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Parade transportation

There was no lack of choices for how participants in Saturday's National Sweetcorn Festival Grand Parade got from downtown Hoopeston to McFerren Park. Left, festival chair Megan West rode on a one-row corn picker, made in 1987 at the Hoopeston FMC plant. The picker was pulled by a 1942 Farmall tractor pictured in West's festival logo design. Center, Stephen Eyrich, parade grand marshal and 40th festival chairman, rides in style with his grandson, Adam, on a hayrack decorated in corny fashion. Right, Audrey Curtin, 2023 Junior Miss Sweetcorn, displays her parade wave from the back of a 1928 Ford Model A truck. Audrey was accompanied by her grandpa, Robert Richardson and chauffeured by Gwen Bandy, who named the truck Elva, after her mother, and Wayne Bandy.

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Briefly

At the library

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 conversation!

The library is now offering everything in their book sale for FREE! Lots of good stuff left for all ages and we want it to find a good home. Bags and boxes are available, or feel free to bring your own! We'll even help you carry them to your car! Donations are accepted, but not required.

For information on Hoopeston Public Library programs, visit 110 N. Fourth St., or call (217) 283-6711.

Green Family reunion

The 139th Green Family Reunion will be held September 10. Business meeting starts at noon. Bring covered dish to share. Followed by family lunch at Christman Park, Rossville.

Cheeseburgers for Paradise change

Rossville Family Restaurant is switching up its Cheese-

burgers for Paradise nights for a limited time! For the next few months, we will also feature local classrooms/grade levels/schools. To accommodate all who want to participate, we are including Wednesday nights as well!

Do you know a church, teacher, classroom, or school that would want to participate? Have them contact us!

Rossvillefr@gmail.com

Grief Share

A new Grief Share group will be held September 10 through December 10. The group will meet from 3 to 4:30 p.m. Sundays at Hoopeston United Methodist Church, 403 E. Main St. There is no cost for the group, which is meant to help anyone who is struggling with the loss of a loved one. People interested can call 217-283-6738 between 8 a.m. and noon Mondays - Thursdays.

From the Blotter

Jeremy R. Clingenpeel, 54, of Danville, was arrested at 2:38 a.m. Saturday in the 800 block of West Elm, after police were notified of a civil disturbance. Police said Clingenpeel failed to obey police commands and was charged with disobeying police. He was processed at the police station and released on a notice to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

Jeffrey C. Hannie, 63, of Conway, Ark., was cited for illegal transportation of alcohol after a traffic stop at 12:49 a.m. Sunday at East Main and Bank. He was then released from the scene.

Weather

Slight chance of thunderstorms today. High 85. Tonight, partly cloudy Low 62. Tomorrow, partly sunny. High 73, low 58.

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

Obituaries

McLAUGHLIN - Ellen June (Gasser) McLaughlin, 87, of Hoopeston, died at 7:20 p.m. Thursday, August 31, 2023, at Beecher Manor Nursing Home and Rehabilitation, Beecher. Visitation will be 11 a.m. -1 p.m. Thursday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. A funeral Mass will be held at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at St. Anthony Catholic Church, Hoopeston. Burial will be at 1 p.m. Friday at Chapel Lawn Memorial Gardens, Crown Point, Ind. Memorials are suggested to Special Olympics at support.specialolympics.org/ or St. Anthony Catholic Church, 423 S. Third St., Hoopeston IL 60942. Condolences may be shared at www.anderson-funeral-home.com.



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East Lynn Fertilizer is looking for a full-time customer applicator. Competitive Pay. Health Insurance & Retirement Plans. Apply in person at 41284 S Main St. East Lynn, IL.

Full-Fill Industries in Henning is hiring for 2nd Production Machine Operators, \$18/hour. Apply at www.full-fill.com Applications available onsite. EOE

Hubbard Trail Golf Course is accepting applications for a daytime bartender. 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

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