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HA school board reportedly seeks principal's resignation

A longtime Hoopeston Area administrator is reportedly being encouraged to resign.
 Supporters of John Greer Principal Dan Walder allege the Hoopeston Area Board of Education wants Walder to step down. People close to the situation say the reason(s) the board is taking the action are unknown and that Walder may not have been told why he is being targeted.
 A special board meeting will be held at 6:45 p.m. Monday in the middle school cafeteria, purportedly to discuss the issue.
 The board will immediately go into closed session for "the appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance or dismissal of specific employees," as al-

lowed in the Illinois Open Meetings Act.
 The board may legally discuss personnel matters in closed session but can only take action in open session.
 The location of the meeting seems to indicate that a crowd is expected. Many special meetings are held in the conference room at the district office, a significantly smaller space than the cafeteria. Walder's supporters are asking residents to attend and show their support, too.
 Walder has been with the district for 29 years, first as a high school history teacher for 10 years and as John Greer principal for 19 years.
 Both Walder and Supt. Robert Richardson declined to comment on the situation.

Cheeseburgers for Paradise
 For every Cheeseburger purchased from 5 pm - close on Tuesdays, we will donate \$5 to that night's featured Church. This week's recipient is
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From the Blotter

Susie Wisdom, 47, of Hoopeston, was ticketed after a traffic stop at 9:16 p.m. Thursday at West Orange and First Ave. She was cited for operating vehicle with expired registration plates or registration sticker and operating uninsured vehicle. She was issued notices to appear in Vermilion County Traffic Court and released from the scene.

Two teen drivers were involved in an accident at 7:58 p.m. Friday in the 700 block of East Maple.

Police said a 16-year-old boy, in a 2004 GMC Sierra, backed from a driveway into a parked 2010 Pontiac, parked by a 16-year-old girl. No tickets or injuries were reported. Both vehicles were driven from the scene.

James Shoulders, 60, of Olathe Kans., was arrested at 6:19 p.m. Friday in the 400 block of North Market. Wanted on warrants from Saline County, and Jonson County in Kansas, he was processed at the police station, then taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await extradition.

Waylon Henning, 26, of Rossville, was charged with speeding after a traffic stop at 9:18 p.m. Friday in the 900 block of West Orange. He was charged with going 52 mph in a 35 mph zone and was released from the scene.

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Briefly

Meetings

Hoopeston City Council, 7 p.m. Tuesday, city hall. Agenda items include discussion on the yearly food truck permit, change order for siding at 218 E. Main, approval of street corner collection and ambulance purchase agreement with Arrow Ambulance. Full agenda and Zoom link at www.cityofhoopeston.com.

Siren testing

Hoopeston tests its outdoor warning sirens at 10 a.m. the first Tuesday of each month.

At the Library

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include:
Mary Hartwell Catherwood Book Club, 1:30 p.m. Monday. This month, *Fear Thy Neighbor* by Fern

Lunch Menus

Maple/John Greer

MONDAY: Popcorn chicken, cucumber slices, applesauce, milk

TUESDAY: Country fried steak, mashed potatoes, celery sticks, pears, milk

WEDNESDAY: Hamburger/bun, fries, baby carrots, peaches, milk

THURSDAY: Cheese quesadilla, refried beans, chips & salsa, salad, pineapple, milk

FRIDAY: Pepperoni pizza, salad, mixed fruit, Veggy Juice, milk

Hoopeston Area Middle School

MONDAY: Chicken strips, corn, veggies, applesauce, milk

TUESDAY: Mini corndogs, baked beans, veggies, peaches, milk

WEDNESDAY: Country fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple, milk

THURSDAY: Tacos, chips & salsa, salad, peaches, milk

FRIDAY: Pizza, salad, mixed fruit, milk

Hoopeston Area High School

MONDAY: Chicken wrap or hot ham & cheese, salad bar, corn, applesauce, milk, juice

TUESDAY: Mini corndogs or cheeseburger, baked beans, salad bar, peaches, milk, juice

WEDNESDAY: Country fried steak or calzone, mashed potatoes, green beans, salad bar, pears, milk, juice

THURSDAY: Tacos or BBQ rib/bun, chips & salsa, salad bar, peaches, milk, juice

FRIDAY: Pizza or chicken strips, salad bar, mixed fruit, milk, juice.

Michaels.

Littles @ the Library, 10:45 a.m. Tuesdays. Pre-school story, craft and playtime for children from birth to age 5 and their caregivers.

Coffee, Craft & Conversation 10 a.m.-noon Wednesdays. Crochet, knit, sew and other needlecraft, along with those who do other portable handcrafts are invited to bring their projects and enjoy a morning of fun and conversation!

Kids STEAM Lab, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Thursday. This week, art as kids make paper lanterns.

Free adult craft 1:30 p.m. Monday, May 13: Bottle Cap Garden Stakes. Space is limited and advance registration is required. Call (217) 283-6711 or stop by the library, 110 N. Fourth St.

HMA activities

Women's Morning Donut Group meets at 8:15 a.m. every Wednesday in the large room at Hoopeston Multi Agency, 206 S. First Ave. Come join us!

Card group meets Wednesday for euchre starting 12:30.

For more information on Multi Agency programs, call (217) 283-5544 or stop by 206 S. First Ave.

Resident reminders

•Hoopeston will begin flushing hydrants on Friday and

Obituaries

BLANCK - Loren L. Blanck, 80, of Claytonville, died Thursday, May 2, 2024, at home. Visitation will be 9 a.m. until the 11 a.m. funeral Wednesday at Knapp Funeral Home, Cissna Park. Burial will follow in St. Paul Lutheran Cemetery, Woodworth. Memorials are suggested to Cissna Park Fire department or Trinity Lutheran Church, Cissna Park. Condolences may be shared at www.knappfuneralhomes.com.

STEVENS - Smoky Ray Stevens, 51, of Lakeland Fla., formerly of Rossville, died at 8:36 p.m. April 17, 2024, at Lakeland Regional Medical Center. He will be cremated. A service is not scheduled at this time. Blurton Funeral Home, Hoopeston, is handling arrangements. Condolences may be shared at www.blurtonfuneralhomes.com.

Weather

Partly sunny, then chance of thunderstorms today, tonight. High 75, low 61. Tomorrow, showers, chance of storms late. High 77, low 56.

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

will continue Fridays during the summer as part of a maintenance program to improve the overall water quality by cleaning mains of rust and corrosion and to make sure hydrants are in working order. Residents are encouraged to refrain from doing laundry on Fridays.

•Golf cart owners are reminded that carts must be permitted to legally drive on city streets. Necessary paperwork is available at [the city's website](http://the.city's.website).

•Residents are asked to refrain from mowing grass into city streets. Those who do so may be issued a notice to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

Classifieds

HELP WANTED

First Christian Church looking for a Secretary 8-Noon Tuesday-Friday. Send a Resume to FCC, P.O. Box 115, Hoopeston IL. 60942

Hoopeston Multi Agency is hiring a Van Driver. The driver drives 2-3 days a week from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday- Friday. Applications can be picked up at the Hoopeston Multi Agency. A valid driver's licenses and safe driving record is required.

Join Our Team! We're seeking a skilled Technician/Mechanic passionate about their craft. If you're a self-starter who thrives in a team environment, we'd love to hear from you. Candidates should possess their own tools and a valid driver's license. Offering a competitive pay of \$25/hr (flat rate). Interested? Visit us in person to apply at Outlaw Automotive, 1919 E 500 N Rd, Milford, Illinois 60953. Let's build something great together - no online inquiries, please. Apply in person to take the first step towards your new career.

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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.