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**Mini Vendor Fair & Open House**

**The Raining Moon Salon**

315 W. Orange, Hoopeton

**Saturday, April 29 10 a.m.-4 p.m.**

*Small vendors waiting to meet YOU!*

**DACC Higher Learning Center - Hoopeton**

**Summer & Fall 2023 Degree Credit Classes**

**SUMMER 2023 CLASSES - JUNE 12, 2023-JULY 28, 2023**  
BOFF - 140 HEXN - Medical Terminology Wednesdays, 6PM-8:30PM & Web

**FALL 2023 CLASSES - AUGUST 21, 2023-DECEMBER 15, 2023**  
CBUS-150-HEXN - Business Computer Systems; Thursdays 6PM-7PM, Web TBA  
ENGL-101-HEXG - Rhetoric And Composition 1, Mondays & Wednesdays, 2PM-3:15PM  
ENGL-101-HEXG - Rhetoric And Composition 1, Wednesdays, 6PM-8:40PM  
PSYCH-100-HEXG Intro to Psychology, Tuesdays & Thursdays 2PM-3:15PM

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**Fall 2023 Adult Education Classes at Hoopeton HLC**  
**SEPTEMBER 11, 2023-DECEMBER 7, 2023**  
GED: Mon.-Thurs., 9AM-12PM or Mon. & Wed. 6PM-8PM  
ESL-English As A Second Language Mon & Wed., 4PM-6PM

**DACC Higher Learning Center**  
847 E. Orange St., Hoopeton 217-283-4170 [www.dacc.edu/hoopeton](http://www.dacc.edu/hoopeton)

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Lourdine Florek, Owner

**Just the Facts**

**Friday, April 28, 2023**

*Hoopeton's only locally-owned daily news publication!*

P.O. Box 441, Hoopeton IL 60942 [www.justthefacts.net](http://www.justthefacts.net)

**Briefly**

**Independent Bookstore Day activities**

In honor of Independent Bookstore Day Saturday, Boxcar Books and Vinyl will have book signings by two local authors of children's books.

Dave Ervin, author of "Buddy the Truck," will sign copies of his book from 10:30-11:30 a.m.

"The Little Noodles" author, Emily Coffey, will sign books from 1:30--2:30 p.m.

Copies of both books are available at the store.

The day will also feature basket giveaways every hour from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. and sweet treats and drinks all day long.

Boxcar Books is at 201 E. Main, Hoopeton.

**FFA plant sale**

Hoopeton Area FFA plant sales will start Saturday April 29 from 8 am- noon and will continue Saturdays through May. Check the HAHS FFA Facebook page for more info!

**Free pet spay/neutering offered**

Hoopeton Animal Rescue Team (HART) recently received funding for a free spay/neuter voucher program to allow Hoopeton residents to get their pets 'fixed' for free!

For details, and information on how to apply, please call HART at 217-283-0779 from 1-5 p.m. If you get the See **BRIEFLY** on other side

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**Spring Breakfast**

**6-11 a.m. Saturday, April 29**

Biscuits & gravy, sausage, eggs to order, toast, coffee, juice & milk

**\$8 per person - Under 5 free**

**Carryouts welcome**

208 W. Orange, Hoopeton

**9th Annual Tee Off**

for the

**Milford Park & Pool Golf Outing**

**Saturday, May 13**

**Shewami Country Club**

1726 N 2580 E Rd., Sheldon, IL

**\$70 per golfer**

*includes Green Fee, Cart, Range Balls*

*Pork Chop Dinner*

**Register and pay by May 1**

Call (815) 471-8757 for more info

11 a.m. Driving Range  
12 p.m. Check-in and Registration  
1 p.m. Shotgun Start  
5 -7 p.m. Dinner  
6 p.m. Prizes & Awards

*(Times approximate)*

Join us for an afternoon of golf, games, prizes, and raffles!

Proceeds benefit the Milford Park picnic table replacement project in the main pavilion!

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**Softball**

Hoopeston Area softball ladies traveled to Lexington, where they were defeated 16-1. Kayla Recker had a double, Alexa Bailey had an RBI and Maddie Barnes had a two stolen bases.

The girls had better fortune on the road at Oakwood April 17, when the girls returned home victorious, 7-6. Macy Warner had three hits, followed by Bailey and Melina Vogel with two each. Jersey Cundiff had a double, Bailey Barnes and Cundiff each had an RBI. Warner stole three bases and Tobi West stole two during the game. Pitcher Barnes had three strikeouts and seven hits.

The girls were home again April 21 for the breast cancer /leukemia game against Milford, winning another squeaker, 10-9. Vogel had four hits, Warner had three

**Obituaries**

**CLAUSS** - Earl William Clauss, 84, of Loda, died at 4:18 a.m. Tuesday, April 25, 2023, at home. Visitation will be 10 a.m. until the 12 p.m. funeral Tuesday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Burial will follow in Pine Ridge Cemetery, Loda, with military rites by Cissna Park American Legion Post #527. Memorials are suggested to Cissna Park American Legion Post #527 or Loda American Legion Post #503. Condolences may be shared at [www.anderson-funeral-home.com](http://www.anderson-funeral-home.com).

**GARNER** - Maxine Louise Garner, 93, of Hoopeston, died at 5:25 a.m. Tuesday, April 18, 2023, at Heritage Health, Hoopeston. Visitation will be 10 a.m. until the noon funeral Saturday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Burial will follow in Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston. Memorials are suggested to Hoopeston Animal Rescue Team (HART), 901 W. Main St., Hoopeston IL 60942. Condolences may be shared at [www.anderson-funeral-home.com](http://www.anderson-funeral-home.com).

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**Sports**

and Bailey, Barnes, Cundiff, West and Aubreyana Inman each had two. Warner Bailey, Inman and West each had doubles, with Warner and Recker contributing triples. Bailey, Cundiff, West and Recker each had two RBIs and Inman contributed one. Warner and West each had a stolen base. Pitcher Barnes had five strikeouts and pitched eight innings.

Luck was no lady to the girls Monday when Hoopeston Area hosted Watseka's Lady Warriors, losing 13-6.

Bailey hit her 15th career homerun and had two RBIs, while Inman and Vogel each contributed one. Warner

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**At the Library**

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include: **Stop by this week**, during National Library Week, and register to win an Amazon FIRE tablet. Open to patrons ages 13 and older. Register each time you visit! Entries available at the main desk. Drawing will be held May 1.

**Addiction recovery group**

Addiction recovery group for men. 6 p.m. Sundays in Rossville. Call or text 217-304-4211 or 217-260-1361 for details.

**Weather**

Chance of showers today. High 60. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 43. Tomorrow, chance of showers. High 63, low 41. Sunday, partly cloudy, chance of showers late. High 55, low 39.

For real time Hoopeston weather, visit [justthefacts.net/weather/](http://justthefacts.net/weather/).

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and Barnes each had two hits and Barnes had a triple. Barnes and Inman each had two stolen bases. Barnes had seven strikeouts from the mound.

**Classifieds**

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The City of Hoopeston is seeking applicants for a new seasonal position. The position requires the prospective applicant to work 3 days a week with the water department and 2 days a week with the parks department. The position is physically demanding. The successful candidate must have a valid driver's license and the ability to run lawn equipment, be a self-starter, reliable and dependable, and also possess the willingness to learn and the drive to constantly improve his or her skills. Applications are available at City Hall, 301 W Main St. or at [www.cityofhoopeston/employment/](http://www.cityofhoopeston/employment/). For more information, call 217-283-5833 or visit our website.

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The Vermilion Housing Authority in Hoopeston is hiring a Maintenance Mechanic, starting pay \$20/hr. Applications available online at [www.vermilionhousing.com](http://www.vermilionhousing.com).

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

**MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE**

Large chest of drawers with 6 drawers, 1 smaller with 4 drawers. Dark wood. Good condition. Make offer (217) 497-5667

**RUMMAGE SALES**

Milford Town-Wide Garage Sales Weekend April 28-29  
Maps available April 26<sup>th</sup> at City Hall and Casey's  
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