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2025 Hoopeston FFA Alumni
SCHOLARSHIP AUCTION
Saturday, January 25
Silent Auction 4-6 p.m. Live Auction 6 p.m.
The Legion
502 E. Penn, Hoopeston
Food served 4:30 p.m. until gone (free will donation)
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Briefly


Food cupboard needs
Grant Township Food Cupboard needs help for the next food delivery. Volunteers are needed to help upload food from the truck into the building. The next delivery will be at 6:30 a.m. January 7.
Also, current food cupboard needs are spaghetti noodles, canned corn, paper towels and toilet paper.
The food cupboard is in the Grant Township office at 525 S. Market St.

Free community lunch
Chestnut Street Church of Christ will hold a free community lunch from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday, January 18 at the church, 709 E. Chestnut. The menu will

include chili, pie, coffee and hot chocolate.
All are welcome!

Bulk garbage day
Bulk garbage days will be limited to the first Saturday of the month during winter months, December-April. The next one will be held January 4, 2025, from 7:30-10:30 a.m. Saturday at the Republic Services landfill, 16310 E. 4000 North Rd., Hoopeston.
Limit to one load per vehicle per person and must show valid ID or water bill. No electronics, appliances, paint, liquids, tires, batteries, yard waste, construction/demolition material, anything that fits in the provided blue totes, contractor business or apartment complexes.

Call us today at 855-692-7824 to get water delivered to your home or business or visit our office at 102 N 1st Ave. in Hoopeston to pick up your water!



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at
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Saturday, Jan. 4th & Sunday, Jan. 5th
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 **DACC Higher Learning Center - Hoopeston**

Spring 2025 Degree Credit Classes—01/21/25 to 05/22/25
BOFF-140-100H Medical Terminology—Tues. 6-6:50 p.m.
ENGL-101-100H - Rhetoric and Composition I— Tues 6:00 to 8:40 p.m.
ENGL-102-100H - Rhetoric and Composition II— Wed. 6-8:40 p.m.
SOCY-100-102—Intro to Sociology—Tues & Thurs. 2:00 to 3:15 p.m.
SPCH-101-107—Oral Communication—Mon & Wed. 2:00 to 3:15 p.m.
NURS-110-102 Certified Nurse Assistant Tues & Wed. 4:00 to 8:30 p.m.
MEDT-350-301—Phlebotomy Techniques - Wed 3:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Beginning 2/3/25
Adult Ed Basic Education - High School Diploma Classes - Mon & Wed 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

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847 E Orange St, Hoopeston or call 217-283-4170

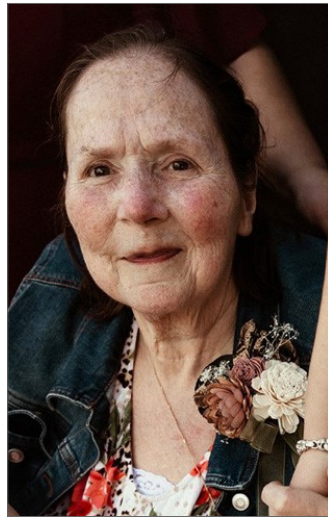
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Obituaries

CLINGENPEEL - Debra Lynn "Debbie" Clingenpeel, 69, of Hoopeston, passed away at 12:05 p.m. Sunday, December 29, 2024, at her home. She was born April 13, 1955, in Danville, the daughter of Arthur Chester and Oleta Faye (Skinner) Compton. She married Patrick Edwin Clingenpeel, Sr. on June 30, 1975, in Watseka. He survives in Hoopeston.

She is also survived by five children, Dodie (Dennis) Skinner of Paxton, Betsy (Adam) Seals of East Meadow, NY, Theresa (Matt) Truax of Omaha, NE, P.J. (Joyce) Clingenpeel of Hoopeston, and April (Garrett) Hulett of Hoopeston; one brother, Kenny (Ruth) Compton of Hoopeston; sister-in-law, Peggy (Sam) Pratt of Hoopeston; 10 grandchildren, Richard (Grey) Clingenpeel, Reice (Nathan Wullenweber) Clingenpeel, Hobert Skinner, Nicole (Travis) Saraka, Rayden Clingenpeel, Clayton Skinner, Sierra Baker, Thomas Skinner, Wyatt Hulett, and Gregory Baker; three great-grandchildren, Hunter Cling-



DEBRA CLINGENPEEL

Mandy in the Making among others on YouTube. Debbie was also a big fan of John Wayne and the Beatles. She was fondly known as the card lady as she blessed so many

enpeel, and Micah and Jasper Wullenweber; and lifelong friends, Debbie (Simpson) Torbet, Debbie (Baker) Smith, and Dollie Woodall.

She was preceded in death by her parents; grandparents; three brothers, Ronnie Compton, Anthony (Waynie) Compton, and Bruce Compton; sister-in-law, Debbie Compton; and grandson, Wyatt Hulett.

Debbie worked at Howard Industries and on the bean line at Joan of Arc. She later worked at the Ford County Nursing Home/ Asta Care Center as a Licensed Practical Nurse until her retirement in 2004. She attended the First Baptist Church in Hoopeston. Debbie was all about family. She adored all of her kids, grandkids, and great-grandkids. She enjoyed texting and sending recipes at all hours of the day and night and watching homesteaders and

hearts with her letters and cards. Debbie loved her husband of 49+ years with all of her heart, and they spent their retirement years enjoying life together.

A visitation will be held 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Saturday, January 4, 2025, at Anderson Funeral Home, 427 E. Main St. Hoopeston. The funeral service will follow, beginning at 1 p.m. Saturday at the funeral home, with Pastor Adam Taubert officiating. Burial will follow in Floral Hill Cemetery in Hoopeston.

Death Notices

DOUGLAS - Connie Douglas, 60, of Rossville, died at 2:23 p.m. Tuesday, December 31, 2024, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Arrangements are pending at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston.

FOSTER - Stephen Foster, 77, of Hoopeston, died at 4:55 p.m. Saturday, December 28, 2024, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Arrangements are pending at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston.

LEWIS - Barbara Lewis, 90, of Hoopeston, died at 6:50 a.m. Tuesday, December 31, 2024, at Carle Hoopeston Regional Health Center. Arrangements are pending at Anderson Funeral Home in Hoopeston.

PETERSON - Karen Peterson, 70, of Hoopeston, died at 3:14 p.m. Tuesday, December 31, 2024, at her home. Arrangements are pending at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston.

Weather

Mostly sunny today. High 24. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 10. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 22, low 16. Sunday, chance of snow, then snow. High 23, low 18.

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

Classifieds

HELP WANTED

Fast Lanes is seeking kitchen help. Apply in person at 719 W. Elm. No phone calls, please.

The City of Hoopeston is accepting applications for a full-time water department employee. The successful candidate must have a valid driver's license; Class B CDL with airbrake endorsement or ability to obtain one; high school diploma or equivalent; a positive attitude and willingness to learn; strong work ethic. Punctuality and attendance are important for this position. There is opportunity for advancement with the proper training and certification

Applications are available at City Hall, 301 W Main St. or www.cityofhoopeston.com/employment.

City of Hoopeston is seeking applicants for Animal Control Officer. The city will hire a part-time control officer to share the duties of the position. Candidates would be responsible for enforcing State, County and City codes and ordinances governing animal control including the care and treatment, impounding, quarantine, vaccinations, and regulation of a variety of animals. Applicants must have a valid driver's license and a high school diploma or equivalent and must be comfortable with aggressive animals. Candidates will be sent to the required training necessary for the position. Applications are available at City Hall, 301 W Main St. or www.cityofhoopeston.com/employment-application/.

Aquility 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.

NOTICES

Contents of shed #113, Dawn Davis, at Budget Mini Storage Rt. 9 and 6th Ave. Hoopeston, IL will be disposed of on January 4, 2024, per section 95-4 of Illinois Self Storage Facility Act.

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