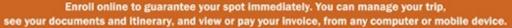
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Vermilion Advantage seeks new leader as Dudley resigns

DUDLEY

After three years at the helm, Tim Dudley has stepped down as head of Vermilion Advantage.

Dudley's resignation, announced September 12, was effective September 8, according to a press release from Nicole Van Hyfte, director of the Danville Chamber of Commerce, which is a part of Ver-

Todd Lee is now filling the roles of president and CEO on an interim basis as a search is launched for a



Breakfast Buffet Scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage,

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permanent head. The search is estimated to take up to four months.

Lee is no stranger to Vermilion Advantage or economic development. He was the group's director of business development from 2008-2010 and, at one time, was the heir apparent to succeed VA's former director, Vickie Haugen.

Previous to his stint at VA, Lee was a regional manager for the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity. In 2010, he was named Danville Sanitary District executive director, the position from which he retired.

See DUDLEY on other side



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- *Briefly* — At the library

Treeclimbers Genealogy Group, 10:30 a.m. Saturday. For experienced and beginner genealogists.

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

Bulk garbage day

Bulk garbage day, for Hoopeston residents only, will be held from 7:30-10:30 a.m. Saturday at Hoopeston City Hall parking lot.

Residents are limited to one load per bulk day and must unload their own load or bring some-one to help.

Dumping of electronics, appliances, paint, liquids, tires, batteries, yard waste, construction/demolition material or anything that fits in the provided blue totes is not allowed. Items from apartments with a dumpster will not be allowed and items from businesses and contractors will not be permitted.

Music service

Chestnut Street Church has started up its evening music service again. It will be held at 6 p.m. the third Sunday of each month. Everyone is invited. This week's special music will be by Dave Colman.



is final. By submitting photos, photographer gives Just the Facts all rights to photos. Entries must be less than 2 MB in size. Email photos to **publish@justthefacts.net** and include "photo contest" in subject line, names of subjects in photo (if applicable), location and photographer's real (not screen) name.

Addiction recovery group

Men's addiction recovery group meeting. 6 p.m. Sundays in Rossville. Call or text 217-304-4211 or 217-260-1361 for details.

Court Dispositions

August 9

Jeffrey A. Davis, Hoopeston, failed to appear at status hearing for restrictions for burning trash, default entered; case sent to state for further enforcement.

Courtney J. St. Clair, Hoopeston, failed to appear at initial appearance for trespassing, found guilty by default, fined \$180; status hearing September 13.

Dudley continued from other side

Vermilion Advantage serves as an economic development group and Chamber of Commerce. Earlier this year, after local Chamber President Valarie Hinkle retired, and no one stepped up to fill the role, the Hoopeston Chamber of Commerce merged with the Danville Chamber.

Golf Wyann Eisenmann's 38 was the low score for Hoopeston Area's golf meet September 1 at Shagbark Country Club in rural Onarga. The event also included Beecher, Watseka, and Iroquois West. Christ Lutheran and Cissna Park also participated but had no team score.

Sports

Beecher took first with 154, followed by Watseka with 167. The Cornjerkers came in third with 183. Iroquois West rounded out scoring with 191.

Cy Tuggle came in second behind Eisenmann for the Cornjerkers, shooting a 43. Felix Cantu had 49 for the meet, followed by Caden Cline 53, Owen Field 54 and Landen Youhas 69.

Weather

Sunny today. High 76. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 52. Tomorrow, partly sunny. High 77, low 53. Sunday, sunny. High 75, low 49.

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

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HELP WANTED

We pride ourselves on long-term relationships with our customers and employees. An upcoming retirement provides a rare opportunity for a new member to join our team. The successful candidate believes in providing excellent customer service, is self-motivated, familiar with using computers and has the ability to learn new skills. Job is 9-5 M-F. Come join our professional team! Send resume to publish@justthefacts.net with Box G in the subject line.

City of Hoopeston is accepting applications for a part time animal control officer. Applicants must have a valid driver's license, must be comfortable handling aggressive animals, must be willing to attend required training at city's expense and must be willing to be employed on an on-call basis. Candidates will be required to enforce State, County and City codes, ordinances and laws governing animal control, animal identification, recognition of illness, habits and behaviors of various animals and the techniques and equipment used in capturing, restraining, receiving, feeding, caring for, grooming and releasing domestic and wild animals. Job functions include, but not limited to: capture domestic and wild animals; may require chasing, climbing fences and crawling under houses, etc.; inspect animal facilities to ensure animals have adequate food and water and have sanitary and appropriate living conditions; issue citations, warnings and/or legal notices. Applications available at Hoopeston City Hall, 301 W. Main or www.cityof

hoopeston.com. For questions call (217) 283-5833. East Lynn Fertilizer is looking for a full-time custom applicator.

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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.

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.

RUMMAGE SALES

HOOPESTON: 820 N 4th St. Friday 8-4, Sat. 8-noon. Collectibles, fishing equipment, crafting supplies, glass curio cabinet, large wooden dresser, rocking chair, small furniture items, space heater, luggage. Items priced to sell. HOOPESTON: 407 E. Maple St. Fri. 8 - 3, Sat. 8 - 1. Everything Christmas: lights, ornaments, decorations of all kinds. Miscellaneous items also.