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 Costume Contest at 6:30 p.m.
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Hoopeston United Methodist Church
 403 East Main Street
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 Coffee Hours 8 to 10 a.m.
 Lunch 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.
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Public review of county hazard mitigation plan to start Nov. 2

DANVILLE—The updated Vermilion County Multi-Jurisdictional All Hazards Mitigation Plan will be available for public review and comment starting November 2, 2023.

The plan outlines projects and activities to reduce damages caused by severe weather and other natural hazards. It, along with a summary sheet and a comment survey, will be available for review at the Vermilion County Emergency Management Agency (VCEMA) office and on the Vermilion County website.

The comment period will remain open through November 16, 2023. Public comments received will be used to make any needed revisions before the plan is submitted to the Illinois and Federal Emergency Management Agencies.

The Vermilion County All Hazards Mitigation Planning Committee has conducted working meetings open to the public since October 2022. The committee prepared the plan with technical assistance from state and federal agencies as well as a consultant specializing in emergency management planning.

The municipalities of Danville, Fairmount, Fithian, Georgetown, Hoopeston, Muncie, Oakwood, Rossville, Sidell, and Tilton have participated in the planning process. Other participating jurisdictions include OSF

See HAZARD on other side



Hoopeston Animal Rescue Team and C&D Feed-N-Seed present
Trunk or Treat & Bake Sale
 4-6 p.m. Saturday, October 21
 C&D Feed-N-Seed
 329 W. Main St. Hoopeston

*Pet food donations are appreciated.
 Opportunities to order pet food directly from C&D Feed-N-Seed for the shelter will be available.*

Briefly

At the library
Treeclimbers Genealogy Group, 10:30 a.m. Saturday. For beginner and experienced genealogists.
Pumpkin head gnome, free adult craft, 1:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 23. Supplies provided. Call (217) 283-6711 or stop by 110 N. Fourth St. to register.

Bulk garbage day
 Bulk garbage day, for Hoopeston residents only, will be held from 7:30-10:30 a.m. Saturday at
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Briefly continued from other side

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.

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.

Community fund grant apps open

The United Community Fund of Grant Township is accepting applications for funding from local 501c3 organizations for fiscal year 2024.

For more information or to obtain an application, contact Tricia Freeland at Hoopeston Public Library,

From the Blotter

A woman's style bicycle with BMX handlebars was found abandoned in the 600 block of East McCracken at 11 a.m. Wednesday. The owner may identify and claim it at the police station.

Hazard continued from other side

Healthcare, the Sidell Volunteer Fire Department, and the Vermilion County Conservation District.

Technical partners in the process include the Danville Branch 3009 of the NAACP, Vermilion Advantage, and the United Way of Danville Area.

"This plan describes how the County and the participating jurisdictions have been impacted by severe weather and other hazards and identifies specific mitigation actions that can be taken to reduce damages to people and property before events occur," said Russell Rudd, Vermilion County Emergency Management Agency Director.

An open-house style public forum will be held from 5-7 p.m. Thursday Nov. 2, at the Courthouse Administration Building, 2nd Floor, 201 N. Vermilion St., Danville. Individuals can come and review the plan at any time during the forum. Those unable to attend can still review the plan and provide comments without participating in the public forum.

(217) 283-6711.

Application deadline is November 15, 2023.

WMD meeting

Hoopeston Area Women Making a Difference will meet at 6 p.m. Tuesday, October 24 at the Hoopeston Masonic Lodge. All area women are welcome to attend.

Cub Scout meeting

A Cub Scout orientation meeting for families with boys and girls in grades K through 5, plus their parents, will be held at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, October 26, at Hoopeston United Methodist Church, 403 E. Main St. For more information, contact Mike at mike.graham@scouting.org or 217-531-0212

Halloween in the Halls

Maple Grade School is holding Halloween in the Halls at the school from 5-6 p.m. Monday, Oct. 23. Come trick-or-treat at Maple, then head to the Spooktacular downtown!

Hoopeston trick-or-treat-hours

Hoopeston officials have set trick or treat hours from 5:30-8:30 p.m. on Halloween night, October 31.

Obituaries

COX - George William "Bill" Cox, 66, of Rossville, died at 7:10 a.m. Thursday, October 12, 2023, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. He will be cremated and a visitation held from 4-7 p.m. Friday, Oct. 27, at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. No burial will be held. Memorials are suggested to Rossville-Alvin Grade School, 350 N. Chicago St., Rossville, IL 60963. Condolences may be shared at www.anderson-funeral-home.com.

PITZER - Virginia Sue "Jenny" (Longest) Pitzer, 57, of Melvin, died at 8:12 p.m. Saturday, October 14, 2023, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. She will be cremated and a family gathering held at a later date. Blurton Funeral Home is handling arrangements. Condolences may be shared at www.blurtonfuneralhomes.com.

Weather

Partly sunny today. High 60. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 45. Tomorrow, sunny, breezy. High 62, low 38. Sunday, sunny. High 56, low 36.

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

Classifieds

HELP WANTED

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

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.cityofhoopeston.com. For questions call (217) 283-5833.

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

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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.

NOTICES

Contents of sheds #24 Jonathan Merrill; #52 Natasha Longest; #117 Jason Moore; and #129 Anita Garcia; at Budget Mini Storage Rt. 9 and 6th Ave. Hoopeston, IL will be disposed of on October 29, 2023, per section 95-4 of Illinois Self Storage Facility Act.

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