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TODAY'S WEATHER

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# Hamilton County Reporter

State of the County address...



Reporter photo by Brian Reddick

Hamilton County Commissioner Steve Dillinger talks with members of the audience during the State of the County luncheon, which took place Wednesday at the Oak Hill Mansion in Carmel.

# Dillinger says county is in good financial shape

**By FRED SWIFT**

It doesn't get the publicity of a State of the Union address or a State of the State speech, but each year we do have a State of the County report given at a major Chamber of Commerce event.

Again this year Steve Dillinger, long-time county commissioner, delivered the message on the condition of the county and its future plans. He spoke Wednesday at a capacity luncheon crowd at Oak Hill Mansion in Carmel.

While state and national reports of this type get the big play and are therefore considered by many to be more "important," it's really those things happening right here in the community that are of more direct importance to most people's daily lives. That

would include the condition and plans for such basic services as law enforcement, good roads, health services, parks, sufficient public facilities and other responsibilities of local government.

Dillinger reported that Hamilton County, operating this year on a \$144 million budget, is financially in good shape thanks to conservative management of funds by the county council and commissioners while working to meet future needs before they become a crisis.

He said the past year's crowning achievement was the opening of the IVY Tech regional complex which required cooperation with state government, the city of Noblesville and Noblesville Schools. The county received a state award recognizing this cooperative project.

In planning for this year and the next few years Dillinger said the biggest project is the improvement of Ind. 37 between Noblesville and Fishers where he hopes state officials will hand over the existing highway to the county and assist in allowing local governments to rebuild a series of intersections similar to Keystone Parkway in Carmel where stoplights have been replaced with roundabouts to keep traffic moving.

Other highway projects on the drawing board include dual-laning 146th Street from Spring Mill Road to the Boone County line, a bypass around Noblesville, and new roundabout intersections at 209th and

Hague Road, 146th and Allisonville, and a new access ramp from 146th to Keystone Parkway.

Coming in the near future is the expansion of the County Government and Judicial Center for which commissioners will take proposals on Monday, improvements at the Corrections Campus to accommodate more inmates which the state Department of Corrections will be transferring to the county in July, and hopefully building a Public Safety Training Center cooperatively with Carmel, Fishers, Noblesville and Westfield.

The commissioner gave Tourism Director Brenda Myers credit for her work in

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You're invited to the...

## Noblesville Main Street Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of Noblesville Main Street will take place at Copper Still on Friday, January 30, at 8:00 a.m. The event will highlight the organization's accomplishments of the past year and recognize the efforts by volunteers, businesses, partners, and board members. Several key goals and initiatives will be announced.

A complimentary buffet breakfast will be available for the first 150 reservations. Please RSVP via email with your name and the number in your party to the following email address: [info@noblesvillemainstreet.org](mailto:info@noblesvillemainstreet.org)

## Applications being accepted for... Westfield Chamber of Commerce Academic Scholarships

Applications are now being accepted for the 20th annual Westfield Chamber of Commerce Academic Scholarships.

A scholarship for \$1000, along with two \$500 scholarships, will be awarded to three graduating high school seniors who reside in Washington Township, Hamilton County, Indiana and who have plans of furthering their education. The \$1000 Scholarship is provided by Frontier Communications and the two \$500 Scholarships are sponsored by Busby Eye Care, LLC and Body One Physical Therapy & Sports Rehabilitation.

In addition to submitting student information, each candidate must write and submit a 500-1000 word essay on a designated topic. The essay will be evaluated by community and chamber leaders.

If interested in applying for one of these scholarships, please visit the Westfield Chamber of Commerce website at [www.westfield-chamber.org](http://www.westfield-chamber.org) to download further information, requirements and essay topic. To be considered for these awards all essays must be in a word document accompanied by the student information and submitted to the Chamber office via email no later than March 31, 2015.

## Riverview Health to host low back pain seminar

Riverview Health will host a low back pain seminar from 6-7 pm on Tuesday, February 10, 2015.

Dr. Praveen Perni and Dr. John Ward, board certified and fellowship-trained physicians, will discuss the latest treatment options for low back pain caused by sciatica, a pinched nerve or stenosis. They will discuss techniques for reducing pain, including injections and surgery.

The low back pain seminar will take place at Riverview Health in the Krieg DeVault Conference Room, located in the lower level of the Women's Pavilion. A light dinner will be served. The program is free, but registration is required. Register at [riverview.org](http://riverview.org) or call [317.776.7999](tel:317.776.7999).



Obituaries

Doris “Dorie” Gaw

June 22, 1953 - January 18, 2015

Doris "Dorie" Gaw, 61, of Noblesville, passed away on Sunday, January 18, 2015 at her home. She was born on June 22, 1953 to Howard W. and Ruth E. (Pyers) Hites in Millersburg, Ohio.



Dorie retired from Kroger management, and battled cancer for the last 14 years. She loved being "Granny" to her kids.

Dorie is survived by her sons, Robert Dean, Brian Dean, and Trevor Miller; siblings, Teri Fulk, Charles Hites, Kernel Hites, and Jimmy Hites; companion, Don Yeary; and 14 grandchildren..

In addition to her parents, Dorie was preceded in death by her son, Scott Turner; and brother, Gary Hites.

Services will be held at 1:00 pm on Sunday, January 25, 2015, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan Street, in Noblesville, with visitation from 12:00 pm Noon to the time of service. Pastor Mike Hoke will officiate.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Research Foundation, Central Indiana Affiliate, 3500 DePauw Blvd., Suite 2070, Indianapolis, IN 46268.  
Condolences: [www.randallroberts.com](http://www.randallroberts.com).

Helen Carey McColgin

June 14, 1920 - January 21, 2015

Helen Carey McColgin, 94, of Indianapolis, passed away on Wednesday, January 21, 2015 at St. Vincent Hospice in Indianapolis. She was born on June 14, 1920 to Lowell and Minnie (Kessinger) Carey in Westfield, Indiana.



Helen graduated from Purdue University, and was a Home Ec teacher for 14 years, retiring in 1982. She was a member of First Christian Church of Sheridan, and formerly of the Westfield Home Ec Club, Sewing Guild, and Outlook Club.

Helen is survived by her husband, William E. "Bill" McColgin, who she married on September 26, 1943; sons, William C. (Rebecca) McColgin, Bob (Alice) McColgin, Jim (Libby) McColgin, and Jerry (Tara) McColgin; 12 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her granddaughter, Allison.  
Services will be held at 11:00 am on Friday, January 23, 2015, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, in Noblesville, with visitation from 9:30 am to the time of service. Rev. Vernon "VJ" Stover will officiate. Burial will be at Summit Lawn Cemetery in Westfield.

Memorial contributions may be made to First Christian Church of Sheridan, 107 West Third Street, PO Box 111, Sheridan, IN 46069; or Christian Theological Seminary, 1000 West 42nd Street, Indianapolis, IN 46208.  
Condolences: [www.randallroberts.com](http://www.randallroberts.com).

Paul Joseph Gregoline

May 24, 1921 - January 16, 2015

Paul Joseph Gregoline, 93, of Noblesville, IN passed away with a quiet gentleness on January 16, 2015 at his home, embraced by his devoted wife of 70 years, and his five beautiful daughters. Born on May 24, 1921 in Wheeling, West Virginia, to the late Eugenio Gregoline and Marietta Galassi, he was the youngest of eight children.



Paul was a veteran of World War II where he served with the Army Signal Corps in the European and Pacific Fronts. He was responsible for sending and receiving messages by the International Morse Code and Light signals.

Paul and his wife, Mary (O'Shea) were married in New Orleans, Louisiana on March 18, 1944. They settled their home in Gary, IN, where Paul began his career as an electrical contractor. In his free time, Paul enjoyed being on the links for many golf courses and had the thrill of a hole-in-one on his home course at Lakes of the Four Seasons. Paul took his daily walks, two miles each day, with his cap and walking stick accompanied by his unlit cigar.

Paul is survived by his loving wife, Mary Alice; five daughters, Kathy (Dennis) Miller, Susan (Mike) Rusnak, Lauri (Mike) Waldner, Kim Gregoline, Lisa DeHayes (Phil Waite); seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren; sister, Pauline Zancanaro; sister-in-law, Connie Koopmann; and many nieces and nephews.

The family would like to send a special thanks to Home Instead, especially his health caregiver, Warren Manchess; Dr. David Dwyer; and the hospice team.

A Memorial Mass will be held at 1:00 pm on Saturday, January 24, 2015 at Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, 9900 East 191st Street, in Noblesville, with visitation beginning at 12:00 noon until the time of service.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association, Indiana Office, 8604 Allisonville Road, Suite 140, Indianapolis, IN 46250; or the Alzheimer's Association, 50 East 91st Street, Suite 100, Indianapolis, IN 46240.  
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DAILY BIBLE VERSE

Follow after charity, and desire spiritual gifts, but rather that ye may prophesy.

- 1 Corinthians 14:1

50 Years Ago

January 22, 1965

**News:** Eve New, the wife of the judge, joined her husband in the court.  
**Sports:** Tipton gunned down Noblesville, 71-45, despite 15 points from Eddie Grissom.  
**Deal of the Day:** Color television sets were on sale for \$368, with a trade, at Sneed's Appliances.

Mary A. Crandall

June 23, 1932 - January 20, 2015

Mary A. Crandall, 82, of New Castle, passed away on Tuesday, January 20, 2015 at The Hearth at Windermere in Fishers. She was born on June 23, 1932 to Clem and Ruby Bozell in Liberty Center, Indiana.



Mary worked as a legal secretary for 10 years, and was a homemaker raising 3 children. Later in life, she graduated from Ball State with a degree in Criminal Justice. Mary loved to knit & crochet, and loved playing solitaire, bridge, and euchre. Most of all, she loved spending time with her grandkids and family.

Mary is survived by her daughters, Lori (Tom) Oliver, Katy Blevins (David Crutcher), and Cindy (Mike) Hicks; sister, Martha Holley; brothers, Phil (Betty) Bozell, and Tommy (Lenore) Bozell; eight grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 57 years, William K. "Bill" Crandall, who passed away February 13, 2014; sister, Judy; and brothers, Gerald, Max, Burton, Gordon, and Billy.

Services will be held at 2:00 pm on Friday, January 23, 2015, at Randall & Roberts Fishers Mortuary, 12010 Allisonville Road, in Fishers, with visitation from 12:00 pm Noon to the time of service. Pastor David Futrell will officiate.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 5635 W 96th Street, Suite 100, Indianapolis, IN 46278; or the American Lung Association of Indiana, 115 W Washington Street, Suite 1180-South, Indianapolis, IN 46204.  
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# Indiana politicians react to the State of the Union address

Indiana politicians released statements in response to President Barack Obama’s State of the Union address on Tuesday night. Here are some of them:

**Congresswoman Susan W. Brooks (R-IN5)**  
"Leaders on both sides of the aisle want to see our middle class grow and prosper. But President Obama must recognize penalizing one group of Americans in order to help others is not a winning strategy. It will not produce real results and only makes our political discourse even more divisive.  
There are proposals with significant support from both Republicans and Democrats that can increase economic opportunity and bring peace of mind to our middle class. Instead of using 2015 to focus on issues that divide us, I hope the President will reverse course and usher in a new era of genuine bipartisanship. A good start would be working with Congress to build the Keystone Pipeline, restore the 40 hour work week and end the Affordable Care Act’s harmful tax on medical device innovation. From there, I am hopeful we can build momentum to tackle vital priorities such as cyber-security and comprehensive tax reform. Let’s take advantage of the common ground that clearly exists on these issues and pursue real solutions for a healthy economy."

**Congressman André Carson (D-IN6)**  
"Tonight, I was pleased to hear President Obama's call for improving the lives of millions of middle-class families. From raising wages and increasing gender equality in the workplace to making home ownership more affordable and lowering taxes, his proposals will make a real impact for families who have struggled the most in our recent economic downturn.  
"I was particularly interested in the President’s push to make tuition-free community college accessible for all Americans. Within the next few years, over 35 percent of all job openings will require a bachelor's degree. This plan is not just about educating our young people; it is about preparing them for a modern workforce and embracing the economic boost that their future employment will bring. I will be encouraging Speaker Boehner to make this proposal a top agenda item in the 114th Congress."

"Finally, I was pleased to hear the President address the growing threat of terrorism and the role our men and women in uniform are playing to combat this threat abroad. The recent attacks in Paris demonstrate that the fight against terrorism is not confined to ISIL in Iraq and Syria or Al-Qaeda and Afghanistan. As a new Member of the Intelligence Committee, I will be doing everything I can to support those who monitor and combat these threats, both at home and overseas."

**Senator Dan Coats (R-Ind.)**  
"The November election was a rejection of President Obama's policies, but it is clear that he did not get the message. In his first State of the Union address to a Republican-led Congress, President Obama doubled down on many of the same failed policies – tax hikes, increased regulation, more spending and bigger government.  
"It is time for a new course. In the coming months, Congress will be sending legislation with bipartisan support to 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue. President Obama must decide if he is willing to work with us on solutions to create jobs, increase wages and help hard-working families."

**U.S. Representative Todd Rokita (R-IN4)**  
"As Chairman of the Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education, I understand the power of knowledge. I believe all Americans should have access to quality education, which empowers the individual – not the government – to build better lives for themselves and their families. Unfortunately, the President’s plan for education directly hurts the middle class, taking away the benefits of 529 college savings plans to pay for "free community college." To adapt a quote from P. J. O’Rourke, if you think college is expensive now, just wait until it's free. We don't need more federal education programs. Instead we need to empower students, families, teachers, and our state and local officials."  
The President also announced a series of tax changes intended to relieve the burden on the middle class, to which Rep. Rokita responded:

"I understand too many Americans are struggling to make ends meet. I agree with the President that the tax burden on the middle class is too large and that our tax code is too complex. However, I disagree that the solution is more tax hikes to fuel a federal government that is already too big, too inefficient, and too unaccountable. We have a spending problem, not a revenue problem.  
"When President Obama took office six years ago, our national debt was \$10.6 trillion. It’s now \$18.1 trillion. Instead of tackling this issue six years ago, the President ran up the tab and is now trying to escape the consequences of his tax-and-spend agenda. As Vice-Chairman of the House Budget Committee, I am committed to making the difficult choices to reform our tax code, cut federal spending, and secure the future for our children and grandchildren."

**Congressman Larry Bucshon, M.D. (R-IN8)**  
"We all learned at a young age that there's no such thing as a free lunch. Yet, the President announced tonight a plan filled with more tax increases to pay for even more spending and growth of the federal government. At the same time, he failed to offer a plan to reduce the mountain of debt that has been placed on the backs of future generations. This speech completely missed the mark. Wages for low- and middle- class families have declined, while prices at home are on the rise. The American people just want a break, but unfortunately, we heard the same stale, divisive rhetoric from President Obama.  
"We have a real opportunity to work together on permanent solutions that will give those who need it a hand up. We can invest in our nation’s greatest asset, our people, not in government bureaucracy. That means a pro-family tax code that is fair for everyone and helps make America more competitive abroad; an all-of-the-above energy plan that secures American energy independence and lowers energy prices; a healthcare system where every American can see the doctor of their choice at a price they can afford; and America where our citizens are safe at home and abroad.  
"We are the greatest country the world has known and there isn't a challenge we face that is too big or too great. I'm hopeful the President will break from his rhetoric tonight and put forth a good-faith effort to work with his party and Republicans in Congress to get American back on track."

# Sen. Stoops offers “Hoosier Promise” program

On Tuesday, State Senator Mark Stoops (D-Bloomington) announced a legislative initiative that he has authored for the 2015 legislative session. Senate Bill (SB) 513 would establish the "Hoosier Promise" program to provide two years of community college or technical training for high school seniors that participate in the program and meet certain requirements.  
"Our students need to be prepared for the jobs of the 21st century," said Sen. Stoops. "This program aims to provide college affordability to students that seek post-secondary education or job training in growing industries."  
In 2013, Forbes ranked Indiana 16th among the states for business using six factors: costs, labor supply, potential growth, quality of life, government regula-

tions and current economic climate. While Indiana ranks 2nd in terms of regulatory environment, Indiana ranks 45th in labor supply, or the availability of suitable human resources for potential labor markets. A recent study by Ball State University estimates a sharp growth in the manufacturing, health care and transportation industries by the end of the decade, increasing the demand for skilled workers in Indiana. Senate Democrat Leader Tim Lanane (D-Anderson) lauded the proposal by Sen. Stoops calling it a wise investment at the right time.  
"We in the legislature have done a lot in recent years to ensure that businesses in Indiana are in a position to grow and succeed," said Sen. Lanane. "But with the rise in demand for skilled workers we expect to see in the coming years, we need to make

an equal investment in our future workforce."  
The program is modeled after a proposal in Tennessee that was signed into law by Republican governor Bill Haslam. The Tennessee program will provide tuition assistance to high school seniors to attend community college if they participate in the program for consecutive semesters, engage in a mentoring program, maintain GPA standards, and participate in community service. The estimated cost of Tennessee's program is \$34 million.  
"Making an investment in our young people can help to close the skills gap in Indiana," said Sen. Stoops. "By providing students the training they need to compete in growing job markets like manufacturing, health care and transportation, we can close

the skills gap, lower unemployment and provide higher wages to a more skilled workforce."  
Sen. Stoops said that he and Senate Democrats hope that this proposal will receive support from both Republican and Democrat colleagues. He said he looks forward to working with legislators on both sides of the aisle in crafting this policy to improve higher education opportunities for Indiana students.  
"I look forward to working with my colleagues across the aisle to address the very real issue of training a qualified workforce that Hoosier businesses need to succeed," said Sen. Stoops.  
President Barack Obama detailed his proposal for free community college tuition in his seventh State of the Union address.

# MUNICIPAL PRIMARY CANDIDATE FILINGS

NAME/OFFICE/PARTY FILING DATE	
Brett C. Morrow, Cicero Town Council, District 3 (R)	1-21-15
Robert L. (Bob) Horkay, Westfield City Council, District 5 (R)	1-21-15
James Brainard, Carmel Mayor (R)	1-20-15
Ronald Carter, Carmel Common Council, At Large (R)	1-20-15
Darren L. Peterson, Noblesville Common Council, District 4 (R)	1-20-15
Mark W. Boice, Noblesville Common Council, At Large (R)	1-20-15
Gregory A. Purvis, Fishers City Council, At Large (D)	1-20-15
Mark F. Keen, Westfield City Council, District 1 (R)	1-20-15
Susan K. Finkam, Carmel Common Council, District NE (R)	1-16-15
Diana L. Cordray, Carmel City Clerk-Treasurer (R)	1-15-15
Evelyn Lees, Noblesville City Clerk (R)	1-15-15
Robyn Cook, Atlanta Town Clerk-Treasurer (R)	1-15-15
David W. Kinkead, Sheridan Town Council, District 3 (R)	1-15-15
Mike Corbett, Mayor of Noblesville (R)	1-14-15
Patrick J. Berghoff, Noblesville Common Council, At Large (R)	1-14-15
Steve Hoover, Westfield City Council, District 2 (R)	1-14-15
Chuck Lehman, Westfield City Council, District 4 (R)	1-14-15
Brenda Bush, Sheridan Town Council, District 1 (R)	1-14-15
Gary W. Duvall, Noblesville Common Council, District 3 (R)	1-13-15
Jennifer L. Kehl, Fishers City Clerk (R)	1-13-15
John F. Benge, Atlanta Town Council, District 1 (R)	1-13-15
Elizabeth “Liz” A. Walden, Sheridan Town Clerk-Treasurer (R)	1-13-15
Carol Schleif, Carmel Common Council, District SW	1-9-15
Greg Caldwell, Noblesville City Court Judge (R)	1-9-15
Rich Block, Fishers City Council, At Large (R)	1-9-15
Cecilia Coble, Fishers City Council, At Large (R)	1-9-15
Andy Cook, Mayor of Westfield (R)	1-9-15
Jim Ake, Westfield City Council, At Large (R)	1-9-15
Laura D. Campbell, Carmel Common Council, District NW (R)	1-8-15
Scott Fadness, Mayor of Fishers (R)	1-8-15
Daniel E. Henke, Fishers City Court Judge (R)	1-8-15
Cindy Gossard, Westfield City Clerk-Treasurer (R)	1-8-15
Bob Smith, Westfield City Council, District 3 (R)	1-8-15
Brian Poindexter, Carmel City Court Judge (R)	1-7-15
John Ditslear, Mayor of Noblesville (R)	1-7-15
Roy Johnson, Noblesville Common Council, District 1 (R)	1-7-15
Christopher Jensen, Noblesville Common Council, District 2 (R)	1-7-15
Rick Taylor, Noblesville Common Council, District 3 (R)	1-7-15
Stephen Wood, Noblesville Common Council, District 4 (R)	1-7-15
Gregory P. O’Connor, Noblesville Common Council, District 5 (R)	1-7-15
Megan Wiles, Noblesville Common Council, District 6 (R)	1-7-15
Jeff Zeckel, Noblesville Common Council, At Large (R)	1-7-15
Dave Johnson, Noblesville Common Council, At Large (R)	1-7-15
Ray Ade, Noblesville Common Council, At Large (R)	1-7-15
Brian K. Ayer, Noblesville Common Council, At Large (R)	1-7-15
John Weingardt, Fishers City Council, SC District (R)	1-7-15
David C. George, Fishers City Council, SW District (R)	1-7-15
Pete Peterson, Fishers City Council, SE District (R)	1-7-15
Brad DeReamer, Fishers City Council, NE District (R)	1-7-15
Stuart F. Easley, Fishers City Council, NE District (R)	1-7-15
Selina Stoller, Fishers City Council, NW District (R)	1-7-15
Eric C. Moeller, Fishers City Council, NC District (R)	1-7-15
Todd Zimmerman, Fishers City Council, At Large (R)	1-7-15
Jan Unger, Cicero Town Clerk-Treasurer (D)	1-7-15
Craig Penwell, Cicero Town Council, District 1 (R)	1-7-15
Rusty Miller, Cicero Town Council, District 2 (R)	1-7-15



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# State of the County address

Reporter photos by Brian Reddick



ABOVE: County Councilman Steve Schwartz and wife Lori applaud during the State of the County address.

BELOW: Commissioners Christine Altman and Mark Heirbrandt were recognized by Commissioner Steve Dillinger during his address.



## DILLINGER

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promoting \$100 million a year in revenue from visitors to the county's hotels, restaurants, conventions and other attractions. He cited Strawtown Kotawii Park as one of the county's prime attractions where further expansion of facilities are underway this year.

Dillinger revealed that the county is experimenting with natural gas powered vehicles to determine if good performance and economy can be realized.

He recognized his fellow commissioners Christine Altman and Mark Heirbrandt, saying that the three act as a team because in county government a majority of the board is required to get anything accomplished. He said good relations with public officials in the county's other units of government are important in order to achieve continued cooperative progress.



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Westfield’s Charlie Warner is averaging 18.4 points and 4.0 rebounds per game.

*Brownsburg “touring” Hamilton County....*  
**Bulldogs to visit ‘Rocks**

By **DON JELLISON**  
Reporter Editor

In a couple of week period, Brownsburg pretty much will see most of Hamilton County basketball. It’s a stretch which within five games, four will be against Hamilton County teams.

It all began last week when Fishers traveled to Brownsburg and defeated the Bulldogs 55-51. That’s only the fourth defeat of the season for Brownsburg, the others being dished out by Southport (twice) and by Pike.

This Friday Westfield will get a shot at the Bulldogs at The Rock. Brownsburg will play at Carmel on Saturday and then on Feb. 6 will play at Noblesville.

Brownsburg will bring an 11-4 record to Westfield. The host Shamrocks will take a 2-11 record into the Hoosier Crossroads Conference game.

“This game is going to come down to us being physical enough on the boards and in the paint to control (Jordache) Mavunga and

(KJ) Walton,” said Westfield coach Eric Rauch.

Walton is averaging 21.9 points and 4.9 rebounds and Mavunga is scoring at a 9.9 clip and he is pulling 6.8 boards a game.

Westfield’s only wins have come over Plainfield in overtime and McCutcheon in a huge upset.

“We are still getting better and we hope to have everyone back healthy in the next two weeks,” Rauch said.

One of those Shamrocks out of the lineup is Ian Kristensen, a 6-3 sophomore averaging 12.9 points a game.

Westfield’s leading scorer is junior Charlie Warner, a 6-5 machine at 18.4 points game.

The so far six game loss of Kristensen also has hurt Westfield on the boards. The Shamrocks average just 19.6 rebounds a game, led by Warner with a 4.0 average.

Brownsburg is Westfield’s only game this weekend. Next week the Shamrocks will be at Avon on Friday and will host Lebanon on Saturday.

# Shamrock girls win 4th straight

The Westfield girls basketball team extended its win streak to four on Wednesday, breaking free of a back-and-forth game with New Castle in the third quarter to eventually win 47-36.

The Shamrocks led 10-7 after the first quarter, but the Trojans came back to tie the game at 19-all at halftime. Westfield responded by scoring 20 points in the third period, while holding New Castle to eight.

Haliegh Reinoehl got herself a double-double, scoring 17 points and grabbing 11 rebounds, half the Shamrocks’ team total of 22. Reinoehl also blocked four shots. Maddy Grennes added 12 points and five boards. Abby Reeder dished out seven assists. Allison VanDyke added nine points for the ‘Rocks, who travel to Brownsburg on Saturday.



Reinoehl

**Star of the Game:** Haliegh Reinoehl scored 17 points, grabbed 11 rebounds and blocked four shots.  
**Westfield’s Record:** Won 11, Lost 6.  
**Next Up:** The Shamrocks play at Brownsburg on Saturday.

Westfield 47, New Castle 36					
Westfield (47)	FG	FT	TP	PF	
Haliegh Reinoehl	6-7	5-7	17	1	
Cailey Cotter	0-1	0-0	0	2	
Abby Reeder	1-6	3-4	5	0	
Jalyn Foland	1-2	0-0	3	1	
Maddy Grennes	4-7	2-2	12	1	
Allison VanDyke	4-10	0-0	9	2	
Annaleise Drudge	0-2	1-2	1	2	
Paige Shockley	0-0	0-0	0	1	
Totals	16-35	11-15	47	10	
Score by Quarters					
Westfield	10	9	20	8	47
New Castle	7	12	8	9	36
Three-point shooting: Westfield (4-12) Grennes 2-4, VanDyke 1-5, Foland 1-1, Reeder 0-2; New Castle (5-8).					
Rebounds: Westfield (22) Reinoehl 11, Grennes 5, Drudge 2, Cotter 1, Reeder 1, Foland 1, VanDyke 1; New Castle (16).					
Turnovers: Westfield 9, New Castle 9.					

## Sheirdan 7th hoops falls to Huskies

The Sheridan seventh-grade boys basketball team lost to Hamilton Heights 58-41 on Tuesday.

Scoring for the Blackhawks were Cam Weitzel 17, Ryan Brown 10, Nolan Buckner 8, Jake Jones 4 and Will Zachery 2. The young Blackhawks couldn't overcome 13 three-pointers by the Huskies.

The loss dropped Sheridan to 9-4 on the year.

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Still backyard rivals....

# NHS, Carmel at The Mill

By DON JELLISON  
Reporter Editor

Back in the old days, when Carmel and Noblesville met during the regular season you always got a feeling that both coaches were holding back.



Both coaches (and teams and fans) wanted to win, but both wanted to save a little something for the sectional. In those days, the sectional champion usually was Carmel or Noblesville.

That's what is different today. That's what will be different when the Greyhounds and Millers go head to head Friday in The

Mill. Just because Noblesville can beat Carmel in January or Carmel can beat Noblesville in January, today that doesn't qualify the winner of this lone-time rivalry even to be the "favorite" come sectional time.

There are a bunch of other teams which can win this tourney.

Both teams face solid weeks. Carmel started at Pike last night and Carmel will play a very good Brownsburg team on Saturday after the Greyhounds' Friday trip to Nob City. Noblesville will host a very good Merrillville team on Saturday.

Still, this is Noblesville vs. Carmel, so on this Friday evening in The Mill there won't be a bigger game in Hamilton County. If for no other reason, trying to earn bragging rights

Trying to save something for a possible second meeting in the sectional, actually, doesn't make a lot of sense. Although the

two teams have played in the same sectional, in the last 20 years Carmel and Noblesville have met only seven times in the sectional.

Here's a number which might surprise you a little. In those seven sectional meetings in the last 20 years, Noblesville holds a 4-3 edge over Carmel. However, Carmel has won the last three meetings. The last time Noblesville defeated Carmel in the post season was the 2002 sectional, when the Millers won 74-56.

Here is another number which might surprise you. In the last 20 regular season meetings, Noblesville has an 11-9 lead over the Greyhounds.

You can go back longer than 20 years and see a period of Carmel domination through the Shepherd years or go back to the Glen Harper and Dave Nicholson years of success at Noblesville. But, the past 20 years might give you a good idea of what this series is like today.

Seldom has there been a blowout, although Carmel certainly did a number on the Millers last year, winning 51-33.

Carmel has won the last two regular season meetings. Before that, Noblesville won four in a row.

Looking at the records, the smart money this year likely is with Carmel. But, here's a history lesson. The records seldom have meant little in this series.

At The Mill on Friday, you'll see two teams which play much alike. They will run, when given the opportunity. But both depend a lot on their defenses and keeping games in the low scoring area.

In Carmel, you'll see one of the best shooters in the state in Purdue-bound Ryan Cline. He's averaging 18.7 points a game, and in the type of game Carmel likes to play, that's bunch. Cline not only is a shooter, he can play defense; he can dump off the ball to others, and he can rebound.

Keegan Culp can shoot the eye out of the bucket. He is excellent from 3-point range. Culp is averaging 12.5 points a game.

Noblesville has one of the better junior players in the area in 6-5 John Kiser and two veteran senior guards who can shoot, Jake Mills and Sean Wilson.

The start of the game will be important as that will establish tempo. Plus, it's tough catching Carmel or Noblesville when they get the lead.

This Friday night battle will be a game you won't want to miss.

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Wrestling

Royals win tough dual with Greyhounds

By RICHIE HALL  
Reporter Sports Editor

The countdown to wrestling sectionals is on - it's only nine days away - and two teams that will meet up in the Zionsville sectional battled it out in a Wednesday dual meet at Carmel's Eric Clark Activity Center.

Hamilton Southeastern beat the Greyhounds 34-20 in a very intense match. The Royals won eight of the 14 bouts, helped by pins from two of their stars. Keegan Stansberry won at 138 pounds with a first-period fall, and Klayton Anderson's pin at 106 clinched the meet for HSE. The Royals were leading 24-20 going into Anderson's bout, so his win gave Southeastern an insurmountable lead.

Royals coach Kyle Poyer was happy with the victory, and noted that there were several wrestlers substituting into the regular varsity line-up. They all wrestled well.

"I was tremendously proud of them," said the coach.

Southeastern trailed 7-0 after the first two matches, then got its first win after Jack Chastain worked his way to a technical fall at 132 pounds. Stansberry's pin that put HSE ahead 11-7, and the Royals held the lead after that. Other wins came from major decisions by Jack Ferris at 160 and Austin Holmes at 113, and decisions by Corbin Gregg at 152, Kolby Ferris at 182 and Jimmy Ford at 220.

The Greyhounds started the meet with a major decision by Jack Eiteljorge; he won the 120-pound match by the score of 26-13. Sam Hipple won his match in a major decision at 195. Carmel's other wins were all decisions: Morgan Pruitt at 126, Liam Page in a dramatic 6-5 win at 145, Nick Fox at 170 and Deshawn Williams at 285.

It was Carmel's Senior Night, and Pruitt and Page were honored.

"What our seniors did leadership-wise throughout the course of the year has been great for the program," said 'Hounds coach Ed Pendorski.

The Greyhounds will wrestler at the MIC meet Saturday at Warren Central. The Royals are off until the Jan. 31 Zionsville sectional.

**Hamilton Southeastern  
34, Carmel 20**  
Meet started at 120 pounds



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Hamilton Southeastern's Keegan Stansberry, shown here in an earlier match, was one of two Royals to win by pin at their dual meet with Carmel on Wednesday.

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| 120: Jack Eiteljorge (C) def. Blake Forbes (HSE) 26-13           | 152: Corbin Gregg (HSE) def. Sam Bublick (C) 6-4  | 220: Jimmy Ford (HSE) def. Noah Bassett (C) 6-0                     |
| 126: Morgan Pruitt (C) def. Trey Hubbard (HSE) 8-5               | 160: Jacob Ferris (HSE) def. Bryce Sharp (C) 15-6 | 285: Deshawn Williams (C) def. Bryce Chastain (C) 1-0               |
| 132: Jack Chastain (HSE) def. Will Bernard (C) by tech fall 17-1 | 170: Nick Fox (C) def. Jared Batt (HSE) 5-0       | 106: Klayton Anderson (HSE) def. Dominic Pecararo (C) by fall, 2:34 |
| 138: Keegan Stansberry (HSE) def. Jerrod Smith (C) by fall 1:22  | 182: Kolby Ferris (HSE) def. Parker Lorch (C) 7-2 | 113: Austin Holmes (HSE) def. Ben Jerde (C) 9-1                     |
| 145: Liam Page (C) def. Adam Dombrowski (HSE) 6-5                | 195: Sam Hipple (C) def. Joe Myren (HSE) 13-4     |   |

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Charlotte 78, Miami 76		New Orleans 96, L.A. Lakers 80
Cleveland 106, Utah 92		Oklahoma City 105, Washington 103
New York 98, Philadelphia 91		Phoenix 118, Portland 113
Atlanta 110, Indiana 91		Brooklyn 103, Sacramento 100
Detroit 128, Orlando 118		Golden State 126, Houston 113
Memphis 92, Toronto 86		

## Eastern Conference

East	W	L	PCT.	GB
Toronto	27	15	.643	-
Brooklyn	18	24	.429	9.0
Boston	13	26	.333	12.5
Philadelphia	8	34	.190	19.0
New York	7	36	.163	20.5
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
Chicago	27	16	.628	-
Cleveland	23	20	.535	4.0
Milwaukee	21	20	.512	5.0
Detroit	17	26	.395	10.0
Indiana	15	29	.341	12.5
Southeast	W	L	PCT.	GB
Atlanta	35	8	.814	-
Washington	29	14	.674	6.0
Miami	18	24	.429	16.5
Charlotte	18	25	.419	17.0
Orlando	15	30	.333	21.0

## Western Conference

Northwest	W	L	PCT.	GB
Portland	31	12	.721	-
Oklahoma City	22	20	.524	8.5
Denver	18	24	.429	12.5
Utah	14	28	.333	16.5
Minnesota	7	34	.171	23.0
Pacific	W	L	PCT.	GB
Golden State	34	6	.850	-
L.A. Clippers	28	14	.667	7.0
Phoenix	26	18	.591	10.0
Sacramento	16	26	.381	19.0
L.A. Lakers	12	31	.279	23.5
Southwest	W	L	PCT.	GB
Memphis	30	12	.714	-
Dallas	30	13	.698	0.5
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## Pacers run into Atlanta buzzsaw

By WHEAT HOTCHKISS  
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The Pacers ran into a buzzsaw on Wednesday night in Atlanta. The Hawks (35-8) never trailed en route to their 14th straight win, rolling past Indiana (15-29), 110-91.

The Pacers and Hawks are headed in entirely different directions. Atlanta tied a franchise record for most consecutive wins on Wednesday. Indiana, meanwhile, dropped its sixth straight game for the third time this season.

"We have not been playing very well," Pacers forward Luis Scola said. "And then you come up against this very hot team that is playing very well, and this is what happens."

The Hawks scored the first five points, took an early 12-4 lead and stretched the margin to as many as 10 points in the first quarter. The Pacers managed to claw back within three with 10:57 left in the second quarter, only for the Hawks to reel off an 11-0 run to take their largest lead of the half.

The home team put the game away early in the second half, opening the third quarter with a 13-4 run that stretched their lead to 20 points. Atlanta scored 36 points in the third quarter, led by as many as 27, and cruised to their 28th victory in their last 30 games.

The Hawks were firing on all cylinders offensively. Six players scored in double figures for the hosts, including all five starters. Atlanta shot 50 percent from the field and knocked down 13-of-29 attempts from 3-point range.

"That's their game," Pacers head coach Frank Vogel said. "That's why they've been so effective for the last 30 games. They have great ball movement, great shooting and great attacking."

On the other end, turnovers continued to be a problem for the Blue & Gold on Wednesday. The Pacers coughed up the ball 39 times in their past two games and had another 18 turnovers against Atlanta.

C.J. Miles led the Pacers with 18 points on 7-of-15 shooting. C.J. Watson added 13 points, Rodney Stuckey had 12, and Scola finished with 10.

Pike High School alum Jeff Teague led the way for the Hawks, scoring 17 points and dishing out 11 assists. DeMarre Carroll also had 17 points for Atlanta.

The Pacers' longest road trip of the season continues on Friday night in Miami, where they'll look to get back in the win column against the Heat. Indiana has already beaten Miami twice this season.

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