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From the Blotter

John Morris, 30, of Hoopeston, was ticketed after a traffic stop at 12:08 a.m. Thursday at South Second Ave. and West Maple. Stopped for improper lighting, he was also found to driving on a suspended license. He was cited for both offenses and released on notices to appear in Vermilion County Traffic Court.

Max Jones, 50, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 3:03 a.m. Thursday in the 700 block of West Orange. Wanted on a Ford County warrant, he was processed at the police station and was taken to Ford County by a Ford County deputy.

Employees of two local businesses were cited after

police conducted a detail for underage alcohol sales.

The first arrest was made at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, when Dharminder Singh, 45, of Hoopeston, was cited for purchase/acceptance of gift of liquor by persons under 21—identification cards after allegedly selling alcohol to a minor at Hoopeston Marathon, 714 W. Orange.

The second detail was at 2 p.m. Thursday, when Lashaun R. Price, 38, of Hoopeston, was charged with the same offense after allegedly selling alcohol to a minor at Kirby Foods, 1030 W. Chestnut.

Both men were released on notices to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

Acelynn A. Swartz, 23, of Danville, was arrested at 3:25 p.m. Friday in the 300 block of South Dixie Hwy. Wanted on a Vermilion County warrant, she was released with a mandatory appearance in Vermilion County Court.

Marie Claypool, 18, of Hoopeston, was arrested after being stopped for a traffic violation at 12:48 a.m. Saturday at West Honeywell and Rt. 1. She was charged with improper lighting—one headlight, no valid driver's license and operation of motor vehicle when registration suspended for noninsurance.

She was released on notices to appear in Vermilion County Traffic Court.

Briefly

Meetings

Hoopeston City Council, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Hoopeston City Hall. Agenda items include executive session for renegotiating building inspector contract; swearing in of Ward 1 alderman; shipping container, food truck and yard sale ordinances; amendment to building permit ordinance 17.92.100; discussion on overturning the prohibition of cannabis sales; land bank grant application; renegotiated building inspector contract; downtown demolition project. Agenda and zoom link at www.cityofhoopeston.com.

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 follow. Agenda will be available at www.hoopeston.k12.il.us.

At the library

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include:
Littles @ the Library, 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays. Pre-school story, craft and playtime for children from birth to age 5 and their caregivers.

Coffee, Craft & Conversation 10 a.m.-noon Wednesdays. Crochet, knit, sew and other needlecraft, along with those who do other portable handcrafts are inviting to bring their projects and enjoy a morning of fun and con-

versation!

Kids STEAM Lab 3:30 p.m. Thursday. For kids of all ages. This week, Tape Resist Art.

Treeclimbers Genealogy Group, 10:30 a.m. Saturday. This month's program is Witch Hunting in 17th Century New England.

For more information on library programs, call (217) 283-6711 or visit 110 N. Fourth St.

HMA activities

Women's Morning Donut Group meets at 8:15 a.m. every Wednesday in the large room at Hoopeston Multi Agency, 206 S. First Ave. Come join us!

Card group meets Wednesday for euchre starting 12:30.

For more information on Multi Agency programs, call (217) 283-5544 or stop by 206 S. First Ave.

Bowlers needed

Fast Lanes is forming a Wednesday night summer league that will start May 31. For information or to sign up, stop by Fast Lanes, 719 W. Elm, lor call (217) 283-6505.

Birthday open house

Rex Harden will celebrate his 90th birthday with an open house from 2-4 p.m. Saturday, June 3 at his home,

1109 S. Second Ave., Hoopeston, No gifts, please, but cards are welcomed!

Photo sought

ISO: Photo of the Himalaya ride that was present at the Hoopeston Sweet corn festival around the years 2008-2011. Photo must include the rides backdrop art and must be a clear photo (can read the Art's text). Photo should be emailed to: 412apartment2022@gmail.com. A \$50 reward (Venmo or Zelle) and much thanks will be delivered to the provider.

Resident reminders

Hoopeston will begin weekly flushing of hydrants throughout the city on June 1, continuing through the summer months as part of the maintenance program to improve the overall water quality by cleaning mains of rust and corrosion. It also assures fire hydrants are in working order.

Residents are urged, if possible, to not do laundry on Fridays. The water is safe to drink but residents should let faucets run for a short time if they notice discoloration.

Residents who wish to drive golf carts/UTVs in Hoopeston must have a valid permit to legally drive the vehicles in the city. The permit and self-inspection forms are available online at www.cityofhoopeston.com.

Obituaries

DRULLINGER - Sandra Sue (Edwards) Drullinger was born May 16, 1941, to Albert and Lena (Staton) Edwards. The second of eight children, she shared an especially close bond with her sisters, who she loved to travel with. She was married to Paul Drullinger, with whom she shared many adventures traveling through the mountains of New Mexico, where they made their home for many years. She had also



SANDRA DRULLINGER

had some lovely trips to Hawaii, as well as a trip to Europe with her son, Scott, and her husband Paul, and another special trip to Europe with her sister, Cheryl.

Having earned a degree from DACC, Sandra was proud to be an electronic technician, a job held by very few women. Sandra was well known for being the best pie baker in the world. If you were lucky enough to have had a slice of one, you know! Sandra enjoyed making quilts, baking, and gardening and was a hot air balloon enthusiast, having lived in the Hot Air Balloon Capitol of the World.

From a young age, she worked hard and dedicated her life to caring for her sons. She passed the real estate salesman exam in 1981. She was a shopkeeper and owned For Keeps, a shop in Downtown Hoopeston, where she enjoyed meeting and reacquainting herself with members of the community.

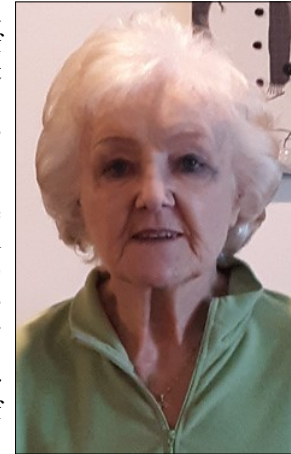
In her later years, Sandra enjoyed coffee with a special group of friends, Debbie, Rita, Joannie, Judy and Orleans, and enjoyed the staff at 112 in particular. Recently, Sandra enjoyed a retreat at the Abbey of Gethsemani with her Contemplative Prayer Group and Poetry Club at the Milford Library. She was blessed by a lifelong friend, Shirley Bomba and a special friend, Gail Swarthout, she met when she moved to New Mexico. She was also very close with her sister-in-law, Sheila, who she loved and confided in.

Sandra was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, her son, Michael Bagley, brother, Eddie Edwards, sister-in-law, Sharon Edwards, and brother-in-law, Richard Hampton.

She is survived by two sons, Scott Bagley (Caroline) and Sean Bagley; three brothers, Terry Edwards, James (Diana) Edwards, and Tom Edwards; three sisters, Kay Hampton, Cheryl (Larry) Stephen, and Wendy (Andy Fink) Edwards; sister-in-law, Sheila Edwards, grandson, Otto; stepsons, Mark Drullinger and John Drullinger, stepdaughters, Valerie Faucett and Jackie (Gary) Haas (the daughter she always wanted), along with 12 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren who all loved her and were loved in return. To know Sandra was to know love and her family will miss her dearly all of our days.

A public graveside service will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 16, 2023, at Floral Hill Cemetery, followed immediately by a celebration of life at her home. Memorial donations may be made to Hoopeston Animal Rescue Team (HART). Please visit www.anderson-funeral-home.com to view Sandra's eternal tribute page and to send the family condolences. Anderson Funeral Home in Hoopeston is handling the arrangements.

NORRIS - Mary Tressa "Treedy" Norris, 87, of Hoopeston, passed away at 10:15 p.m. Wednesday, May 10, 2023, at the Villas of Holly Brook in Danville. She was born December 24, 1935, in Hoopeston, the daughter of Bratton and Ophia Iona (Crothers) Franklin. She married James Bernard Norris, and he preceded her in death.



MARY NORRIS

She is survived by her son, Allen (Kim) Norris of Oakwood; brother-in-law, Bob Roberts; three grandchildren, Amanda (Luc) Ames, Jason (Jody) Norris, and Ian Holk; four great-grandchildren, Isabel and Cooper Ames, Max Holk, and June Norris; and several special nieces and nephews.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her parents; six sisters, Betty Wheeler, Dorothy Campana, Carrie Kelnhofer, Dalton Cuzzort, Barbara Roberts, and Catherine Louise Troxel; and three brothers, Ray and Earl Cuzzort and Ronald Franklin.

Treedy worked at General Electric and later at FMC in Hoopeston for more than 20 years before her retirement. After retirement, she worked at the Hoopeston Multi-Agency thrift shop. Treedy loved her family. She also loved all the children in her neighborhood, and they all called her Aunt Treedy. She enjoyed cooking for her family and traveling to visit her grandchildren.

A visitation will be held 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Wednesday, May 17, 2023, at Anderson Funeral Home 427 E. Main St. Hoopeston. The funeral service will follow the visitation, beginning at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. Burial will follow in Floral Hill Cemetery in Hoopeston.

Memorial donations may be made in memory of Treedy to the Hoopeston Multi-Agency, 206 S. First Ave., Hoopeston, IL 60942 or the Alzheimer's Association Illinois Chapter, 2200 Cabot Drive, Suite 460, Lisle, IL

Weather

Chance of showers today. High 75. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 50. Tomorrow, sunny. High 71, low 44.

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

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HOUSER - Travis Lee Houser, 30, of Milford, died Thursday, May 11, 2023, at home. Private family services will be held at a later date. Condolences may be shared at www.knappfuneralhomes.com.

Classifieds

HELP WANTED

The Pit Stop at Fast Lanes is looking for a breakfast cook and waitress. Hours 5:15-10 a.m. Mon.-Fri. Apply in person at 719 W. Elm.

Hubbard Trail Golf Course is accepting applications for a part time bartender. Daytime, evening and weekends. Must have basset and food handlers or obtain within 120 days after employment. Applications can be picked up at Hubbard Trail or send resume to hubbardtrail.1925@gmail.com

Hubbard Trail Golf Course is looking for a part time golf course attendant approximately 20 hours a week. If interested call Justin Davis @ 765-299-9651

Aquality Solutions is looking for men or women to deliver its products to area businesses and residential customers. This position offers benefits and incentive bonuses. Apply in person at 102 N 1st Street in Hoopeston or call us at 855-692-7824.

Accepting applications for servers. Part time. Evenings and weekends. Applications may be picked up at Rossville Family Restaurant. 715 S. Chicago St, Rossville.

Robinson Chiropractic is looking for you, so come join our team! We have a great staff and are looking to expand it. We are hiring strong individuals who are enthusiastic with an interest in natural healthcare. Candidates will be trained to assist with patient care. We have competitive wages, paid vacation, and a Simple IRA contribution. Full time employees receive free Chiropractic care. If interested, please send resume to trina.keller@robchiro.com.

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

Silgan Containers is hiring an Electrician - Industrial/Maintenance Technician. Please apply online at: silgancontainers.mua.hrdepartment.com/hr/ats/Posting/view/13392

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.

Lunch Menus

Maple/John Greer

TUESDAY: Cheese quesadilla, chips & salsa, baby carrots, salad, pineapple, milk

WEDNESDAY: Pork chop, mashed potatoes, bread & butter, celery sticks, pears, milk

THURSDAY: Biscuit & gravy, sausage links, hash brown, baby carrots, mandarin orange, milk

FRIDAY: Cheese pizza, salad, Veggy Juice, mixed fruit, milk

Hoopeston Area Middle School

TUESDAY: Biscuit & gravy, scrambled eggs, hash brown, veggies, mandarin orange, milk

WEDNESDAY: Mini corn dog, baked beans, veggies,

peaches, milk

THURSDAY: Tacos, chips & salsa, salad, pears, milk

FRIDAY: Pizza, salad, mixed fruit, milk

Hoopeston Area High School

TUESDAY: Biscuit & gravy or Hot Pocket, scrambled eggs, hash brown, salad bar, mandarin orange, milk, juice

WEDNESDAY: Mini corn dog or cheeseburger, baked beans, salad bar, peaches, milk, juice

THURSDAY: Tacos or BBQ/bun, chips & salsa, salad bar, pears, milk, juice

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