



Hamilton County Reporter

Retiring with distinction...



Photo submitted

Noblesville Parks Director Don Seal was awarded the Distinguished Lifetime Member Award at the Indiana Park and Recreation Association's state conference banquet Thursday night.

Front row: Brandon Bennett (Parks Department); Gary Deakyne (Parks Department); Randy Neff (Parks Department); Ann Minnich (Parks Board); Sherry Faust (Parks Department); Deputy Mayor Mike Hendricks. Back row: Curt Brisco (Parks Department); Susie Davis (Parks Department); Greg O'Connor (Common Council); Cindy Knapp (Parks Department); Mayor John Ditslear; Don Seal; Todd Thurston (Parks Board); and Donna Clark (Parks Board).

Don Seal receives IPRA award

The Indiana Park and Recreation Association (IPRA) selected Noblesville Parks Director Don Seal as the recipient of their Distinguished Lifetime Member Award. IPRA presented the award to him Thursday night at a special awards banquet at the IPRA's state conference in Indianapolis. Mayor John Ditslear, Parks Department employees, and members of the Parks Board and the Common Council

were in attendance in support of Don. This award is the highest honor given by IPRA. Don has been a member of IPRA for more than thirty years and served in many capacities, the most recent being as the Legislative Chair.

As the city announced last fall, Don is retiring and today marks his last day as the Director of the Noblesville Parks and Recreation Department. He will still be involved

with the city as a board member of the Noblesville Parks Foundation.

"I am grateful for all that Don has done to improve the Parks Department during his tenure as Director and am glad he will continue to serve through the Parks Foundation," said Mayor Ditslear. "He is wished nothing but the best for his retirement."

3-5 inches possible...

More snow predicted

The snow just won't let up.

More of the white stuff is predicted to fall on Central Indiana today, with the possibility of 3-5 inches by Sunday morning.

The National Weather Service issued the following statement regarding the snow fall:

"A low pressure system is expected to drop southeast across Central Indiana Saturday evening.

"This low will bring accumulating snow to the area, starting during the mid-afternoon hours on Saturday, and lingering into Saturday night.

"The potential exists for 3 to 5 inches of snow to accumulate by the time the snow ends early Sunday morning.

"Persons planning to travel across Central Indiana late Saturday afternoon and night are encouraged to allow for the potential for slick and snow-covered roads."

After a chilly start this morning, temperatures will recover to 25 for a high today and warm to 29 on Sunday. However, the cold will return with a vengeance early next week, with forecast highs in the teens on Tuesday and Wednesday, and lows in the single digits to possibly 0 or below on Wednesday morning.

Stay with The Reporter for continued updates on the winter weather.

Filings slow to two

By FRED SWIFT

Only two additional candidates, both from the Sheridan area, filed for office Friday.

Floyd Barker declared his candidacy for Adams Township Board and Glen Bougher filed for Sheridan Town Council-at-large. Both are Republicans.

Sheryl Peters has also filed for the Sheridan council. She is a Democrat. {It was mistakenly reported yesterday that she is a Republican.}

As anticipated, the filings have dropped off to a trickle following the second week in which candidates may file for the May 6 party

primaries. The filing period remains open until noon on Feb. 7.

Candidates wishing to run for office this year must file in person at the Hamilton County Elections Office at the Judicial Center.

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Advertisers, subscribers, I've got the answers for you

By DON JELLISON
Reporter Editor

Everywhere I go -- to church; out for dinner; basketball games; just walking down the street -- I'm asked questions about The Reporter. In such a short period of time, more interest has been generated in this newspaper than in any newspaper I've worked for.

It is amazing how much our new email daily newspaper has caught on throughout Hamilton County.

The fun thing about many of the questions that you folks ask is that it is difficult for you to understand what we're about.

What we're offering to the communities we serve.

I recently had a conversation with a local business owner. Big time guy. Big time advertiser. Of late, we've landed our share, and more, of big time advertisers.

"Jelly," he began, "there is no way you guys can offer the exposure and the space you're offering for the price you're offering it for. So, what's the catch?"

No catch, my friend. It's a heck of a deal we're offering. And, it's not one of these 'come on' deals in which we'll get you hooked and then have a price increase.

If an advertiser purchases a quarter page, half page or full page ad in the weekly print edition of The Reporter, then that exact ad will run in the Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday editions at no extra cost.

Free? No, we're not in the business of giving away our product. Those who give away

Reporter editor Don Jellison is available to speak to clubs and other organizations throughout Hamilton County. Give Don a call at 773-2769.

newspaper space do so because they really don't have a product which they can sell.

But, think about this, you folks who want to advertise what you're selling, your ad will appear in the weekly print edition and then five mornings a week will be in computers in homes throughout Hamilton County. In fact, throughout the state and throughout the nation. Many of our email edition subscribers are snow birds in Florida for the winter; parents and grandparents living outside of Hamilton County, and students going to college who like to keep up on the local sports teams.

With such a deal, how can any business not advertise in The Reporter? In my opinion, you would be throwing away your hard-earned bucks to advertise in any other newspaper.

The Reporter is a great deal for you subscribers, too. Wake up in the morning, there is your local newspaper waiting for you and a cup of coffee. Because our deadline is 4 a.m., we will be the first to deliver your latest local news. There is no better way to get the latest Hamilton County news and sports than by reading The Reporter.

And, reading The Reporter for very little cost. If you're a subscriber or if you become a subscriber of the weekly print edition, the email editions come to you at no extra cost. You can subscribe to the weekly for \$18 for 3 months; \$36 for 6 months or \$67 for a year.

Base of the weekly is the Sheridan, Noblesville, Cicero,

Arcadia and Atlanta area. If you're not interested in receiving the local print edition, you can purchase the email package, which comes to you five days a week. It will include the first Sunday newspapers ever published in Hamilton County. Cost of the email edition is \$25 for 6 months and \$50 for a year.

You've got to be kidding me? Nope. We haven't raised our rates in our first year of publication. We've added all of this at no extra cost to the subscriber or to the advertiser.

You can find subscription information elsewhere in this newspaper. If you are a potential advertiser and we haven't already found you, give Jeff a call at 408-5548 or Mike a call at 774-7747.

Some folks have been trying to decide if we're a "real newspaper." Real or not, we're here with a publication which is spreading like wild fire.

Macy promoted to Sergeant

On December 18, 2013, Noblesville Police Chief Kevin Jowitt petitioned the Police Merit Commission to consider the promotion of Master Patrolman Chris Macy to the rank of Sergeant. The Commission subsequently voted to approve the recommendation during their regularly scheduled monthly meeting. Sgt.



Macy

Macy's promotion became effective on December 23, 2013. Prior to being hired by the Noblesville Police Department, Sgt. Macy served in the United States Army. After receiving an honorable discharge, he went on to serve two years as a police officer with the Sheridan (Indiana) Police Department. Sgt. Macy was hired by the Noblesville Police Department in October of 2003. Since being hired, he has been assigned to patrol duties in the Patrol Division. In addition to patrol duties, Sgt. Macy is also an active member of the department's Field Training, Honor Guard, and Emergency Services Units. Sgt. Macy has a wife and two daughters. As a result of the promotion, Sgt. Macy will remain in the Patrol Division and will be responsible for the supervision and management functions of his assigned shift. He will

also continue his involvement on the aforementioned specialized units. Advancement to the rank of Sergeant is a merit promotion within the Noblesville Police Department. Patrol officers and detectives interested in being considered for promotion to the rank of Sergeant must submit to a formal promotion process. The process is comprised of a number of components to include a written examination, oral interview, assessment exercises, and a review of past performance. The process is extremely competitive and is administered every two years in order to establish an eligibility list. A one-year probationary period is required of all officers who are promoted. After all the necessary requirements have been satisfied, officers holding the rank of Sergeant are eligible to participate in the promotion process to become a Lieutenant.

Sheridan Chamber luncheon is Thursday

The Sheridan Chamber of Commerce will be providing an overview of the organization and discussing plans for the coming year at their Thursday, Jan. 23 luncheon. Reservations for the luncheon are due by 5 p.m. Monday, Jan 20 and can be made by calling the Chamber office at 758-1311 or by sending an email to kimberly@sheridanchamber.org. The luncheon will be conducted at 1 p.m. on January 23 at the Sheridan Public Library. Cost is \$14 for members and \$18 for potential members.

NPD accepting Citizen Police Academy applications

The Noblesville Police Department is currently accepting applications for the next Citizens Police Academy for interested members of the community. The academy is a 12-week course, free of charge, designed to provide community members with an opportunity to become better acquainted with our professional staff and to learn about police procedures. The Academy will familiarize citizens with the operations of the police department. This includes classes on patrol procedures, criminal law, narcotics, search and seizure, tactical operations, investigations, juvenile law, firearms demonstration, emergency vehicle operations, use of force issues and police canine demonstration. Participants will also have the option to ride with a patrol officer and witness the street-activity our officers encounter on a day-to-day basis. The objective of the Citizens Police Academy is not to create quasi-cops, but to produce informed citizens. The academy is intended to open lines of communication between the community and the police department. By allowing citizens a firsthand look at the police department and how its operations are handled, citizens take away a better understanding of the police role



Photo provided by Rod Dorich

The Fall 2013 class of the Noblesville Citizens Police Academy show their certificates after completing the course. Applications are being accepted now for the Spring 2014 session.

in the community. Additionally, citizens bring a wealth of knowledge about their community and particularly, the problems in their neighborhood. In this way, police are able to learn and better understand the concerns of the citizens.

Eligible candidates must:
1. Be at least 18 years of age
2. Have no felony convictions and no misdemeanor convictions within the last (3) years
3. Pass a background check
4. Reside or be employed in Noblesville

The academy will begin on February 18 and will conclude on May 13, 2014 with a graduation ceremony. Classes will be held every Tuesday evening from 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. Applications are available online at www.cityofnoblesville.org/police or at the Nobles-

ville Police Department. Class size is limited so be sure to apply as soon as possible. For further information please contact Lieutenant Bruce Barnes at (317) 776-6340, ext. 1261 or bbarnes@noblesville.in.us

Polar Plunge benefits Special Olympics

The Special Olympics of Hamilton County will be participating in the Polar Plunge. This year the popular event takes place on two separate days at two different locations in the area in order to enable everyone to participate. The first opportunity will take place at Butler University on Jan. 25 with the second opportunity coming the following week on March 1 at Eagle Creek. All are invited to this unique opportunity to participate in an extreme event for the warm at heart! Brave souls interested in participating on both occasions may do so as long as spots remain available. The Polar Plunge is organized the Special Olympics of Indiana in order to raise money for local chapters like SOHC and for the state organization. Please be sure to notify SOHC of your team so that SOHC will get credit for your efforts. Participants must raise a "bear" minimum of \$75 (\$50 minimum for students with a student I.D.) to take a daring dip into Indiana's winter waters. To learn more about the 2014 Polar Plunge to benefit Special Olympics Indiana, visit www.soindiana.org. To register your team online or join another team, please visit <http://www.firstgiving.com/soindiana>. Participants can also register and donate at the event.

Updated list of 2014 officially declared Primary Candidates

Allen Ray Davidson
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James R. Buck
Crystal D. LaMotte
James W. Merritt, Jr.
Steve Braun
Kathy Krag Richardson
P. Eric Turner
Todd Huston
Jerry Torr
Paul A. Felix
Brian G. Poindexter
J. Richard Campbell
D. Lee Buckingham II
Tammy (Clark) Baitz
Rhonda Gary
Jennifer Hayden
Mark J. Bowen
John R. Chaffin
Roger C. Conn
Robin L. Ward
Christine Altman
Andrew J. Dollard
Fred Glynn
Amy Elizabeth Massillamany
Steve Schwartz
Paul W. Ayers
John Patrick
Floyd H. Barker
Gail E. Godby
Douglas Callahan
Paul K. Bollin
Mary Eckard

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D US Representative - District 5
R US Representative - District 5
R State Senator - District 21
R State Senator - District 31
R State Representative - District 24
R State Representative - District 29
R State Representative - District 32
R State Representative - District 37
R State Representative - District 39
R Judge Circuit Court
R Judge Superior Court 3
R Judge Superior Court 4
R Prosecuting Attorney
R County Clerk
R County Clerk
R County Recorder
R County Sheriff
R County Coroner
R County Coroner
R County Assessor
R County Commissioner - District 1
R County Council - District 1
R County Council - District 2
R County Council - District 3
R County Council - District 4
R Adams Township Trustee
R Adams Township Board
R Adams Township Board
R Clay Township Trustee
R Clay Township Board
R Clay Township Board

Matthew J. Snyder
Robert C. Ware
Debbie Driskell
Michael Jordan
Ed Pierce
Marilyn A. Schenkel
Jeff Hern
Brian Baehl
Dan Rieke
Christina (Chris) Miller
Glen Schwartz
Theresa Caldwell
Tom Kenley
Joe Arrowood
James L. Cox
Peggy R. Pfister
Jim Williams
Carl M. Steele
Jamie Renee Rulon
Pamela Van Hook
Chad Amos
Brad Baker
Brett S. Foster
Steve Fisher
Sheryl (Sherry) Peters
Jeremy Somerville
Walt Kelly
Marvin Scott
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R Washington Township Board
R White River Township Trustee
R Atlanta Town Council - At Large
R Cicero Town Council - At Large
R Cicero Town Council - At Large
R Cicero Town Council - At Large
R Sheridan Town Council - At Large
R Sheridan Town Council - At Large
R Fishers Mayor
R Fishers City Clerk
R Fishers City Council - SE
R Fishers City Council - NW
R Fishers City Council - NC
D Fishers City Council - SC
R Fishers City Council - SC

Bill Brown
David C. George
Brad DeReamer
Ed Offerman
Rich Block
Cecilia Coble
Todd Zimmerman
Harvey M. Kagan
Patricia Toschlog
Mary E. Ray
Gregory A. Purvis
Christian K. Renner
James E. (Jim) Gilliam
Jennifer Gilson
Michael R. Shaver
Fred T. Swift
R. Hans Collins
Fred Glynn
Douglas Haney
Mike Colby
Robert W. Locke
Ed Offerman
Dan Rieke
Ronald L. Mangus
Larry Hopkins
Ralph F. (Rick) McKinney
Barbara Purvis
Patricia Toschlog
Mary E. Ray
Gregory A. Purvis
Lonnie M. Whitehead
Christian K. Renner

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R Fishers City Council - SW
R Fishers City Council - NE
R Fishers City Council - NE
R Fishers City Council - At Large
R Fishers City Council - At Large
R Fishers City Council - At Large
R Precinct Committeeman - Rangeline
D Precinct Committeeman - Lexington
D Precinct Committeeman - Delaware 6
D Precinct Committeeman - Fall Creek 19
D Precinct Committeeman - Nob 28
R Convention Delegate - Clay District 1
R Convention Delegate - Clay District 1
R Convention Delegate - Clay District 1
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R Convention Delegate - Clay District 2
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R Convention Delegate - Clay District 2
R Convention Delegate - Delaware Twp
R Convention Delegate - Fall Creek Twp
R Convention Delegate - Noblesville Twp
R Convention Delegate - Washington Twp
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In win at Avon...

Millers hold another foe under 50

There are more ways than one to skin a cat, and right now Noblesville’s Millers are skinning lots of cats with good ball control and a terrific defense.

So it was Friday evening for Coach Dave McCollough’s club as the Millers went on the road and defeated Avon in a 49-44 Hoosier Crossroads Conference thriller.

The win moved Noblesville to 7-4 on the season and 3-1 in the conference. The only team the Millers trail in the HCC is Southeastern, the lone team to have defeated NHS in the HCC this season.

Noblesville will return to action tonight at The Mill, looking for a fourth consecutive victory as the Muncie Central Bearcats come to town.

At Avon, Noblesville won a game in a manner in which Noblesville had lost a couple of games earlier this season,

outplaying an opponent down the homestretch. The Millers had to fight off the Orioles in the fourth quarter.

Noblesville led by as many as 14 points in the first half and carried a 27-17 lead to halftime.

Avon fought back and with 3½ minutes left in the game pulled to a point at 43-42.

“We kept our composure,” McCollough said. “There’s lot to be said about that. We’ve had lots of rough games against Avon.

“We had the lead, but then had a couple of bad possessions,” McCollough continued. “But, we were able to hold them off.”

Sean Wilson, on a pass from John Kiser, scored to give Noblesville a 45-44 lead. Wilson’s bucket was followed by a basket from Justin Pegues, giving Noblesville a 47-44 lead with one minute left.

Wilson came up with a huge steal, but Noblesville followed by turning over the basketball. Then, Wilson pulled a rebound with 16.2 seconds left and Kiser put on the finishing touch with a field goal.

Noblesville’s defense now has held six of its last seven opponents under 50 points. Bloomington South scored 56 in a six-point holiday tourney win.

“The good thing tonight was holding Avon to just 17 first half points,” said McCollough.

The sophomore, Kiser, led Noblesville in scoring with 15 points and he also pulled nine rebounds. Also in double figures was Wilson with 10 points.

Noblesville hit 21-of-39 shots and committed just 14 offensive turnovers.

Wilson canned a pair of 3-pointers and Jake Mills and Kiser each hit one as Noblesville went 4-of-9 from long-range.

Noblesville 49, Avon 44				
Noblesville	FG	FT	TP	PF
Sean Wilson	3-6	2-3	1	1
Jake Mills	3-6	0-0	7	0
Jordan Saal	0-1	0-0	0	0
Justin Pegues	3-5	1-4	7	1
Josh Gentry	0-0	0-0	9	0
Austin Ginther	1-2	0-0	2	4
Joey Brewer	0-1	0-0	0	1
Zach Parker	0-1	0-0	0	0
Joey Herron	0-1	0-0	0	1
Jack Trittip	3-4	0-0	6	2
John Kiser	7-10	0-0	15	1
Max Meehan	1-2	0-0	2	1
Totals	21-39	3-7	49	12
Score by Quarters:				
Noblesville	15	12	11	11
Avon	12	5	16	11
Noblesville 3-Pointers (4-9): Wilson 2-2, Mills 1-3, Brewer 0-1, Parker 0-1, Kiser 1-2.				
Noblesville Rebounds (23): Wilson 2, Saal 1, Pegues 3, Ginther 2, Parker 2, Trittip 2, Kiser 9, team 2.				
Noblesville Turnovers: 14.				

Big-game Hunter scores at the line

By DON JELLISON
Reporter Editor

Trailing by six points, 49-43, with three minutes left to play, it appeared that Lapel’s best shot at catching host Hamilton Heights Friday evening was to send the Huskies to the charity line. Already in the period, Heights had missed seven free throws.

Good planning, but bad decision. Lapel picked the wrong Husky to foul.

Sophomore Hunter Crist hit 9-of-10 charity shots down the homestretch as Coach Chad Ballenger’s Huskies stood off Coach Jimmie Howell’s Bulldogs, 64-57, in a rough and tumble hardwood contest.

Crist, scoring a game-high 22 points, was 12-of-16 shooting free throws. The other Huskies were 6-of-15 at the line.

“We just needed to get back out there and play,” said Ballenger, whose team hadn’t played in three weeks. “It was nice to get back out there on the court.”

Heights played the game without Garrett Paull, the 6-6 junior and top rebounders on the team. Paull is sidelined with an injury.

But, with Crist’s 22 big ones and 18 points by Conley Hoover, plus a whole bunch of balance from the Huskies, Hamilton Heights was able to win with a strong second half after leading just 24-22 at halftime.

Twenty-four of Heights’ 64 points came on 8-of-20 shooting from 3-point range. Hoover gunned in 4-of-5 boomers.

Nearly half (56 points) of the game’s 121 points were scored in a wild, fourth-quarter finish.

“We lost our focus at one point when Grant Weatherford missed a dunk,” Ballenger said. “But, the big thing was our defense. We held (Mitchell) Richardson to just one 3-pointer and that came when we were playing a soft zone at the end. We did a great job against Bobby Steele. I thought Brady Cherry hurt us.”

With the six-point lead, Heights’ next eight points came at the charity line, seven by Crist. Hoover hit a big lay-in with 51 seconds left, putting Heights up by 10, 59-49.

Weatherford and Bo O’Laughlin led the Huskies on the boards with seven and six rebounds, respectively. Weatherford also dished out eight of the team’s 14 assists.

The Huskies, now 6-3, will jump right back in action tonight, traveling to Western Boone.

Heights 64, Lapel 57				
Heights	FG	FT	TP	PF
Hunter Crist	4-15	12-16	22	4
Noah Whyde	0-2	0-0	0	1
Jadon White	2-4	1-2	6	4
Kurry Miller	2-5	0-1	5	3
Bo O’Laughlin	2-4	1-5	5	2
Grant Weatherford	1-7	4-6	6	4
Ian Nicholson	1-1	0-0	2	0
Conley Hoover	7-8	0-1	18	1
Lukas Sipe	0-0	0-0	0	1
Totals	19-46	18-31	64	20
Score by Quarters:				
Heights	13	11	13	27
Lapel	10	12	6	29
Heights 3-Pointers (8-20), Crist 2-7, Whyde 0-1, White 1-3, Miller 1-3, Weatherford 0-1, Hoover 4-5.				
Heights Rebounds (22): Crist 3, White 2, Miller 1, O’Laughlin 6, Weatherford 7, Hoover 3.				
Turnovers: Heights 8.				

Reporter photos by Jeff Jellison

TOP: Bo O’Laughlin had six rebounds and five points for the Hamilton Heights boys basketball team in its Friday win against Lapel at the Husky Dome. It was Heights’ first game in three weeks.

RIGHT: Grant Weatherford had seven rebounds and six points in the Huskies’ win.





Photo by Brian Reddick/RDK PhotoGraphic

Sheridan’s Cort Christy scored 33 points and pulled down 15 rebounds in the Blackhawks’ game with Tipton Friday at Hobbs Hall. The Blue Devils beat Sheridan 88-62.

By RICHIE HALL
Reporter Sports Editor

It's been a hectic week for the Sheridan boys basketball team, as the weather has forced them into a stretch of four games in eight days, and three in the last five.

The Blackhawks took on Tipton Friday at Hobbs Hall, and were able to stay with the Blue Devils through the first half. But Tipton's speed and pressure wore Sheridan down, and it eventually fell 88-62. The Hawks fell to 3-6 with the loss.

"They can score quick, and they got several kids that can score," said Sheridan coach Cory Dunn. "They make you play so much quicker than what we would want to play, and our kids really struggled. We tried preparing them for that, but sometimes it's pretty hard to simulate that."

Sheridan was down 30-22 in the second quarter, but used free throws to pull within 30-29 with 3:14 left. Tipton ended that with a quick 6-0 run, and regained their advantage by the halftime buzzer, leading 40-32 at the break.

The Blue Devils than used little runs in the second half to slowly build their lead. Sheridan fought to the end, though, with Cort Christy leading the way. The senior scored 33 points and pulled down 15 rebounds for a double-double.

"I was really proud of how he attacked the basket, and he had 15 rebounds," said Dunn. "That's what I'm really, really proud of. And he hadn't rebounded the ball very well last few games, but tonight, he really wanted the boards."

Chris Roberts helped out with nine points and nine rebounds.

Sheridan travels to Elwood tonight for a 7:30 p.m. tip-off with a 5-6 Panthers team.

"They're a very solid team," said Dunn. "They got a lot of length."

Tipton 88, Sheridan 62				
Sheridan	FG	FT	TP	PF
Nate Pflugh	2-2	1-2	5	3
Cort Christy	12-20	9-11	33	4
Jake Chesney	2-5	2-2	7	2
Patrick Weitzel	0-0	2-2	2	0
Chris Roberts	3-8	3-6	9	3
Micheal Burnell	2-8	0-0	4	1
Brock Kitchel	1-3	0-0	2	2
Taylor Ly	0-0	0-0	0	0
Elliott Barker	0-0	0-0	0	0
Michael Boyer	0-0	0-0	0	0
Totals	22-46	17-23	62	15
Score by Quarters				
Sheridan	11	21	10	20 - 62
Tipton	19	21	24	24 - 88
Sheridan 3-point shooting (1-3) Chesney 1-1, Roberts 0-1, Kitchel 0-1.				
Sheridan rebounds (35) Christy 15, Roberts 9, Burnell 4, Chesney 3, Pflugh 2, Kitchel 1, Boyer 1.				
1.				
Sheridan turnovers: 14.				



Photo by Brian Reddick/RDK PhotoGraphic

Nate Pflugh provided some quality minutes for the Blackhawks, scoring five points.

Surprise, surprise...

Royals in charge, again

It was billed as the showdown game in the Hoosier Crossroads Conference, this Hamilton Southeastern-Brownsburg game at Brownsburg Friday evening. Both teams were unbeaten in the HCC. Brownsburg was ranked No. 3 in the state and Hamilton Southeastern was ranked No. 6. Brownsburg had lost just one game; Southeastern just two.

But, as has happened so often down through the years, HSE turned the showdown into a painful defeat for the Bulldogs, winning a cupcake 62-40 decision.

It was Southeastern’s 40th consecutive conference win

Coach Brian Satterfield’s Royals were outscored 27-21 in the middle two periods, after rushing to a 21-9 first quarter advantage. Southeastern made it official with a 20-4 run in the fourth quarter.

Southeastern hit 20-of-42 shots, including 11-of-22 attempts from 3-point range.

Three different Royals scored in double figures, led by Tyler Jenkins with 20 points and Zach Gunn with 19. Eric Davidson finished with a dozen.

Brendan Burns (14) and Gunn (10) led the Royals in rebounding.

The last team to beat Southeastern in a conference game was (you got it) Fishers, 49-43, in the season opener of the 2009-10 season.

The Royals now are idle until hosting Avon next Friday, Jan. 24.

Southeastern 62, Brownsburg 40

Southeastern	FG	FT	TP	PF
Mason Hankins	2-2	2-2	8	3
Max Hankins	0-0	0-0	0	0
Tyler Jenkins	6-10	4-5	20	2
Brendan Burns	1-3	0-0	3	4
Chris Ford	0-0	0-2	0	0
Eric Davidson	4-10	2-2	12	4
Grant Leach	0-3	0-0	0	0
Jack Kramer	0-0	0-0	0	0
Zach Gunn	7-14	3-3	19	2
Tyler Janney	0-0	0-0	0	1
Tyler Scholl	0-0	0-0	0	2
Herman Guillory	0-0	0-0	0	0
Totals	20-42	11-14	62	16

Score by Quarters:				
Southeastern	21	11	10	20 – 62
Brownsburg	9	12	15	4 – 40
Southeastern 3-Pointers (11-22):	Hankins 2-2,			
Jenkins 4-5, Ford 0-2, Davidson 2-4, Lech 0-2, ,				
Gunn 2-7.				
Southeastern Rebounds (33):	Hankins 2, Jenkins 2,			
Burns 14, Leach 2, Gunn 10, Janney 1, Scholl 2.				
Southeastern Turnovers:	10.			

Today’s sports schedule

Wrestling

Hoosier Crossroads at Lafayette Jeff, 9 a.m.

Heights at Elwood, Super 6, 9 a.m.

Carmel at North Central Super 6, 9 a.m.

Gymnastics

Noblesville at Roncalli, 10 a.m.

Girls Basketball

Avon at Noblesville, 11 a.m.

Eastern at Heights, 12 noon

Logansport at Carmel, 12 noon

Westfield at Fishers, 12 noon

Herron at Guerin, 1 p.m.

Southeastern at Zionsville, 6 p.m.

Boys Basketball

Muncie Central at Noblesville, 6 p.m.

Heights at Western Boone, 6 p.m.

Carmel at Kokomo, 6 p.m.

Westfield at New Castle, 6 p.m.

Sheridan at Elwood, 6 p.m.

Guerin at Terre Haute South, 6 p.m.

Eminence at University, 6 p.m.

Boys Swimming

Heights at Northwestern, 10 a.m.

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Big overtime basket makes it... Four wins in a row for Fishers

The Fishers roll continued, as the Tigers boys basketball team defeated Lafayette Jeff 67-65 in overtime to score their fourth consecutive victory.

Luke Wehner scored the winning basket with five seconds to go in the extra period, with Lance Dollison providing the assist. It was a close game throughout, with the Bronchos leading 33-31 at halftime.

Devin Chaudion led Fishers with 21 points, despite having to sit for an extended period in the second half with foul trouble. But he came back to score eight points in the fourth quarter and hit a big 3-pointer in overtime to put the Tigers up by one.

Wehner and Keegan Kollmeyer each scored 10 points. Cam Wolter grabbed nine rebounds, with Chaudion pulling seven and also making five steals. Fishers had 15 team assists, with four different players (Kortland Townsend, Zach Eaton, Dollison and Chaudion) making three.

The Tigers are 3-2 in the Hoosiers Crossroads Conference, 5-7 overall, and play at Zionsville next Friday.

Fishers 67, Lafayette Jeff 65 (overtime)					
Fishers	FG	FT	TP	PF	
Devin Chaudion	8-13	4-5	21	4	
Kortland Townsend	2-12	5-7	9	3	
Andre Small	3-3	1-3	7	1	
Cam Wolter	1-3	4-6	6	2	
Lance Dollison	2-4	0-0	4	3	
Keegan Kollmeyer	4-9	0-0	10	2	
Luke Wehner	5-7	0-0	10	0	
Zach Eaton	0-0	0-0	0	2	
Totals	25-51	14-21	67	17	
Score by Quarters					
Fishers	16	15	12	16	8 - 67
Lafayette Jeff	17	16	14	12	6 - 65
Fishers 3-point shooting (3-12) Kollmeyer 2-7, Chaudion 1-2, Townsend 0-3.					
Fishers rebounds (33) Wolter 9, Chaudion 7, Kollmeyer 4, Townsend 3, Wehner 2, Dollison 2, team 6.					
Fishers turnovers: 10.					

No more overtimes, please

University coach Brandon Lafferman would appreciate not having any more overtime games, thank you.

The Trailblazers scored a season-high 84 points, but that wasn't enough as Ritter pulled out an 86-84 overtime victory Friday evening at Ritter.

It was University's third overtime loss in the team's last four games.

Mikhall Listlon scored 13 points in the first half and the Trailblazers were 12-of-15 at the line in those two periods. They led 42-41 at halftime.

Ritter led by as many as four in the third quarter, but University had a 9-0 run in the last 1:35 to lead 59-55 after three quarters.

Jazen Cosby gave University a 61-55 lead early in the fourth quarter.

The Trailblazers trailed 73-70 with 16 seconds left in the fourth period. Anthony Maranto was fouled with 4.8 seconds left and made one free throw. He intentionally missed the second and the ball went out-of-bounds to University. Anthony Maranto took the in-bounds pass and hit a runner with

0.2 seconds left to send the battle into overtime.

University took its last lead at 83-82 with 1:11 remaining in overtime on Tyler Diehl's third straight basket of the period. Diehl had eight points in the overtime.

Diehl led University in scoring with 23 points, folloed by Liston with 18, Robbie Johnson 13 and Maranto 12.

University, now 5-7 on the year, is scheduled to play its first home game of the season tonight against Eminence.

Ritter 86, University 84 (overtime)				
University	FG	FT	TP	
Anthony Murdoch	0	0-0	0	
Mikhail Liston	7	3-5	18	
Robbie Johnson	5	3-5	13	
Anthony Maranto	4	4-9	12	
Tyler Diehl	7	8-10	23	
Sam Forkin	2	2-2	7	
Zach Duncan	1	1-2	3	
Jacob Daniels	0	0-0	0	
Jazen Cosby	2	4-8	8	
Totals	28	25-41	84	
Score by Quarters:				
University	22	20	17	14 - 84
Ritter	20	21	16	18 - 86
University 3-Pointers: Liston 1, Diehl 1, Forkin 1.				

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Tues	Nov 19	Westfield H.S.	7:30 pm
Fri	Nov 22	@ Lebanon H.S.	7:30 pm
Tues	Nov 26	Carmel H.S.	7:30 pm
Sat	Nov 30	@ Thanksgiving Classic	10:30 am
Sat	Dec 7	McCutcheon H.S.	1:30 pm
Fri	Dec 13	@ Hamilton Southeastern	6:00 pm
Sat	Dec 21	@ Brownsburg H.S.	1:30 pm
Thu	Jan 2	Anderson H.S.	7:30 pm
Thu	Jan 9	Harrison H.S.	7:30 pm
Sat	Jan 11	Mt Vernon (Fortville)	1:30 pm
Wed	Jan 15	@ Fishers H.S.	7:30 pm
Sat	Jan 18	Avon H.S.	12:30 pm
Tues	Jan 21	@ Western Boone Jr/Sr H.S	7:30 pm
Sat	Jan 25	Zionsville H.S.	7:30 pm
Wed	Jan 29	@ Pendleton Heights H.S.	7:30 pm
Fri	Jan 31	@ Jefferson H.S.	7:30 pm
Thu	Feb 6	@ Lawrence North H.S.	7:30 pm

NHS BOYS Schedule

Wed	Nov 27	Northwest H.S.	7:30pm
Sat	Nov 30	Thomas Carr Howe H.S.	7:30 pm
Fri	Dec 6	@ Carmel	7:30 pm
Fri	Dec 13	@ Hamilton Southeastern H.S.	7:30 pm
Fri	Dec 20	Jefferson H.S.	7:30 pm
Sat	Dec 21	@ Hamilton Heights H.S.	7:30 pm
Fri	Dec 27	Holiday Tournament	8:00 pm
Sat	Dec 28	Holiday Tournament	3:00 pm
Fri	Jan 3	@ Merrillville H.S.	8:00 pm
Fri	Jan 10	McCutcheon H.S.	7:30 pm
Fri	Jan 17	@ Avon H.S.	7:30 pm
Sat	Jan 18	Muncie Central H.S.	7:30 pm
Sat	Jan 24	@ Westfield H.S.	7:30 pm
Fri	Jan 31	Brownsburg H.S.	7:30 pm
Fri	Feb 7	Harrison H.S.	7:30 pm
Sat	Feb 8	@ Mt Venon H.S. (Fortville)	7:30 pm
Sat	Feb 15	Zionsville H.S.	3:30 pm
Tues	Feb 18	Lawrence Central H.S.	7:30 pm
Fri	Feb 21	@ Fishers H.S.	7:30 pm
Fri	Feb 28	Lebanon H.S.	7:30 pm

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Here are the pairings for the Hamilton County Freshman Basketball Tournaments:

GIRLS BRACKET
First round - 6 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 30 at satellite sites
Game 1: Westfield vs. Carmel
Game 2: Hamilton Heights vs. Fishers
Semi-finals - 10 a.m., Saturday, Feb. 1 at Hamilton Southeastern
Game 3: Game 1 winner vs. Noblesville
Game 4: Game 2 winner vs. Southeastern
Championship and Third-Place Games - Noon, Saturday, Feb. 1 at Southeastern

BOYS BRACKET
First round - 6 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 13 at satellite sites
Game 1: Hamilton Heights vs. University
Game 2: Guerin Catholic vs. Carmel
Game 3: Hamilton Southeastern vs. Noblesville
Game 4: Westfield vs. Fishers
Semi-finals - 10 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 15 at Westfield
Game 5: Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2
Game 6: Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4
Championship and Third-Place Games - Noon Saturday, Feb. 15 at Westfield

Carmel out to snap losing streak of 1

Carmel basketball coach Scott Heady may take a different approach when he and his Greyhounds travel to Kokomo this evening.

Carmel will be coming off its first loss since Feb. 7 of last year when the Greyhounds were beaten by Hamilton Southeastern. After that loss Carmel won 18 consecutive games, a string which was snapped by Cathedral, 45-41, earlier this week. Carmel, the two-time defending state champion, was ranked No. 1 before the loss to Cathedral.

“We are coming off a disappointing loss,” Heady said, “so hopefully our guys will respond and be ready for what will be another tough road game.”

Even though the Greyhounds down through the years have dominated the Wildkats, the series has been a barn-burner.

Carmel won last year 54-46. At Kokomo, the Wildkats won two seasons ago, 47-40. Before that loss Carmel had defeated Kokomo eight consecutive times.

“We’ve had some great games with Kokomo the past three years,” said Heady. “Playing them is always a challenge. They have a good program; they are well-coached and they play a tough 2-3 zone.”

Kokomo went into a game this evening with a 4-5 record. The Wildkats and Carmel have one common opponent, Noblesville. Carmel defeated the Millers 51-33 in early December. Kokomo ended December at the Noblesville Holiday Tourney by defeating Noblesville, 38-36.

Carmel, with an 8-1 record, will be playing on the road for a fourth consecutive game.

‘Rocks fall to Mavericks

The Westfield boys basketball team lost on the road at McCutcheon Friday night 63-41. The Mavericks led 22-11 after one quarter and 31-17 at halftime. Ty Osswald led the Rocks with 12 points. Devin Reece and Charlie Warner added seven points each.

The Rocks are back on the road tonight at New Castle.

A full boxscore was not reported at press time.

Guerin girls back to .500

The Guerin Catholic girls basketball team pulled back to even on Friday, beating Zionsville 50-42 at the Eagles Nest.

The Golden Eagles are now 8-8 for the season. Guerin took a 28-14 lead into half-time, then held off a third-quarter run by Zionsville.

Carly Osinski scored 19 points to lead the scoring, while Kristen Schneider added eight points and pulled down eight rebounds. Sarah Yount hit two 3-pointers on her way to eight points.

The Golden Eagles host Indianapolis Herron at 1 p.m. today.

Guerin	FG	FT	TP	PF
Carly Osinski	7-13	3-4	19	1
Sarah Yount	2-5	2-3	8	1
Kristy Thiem	1-6	0-0	2	3
Julie Nelson	1-3	0-0	2	0
Abigail Wampler	3-8	1-5	7	3
Annemarie Augustinovicz	0-0	2-2	2	0
Kristen Schneider	3-5	2-3	8	2
Kate Fox	1-2	0-0	2	3
Totals	18-42	10-17	50	13
Score by Quarters				
Zionsville 8	6	17	11	42
Guerin 13	15	11	11	50
Guerin 3-pointers (4-12)	Yount 2-4,	Osinski 2-3,		
Wampler 0-3, Thiem 0-2.				
Guerin rebounds (33)	Schneider 8,	Wampler 5,		
Thiem 4, Osinski 3,	Yount 3,	Augustinovicz 3,		
Nelson 2, Fox 1,	team 4.			
Guerin turnovers:	12.			

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