

pick up your water!



Smiles all around Alexa Bailey, Miss Hoopeston 2024, smiles for a photo as Dolores Crabtree smiles at her. The two were in downtown Hoopeston Friday night to take part in Our Town Hoopeston, which appeared on WCIA-Channel 3. Swiss steak or Popcorn Shrimp

Open bowling \$2/game 5-9 p.m.Tuesdays!

Cod, Rib eye steak and Rib dinners

Prime Rib and Rib eye steak dinners

Thursday:

Saturday:

Friday:

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Meetings

Hoopeston City Council, 7 p.m. Tuesday, city hall. Agenda items include dead tree ordinance, motor fuel tax, golf cart ordinance discussion, audit and wine trail waiver. Complete agenda at cityofhoopeston.com.

Siren testing

Hoopeston tests its outdoor warning sirens at 10 a.m. the first Tuesday of each month. The test will be canceled if case of bad weather.

VBS

First Baptist Church Vacation Bible School will be June 3-7. For kids in grades K-6, it will be held from 9-11:45 a.m. The theme is WildLive Showcasing Christ's Character. For more information or a ride, call (217) 283-6820.

A Night of Gospel Music

First Baptist Church of Hoopeston will present A Night of Gospel Music beginning at 6 p.m. Monday at the church, 323 E. Seminary. New Heights in Glory will perform at 6 p.m. followed by Greater Vision at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend the free gospel concert.

At the Library

Mary Hartwell Catherwood book club, 1:30 p.m. Monday. The selection is *Nothing Daunted: the Unexpected*



Open 1:30-7:30 p.m. daily

Weather permitting
Enjoy a free popsicle afer your game!

Education of Two Society Girls in the West by Dorothy Wickenden.

Coffee, Craft & Conversation 10 a.m.-noon Wednesdays. Those who create portable handcrafts are invited to bring their projects and enjoy a morning of fun and conversation!

"The Days of King Arthur," 1-2 p.m. Thursday, a youth program for kids ages 11 and up (entering 6th graders).

Free adult craft, Shabby Chic Doily Dreamcatcher 1:30 p.m. Monday, June 10. Advance registration required. Call (217) 283-6711 or stop by the main desk.

Sign up now for the Sourdough Starter Class at 1:30 p.m. June 24, presented by Illinois Extension.

WMD winners

Recent winners in the Hoopeston Area Women Making a Difference community raffle are:

April: \$50 Jacqueline Lacy (donated back); \$30 Grant Township Food Cupboard; \$20, Sheila Browne.

May: \$50, Kristy Garrison; \$30, Erika Spanhook (donated back); \$20, Trish Walter.

HMA accepts unwanted items

Whether you are doing spring cleaning or if you have just had a rummage sale and are looking for somewhere to donate all of your items, Hoopeston Multi Agency is your place! HMA is open 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday-Friday to

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theft over \$500, theft under \$500, burglary, possession of a controlled substance and bringing contraband in penal institution controlled substance.

Edwards was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 1:57 p.m. Friday at South Dixie Hwy. and West Elm. Police said Ivan Sanchez, 21, of Danville, was southbound in a 2004 Ford Mustang when he struck a 1996 Chevrolet Silverado driven by a 17-year-old Milford boy.

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 3:33 a.m. Friday at South Second Ave. and West Orange.

Sarah Wallace, 39, of Hoopeston, was northbound in a 2017 GMC Yukon. Police said she pulled into the intersection in front of a 2011 Harley Davidson driven by Andrew Cornelius, 34, of Hoopeston. The passenger door of Wallace's car was damaged.

A bicycle was found Friday and turned in to police. The owner may identify and claim it at the police station. take donations and until 6 p.m. Tuesdays. If these times do not work for you and you have a donation, please call the front office at 217-283-5544 and we will work with you! Unfortunately, donations after hours and on week-ends are often destroyed before we are able to get them on Monday morning.

Donation helps fund HMA and programs offered to the community. We greatly appreciate your support of HMA.

Class of '79 to hold reunion

The Class of 1979 is having their 45th class reunion Saturday, June 29 at 112 Wine and Coffee Shoppe starting at 5 p.m.. The cost is \$20 a person. We will meet at the High School at 4 p.m. for anyone who would like to tour the school. We would love it for any of our teachers who

Obituaries

AKINS - Clara Mae "Judy" (Calvert) Akins, 78, of Danville, formerly of Hoopeston, died at 1:30 a.m. Wednesday, May 29, 2024, at The Waters of Covington. Visitation was at 3 p.m. and services at 4 p.m. Saturday, June 1 at CrossRoads Christian Church, Danville. Burial will be in Fairfield Cemetery, Westmoreland, Tenn., at a later date. Rortvedt Funeral Services, Tilton, is handling arrangements. Condolences may be shared at rortvedtfuneralservices.com.

COMSTOCK - Betty Jean Comstock, 64, of Hoopeston, died at 1:32 p.m. Wednesday, May 29, 2024, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana She was cremated. A celebration of her life will be held at a later date. Illiana Cremation Society is handling arrangements. Condolences may be shared at illianacremationsociety.com.

TOMBLIN - Clyde Dwight Tomblin, 74, of Hoopeston, died at 7:31 p.m. Wednesday May 29, 2024, at Heritage Health, Hoopeston. He will be cremated. Visitation will be 10 a.m. –noon Saturday at Blurton Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Graveside service will be at 12:30 p.m. Saturday at Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston., with military honors by Hoopeston American Legion and VFW. Memorials are suggested to American Cancer Society. Condolences may be shared at blurtonfuneralhomes.com.

Weather

Mostly sunny, chance of thunderstorms today, tonight. High 84, low 67. Tomorrow, chance of storms, showers. High 84, low 68.

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

may be in the area to attend as our guest. Any friends are also welcome to come. Please contact Linda Leigh at 217-304-1265 for more information.



Classifieds HELP WANTED

The City of Hoopeston is seeking applicants for a seasonal, physically demanding position with the parks department. The successful candidate must have a valid driver's license, ability to run a lawn mower, weed eater, and other equipment, be a selfstarter, reliable and dependable, as well as possess the willingness to learn and the drive to constantly improve on their skills. Applications available at City Hall, 301 W Main St. or at www.cityofhoopeston/employment/. For more information, call 217-283-5833 or visit the website.

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

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.

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

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

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 1^s Street in Hoopeston or call us at 855-692-7824.