna Park, St. Anne and Donavan at Hubbard Trail Country Club at 4 p.m. Monday.

Obituaries

POWELL - Janet Powell, 93, of Rankin, died Wednesday, July 13, 2022. A Celebration of Life graveside service will be at 2 p.m. Monday, Oct. 3, at Glen Cemetery, Paxton. Baier Family Funeral Services, Paxton, is handling arrangements. Condolences may shared at www.baierfuneralservices.com

Weather

Mostly sunny today. High 77. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Low 58. Tomorrow, partly sunny. High 79, low 58.

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

Proof of Social Security numbers or Individual Taxpayer Identification numbers for all household members. Those without either number may apply and ECICAA will advise accordingly.

A copy of the current heat and electric bills issued in the last 30 days.

A copy of a rental agreement, if renting, showing utilities are included, the monthly rent amount and landlord contact.

Other documents may be needed based on a house-hold's situation.

Call (217) 554-9110 for outreach locations, information on what documents are needed and different ways to submit an application.

Classifieds HELP WANTED

Silver Brothers is looking for an experienced carpenter. Must have at least 5 years experience and provide references. Pay will be \$25+, depending on experience. Please pick up an application at the office, 105 E. Washington, Hoopeston. Fall help wanted at United Prairie, 18979 E 2850 N Rd. Hoopeston. Call Jordan Reese, (217) 888-0164 (office) or (217) 918-2876 (cell). Fast Lanes is looking for experienced cooks for some breakfasts, days and evenings. If interested come to Fast Lanes, 719 W. Elm. NO PHONE CALLS. Full-Fill Industries in Henning is HIRING, starting pay \$18/ hour. Apply at www.full-fill.com or applications available onsite. EOE Premier Cooperative is looking to fill fall seasonal (operational & scale) positions at Rossville, Ellis, Collison, Reilly, Dillsburg, and Royal. Call 217-599-0310. Silgan Containers is hiring for Press Line Mechanics. Please apply online at: silgancontainers.mua.hrdepartment.com/hr/ats/ Posting/view/12464/0 Silgan Containers is hiring for an Electrician-Industrial/ Maintenance position. Please apply online at: silgancontainers.mua.hrdepartment.com/hr/ats/Posting/view/12406/0 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. HOUSES FOR RENT

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