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Outages possible as Sparklight makes internet improvements

Residents of Hoopeston, Rossville, Milford and Wellington will experience Sparklight internet outages as the company upgrades its equipment. Construction was expected to begin Monday with working being done in Hoopeston with the cross streets of 600-900 block of East Seminary, 700-900 E. Honeywell and 400-1000 blocks of East Young and East McCracken and Ninth St.

Rossville work was set for the 200-400 blocks of Henderson, 100-500 N. Church, 100-200 Green, 100-600 Harrison and North Chicago. Tuesday's work is scheduled in Hoopeston in the same blocks as Monday. During the upgrade, there is the possibility of brief, intermittent service interruptions.

See SPARKLIGHT on other side



Down the drain
 Recent landscaping at Bank St. Crossing, at Bank and Penn, was washed away during Saturday's heavy rains. Just the Facts recorded 3.55" of rain Saturday and an additional 1.10" from Sunday into Monday morning.

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Briefly

Koffee & Konversation

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

Food cupboard board seeks new members

Grant Township Food Cupboard Board of Directors is seeking new and younger members. If you are interested in becoming a member, please contact Sharon Roark, President. Meetings are held quarterly.

At the library

Coffee, Craft & Conversation 10 a.m.-noon Wednesdays. Needlecrafters and, along those who do other port-

From the Blotter

Joseph D. Hart, 38, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 12:54 a.m. Sunday after police said he was found tampering with the dumpster at Hoopeston Multi Agency, 206 S. First Ave. He then failed to obey the officer's commands.

He was charged with tampering with containers or contents and disobeying police and was released on notices to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

ble handcrafts are invited to bring their projects and enjoy a morning of fun and conversation!

Hurry to get your summer reading done! August 15 is the deadline to turn in Summer Reading BINGO cards.

For information on library programs stop by 110 N. Fourth St. or call (217) 283-6711.

Jesus Revolution

Hoopeston First Church of God will show the film, *Jesus Revolution*, at 5 p.m. Sunday, Aug 20, at the church 1004 E. Orange. Everyone is invited to the showing.

Resident reminder

Please don't put grease down sinks or toilets or flush so-called flushable wipes down the toilet. Both create blockages in the sewer system.

Sparklight continued from other side

Specific street locations are subject to change. Employees are leaving door hangers at residents' homes in the affected areas. Continuing work schedules are available at www.sparklight.com

"Sparklight is investing in upgrading our network to stay ahead of the rapidly evolving technology needs

Court Dispositions

July 12

Haley M. Edwards, Hoopeston, failed to appear at status hearing for theft, default entered; case sent to state for further enforcement.

Ted E. Finnell Jr., Hoopeston, failed to appear at initial appearance for general nuisance, default entered, fined costs only of \$80; new status hearing August 9.

Pierson D. Lazarov, Hoopeston, failed to appear at status hearing for disobeying police, found guilty by default, fined \$180; status hearing August 9.

James A. Bieber, Dugger, failed to appear at status hearing for disobeying police, found guilty by default, fined \$1870; status hearing August 9.

Jeffrey A. Davis, Hoopeston, failed to appear at

initial appearance for restrictions on burning trash, found guilty by default, fined \$180; status hearing August 9.

Marty J. Fink, Hoopeston, failed to appear at status hearing for assault; case sent to state for further enforcement.

Arias H. Toquica, Hoopeston, appeared at status hearing for dangerous dog; status hearing August 9.

Death Notices

BROWN - David Wayne Brown, 62, of Hoopeston, died at 2:05 a.m. Sunday, August 7, at home, with his wife by his side. Arrangements are incomplete at Evergreen Cremation Services in Champaign.

Classifieds

HELP WANTED

Stylist chair available at The Raining Moon Salon inquire within for details. 315 W. Orange St. Hoopeston 217-213-7601

Hub City Media is hiring! We're looking for an entry level Technical Specialist in our Rossville office. Learn more and submit your resume at www.hubcitymedia.com/careers.

Silver Brothers Construction is seeking a full time employee. Must be 18+, Must have a driver's license, Must have transportation, must pass a drug test, must be able to lift 80+ pounds. Pay depends on experience. Pick up an application at the office 105 E. Washington St Hoopeston 217-283-7751

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of our residential and business customers," said Sparklight Regional General Manager Ray Ness. "We understand that families and businesses are reliant on the internet in their day-to-day lives and we are committed to providing fast, reliable and local service that our community can count on."

Sparklight launched Gigabit internet service to Hoopeston-area residential customers in 2018. The current infrastructure upgrade paves the way for even faster download and upload speeds, enhanced streaming and gaming and uninterrupted connections in multi-device homes.

"Looking to the future, we are laying the groundwork for 10 Gigabit (10G) speeds and investing in a new era of innovation that will not only further enrich the lives of our customers but contribute to the economic development of Hoopeston, Milford, Rossville and Wellington," Ness said.

Delivering speed 10 times faster than today's networks, 10G will transform the customer experience, creating new possibilities for smart cities, connected homes, and new virtual and augmented reality technologies.

Hoopeston's infrastructure upgrade is expected to be complete by fall 2023.

Weather

Sunny today, then slight chance of thunderstorms. High 81 Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 61. Tomorrow, mostly sunny, chance of storms/. High 81, low 63.

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