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County, city to hold electronics recycling events this month

Vermilion County Health Department, in conjunction with Danville Area Community College and Keep Vermilion County Beautiful, will hold an electronics collection from 8:30-11 a.m. Saturday in DACC's north parking lot.

Residents are encouraged to bring their broken, obsolete or unwanted televisions, monitors and other electronic items to the collection events so they can be recycled. Residents will be limited to a maximum

See RECYCLING on other side



Photo provided

Teasdale Foods honored by food bank

Eastern Illinois Foodbank awarded Teasdale Foods with a Mission Impact Award. This year, a generous donation of 83,700 pounds from Teasdale Foods provided both a fun project for EIF volunteers, and nutritious food for those served by EIF. Their donation has put food on the tables of people facing food insecurity in EIF's 18-county service area. Their team is passionate about giving back and looks forward to partnering in the future to deepen their impact. Pictured are, from left, Sally Patton, Jenna Leslie, Kimberly Berlin (EIF), Cathy Kamplain, Mary LeLoup and Missy Eaton.

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Obituaries

GRAEFEN - Juanita M. Graefen, 87, of Hoopeston, passed away at 12:10 a.m. Saturday, September 28, 2024, at Accolade Healthcare of Paxton Senior Living. She was born September 14, 1937, in Rossville, the daughter of Leo and Zona (Brake) Huffman. She married Emil Graefen, Jr. at the Rossville Church of Christ. He preceded her in death on October 7, 2011.

She is survived by one son, Jeffrey Graefen of Hoopeston; one sister, Laura (Gerold) Park of Danville; and several nephews and cousins.

In addition to her husband, Emil, Juanita was preceded in death by her parents; infant son, Charles Eugene Graefen; sister, Mary Randolph; and two nephews, Michael Park and David Land.

Juanita graduated from Rossville High School in 1955.



JUANITA GRAEFEN

She was a member of the Williamsport Christian Church in Williamsport, IN. She enjoyed cooking, sewing, and working with flowers.

A visitation will be held 10 – 11 a.m. Monday, October 7, 2024, at Anderson Funeral Home, 427 E. Main St. Hoopeston. The funeral service will follow the visitation, beginning at 11 a.m. Monday at the funeral home. Burial will follow in Rossville Cemetery in Rossville.

Memorials may be made to The American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 6704, Hagerstown, MD 21741 or to the donor's choice.

Please visit www.anderson-funeral-home.com to view Juanita's eternal tribute page and to send condolences to the family.

Anderson Funeral Home in Hoopeston is handling the arrangements.

MOORE - Patricia "Pat" Hicks Moore, 84, of Rossville, passed away at 1:35 a.m. Friday, September 27, 2024, on her 84th birthday at Carle BroMenn Medical Center in Normal. She was born September 27, 1940, in Danville, the daughter of Gilbert and Marian (Carney) Hicks. She married Robert J. Moore August 25, 1962, in Armstrong. He survives in Rossville.

She is also survived by two daughters, Kathy (Greg) Jones of St. Louis, MO and Tammie Ritter of Rossville; nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her brother, Dennis; and her son-in-law, Tom Ritter.

A devoted mother and grandmother, Pat thrived on planning and preparing her home for family visits, especially holidays, complete with elaborate meals. In later years, when her health restricted her participation in meal prep, she was able to stay included by directing the process from what we lovingly dubbed her "command cen-



PATRICIA MOORE

Weather

Clearing today. High 74. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 48. Tomorrow, sunny. High 80, low 61. Sunday, sunny. High 77, low 46.

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tral chair" nearby. She enjoyed games around the table, even if she didn't quite understand all the rules. Pat loved the party as long as it wasn't about her. She was humble, loyal, and always concerned about others before herself.

Cremation rites will be accorded, and a celebration of life will be held in November.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Please visit www.anderson-funeral-home.com to view Pat's eternal tribute page and to send condolences to the family.

Anderson Funeral Home in Hoopeston is handling the arrangements.

DROLLINGER - A Celebration of Life for Susan Ward Drollinger will be held at 1 p.m. Sunday, October 6, 2024 at The Legion 502 E. Penn St. Hoopeston. She passed away Tuesday, August 27, 2024.

Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston, was in charge of the arrangements.

Recycling continued from other side

combination of seven televisions or computer monitors at the collection.

The focus of the event is to collect CRT or flat screen televisions, CRT or flat screen monitors, and related electronic items.

Items such as cell phones, cable boxes, satellite dishes, computers, computer peripherals (keyboards and mice), printers, copiers, DVD players, fax machines, gaming consoles, laptops, PDAs, scanners, VCRs, wires, cameras, clocks, radios, vacuum cleaners and fans will be accepted.

It is illegal in Illinois for electronic products such as televisions, computers, monitors, DVD players, fax machines and MP3 players to be disposed of in landfills.

Hoopeston will hold an electronics recycling from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 12 at McFerren Park, near the Lions Club Shelter and skate park.

The event is being held in conjunction with Thomas Pruitt of Thomas Electronics and Recycling.

All electronics are accepted and most are free. There is a fee for the following:

- Wood, projection and broken televisions - \$30
- Tube televisions - \$25
- Flat screen televisions and tube monitors - \$5

Cash and exact change only.

Youth wrestling registration set

Registration for 2024-25 Hoopeston Area Youth Wrestling has been announced. The program is open to all youngsters in grades K-8.

Registration will be held from 6-8 p.m. Monday, Oct. 7 and Wednesday, Oct. 9n the Hoopeston Area Middle School cafeteria. Enter through the middle school gym doors. Young athletes need to attend to be measured for their singlets.

Cost is \$90 (cash or check) for USA Wrestling Card, team t-shirt and team/individual photos. Singlets will be provided by HAYW Club to be returned at the end of the season.

Late registrations will not be accepted.

For those who cannot make one of the registration dates or who have questions, call/text Kali Goodrum, (217) 260-7626.

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