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From the Blotter

Kaitlyn Beavers, 36, of Tilton, was ticketed after a traffic stop at 8:38 p.m. Saturday at Rtes. 1 and 9. Cited for operating vehicle with expired registration plates, she was released on a notice to appear in Vermilion County Traffic Court.

Fishing banned in lagoon until after Sweetcorn Festival weekend

Effective immediately, no fishing is allowed at the McFerren Park lagoon until September 3, due to the fishing derby held during the National Sweetcorn Festival.

Kevin Lambert, 37, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 12:42 a.m. Sunday in connection with reported an alleged burglary reported at 6:36 p.m. August 11 in the 200 block of East Main. He was located and taken to the police station, where he was charged with criminal damage to property under \$500 and released on a notice to appear in Vermilion County Circuit Court.

Olivia Strawser, 30, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 7:35 p.m. Sunday in the 400 block of East Penn. Wanted on a Vermilion County warrant, she was transported by a Vermilion County deputy to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

See BLOTTER on other side

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By
BERTHA PARSONS

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Blotter continued from other side

Tonya Edwards, 47, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 1:18 p.m. Monday at the police station. Edwards came to the station for a meeting with the pretrial release Division of the State of Illinois, police said. While there, a computer check showed she was wanted on a Vermilion County warrant.

She was charged, then taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

Salym I. Estes, 19, of Milford, was arrested after a traffic stop at 8:43 p.m. Monday in the 500 block of West Main. He was charged with operating vehicle when registration is suspended and was released on a notice to appear in Vermilion County Traffic Court.

Obituaries

BIRGE - Randy Lee Birge, 63, of Potomac, died at 7:30 a.m. Sunday, August 18, 2024, at home. Visitation will be 11 a.m. until the 1 p.m. memorial service Saturday at Potomac Church of the Nazarene. He was cremated. Memorials are suggested to Potomac Church of the Nazarene. Blurton Funeral Home, Potomac, is handling arrangements. Condolences may be shared at blurtonfuneralhomes.com.

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Arnoldo Molina, 48, of Hoopeston, was cited for driving while license revoked after a traffic stop at 10:23 p.m. August 19. He was issued a note to appear in Vermilion County Traffic Court.

No tickets or injures were reported in an accident at 7:14 p.m. Tuesday in the 700 block of East Thompson.

Police said Cameron Coffey, 22, of Hoopeston, backed a 2003 Chevrolet truck from a driveway, headed southbound and struck a westbound 2012 Ford Fusion, driven by Chloe Deck, 19, also of Hoopeston.

Fire Calls

Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 7:16 p.m. Tuesday for a possible structure fire in the 600 block of East Main. Firefighters arrived to find no fire.

Weather

Slight chance of thunderstorms today. High 86. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 66. Tomorrow, mostly sunny, then chance of storms, partly cloudy late. High 80, low 63. Sunday, mostly sunny. High 80, low 59.

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