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Thursday, June 12, 2014

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**TODAY'S WEATHER** Partly cloudy, with chances of showers early morning and tonight.

LOW: 61



# Hamilton County Reporter

# **Logan Street Community** Bank robbed, suspect caught

A Noblesville man was taken into custody Wednesday afternoon after allegedly robbing the Community Bank at 830 Logan St. in Noblesville.



Gagle

Robert A. Gagle, 50, was apprehended at the CVS Pharmacy on the east side of Noblesville. He was transported to the Hamilton County Jail and booked on one count of Robbery, a Class B Felony and one count of Theft.

Officers from the Noblesville Police Department were called to Community Bank shortly before noon upon hearing the report of the robbery. Officers arrived on the scene and made contact with the bank employees.

Evidence at the scene and witness statements indicate that a white male came into the bank and demanded money from the teller. It was reported

that the suspect displayed a handgun during the robbery. The suspect took an undetermined amount of money and fled the scene. There were no injuries reported.

Officers immediately established a perimeter in the area and utilized police canines in an attempt to locate the suspect. The perimeter was lifted at approximately 1 p.m. without the suspect being located.

#### CALLER ALERTS POLICE

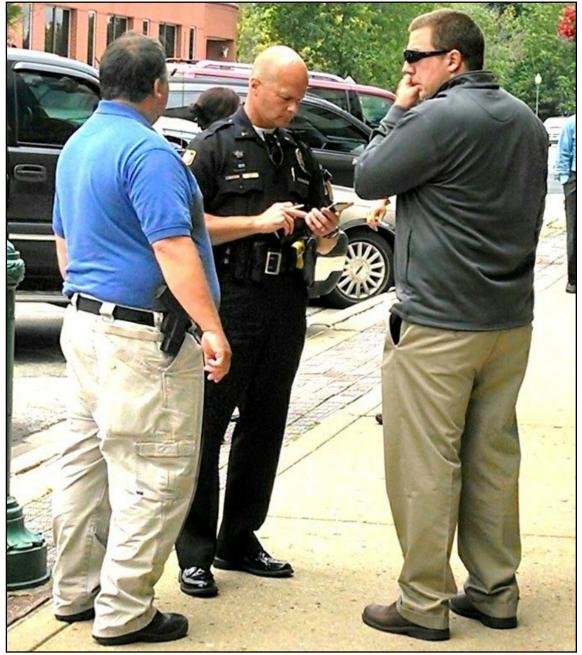
The NPD publicized the robbery on news and social media, and it believes that's what led to the apprehension of the suspect. They gave the description of the suspect as "a white male approximately 30-35 years of age. He was wearing a long sleeve flannel shirt, full-length blue jeans and a baseball cap at the time of the robbery."

At approximately 3:53 p.m., a 911 caller contacted the Hamilton County Communications Center and advised that Gagle was located at the CVS Pharmacy at 2550 Conner St. Officers arrived on the scene and located a person matching the description. The subject was taken into custody without incident.

After further investigation, investigators petitioned for and were subsequently granted a search warrant for the subject's vehicle. Investigators believe that they located items relevant to the criminal investigation surrounding the alleged robbery.

In a statement, the NPD said it "would like to thank all of the media outlets for their coverage of this incident. During the investigative process, investigators learned that the 911 call was placed after a citizen viewed news coverage on the internet and was able to identify the suspect by the photos NPD supplied to the media."

This case remains an ongoing investigation. Anyone with information regarding the case is asked to contact the NPD Criminal Investigation Division at (317) 776-6370 or tips@noblesville.in.us.



Reporter photo by Jeff Jellison

Noblesville Police Department's Public Information Officer Bruce Barnes meets with detectives on scene before briefing media.

### United Way trains volunteers for disaster preparation

By BRIAN REDDICK In a joint effort to prepare Hamilton County for any type of disaster, the United Way and Hamilton County Emergency Management participated in a two day course to train volunteers. According to United Way Hamilton County Area Director, Joan Isaac, "this is the first training of its kind that we have done in Hamilton County, we have done several in Marion County but wanted to extend the training north". The class was put on at the Hamilton County 4H building and about 40 volunteers from across Hamilton County participated.

The course is entitled "Disaster Reservist Training". The Disaster Reservist assists year-round in disaster preparation and is activated during a disaster to help run the Volunteer Reception Center (VRC). Duties during activation can include matching volunteers with agencies, processing walk-ins and phone volunteers, conducting interviews, replying to queries about the VRC, and assisting Volunteer Center staff however he/she is able.

The Disaster Reservist fulfills vital VRC roles, allowing the VRC to mobilize quickly and efficiently. Volunteers who sign up to be Disaster Reservists will receive ongoing training and information about disaster preparedness, and take part in any drills and exercises related to the

Hamilton County Emergency Management Director Tom Sivak interacted with



Photo by Brian Reddick/RDK PhotoGraphic

Hamilton County Emergency Management Association Director Tim Sivak and United Way Area Director Joan Isaac debrief the class after a two day Disaster Reservist Training course.

#### **Obituaries**

### Betty Earlene (Wilson) Williams November 17, 1925 - June 9, 2014

Betty Earlene (Wilson) Williams, 88, went to be with the Lord on Monday, June 9, 2014, at Riverview Health in Noblesville while surrounded by her

2014, at Riverview Health in Noblesville while surrounded by her family. She was born November 17, 1925, in Cave City, Arkansas, the oldest of four children, to Gladys (Landers) and Guy Wilson.

She graduated in 1944 from Cave City High School where she met and married the love of her life, Roy Frank Williams of Cave City, Arkansas on Christmas Eve. December 24, 1947.

She will be remembered for her steadfast faith in Christ and her love for her family. She was a member of Landmark Baptist Church in Anderson, Indiana. She faithfully served through the years as a Sunday School teacher, secretary to the Ladies Auxiliary, church pianist, choir member and in any other capacity she was able for the furtherance of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Earlene was a homemaker who was guided by her faith in raising her children whom she loved and adored. She very much embraced being a grandmother and great-grandmother that always made herself available to them whenever possible. She was a devoted wife to her husband, Roy, of 64 years of marriage.

Earlene had many hobbies she enjoyed, which included reading and writing poetry, quilting, sewing, gardening, canning, working cross-word puzzles, singing and playing the piano. She also enjoyed garage sales and traveling to family reunions.

Survivors include: daughters, Gail Von Holten and Karen (Larry) Pryor both of Noblesville, Ginger (Randy) Higginbotham of Sheridan, Indiana; grandchildren, Andy (Carrie) Seymour, Matt (Jessica) Higginbotham, Jennifer (Rod) English, Susan (Micah) Beckwith and Jonathan (Heather) Von Holten all in Hamilton County; great-grandchildren, Caden and Kelli Seymour; Michael, Jacob and Logan English; Ava, Owen and Leela Higginbotham; sister, Janet Brashers of Sheridan, Indiana; sister-in-laws, Zadine Dishongh of Batesville, Arkansas and Linda Wilson of Corona, California; many nieces, nephews and several cousins.

Besides her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by a sister, Warren Dene Johnson of Little Rock, Arkansas; a brother, Ted Wilson of Corona, California; son-in law, Robert Von Holten of Noblesville, Indiana.

Our family wishes to express our deepest appreciation to her home caregivers. Also, we are most grateful to Dr. Thomas Miller, and all of the 3-West and TCU nurses and techs at Riverview Health for the most recent care, love and dignity provided to our mother and support given to our family.

Visitation will be 4 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, June 12, 2014, in the Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan Street, Noblesville, 46060. Services will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, June 13, 2014 with Gary Woodring officiating. Burial will follow at Crownland Cemetery in Noblesville. Memorial contributions may be made to Landmark Baptist Church, 1924 W. Cross Street, Anderson, IN 46011 and Riverview Health Foundation, 395 Westfield Road, Noblesville IN 46060.

### Eric D. Blissitt February 3, 1961 - June 10, 2014

Eric D. Blissitt, 53, of Noblesville, passed away on Tuesday, June 10, 2014 at Riverview Hospital. He was born on February 3, 1961 in Monon,



Eric owned and operated Blissitt Insurance for over 20 years, and was a graduate of Purdue University. He enjoyed fishing, and traveling, and was an avid Boilermaker fan, but most of all he loved spending time with his children and attending their sporting events.

He is survived by his loving wife, Jennifer (Darr) Blissitt; children, Evan & Lauren Blissitt; father, Clevie Blissitt; mother; Jo Gay Blissitt; sister, Kim (Chris) Wiese; brothers, Jeff (Pam) Blissitt, and Rick (Ann) Blissitt.

A memorial visitation will be held from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm on Friday, June 13, 2014 at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, in Noblesville.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made an education fund for Evan J. Blissitt & Lauren G. Blissitt at any Key Bank location.

The family would like to thank the entire staff at Riverview Hospital, Dr. Daniel Milton, Dr. Lori Brame, and their staff for caring for Eric.

Condolences: www.randallroberts.com.

### Prowler reported at Wellington Apartment Complex in Fishers

Shortly after midnight on Wednesday, Fishers police officers responded to the Wellington Apartment Complex (106th Street and Lantern Road) on a report of a prowler. A resident, on Bradwell Place reported an unknown male was looking into his daughter's window. He advised the male ran away when the resident looked out at him. Upon arrival, an officer observed a subject standing behind the victim's apartment. The suspect ran eastbound when he saw the officer's patrol car.

The suspect is described as a white male wearing blue jeans, an unzipped blue hooded sweatshirt, and a white shirt with writing on it. A perimeter was quickly established and two police K-9s searched the area. The suspect was not located. The police department is asking anyone that may have been in area last night or possibly observed this suspect to please call the Fishers Police Department at 317-595-3300.

The Fishers Police Department encourages residents to immediately notify the Hamilton County Dispatch Center at 317-773-1282 (non-emergency) or 911 whenever they observe suspicious persons or activity.

#### Photo by Brian Reddick/RDK PhotoGraphic

Noblesville Police set up a perimeter around the Community Bank at 830 Logan St. Wednesday afternoon after a report that the bank was robbed. The suspect was later located and apprehended at the CVS



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the class on Wednesday afternoon during a debriefing after some mock scenarios were completed. Sivak spoke about some weather related issues that EMA had followed up on during the day from Tuesday evening's rain and wind. He told the class about how any given storm could escalate to catastrophic levels and volunteers like the ones attending this class could be used to help pull the county through such events.

United Way plans to conduct these classes annually to keep needed volunteers up to speed, just in case.

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#### The County Line

# Cycling at 70: Donoff biking from California to Florida

By FRED SWIFT

Mick Donoff, a Noblesville native, last week completed a trip from his current home in Laguna Beach, California to St. Augustine, Florida. Not so unusual except

he made the 3,069-mile trip on a bicycle.

cle.

More interesting is the fact that he is 70 years old. In top physical condition, he does not look his age.

Mick is no

stranger to bike riding. For the past 36 years he has ridden, sometimes competitively, and has been a

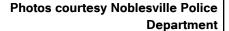
runner for years. He and his wife, Sharon, have lived in Laguna Beach for 38 years. For 25 years Mick was a high school teacher and track coach.

Donoff is the son of the late Jules and Betty Donoff of Noblesville. His father was a career Firestone employee. His mother was a former city clerk-treasurer. A brother, Tad, lives in Southern California.

Mick made the bike trek for a charity, Stand Up 2 Cancer, for which he solicited contributions. His goal was \$10,000. He set out on the long ride in April hoping to make about 100 miles per day. He said, however, he would be in no hurry, wanting to see the sites along the way.

In Austin, Texas, he spent a few days. Sharon had arranged to meet him there with some supplies. But, he generally traveled light with a sleeping bag, small tent, a change of clothes, some bicycle tools and his phone and camera. Some of the photos he took are posted on Facebook.

Mick thought St. Augustine would be the right destination for his trip. He points out that is where Ponce de Leon claimed to have discovered the Fountain of Youth. "I figured I'd need it about then," he quipped.



The Noblesville Police Department released these photos of the Community Bank robbery suspect shortly after the robbery occurred (above and right). The NPD said the person who called to report the location of the suspect saw coverage of the robbery on the Internet, and credit that to his quick capture and booking (below right).







Roundabout construction expected to last 60 days...

# **Smokey Row/Old Meridian** closure starts tonight

Contractors for the Indiana Department more than 90 constructed through 2013 by pavement markings. The ramp configuraof Transportation (INDOT) plan to temporarily close access to and from Smokey Row Road at Old Meridian Street to construct a roundabout. The 60-day closure is scheduled to begin Thursday night.

Traffic on Old Meridian and 136th Street will be shifted and lane designations will be adjusted to accommodate construction of the roundabout. Access to Smokey Row Road will remain available via Range Line Road during the closure.

Roundabouts are becoming a relatively common traffic feature in Indiana, with

information on modern roundabouts, go to the end of this year. http://www.in.gov/indot/3249.htm.

#### **UPCOMING CHANGES AT I-465 INTERCHANGE**

Beginning on or after June 23, the westbound I-465 exit to U.S. 31/Meridian Street will be restricted to one lane at the top of the ramp. The exit ramp will have two left turn lanes and two right turn lanes onto U.S. 31/Meridian Street. The traffic shifts will require overnight (9 p.m. to 6 a.m.) restrictions on the ramps as contractors modify

both INDOT and cities and towns. For more tion is expected to remain in place through Hamilton

E & B Paving and Gradex are INDOT contractors for the \$141 million contract to upgrade U.S. 31 to freeway standards from 96th Street to the Monon overpass. The contract builds new roundabout interchanges at 106th, 116th, 131st and 136th streets and improvements to the U.S. 31 and I-465 interchange, including two flyover ramps from southbound U.S. 31 to eastbound I-465 and eastbound I-465 to northbound U.S. 31.

For information on The New U.S. 31 County. US31HamiltonCounty.in.gov. For media inquiries, please click here to access our media kit. To receive project updates, including dates and times of restrictions:

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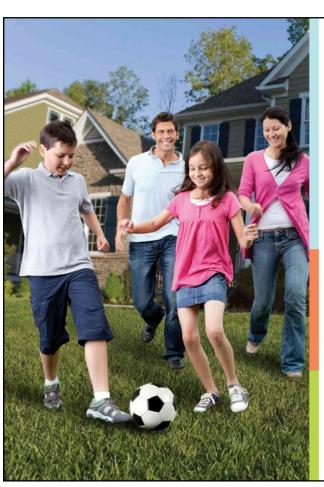
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### Carmel Arts and Design District hosts...

# Second Saturday IU Health Gallery Walk is this weekend

The Carmel Arts and Design District will host the Second Saturday IU Health North Hospital Gallery Walk on Saturday, June 14, 2014 from 5-9 p.m. Wine and dine at one of the District restaurants, browse the new and exciting exhibits at the 10 District galleries and explore all the unique things the District has to offer.

Paint your own masterpiece to take home courtesy of Wine & Canvas with complimentary classes on the hour. This free activity will be located at 111 W. Main St., Suite 120 and will feature a beach scene as the painting's subject.

Cast your vote at the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Chairs of a Different Color Competition, where Carmel High School Tech-Hound students paired with a local artist to design and paint Adirondack chairs built by the woodshop class. The chairs will be on display along 111 W. Main St. between 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue and the Monon

trail for visitors to vote for their favorite.

Additional features and activities taking place during the June Gallery Walk include:

Ft. Wayne artist and architect George Morrison, who will showcase original pieces of art crafted from stoneware, low-fire clay, and porcelain at Eye on Art Gallery (111 W. Main St., Suite 150)

"Chromatic Wanderings II: Colors of Costa Rica," a solo show by Marie Reamer that will exhibit high dynamic range photographs taken in Costa Rica in 2013 and 2014, at ArtSplash Gallery (111 W. Main St., Suite 140)

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# Sheridan Farmer's Market takes place every Wednesday afternoon



Photo courtesy Sheridan Library

Local Sheridan resident Noah Poprik shows off his freshly baked bread which he sells at the Sheridan Farmers Market. The market is open every Wednesday afternoon from 4 pm to 7 pm in Biddle Memorial Park at the intersection of State Roads 47 and 38. For further information about the market, please email to sheridanfarmmarket@gmail.com or stop by and speak to market manager David Hunsucker.



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#### **Electrical Upgrade**

AT&T Mobility, 14010 Olio Road

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#### **Improvement Location**

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Beazer Homes, Promenade Woods, Mill USA Fireworks, 14350 Mundy Drive, Creek Road

About Storage, 120 North Mill Creek

#### **Secondary Plat**

GTE Mobilnet of Indiana, Riveredge, 18077 River Road

#### Sign

USA Fireworks, 14350 Mundy Drive USA Fireworks, 17237 Mercantile Blvd USA Fireworks, 14765 Hazel Dell Crossing

City of Westfield, 7925 E. 160th Street City of Westfield, 7925 E. 160th Street Hannah Lindgren, 137 S. 8th Street, \$150.00

#### **Single Family**

New Structure, Arbor Homes, LLC, 351, Waterman Farms, 11151 Funny Cide Drive, \$135,000.00 New Structure, Arbor Homes, LLC, 261, Waterman Farms, 11222 Pegasus Drive, \$117,900.00

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New Structure, Silverthorne Homes, 69, Essex of Noblesville, 16405 Anderson

Way, \$280,000.00 New Structure, Clymer Custom Build,

191, Sagamore, 11377 Hanbury Manor Boulevard, \$600,000.00 New Structure, Arbor Homes, LLC,

259, Waterman Farms, 11242 Pegasus Drive, \$156,676.00 New Structure, Beazer Homes, 22,

Prairie Crossing The Ridge, 18913 Elder Ridge Drive, \$268,500.00 New Structure, RH of Indiana, 221, Chapel Woods, 15802 Millwood Drive, \$166,358.00

New Structure, J.A Yancey and Associates, 167, Sagamore, 16382 Valhalla Drive, \$320,000.00 New Structure, RH of Indiana, 274, Brighton Knoll, 10709 Glenwyck Place,

\$129,246.00 New Structure, Fischer Single Family, 1, Slater Run, 17089 Hearthfield Way, \$272,000.00

New Structure, Fischer Single Family, 24, Slater Run, 17193 Bluestone Drive, \$353,000.00

#### **Temporary Sign**

USA Fireworks, 17237 Mercantile Blvd USA Fireworks, 14765 Hazel Dell Crossing, Ste. 4

Beazer Homes, Promenade Woods, Mill Creek Road

USA Fireworks, 17237 Mercantile Blvd USA Fireworks, 14350 Mundy Drive, Ste. 500

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#### Letter to the Editor

### Nickel Plate Arts is looking for guest bloggers

Nickel Plate Arts Partner,

Want another venue to tell your amaz-Nickel Plate Arts blog!

I'm inviting you to write a short 300-600 word piece on what you do, what you love are some optional writing prompts (choose one) to get you started:

1. You are following your passion. How did you arrive at this point and what do you hope to share with your audience?

2. Some people find it difficult to tap into their creative side. What are 5 ways you conjure up your creative side, or what are 5 of your muses?

3. Perhaps there's someone in your faming story? Become a guest blogger on the ily or past who greatly influenced what you do now. Tell me about that person and how you honor them in your own work.

In addition to your story, include any and why you do it. If you're interested, here timely info or images about your business or craft (contact info for public, website, events happenings, logo, pictures, etc.).

Thank you!

Casey Kenley Nickel Plate Arts Marketing Coordinator casey@caseykenley.com

Introduction of work from wood artisan Ross Earley at Artichoke Designs, along with an assortment of original oil paintings (240 W. Main St.)

Strawberry Festival hosted by St. Christopher's Episcopal Church in the PNC Bank parking lot (21 N. Range Line Rd.)

Chance to win \$300 toward art of your choice by picking up an entry card at any gallery, courtesy of the Carmel Arts and Design District Gallery Association

Be a part of the Scavenger Hunt that will lead you to find select pieces of art in each of the participating galleries and busi- (\$10 value) nesses. Begin the hunt at the ArtSplash Gallery (111 W. Main St., Suite 140); folin your completed clue sheet.

Each month for the remainder of 2014, a themed charm will be given as a prize to every scavenger hunt participant at the IU Health North Hospital Gallery Walks. This month's theme will celebrate weddings. Collect a different charm at each Gallery Walk to complete a whole charm bracelet by the end of the year. Your completed clue sheet will also enter you for a chance to win one of the following prizes:

Gift basket courtesy of The Wedding Studio (\$350 value)

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Limo ride from Carriage House Charters Limousines (\$250 value)

Wedding cake from Rascia's Creative Cakes (\$250 value)

Set of watercolors from ArtSplash Gallery artist Valentina Shvrykova (\$150 val-

Scotty's Brewhouse giftcard (\$60 value) Haircut from The Beauty Lounge (\$50 value)

Five personal training sessions from The Exercise Coach

Two tickets to the Strawberry Festival

A map of the gallery locations and more low the clues through the District, then turn information about the IU Health North Hospital Gallery Walk activities can be found at www.CarmelArtsAndDesign.com.

> Public parking is available in the Carmel Lions Club lot (141 E. Main St.), Sophia Square parking garage (entrance off of 1st Ave NW), Indiana Design Center parking garage (200 S. Range Line Rd.) or available on-street public parking. The Arts & Design District parking map may be downloaded

> http://www.carmelartsanddesign.com/imag es/Carmel District ParkingMap.pdf.

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Photo provided

The Hamilton Southeastern softball team's coaching staff will lead the Royals in their quest for a third state championship Saturday evening at Ben Davis. HSE also won state titles in 2007 and 2010.

Pictured: Sean Green, Michelle Dickey, David Cook, Emily Pusti, Halee Myers, Jeff Moore

#### Southeastern's final hurdle...

# **Bloomington tough on mound**

#### By DON JELLISON **Reporter Editor**

Back on April 26 when Hamilton Southeastern edged Bloomington South, 4-3, it's doubtful if the two softball teams tough teams," Cook said. had any idea they would meet in June for the IHSAA Class 4A state championship.

But, that's exactly what will happen Saturday when the Lady Royals from HSE and the Lady Cougars from Bloomington bring their talents to Ben Davis High School for a 7:30 p.m. matchup.

There were times this season for Southeastern when David Cook's traditionally tough club must have wondered if it would even escape the sectional, let alone play for all the marbles.

Towards the end of the season semi-state finale last week. Southeastern lost five in a row. The Royals lost 6-of-7. They finished their last 11 games of White. with a 3-8 mark.

"We were going through a period of time when we didn't have Maggie Armstrong. She was injured and not having her on the mound, or at shortstop, or at the plate hurt the confidence of this team." Cook said. "Savanna Copeland (the standout freshman pitcher) lost confidence when Maggie wasn't pitching and when Maggie wasn't Leading Southeastern are is Madi Maloff, a playing shortstop. Armstrong also was our junior outfielder who is batting .514. Ashley No. 3 hitter.

"Things started to turn around after Maggie returned," Cook continued. "It didn't happen quickly. It kind of happened gradually.

"We didn't play well in the opening game of the sectional against Westfield, but then we beat Fishers 1-0 after they had handled us pretty easily during the season. We then won a slugfest from Carmel in the Behham .403 and Mena Fulton .384. championship game.'

Arguably, Southeastern's wins over very good Fishers and Carmel teams were upsets.

Harrison in the regional and defeated good teams from Penn and Huntington North in

"The teams we've been facing were Now comes another

toughie, Bloomington South.

"Their good pitcher didn't throw against us when we beat them, and neither did Copeland," Cook pointed out.

Bloomington ace is a junior, Olivia White. She is 17-4; has a 1.83 ERA and has fanned 168 batters in 149.2 innings. She has allowed only two runs in Bloomington South's last six games. She hurled five consecutive shutouts in tourney play until New Castle scored a run and lost 2-1 in the

"She is a very good pitcher," Cook said

So is Copeland, the Southeastern freshman. Savanna is 14-8 with a 2.70 ERA. She has fanned 223 batters in 142.2 innings. And, of course, waiting n the wings, now healthy, is apparently completely Armstrong. She is 6-0 with a 1.99 ERA and 29 strikeouts in 31.2 innings.

Both teams have excellent hitters. Rohr is hitting .385, Armstrong .372 and Copeland 356.

Cook has a young team with only three seniors. Two start, Natalie Heiniger who is batting .293 and Sydney Payne who is hitting .275. Both are outfielders.

Bloomington South has an even .500 hitter, junior second baseman Ali Sexton. Elizabeth Getz is batting .414; Addie Behham is a freshman on a team loaded with

This is Cook's and Southeastern's third Then, the Royals knocked off No. 2 trip to the State Finals. They won the other

#### Royals invite everyone to evening practice

The Lady Royals would like to invite everyone to their practice on Thursday, June 12, from 6 to 8 p.m. Softball fans will be able to watch the Lady Royals practice, talk to the team after practice and purchase pre-sale tickets and T-shirts.

two trips in 2007 and 2010. In his 26th year of coaching, Cook has a 572-193 record. Bloomington South has never before

been to the state. Southeastern will bring a 23-10 record. Bloomington South is 20-8.

Southeastern's

Record Royals 6, Southport 4 Royals 10, Richmond 0 Royals 9, Franklin 3 New Palestine 5, Royals 4 Royals 7, Mt. Vernon 3 Royals 10, Lawrence North 0 Royals 6, Brownsburg 1 Royals 19, Zionsville 0 Royals 9, Whiteland 3 Royals 14, Westfield 4 Royals 15, North Central 7 Shenandoah 5, Royals 4 Royals 2, Pendleton 1 Royals 9, Ft. Wayne Snider 7 Carroll 10, Royals 6 Carmel 16, Royals 3 Noblesville 4, Royals 2 Fishers, 10, Royals 6 Greenwood 9, Royals 0 Royals 12, Anderson 0 Harrison 2, Royals 0 Avon 8, Royals 5 Royals 10, Chatard 0 Roncalli 4, Royals 2 Sectional Royals 5, Westfield 3

Royals 1, Fishers 0 Royal 10, Carmel 8 Regional Royals 7, Harrison 2 **Semi-State** Royals 4, Penn 3 Royals 5, Huntington 2

#### **Bloomington South**

South 3, Columbus East 1 South 8, Columbus East 6 South 9, Edgewood 2 South 11, Martinsville 4 South 11, Shakamak 2 Franklin Central 7, South 2 Mooresville 3, South 1 Mooresville 8, South 3 South 12, Bedford 8 South 4, Decatur Central 3 South 9, Southport 8 South 14, Floyd Central 4 Columbus North 2, South 1 Terre Haute South 13, South 1 South 13, White River Valley 3 Sectional

South 3, East Central 1 South 3, Bloomington North 0 South 4, Columbus North 0 Regional

South 1, Franklin 0 Semi-State South 2, Decatur Central 0

South 2, New Castle 1



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# Girls basketball at Westfield

at the Westfield High School indoor sports complex.

Twenty-two teams will play in the varsity competition. Games will begin at 8:30 a.m. Teams will participate in Taylor and Hagerstown. pools, matching up the squad for head-to-head play. Hamilton County teams will include Westfield,

Hamilton Southeastern, Guerin Catholic and Sheridan. Other teams participating will be Lake Central, Elkhart 3:30 p.m.

Memorial, Goshen, Northridge, South Bend St. Joseph's,

Girls summer basketball at its best is scheduled Saturday East Central, Lawrence Central, Terre Haute South, Richmond, Muncie Central, Tippecanoe Valley, Warren Northridge, 10:30 a.m.; East Central, 1:30 p.m.; South Bend Central, Frankton, Triton Central, Crothersville, Blue River, St. Joseph's, 3:30 p.m.

Schedules for the Hamilton County teams follow:

Westfield: South Bend Saint Joseph's, 9:30 a.m.: East p.m. Central, 11:30 a.m.; Warren Central, 1:30 p.m.; Northridge,

Hamilton Southeastern: Richmond, 8:30 a.m.;

Guerin Catholic: Triton Central, 8:30 a.m.; Frankton, 10:30 a.m.; Muncie Central, 2:30 p.m.; Blue River, 4:30

Sheridan: Crothersville, 8:30 a.m.; Taylor, 10:30 a.m.; Blue River, 2;30 p.m.; Hagerstown, 4:30 p.m.

State Amateur play at Purgatory...

# Fishers' Watts 3 shots out of lead

Fishers' Johnny Watts, soon to be a three-under 71 at Purgatory Golf Club Wednesday to remain in running for the Amateur Golf Championship.

Watts along with Johnny Strawser of Fort Wayne and David Mills of Evansville had a 73 and Hildebrand a 77. are tied for second place with 141s

following second round play. Watts had shot a 70 on the first round on

"I played consistently again today," sad Watts. "I expected to play well this week since I am familiar with the course, and I am happy with the position I am in."

The leader after 36 holes is Crown Point's Nicholas Grubnich, who posted another 3-under 69. He adds that round to his 3-under-par finish on Tuesday for a two-day total of 6-under par, 138 and a three shot lead heading into day three of Indiana's most prestigious amateur event.

"I hit the ball really nicely again today," said Grubnich, a rising senior at Indiana University. "I hit a lot of fairways and greens and continued to give myself birdie chances. I was fortunate that a few of them fell."

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Watts is the only Hamilton County freshman at Ball State University, shot a player in shouting distance of the lead. Three in the tournament. local golfers are tied for 18th with 148s. They are Dave Richter of Carmel, David championship of the 114th annual Indiana Hildebrand of Carmel and Rafael Cordaro T2, Johnny Watts, Fishers, 70-71—141. of Fishers. Among those golfers, Richter led the way yesterday with a 71, while Cordaro

Two more days of competition remain T26, Vince Drahman, Noblesville, 75-74—

#### **Hamilton County Golfers**

- T18, Dave Richter, Carmel, 77-71—148. T18, David Hldebrand, 71-77—148.
- T18, Rafael Cordaro, Fishers, 75-73—148.
- T26, Wil Pahud, Carmel, 73-76—149.
- T36, Andrew Havill, Carmel, 75-76—151.
- T48, Kyle Cox, Fishers, 79-73—152. T48, Jon Williams, Carmel, 75-77—152.
- T48, Tyler Davis, Fishers, 77-75—152.



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# Cutter joins celebration of Milan Miracle



#### Reporter photos by Richie Hall

TOP: The members of Milan's 1954 state championship basketball team were honored prior to the Indianapolis Indians' Wednesday night game at Victory Field. Rollin Cutter (third from left), a longtime guidance counselor at Noblesville High School, was part of the team.

RIGHT: Cutter threw out one of the first pitches during the game.

#### By RICHIE HALL **Reporter Sports Editor**

Sixty years ago, the Milan basketball team completed its miracle.

Rollin Cutter didn't just remember it, he lived it. He was part of the Milan team that won the 1954 basketball state championship. Cutter joined some of his former teammates and life-long friends at Victory Field on Wednesday, where the Indianapolis Indians honored Milan prior to its game.

"It's supposed to be fun and it has been so far," said Cutter after the ceremonies. Each team member also got to throw out a be remembered today. Cutter credits the first pitch, and all of them did quite well.

Cutter is well-known and well-regarded in the Noblesville community. He worked as a guidance counselor at Noblesville High School for 19 years, and also worked in that position at Carmel High School. His resume of teaching/coaching stops is almost

like a basketball schedule: Syracuse, Brownsburg and Arlington.

" All of those were coaching and teaching responsibilities," said Cutter.

After graduating from Milan, Cutter joined some of his teammates at Butler Uni-

"Unfortunately didn't get to play a lot of basketball because I got a knee torn up early my freshman year," said Cutter. "But I enjoyed it, got my degree there, enjoyed my 38 years of teaching.

Even after 60 years, Milan continues to movie "Hoosiers," which is based on the Milan Miracle, as something that has helped keep Milan in the public conscious-

"I think it's amazing that it's lasted this long," said Cutter.



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# Indiana Junior Golf results

**Girls Team Championship** 

Golf Club of Indiana, Zionsville

Girls 17-19

5. Peyton Gigante/Sydney Moran, Noblesville, 40-36=76, T8. Marissa Holliday/Phoebe Cha, Fishers, 40-44=84; 11. Emily Padgett/Melissa Baker, Noblesville 44-45=89. Girls 12 and Under

1. Yanah Rolston, New Castle/Gabriella Gilrowski, Westfield, 39, 2. Angelica Pfefferkorn/Jocelyn Bruch, Carmel,

Girls 13-14

4. Adrienne Montalone, Westfield/Cailyn Henderson, Carmel, 39-41=80, 5. Anna DelPrince/Kennedy Brooker, Fishers, 43-40=83; T6. Christina Pfefferkorn,

Carmel/Emma McCord, Fishers, 46-43=89; Morgan Baechle, Westfield/Margaret Wentz, Carmel, 47-42=89, 8. Libby McGuire/Ella Woods, Carmel, 45-45=90, 9. Mckayla Tallman, Westfield/Morgan Lewis, Fishers 52-47=99.

Girls 15-16

2. Marissa Singer, Noblesville/Charlize True, Fortville, 37-37=74, 4. Sarah Banister, Fort Wayne/Caitie Gehlhausen, Cicero, 42-38=80.

#### **Girls State Junior Championship**

June 9-11, Twin Lakes Golf Club, Carmel T10. Maggie Rees, Carmel, 84-75-78=227, 25. Cailyn Henderson, Carmel, 80-85-83=248, T27. Phoebe Cha,

Fishers, 83-84-82=249, T37. Marissa Singer, Noblesville, 88-81-88=257, T46. Caitie Gehlhausen, Cicero, 87-87-91=265, T49. Sydney Moran, Noblesville, 87-92-87=266, T55. Peyton Gigante, Noblesville, 89-91-91=271, T61. Hannah Sharkey, Carmel, 94-91-88=273; Jocelyn Bruch, Carmel, 98-93-82=273, T66. Anna DelPrince, Fishers 93-94-90=277; Angie Kavanaugh, Carmel, 101-87-89=277, T71. Adrienne Montalone, Westfield 88-98-93=279, T76. Phyllis Cha, Fishers, 94-99-92=285, 78. Megan Little, Noblesville 98-100-90=288, 80. Haleigh Gary, Noblesville, 93-111-96=300, 84. Morgan Baechle, Westfield 114-107-99=320.

Look for more results from the Indiana Junior Golf tour this summer in the Hamilton County Reporter









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### Noblesville cross country hosts...

# **Twilight Series starts** on June 17

The Twilight Series is back on in Noblesville.

The annual races will take place at the Noblesville Chinquapin Ridge Cross Country course, which is located at White River Elementary School, 19000 Cumberland Road. The cost is \$5 per person, \$2 for youth runners.

The races take place on the following Tuesdays: June 17, June 24, July 8 and July 15. (No races are scheduled for July 1 since that is the IHSAA Moratorium Week.) Youth races begin at 6:30 p.m., with the main race afterwards.

The schedule is as follows:

June 17: Two person, four mile relay (Youth one mile)

June 24: Two person, six mile relay (Youth one mile)

July 8: 4K (Youth 3K) July 15: 5K (Youth 3K)

#### **Indians come back** to beat Durham

The Indianapolis Indians got athe winning run from Matt Hague in the bottom of the sixth inning, and that led to a 2-1 victory by the Tribe over Durham Wednesday at Victory Field.

Hague reached base on a leadoff double, then was sent home by an RBI groundout from Brent Morel.

The Bulls scored their run in the second inning, with the Indians tying it up in the bottom of the fifth. Mel Rojas Jr. and Michael Martinez hit back-to-back singles, then Robert Andino's sacrifice fly sent Rojas home.

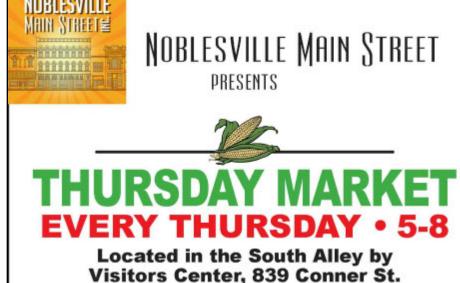
Tyler Waldron got the win, pitching six innings and throwing four strikeouts against five hits. Wirfin Obispo, Josh Kinney and Andy Oliver (who got the save) all threw one inning of relief.

The Tribe continues its four-game homestand with Durham tonight at 7:05 p.m.



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Rudy West of Cicero was named as one of the Indianapolis Indians' May Employees of the Month. West and the other Employees of the Month were honored prior to Wednesday night's game.



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### **Major League Baseball standings**

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#### American League

East	W	L	PCT.	GB
Toronto	39	28	.582	-
Baltimore	33	31	.516	4.5
N.Y. Yankees	33	31	.516	4.5
Boston	29	36	.446	9.0
Tampa Bay	25	42	.373	14.0
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
Detroit	33	28	.541	-
Kansas City	33	32	.508	2.0
Chi. White Sox	33	33	.500	2.5
Cleveland	33	33	.500	2.5
Minnesota	31	33	.484	3.5
West	W	L	PCT.	GB
Oakland	40	26	.606	-
L.A. Angels	36	29	.554	3.5
Seattle	34	31	.523	5.5
Texas	32	34	.485	8.0
Houston	30	37	.448	10.5

#### **National League**

East	W	L	PCT.	GB
Washington	35	29	.547	-
Atlanta	34	30	.531	1.0
Miami	34	31	.523	1.5
N.Y. Mets	29	36	.446	6.5
Philadelphia	27	36	.429	7.5
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
Milwaukee	39	27	.591	-
St. Louis	34	32	.515	5.0
Pittsburgh	31	34	.477	7.5
Cincinnati	30	34	.469	8.0
Chi. Cubs	26	37	.413	11.5
West	W	L	PCT.	GB
San Francisco	42	24	.636	-
L.A. Dodgers	35	32	.522	7.5
Colorado	30	35	.462	11.5
San Diego	28	37	.431	13.5

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.426

Wednesday's scores Minnesota 7, Toronto 2 Kansas City 4, Cleveland 1 Baltimore 6, Boston 0

Arizona

Pittsburgh 4, Chi. Cubs 2 Philadelphia 3, San Diego 0 Cincinnati 5, L.A. Dodgers 0 Milwaukee 3, N.Y. Mets 1 Tampa Bay 6, St. Louis 3

Texas 6, Miami 0 Houston 5, Arizona 1 Chi. White Sox 8, Detroit 2 Colorado 8, Atlanta 2 Oakland 7, L.A. Angels 1 N.Y. Yankees 4, Seattle 2 Washington 6, San Francisco 2

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