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County Bar Association sets 2024 scholarship deadline

The Vermilion County Bar Association is accepting applications for two of its \$750 scholarship grants to be awarded in May 2024.

To be eligible, applicants must be a resident of Vermilion County, seeking assistance in any undergraduate or law degree program. Applicants must have earned a 3.0 out of 4.0 (or 4.0 out of 5.0) grade point average, be supported by a letter of recommendation by a teacher or instructor of the applicant, submit a transcript, and a personal one paragraph statement with his/her request that indicates the student's community involvement and why he/she believes that he/she would be a good recipient of the scholarship.

The application request and supporting documents should be sent to the Vermilion

County Bar Association Scholarship c/o Jerry Davis, Chairman, Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 344, Danville, Illinois 61834-0344.

Applications must be received no later than April 19, 2024.

From the Blotter

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 6:01 p.m. Tuesday at North Market and East McCracken.

Police said Ernest Hurt, 95, of Hoopeston, was turning left in a 2003 Buick Lesabre when Jane Powell, 53, of Wellington, tried to pass him in a 1998 Oldsmobile. Powell's vehicle struck the side of Hurt's car.

Orlena Gossett, 82, of Hoopeston, was ticketed for disobeying a stop sign after an accident at 12:09 p.m. Tuesday at West Orange and South Second Ave.

Police said Gossett, in a 2020 Chevrolet Equinox, stopped at the intersection and turned east, striking a 2016 Kia Rio driven by Anixa Amador, 26, also of Hoopeston.

Hoopeston Fire Department and Arrow Ambulance were called to the scene due to a
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Photo by Jane Long

Playing around

Brandi Totheroh and Angela Highfill run one of several events for youngsters at last Sunday's Hoopeston Area Women's Club Carnival at the McFerren Park Civic Center.

Are you looking for the perfect accessory for your prom dress? Check out the selection at **The Raining Moon Salon and Anna's Irish Teas & Gifts** on Rt 9 in Hoopeston. We have a great selection of tiaras, necklaces, earrings, and more!

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BERTHA PARSONS

One of a Kind

You are one of a kind! There is no one in the world like you! How exciting is that? It starts with you believing in yourself! You have talents and gifts. Use what you have and learn new ones! You know right from wrong usually by the time you are 15 and responsible for your own actions. What we do then, even the little things will follow us!

I am the mother of three fantastic children, and yes, like all of us, they have made mistakes. They learned early on that their parents were not responsible for their actions. Once, when one of my children was in the wrong place at the wrong time with friends, one of those friends said, "Don't worry about it. Your parents will take care of it, they are good people." "No," said my child, "They will tell me, you got into this mess, now you figure out how to get out of it!" Most important, they never did that again!

It is hard for me to believe I have any faults or make mistakes, but my family and friends would say, "You do!" That's right, we are human and we all have faults. So what? Learn from them and move on! Do not compromise. It means each side gives up something or makes concessions. If you remember nothing else from this article, remember, never compromise yourself. Always be you all of the time!

I know, I hear you, "Sometimes I don't have a choice." Sorry, that excuse won't work with me. You always have a choice, to be yourself, or someone you are not. Choices are perhaps one of the hardest things we must learn to do in life. Should I, or shouldn't I? Is it wrong, or just not so bad? There is no middle ground. Believe me, I've tried every excuse in the book of life, and I always lose!

In the beginning of this article are the facts of life! Here goes! There's only one You in this world! You have talents to use! Don't sit around and let them rot! Make each of your talents count! You have friends and family that care about you. I'm sure they can use your talents!

Be You and like You so others can count on You to be the best YOU possible! Remember, **you are one of a kind.** Never compromise yourself. Always believe in you!

Briefly

At the Library

An **herb gardening** workshop will be held at 1:30 p.m. Monday, April 29, presented by Ford-Iroquois Master Gardeners. The free program will focus on growing and using various herbs. Advance registration is recommended. The first 10 people to sign up will be entered for to win an herb pot. Free herb seeds will be available.

HASA signups

Hoopeston Area Softball Association will accept registration forms until Friday, April 12 for anyone that needs to turn them in. If anyone needs a registration form go to hasasoftball@gmail.com.

Senior dance

The April Senior Dinner/Dance will be held Satur-

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passenger in each vehicle complaining of pain. Both were taken to Carle Hoopeston for further evaluation.

Amador's vehicle had to be towed from the scene.

Andrew Pattis, 33, of Hoopeston, was arrested after officers saw him at 5:19 p.m. Tuesday in the 300 block of East Thompson. Wanted on a Vermilion County warrant, he was processed at the police station and later taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

Obituaries

MISNER - Charles Dean Misner, 84, of Hoopeston, died at 2:45 p.m. Thursday, March 21, 2024 at Heritage Health, Hoopeston. He was cremated. Visitation will be 10 a.m. until the 12 p.m. memorial service Saturday at First Christian Church, Disciples of Christ, Hoopeston. Burial will follow in Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston, with military rites by Hoopeston American Legion Post #384. Memorials are suggested to the church, 502 E. Main St., Hoopeston IL 60942. Condolences may be shared at www.anderson-funeral-home.com.

Weather

Chance of showers, breezy today. High 60. Tonight, clear. Low 40. Tomorrow, sunny. High 69, low 57. Sunday, mostly sunny. High 79, low 55.

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day at the Hoopeston Multi Agency 206 S. First Ave. Litigo will be playing with Wayne Atkins. Doors open at 5 p.m. and the meal at 5:15. Music will be 6-8 p.m. There is an \$8 cover charge.

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.

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Hubbard Trail Golf Course is hiring a Part-Time Greens Keeper. Duties include but not limited to mowing fairways and greens, trimming and edging around trees, pulling weeds, picking up sticks, and raking. Applications can be filled out at Hubbard Trail Golf Course, 13937 E 3680 N Rd Hoopeston IL

The City of Hoopeston Police Department is accepting applications to hire one police officer for the May Academy. Application deadline will be 3 p.m. Tuesday, April 9, 2024. Testing will be held Saturday, April 13, 2024 at 9 a.m. Apply in person at the Hoopeston Police Department, 301 W Main St. or online at www.cityofhoopeston.com/employment/. Applicants will be contacted with testing information and procedures before April 13. Contact the Hoopeston Police Department for questions at 217-283-5196.

City of Hoopeston Police Commission

Silgan Containers is hiring for Press Line Mechanics. Please apply online at silgancontainers.wd1.myworkday.com/en-US/silgan/job/Mechanic_R168.

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