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**TODAY'S WEATHER** Sunny today, mostly clear tonight.

> LOW: 25 **HIGH:** 33



# Hamillton County Reporter

Commentary

## Trash fee addresses staffing needs

By KEVIN JOWITT **Noblesville Police Chief** 

While working on the Noblesville Police Department five-year strategic plan completed in 2014, we identified the need to add



police officers to address very specific crime reduction objectives. A total of six positions were requested and three were approved by the Noblesville Common Council through the 2015 budget. Hiring four new police officers

now will allow the police department to accomplish the goals in our 2014-2015 strategic plan to develop data-

driven crime reduction and targeted enforcement programs. Timing is important because if I hire a police officer today, he/she doesn't go out onto the streets for almost a impact. year because of the training that is required.

Among the needs moving forward, the department would like to hire an intelligence officer, refill a position with preventative strategies. Hiring a fourth new officer with the Hamilton-Boone County Drug Task Force and will allow us to create a school resource officer program form a targeted enforcement unit, which we could task with specific enforcement activities that were related to specific problems we are having in Noblesville on a week-by-week or day-by-day basis.

These additions will allow us to identify specific problems we're having and develop intelligence-driven data to currently. If we don't begin to add police officers we are help point us toward effective enforcement strategies. The targeted enforcement unit would then be tasked to implement those enforcement strategies and have an impact on whatever that problem is. The nature of what is problematic to public safety in Noblesville is constantly changing – problems could range from traffic accidents at a particular public safety. intersection to very specific theft or burglary problems and I know these enforcement strategies will have an

We also realized we need to take a more active role supervisor. That person also would be tasked with researching and developing more effective prevention programs targeting at-risk young people.

A growing community with a changing threat picture is going to require a police department that is growing congoing to begin to fall behind. We need these four police officers and we need alternative funding to address very specific problems we have in the community and to help keep those problems from being exasperated by staffing issues. I thank the community for its continued support of

Kevin Jowitt has served as police chief since 2009. He may be contacted by calling 776-6340.

#### The County Line

### What did Hamilton County look like in 1816?

By FRED SWIFT

As we prepare for the Indiana Bicen-



tennial next year, we may wonder what the area that was to become Hamilton County looked like in 1816.

A sketchy picture has been put together by state historians including our own coun-

historian, David Heighway who related some of the information here. Records are few, but some facts emerge about the years leading to statehood and the decade that followed.

We know that native Indian power was broken by the War of 1812 which ended only two years before Indiana was admitted to the union. In 1816 there were almost no white settlers in Hamilton County. William Conner who first arrived in 1802 had returned after serving as a scout for the U.S. Army in the War of 1812. He was living at Conner Prairie with his Delaware Indian wife, Mckinges.

There was likely a French-American fur trader, John Brouille from Vincennes, living in what is now the Carmel area, and there likely was some type of trading post or small settlement at Strawtown where an early trail crossed White River and an Indian settlement was known to exist. (A minor gun fight between territorial troops and Indians had been reported there in 1813.)

Otherwise, the area that was to become Hamilton County was a vast forest with only a few Delaware Indians along White River. They had fled during the war, but returned for what was to be only a short stay.

The treaty of St. Mary's in 1818 provided that all native inhabitants leave central Indiana by 1821. It was this treaty that marked the beginning of pioneer settlement. As the Delaware tribe was preparing to leave in 1819, settlers first arrived at Horseshoe Prairie, a flood prone area along the river between pres-

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Reporter photo by Richie Hall

The Tom Wood Automotive Group was named large Business of the Year by OneZone, the entity created by the merger of the Carmel and Fishers chambers of commerce earlier this year. Tom Wood has grown from one store in 1967 to 17 dealerships selling 14 different brands today.

#### OneZone announces Business of the Year winners

OneZone, the group created by the awards luncheon earlier this week at the Ritz Charles.

One of its major awards was the Applause - Business of the Year award. Two awards were handed out, one for a small to medium business, the other to a large com-

OneZone described the award in more detail in a news release on its Web site:

merger of the Carmel and Fishers chambers award is presented to a business based on Carmel's amenities in the Arts & Design of commerce earlier this year, conducted its their success in growth and stability, com- District.' mitment to quality, creative and unique solutions to challenges, entrepreneurial spirit and overall contribution to the community."

Year award was given to Old Town Design the release. "The company builds more than Group, located at 1132 S. Range Line Road in Carmel. OneZone's news release said the company "was born out of a desire to build

"The Applause – Business of the Year unique homes within walking distance to

'Building quality homes in outstanding locations is the primary driver of the business and has enabled them to emerge out of the recent recession as one of the market The small to medium Business of the leaders in the home building industry," said 60 homes per year while now expanding

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Reporter photo by Richie Hall

News

#### Residents of The Barrington lend a helping hand...

### Christmas tree decorating contest, canned food drive

Residents of The Barrington of Carmel retirement community are lending a helping hand to those making a difference in the community with their second annual Christmas tree-decorating contest and canned food drive. Featuring five trees decorated by The Barrington's administration, nursing, lifestyles, maintenance and dining services departments, residents voted for their favorite trees by making canned food donations, all of which were givesn to Gleaners Food Bank of Indiana at the resident-thrown employee appreciation party. The maintenance department's tree won the contest, and altogether, the residents donated 400 cans of food.

"We have a fantastic staff that takes great care of the residents here, as well as an amazingly nice community of people here at The Barrington," said Linda Regnier, chairman of the resident council. "It's an honor for us to come together not only to collect food for the hungry, but to also honor the people here that make our lives this comfortable. This party was for them, and I pride myself that in only our second year we were able to collect so much."

Trees were up for several weeks to allow voting among residents, maximizing the donations going to Gleaners, which was founded in 1980 by concerned citizens to help ensure no one in Indiana would suffer from hunger and malnutrition. The organization distributes donations like those from The Barrington to a network of more than 250 partner agencies, including emergency food pantries, soup kitchens and shelters.

'The employee holiday party given by the residents is one of the highlights of our year," said Janine Short, marketing director for The Barrington of Carmel. "This event is driven by the residents to recog-



Reporter photo by Richie Hall

Wilma Priessler and Marianne Dorrell were among the residents who participated in The Barrington of Carmel's Christmas tree decorating contest and canned food drive.

each day. The fact that they collect donations for the community demonstrates the incredible heart that makes up The Barnize the staff for going above and beyond rington of Carmel."

into mixed use developments. As a result of to every guest, which has been goes towards building homes for impoverished families in Central America."

The large Business of the Year is a familiar name: Tom Wood Automotive Group. The company that has a major presence on 96th Street between Keystone Parkway and Gray Road has grown from "a single Pontiac store and a handful of employees" in 1967 to today's "17 dealerships representing 14 separate automotive brands and 1,100 employees in four states.

"They have evolved their business to provide an exceptional customer experience

**COUNTY LINE** 

ent Noblesville and Conner Prairie. The site

But, within five years of statehood set-

was abandoned a few years later.

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the company's philanthropic mission, to accomplished by intently focusing on their provide housing in the developing world, a teammates," said the news release. "The \$3,000 contribution for every home built group has a long history of community support through Tom Wood Cares, in which a portion of each car sale is donated to local and national organizations including Riley Children's Foundation, American Cancer Society and Starfish Initiative among others."



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tlers from Virginia, Kentucky and Ohio began pouring into the county. They included veterans of the War of 1812 and even some Revolutionary War vets. By 1823 there was sufficient population to form a new county. Hamilton County, created by the state legislature that year, was originally larger than it is today. It included about half of what would become Tipton County.

Settlement continued moving generally from southeast to northwest. Huge sections of forest land were cleared by pioneer families in a rapid, but back-breaking race to get farming operations started.

In less than 30 years the settlers transformed the county into a largely agricultural community which it would remain for more than a century until suburban development began in the mid 20th century.

Hamilton County's name honors one of the nation's founding fathers, Alexander Hamilton. The origin of the name of the county seat is not so certain. Noblesville was named for a member of the Noble family, perhaps one who never saw Nobles-

James Noble was one of Indiana's first two U.S. senators and is usually believed to be the city's namesake. Lavina Noble, possibly his sister, was scheduled to be something of a mail order bride for the city's co-founder Josiah Polk. But, legend has it that pioneer life was not for her, and when she saw the rugged village she left without marrying Polk.

James Noble may never have seen Noblesville, having lived at Brookville and then in Washington before dying unexpectedly in 1831. The Nobles were a prominent early Indiana family.

James' brother, Noah, became governor in the 1830s, so sister Lavina would have been a good "catch" for Polk who may have had his own political aspirations. He was eventually named Noblesville postmaster, and of course the name he and the town's co-founder William Conner chose "stuck" regardless of whether it was to honor the senator or the would-be bride that got away.



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#### Feinstein to feature Hoosier student in concert at Feinstein's/54 Below in NYC

of the Center for the Performing Arts in Center debut, along with Songbook Carmel, is slated to introduce teen vocalist Academy™ Alums Nick Ziobro, Julia Lucas DeBard as part of his inaugural engagement at the new Feinstein's/54 Below 2015 Great American Songbook Academy<sup>TM</sup>, a project founded by Michael Feinstein. Feinstein will perform at the 54 Supper Club from December 20-30 and DeBard will join him December 20-23.

"I created the Songbook Academy TM to foster young artists who have an interest in the American Songbook, which includes the music of classic Broadway, Jazz standards, and popular music. Through this program, we are reaching a new generation to teach the music of the American Songbook and the history that inspired and influenced its composers," said Michael Feinstein, founder of the program and the organization called the Great American Songbook Foundation.

DeBard, an 18-year-old from Lebanon, Indiana, sang two American standards at the July Academy: "I'm Gonna Sit Right Down and Write Myself a Letter," and "I'll See You in my Dreams." As the first place winner he receives the chance of a lifetime: the opportunity to make his New York City debut with Michael Feinstein during his engagement at Feinstein's/54 Below. As first place winner DeBard is serving as the Great American Songbook Youth Ambassador for one year and will have opportunities to perform throughout the

Michael Feinstein, the Artistic Director year. In September he made his Kennedy Goodwin, and Madelyn Baillio.

DeBard was one of forty high school Supper Club. DeBard is the winner of the vocalists at the week-long Songbook Academy<sup>TM</sup>, held in the Indiana city of Carmel. The annual event is sponsored by the Great American Songbook Foundation and is the only U.S. competition dedicated solely to the music from Broadway, Hollywood musicals and the Tin Pan Alley era of the early to mid-twentieth century.

> This holiday performance will mark the kick-off for the 2016 Songbook Academy<sup>TM</sup>. The application is now available online at www.TheSongbook.org until March 25, 2016. High school students grades 9-12 have the opportunity to participate. Forty students will be invited to the Songbook Foundation's headquarters in Carmel, IN, July 16-23, 2016, to participate in a seven-day academy on interpreting and performing the music of the Great American Songbook. Five-time Grammy nominee, Michael Feinstein, and other top music industry and theatre professionals will conduct workshops and master classes throughout the week. Tony nominee Laura Osnes joined Michael Feinstein as a guest Mentor for the 2015 Academy. The final competition performance will be held in the 1,600 seat Palladium Concert Hall at the Center for the Performing Arts.

#### DAILY BIBLE VERSE

But while he thought on these things, behold, the angel of the LORD appeared unto him in a dream, saying, Joseph, thou son of David, fear not to take unto thee Mary thy wife: for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Ghost. And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins.

- Matthew 1:20-21

### 50 Years Ago

**December 19, 1965** 

Local News: "The application for renewal of a nursing and rest home license was denied the Hamilton County Home of Noblesville last week by the Indiana Health Facilities Council. Director Vance Koonce reported today the Hamilton Rest Home, located one-half mile south of Noblesville on Ind. A, "must correct deficient areas to meet minimum licensing requirements."

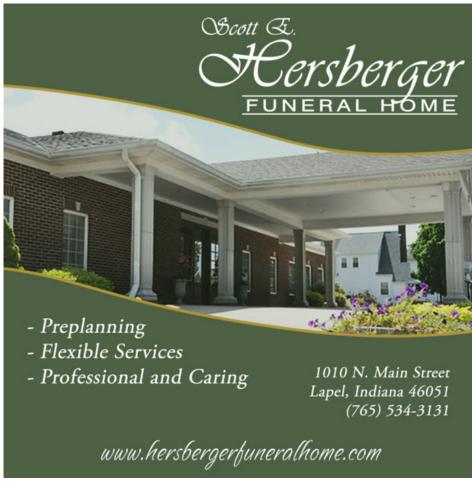
**Sports:** "Noblesville, still wondering what hit it in an 83-58 loss at Elwood last Friday evening, will get its final tuneup before the Alexandria holiday tournament when Coach Glen Harper takes his ballclub to Lawrence Central Wednesday evening."

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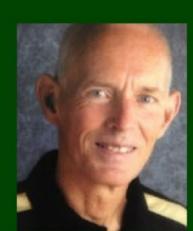
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6 Sports



Middle quarters kill Shamrocks....

# Millers win with balance

#### By DON JELLISON

#### **Reporter Editor**

If you're an opponent playing Coach Brian McCauley's Noblesville basketball team and you come away holding Miller ace John Kiser to 10 points one would think you're feeling pretty good about a potential

Not on this night. Not at The Mill Friday evening.

Westfield's held Kiser to a season-low 10 points, but Noblesville still came away with a 48-37 Hoosier Crossroads Conference victory over the Shamrocks.

Three other Millers finished in double figures as Noblesville's showed its best scoring balance of the season. Max Flinchum and Corby Mertens each notched 12 points and Ryan Ogden added 10.

That offensive performance and a good defensive performance was what the Millers needed while moving to 3-2 on the year and 1-1 in the conference.

"It was a good conference win for us," said McCauley. "It was a great game showing our balance.

"Our defense was good against a good Westfield team. Our second quarter defense when we held them to 3 points was the difference in the game tonight."

Westfield coach Shane Sumpter agreed. "We have so many lulls in our scoring," said Sumpter. "Tonight it was the second

"Our defense did a good job. Jonah Welch did a good job guarding Kiser," Sumpter added.

With the loss Westfield dropped to 0-2 in the conference with a game in The Rock tonight against undefeated Tipton. The Shamrocks are 1-4 overall.

Most of Westfield's offense last evening, as has been the case most of the season, came from Charlie Warner. He netted 15 points. Conner Osswald and Welch each canned eight points. Sawyer Olsen grabbed eight rebounds.

Kiser led Noblesville in rebounding with

The second and the third quarters were huge for Noblesville. After the two teams finished in a 13-13 tie after one period, Noblesville outscored Westfield 10-3 in the second quarter and 13-9 in the third period.

Noblesville has a big road game tonight, playing at lone-time rival Hamilton Heights.

#### Noblesville 48, Westfield 37

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Noblesville	FG	FT	TP	PF			
Grant Bullard	0-0	0-0	0	2			
Brandon Barthel	1-1	0-0	2	0			
John Kiser	4-11	2-4	10	3			
Ryan Ogden	2-3	6-7	10	4			
McGwire Plumer	1-2	0-0	2	2			
Max Flinchum	5-10	0-1	12	0			
Corby Mertens	4-4	1-2	12	1			
Nick Mills	0-1	0-0	0	1			
Totals	17-32	9-14	48	15			
Westfield	FG	FT	TP	PF			
Conner Osswald	3-10	0-0	8	1			
Josh Van Dyke	0-0	0-0	0	4			
Kyle Nicole	0-0	0-0	0	0			
Robbie Lynch	1-2	2-3	4	0			
Jonah Welch	2-8	3-4	8	2			
Charlie Warner	3-10	8-8	15	3			
Sawyer Olsen	0-2	0-0	2	9			
Totals	10-33	13-15	37	13			
Score by Quarters:							
Westfield	13 3	9 12 –	- 37				
Noblesville	13 10	13 12 –	- 48				
Westfield 3-Pointers	s (4-20): C	Osswald 2-	·9, W	elch			
1-4, Warner 1-6, Olsen 0-1.							

Westfield Rebounds (18): Nicole 1, Lynch 1, Welch 1, Kristensen 1, Warner 3, Olson 8, team

Noblesville 3-Pointers (5-8): Plumer 0-1, Flinchum 2-4. Mertens 3-3.

Noblesville Rebounds (20): Barthel 1, Kiser 7, Ogden 2, Plumer 3, Flinchum 2, Mertens 1, Mills 1, team 3.



Reporter photo by Kent Graham

Noblesville's Ryan Ogden goes up to the basket while being defended by Westfield's Ian Kristensen (30) during the Millers-Shamrocks boys basketball game Friday at The Mill. Also pictured is Westfield's Charlie Warner.

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# Huskies pull out big win



Crist

a contest tonight with blesville in the Husky Dome?

Perhaps. winless Western last point range. evening, winning 45-

Looking ahead to huge win in the Hoosier Conference.

With the victory, the Huskies are 2-0 in long-time rival No- the Hoosier and 5-2 overall.

Huskies pulled out at the end.

Hunter Crist fired in 16 points and Max Hamilton Heights Wahl notched 9 to lead Hamilton Heights' survived a battle at attack. Wahl canned 3-of-5 shots from 3-

Coach Chad Ballenger's club hit just 42, and posting a 14-of-45 shots, including a 6-of-21 night

from long range. The Huskies were just 11-of-22 at the line.

Sterling Weatherford had a big night It was a back and forth game, which the with six rebounds and four steals. Crist dished out four assists.

#### Heights 45, Western 42

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Heights	FG	FT	TP	PF				
Max Wahl	3-6	0-0	9	4				
Caymn Lutz	0-1	2-6	2	2				
Hunter Crist	5-15	4-7	16	4				

Sterling Weatherford Drake House Noah Wallace Alex Trachtman Tyler Wiltermood Austin Sauerteig 11-22 45 15 Totals

Score by Quarters: Heights 10 8 10 Western 7 11 8 16 – 42 Heights 3-Pointers (6-21): Wahl 3-5, Crist 2-7, Weatherford 0-1, Wallace 0-3, Trachtman 0-1,

Heights Rebounds (26): Wahl 2, Lutz 1, Crist 6, Weatherford 9, House 2, Wallace 1, Wiltermood 2, Sauerteig 3.

Comets streak quickly.....

# **Sheridan falls to Eastern**

Eastern took off streaking and the Comets never looking back while posting 66-51 Hoosier Heartland Conference victory Friday evening at Sheridan.

The visitors led 14-9 after one period and 32-20 at halftime.

Chris Roberts and Taylor Ly led Sheridan's scoring with 12 points each.

Coach Chris Schrank's Blackhawks were 21-of-47 from the field, but hit just 4-of-14 shots from 3-point territory.

Sheridan now is 2-4 for the year and 0-2 in the conference.

The Blackhawks will play another conference game at home this evening, hosting Taylor.

#### Eastern 66, **Sheridan 51**

Sheridan	FG		FT		TP	PF
Jake Chesney	3-7		0-0		6	2
Taylor Ly	5-5		0-0		12	2
Austin Hunter	0-2		0-0		0	1
Drake Delph	1-2		0-1		2	0
Weston Burtron	0-0		0-0		0	0
Tommy Glidden	1-4		2-2		5	2
Jack Waitt	1-4		0-0		3	2
Aidan Roaten	1-5		3-4		5	3
Patrick Weitzel	3-4		0-0		6	0
Chris Roberts	6-14		0-0		12	2
Totals	21-4	17	5-7		61	14
Score by Quarters:						
Sheridan	9	11	9	22 –	51	
Eastern	14	18	13	21 –	66	

Sheridan 3-Pointers (4-14): Chesney 0-1, Ly 2-2, Hunter 0-2, Delph 0-1, Glidden 1-3, Waitt 1-4, Roberts 0-1.

Sheridan Rebounds: 14): Ly 1, Delph 1, Glidden 2, Waitt 1, Roaten 1, Wetzel 4, Roberts 4.

#### Reporter photo by Brian Reddick

Sheridan's Chris Roberts scored 12 points for the Blackhawks their in Friday against game Eastern.

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#### Godfrey ties school record for 3s...

## Golden Eagles fall on the road to LN

road Friday night, falling to Law- three minutes to go.

rence North 69-57.



Godfrey

After LN (2-2) jumped out to an 8-2 lead, a pair of baskets by Jack Hansen got the Golden Eagles back in the game. Guerin Catholic grabbed a 13time horn by Lawrence North knotted the contest 23-all.

attempts and took a commanding 14-point lead heading Eagles 39-21. into the fourth quarter. Christian Daniels and Matthew Godfrey hit back-to-back 3-point field goals and sparked a night at the Eagles Nest.

The Guerin Catholic boys basketball team lost on the 7-0 run to make it a 61-54 game in favor of LN with under

But the Wildcats, who were a perfect 11-11 from the It was a back and forth first half. free throw line, shot a blistering 7 of 11 from the field in the final stanza, thwarting GC's comeback hopes. Coach Pete Smith said it was Matthew Godfrey's best game of the season, but others continue to struggle.

"We've not hit on all cylinders at the same time. We had 12 lead behind a basket by junior some nice play tonight and good effort, but LN controlled Joey Weas, but a basket at the half- the paint the entire game and were very good after halftime," said Smith.

Godfrey tied a school record held by teammate Chris-Behind 6-9 junior Ra Kpedi's tian Munson by hitting seven 3-pt. shots on his way to a nine third quarter points, the Wildcats career high 25 points. Hansen added 15 points and grabbed connected on 11 out of 14 field goal four rebounds. Lawrence North out rebounded the Golden

The Golden Eagles (1-5) hosts Lafayette Jeff tomorrow

#### **Guerin Catholic 69, Lawrence North 57**

Guerin	FG	FT	TP	PF
Grant Fremion	0-2	0-0	0	0
Matthew Godfrey	8-14	2-2	25	2
Christian Munson	2-10	1-2	5	2
Jack Hansen	5-7	5-6	15	2
Rhett Helt	0-0	0-2	0	2
Cameron Lindley	0-3	0-0	0	2
Joey Weas	1-1	0-0	2	1
Calen Cunningham	1-7	1-2	3	2
Christian Daniels	2-3	2-3	7	2
Totals	19-47	11-17	57	15
Score by Quarters				

10 13 28 18-69

Guerin Catholic 3-point shooting (8-22) Godfrey 7-13, Daniels 1-1, Munson 0-4, Hansen 0-2, Lindley 0-1, Cunningham 0-1. Guerin Catholic rebounds (13) Hansen 4, Godfrey 2, Lindley 2, Cunningham 2, Fremion 1, Muson 1, Weas 1.

#### Double-double for Howard...

### 'Blazers cruise past Owls for 1st PAAC win

By RICHIE HALL

**Reporter Sports Editor** 

There seems to be simple rule for the University boys basketball team: If the Trailblazers play fast,

they win.

Howard

played Friday night for the most part, anyway - against Muncie Burris at the U Center. University started fast with a 25-point first quarter, and that carried it to an 82-55 over the victory

Owls. The win was important because it's

the first for the 'Blazers in the Pioneer Conference East Division. University is 1-1 in the division, this after absorbing a loss to Liberty Christian (Class 1A's No. 1 team) last Saturday. The 'Blazers are 6-2 overall.

little tougher now, as far as the competi- six rebounds. tion," said UHS coach Brandon Lafferman. "Hopefully we can get Seton and get the last the third quarter, ending the period up 66one and finish 3-1.'

"Seton" is Seton Catholic, which the That's how UHS Trailblazers will play Wednesday at Bankers Life Fieldhouse.

> But Friday was all about Burris, and University won convincingly. The Trailblazers got tons of production from its sophomores, especially in the first quarter. David Howard and Emerson Halblieb each scored eight points in that period, which featured an 11-0 run for UHS.

> "We've been working on defense, rebounding and running," said Lafferman. "We're trying to put it all together."

> a 6-0 run, with baskets by senior Sam Nerney and Howard, and a couple of free throws for Zack Hodgin, another sopho-

"I think our side of the conference is a - added five points, while Howard grabbed

The 'Blazers held their biggest leads in 36. Howard and Halblieb both scored another six points. University's lead reached 30 points again early in the fourth, when a dunk by junior Josh Alford pushed the Trailblazers up 72-42.

Howard and Halblieb each wound up with 19 points; Howard reached doubledouble territory thanks to his 10 rebounds. Watson scored 12 points and grabbed six rebounds, while Hodgin and Halblieb each yanked five boards. Connor Holly dished out seven assists, with Hodgin handing out four. Howard had a pair of blocked shots.

"The biggest change for us is just obvi-University started the second quarter on ously size and post play," said Lafferman. The coach said that having so many options - Watson, Hodgin, Holly, Howard and Halblieb - "definitely makes scoring a little bit more. Josh Watson - he's a sophomore, too easier than it has been in the past, for sure."

University's Wednesday game with Seton Catholic will tip off at 12:30 p.m.. and will be followed by the two school's girls teams facing off in a 2 p.m. game.

#### **University 82, Muncie Burris 55**

	_	•	_	_
University	FG	FT	TP	PF
David Howard	7-11	4-5	19	2
Josh Watson	4-6	3-4	12	1
Zack Hodgin	1-2	7-11	9	1
Emerson Halblieb	9-10	1-3	19	3
Connor Holly	3-7	1-4	8	2
Sam Nerney	1-2	2-2	4	1
Josh Alford	4-8	0-0	8	2
Tyler Wott	0-0	3-4	3	3
Ajay Wooden Jr.	0-2	0-0	0	2
Ethan Sickels	0-0	0-0	0	0
Totals	29-48	21-33	82	17

Score by Quarters

11 13 12 19 - 55 University 25 19 22 16 - 82

University 3-point shooting (3-8) Holly 1-3, Watson 1-2. Howard 1-1, Nerney 0-1, Alford 0-1. University rebounds (39) Howard 10, Watson 6, Hodgin 5, Halblieb 5, Holly 4, Nerney 3, Alford 3, Wooden Jr. 2, Wott 1.

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### Greyhounds host 4-1 New Albany tonight...

# **Carmel wins** in overtime

Pendleton Heights, one of those 50-50



a given night defeat Arabians' 44 points. anybody on its schedule, evening at Carmel win overtime at the Eric Clark Activity Center in Carmel.

The Arabians are **Flamion** 3-4 on the year.

It was, you might say, one of those games. Pendleton led 18-9 after one quarter and then scored just one point in the second period and still led at halftime, 19-15. Carmel took a 27-25 lead into the fourth quarter. Pendleton had a 12-10 advantage in that final period to tie the contest at 37-37 all and then in the overtime period Carmel had a 7-03 edge

It was a cold-shooting night for Coach Scott Heady's Carmel team as the Greyhounds connected on just 1-of-16 attempts from 3-point range.

Preston Flamion, with 15 points, was the only Carmel player to score in double figures. Sterling Brown and Trenton Richardson each added 8 points.

For Pendleton, Mark Albers (17) and teams which can on Kenton Dunham (14) notched 31 of the

> Richardson pulled 10 rebounds. last Brown had 5 steals.

Carmel, now 3-2 on the year, will almost did that. remain home tonight to face a New Carmel pulled out a Albany crew which is one of the state's top 5 teams. The Bulldogs last evening defeated Seymour 61-46 to move to 4-1 on the year. They have lost only to Pike,

#### Pendleton 44, Carmel 40 (overtime) Carmel TP PF

Cole Jenkins		1-3		0-2		2	0
Sterling Brown		3-1	2	2-2		8	3
Alex Falender		2-3		1-2		6	3
Ethan Merriweather		0-1		0-0		0	0
Sam Oliphant		0-5		0-0		0	0
PJ Baron		0-1		0-0		0	0
Preston Flamion		4-1	0	7-1	1	15	3
Trent Richardson		3-5		2-2		8	2
Britt Beery		1-2		3-4		5	1
Totals		14-	42	15-	23	40	12
Score by Quarters							
Carmel	9	•	12	10	7 –	44	
Pendleton	18	1	6	12	3	40	
Carmel's 3-Pointers	(1-1	16):	Jenl	kins	0-1.	Bro	wn

0-4, Falender 1-2, Oliphant 0-4, Baron 0-2, Carmel Rebounds (29): Jenkins 2, Brown 4,

Falender 1, Merriweather 2, Oliphant 1, Flamion 5, Richardson 10, Beery 4.

#### Middle school results

#### **NEMS 8th boys hoops falls to Creekside**

The Noblesville East Middle School Zack Markovich 0 points eighth-grade boys basketball team lost to Aidan Tillman 3 points Creekside 34-22 on Thursday.

Scoring for the East Millers was as

Trenton Reed 5 points Jayden Barrett 2 points

Alex Hunt 0 points Jordan Gadis 3 points Jeff Hemmelgarn 6 points Kody Leach 3 points

# Royals sweep Mudsock games

Hamilton Southeastern took both ends



**Bre Lloyd** Southeastern

of a double-header Friday evening at the Farmers Coliseum in Indianapolis, the girls winning thre opener 61-52 and the boys taking the nightcap 66-58.

Both games were for the Mudsock Trophy and both games were Hoosier Crossroads Conference games.

Southeastern now is 3-1 in the conference and 9-4 overall. conference and 3-2 overall.

Fishers is 0-4 in the HCC and 2-10 overall.

Megan Walton added 19 to lead HSE in scoring. Walton also dished out 5 assists. Ali Gerka notched 18 points to lead the Fishers Lady Tigers and Audrey Turner added 13.

Southeastern, which led 25-21 at halftime, went on a 22-7 run in the third period. In the fourth quarter Fishers outscored HSE 24-14, falling short of a victory.

In the nightcap, Fishers' boys took a 17-14 edge in the third quarter, but Southeastern climbed into a 1 point lead by halftime and outscored the Tigers 18-12 in the third period.

Southeastern's largest lead in the game

Fishers' two big men, Cameron Wolter and Lance Dollison, combined for 40 points, Wolter with 21 and Dollison with 19.

Southeastern had four Royals in double



Ali Gerka **Fishers** 

figures, led by Greg Miller with 18. Zach Gunn notched 14. Noah Smith 13 and Connor Rotterman 12.

Gunn had a big night on the board with 7 Southeastern rebounds. Wolter had six to lead Fishers. Southeastern now

is 2-0 in the Hoosier Crossroads and 5-1 overall. Fishers drops to 0-2 in

The win was Southeastern's sixth in the

Bre Lloyd poured in 24 points and last seven games over the Tigers.

#### Southeastern 66, Fishers 58

0		5 51			
	Boys				
Fishers	FG	FT	TP		PF
Nick Michel	0-3	0-0	0		1
Andre Small	1-6	2-2	5		3
Hamil Turner Hall	0-1	0-0	0		1
Zach Eaton	0-5	0-0	0		1
Tyler Wolfe	1-2	0-0	3		0
Reid Stephens	0-1	0-0	0		0
Lance Dollison	5-13	7-8	19		2
Stevie Sontich	0-0	0-0	0		0
Connor Washburn	3-4	0-1	6		1
Caleb Reitz	1-2	0-0	2		4
Joe Counts	1-2	0-0	2		1
Cameron Wolter	8-10	4-5	21		4
Neville Jackson	0-0	0-0	0		0
Totals	20-49	13-16	58	18	
Southeastern	FG	FT		TP	PF
Jack Davidson	0-2	0-0	)	0	1



**Greg Miller** Southeastern



**Cameron Wolter** Fishers

Austin Holzum		0-1	0-0	0	0
Greg Miller		6-11	6-7	18	2
JD Bembry		0-0	0-0	0	0
Aaron Etherington		2-2	0-0	4	1
Connor Rotterman		4-6	3-4	12	0
Noah Smith		4-4	3-5	13	2
Brock Burns		0-2	1-2	1	1
Aaron Shank		0-0	0-0	0	1
Zach Gunn		5-10	4-4	14	1
Brennan Schofield		1-3	2-2	4	4
Totals		22-41	19-24	66	12
Score by Quarters:					
Fishers	17	11 1	2 18 – 5	8	
Southeastern	14	15 1	8 19 – 6	6	
Fishers 3-Pointers	(5-1	8): Mic	chel 0-3,	Smal	l 1-3,

Eaton 0-4, Dollison 2-4, Wolfe 1-2, Wolter 1-1, Southeastern 3-Pointers (3-11): Davidson 0-1, Holzum 0-1, Rotterman 1-3, Smith 2-2, Gunn 0-2,

Schofield 0-1 Burns 0-1 Fishers Rebounds (22): Michel 1.Small 2. Turner

Hall 1, Eaton 1, Dollison 1, Washburn 2, Reitz 2, Wolter 6, Counts 2, team 4. Southeastern Rebounds (29): Davidson 2, Holzum

1, Miller 4, Etherington 3, Rotterman 3, Smith 2, Burns 2, Gunn 7, Schofield 1, team 4.

#### Southeastern 61, Fishers 52

G	irls				
	FG		FT	ΤP	PF
	1-6		0-1	3	0
	0-0		0-0	0	0
	9-13		2-3	24	2
	0-0		0-0	0	1
	0-0		2-2	2	0
	5-10		8-8	19	3
	2-3		1-1	5	2
	0-0		2-2		1
			0-0	-	0
				-	2
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					0
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		1			15
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	0-1		0-0	0	2
	17-35	5	12-16	52	18
11	10 7	•	24 - 52	2	
	h	1-6 0-0 9-13 0-0 0-0 5-10 2-3 0-0 0-0 0-1 1-5 1-3 19-4 <b>FG</b> 3-3 0-2 2-7 0-0 h 1-1 6-9 4-9 1-3 0-1 17-35	FG 1-6 0-0 9-13 0-0 0-0 5-10 2-3 0-0 0-0 0-1 1-5 1-3 19-41 FG 3-3 0-2 2-7 0-0 h 1-1 6-9 4-9 1-3 0-1 17-35	FG FT  1-6 0-1  0-0 0-0  9-13 2-3  0-0 0-0  0-0 2-2  5-10 8-8  2-3 1-1  0-0 2-2  0-0 0-0  0-1 0-0  1-5 1-1  1-3 1-5  19-41 17-23  FG FT  3-3 0-0  0-2 0-0  2-7 3-4  0-0 0-0  h 1-1 1-2  6-9 3-4  4-9 5-6  1-3 0-0  0-1 0-0  17-35 12-16	FG FT TP  1-6 0-1 3 0-0 0-0 0 9-13 2-3 24 0-0 0-0 0 0-0 2-2 2 5-10 8-8 19 2-3 1-1 5 0-0 2-2 2 0-0 0-0 0 0-1 0-0 0 0-1 5 1-1 3 1-3 1-5 3 19-41 17-23 61 FG FT TP 3-3 0-0 8 0-2 0-0 0 2-7 3-4 8 0-0 0-0 0 h 1-1 1-2 3 6-9 3-4 18 4-9 5-6 13 1-3 0-0 0 17-35 12-16 52

16 9 22 14 - 61 Southeastern Southeastern 3-Pointers (6-16): Jackson 1-4, Lloyd 4-7, Me. Walton 1-3, Mo. Walton 0-1, Hamilton 0-1.

Fishers 3-Pointers (6-8): Von Kamecke 2-2, Forbes 0-1, Grace 1-, Gerka 3-4.

Southeastern Rebounds (22): Lloyd 1, Braun 1, Me. Walton 3, Kegley 6, Maxy 1, Hamilton 7, Williams 3.

Fishers Rebounds (16): Forbes 2, Grace 1, Gerka Turner 5, Koehler 6.

Panthers end 'Hounds win streak...

# Carmel girls fall in MIC game

The Carmel girls basketball team had a

4 in the third quarter to jump ahead 44-27.



Kmec

four-game win streak Friday, as the Grey-Metropolitan Conference game at North Central 67-49.

The 'Hounds were still within striking distance at halftime, trailing 30-23. But the Panthers outscored Carmel 14-

Amy Dilk scored 16 points for the Greyhounds, with Blake Smith adding 14 come to an end on and Emily Kmec scoring 12.

Carmel, now 2-2 in the MIC and 9-3 hounds dropped a overall, hosts Jeffersonville on Tuesday.

#### North Central 67, Carmel 49

Carmel	FG	FT	TP
Olivia Christy	1-2	2-3	5
Celene Funke	0-0	0-0	0
Emily Kmec	4-9	3-4	12
Andi Kwasniewski	0-0	0-0	0
Amy Dilk	7-11	2-4	16
Molly Gillig	0-0	0-0	0
Blake Smith	4-6	6-7	14

Mackenzie Wood 0-0 13-18 Score by Quarters 12 4 22 - 49

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Carmel 3-point shooting (2-7) Kmec 1-5, Christy Personal fouls and rebounds were not reported.

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# Friday night basketball scores

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Angola, 39, Westview, 32

Argos, 88, South Bend Career Academy, 26

Attica, 57, Fountain Central, 47

Barr-Reeve, 43, Eastern Greene, 42

Bethesda Christian, 75, Horizon Christian, 46

Bloomington South, 55, Terre Haute North, 34

Blue River, 57, Daleville, 53 Bluffton, 49, Southern Wells, 41

Brebeuf Jesuit, 55, Indianapolis Roncalli, 50

Brownsburg, 50, Avon, 45

Brownstown Central, 85, North Harrison, 53

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Carmel, 44, Pendleton Heights, 40, OT

Carroll (Fort Wayne), 58, Fort Wayne Wayne, 31

Caston, 46, Knox, 44

Central Noble, 62, West Noble, 52

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Clinton Prairie, 71, Frontier, 51 Cloverdale, 68, Brown County, 48 Columbia City, 54, East Noble, 38 Columbus East, 53, Columbus North, 42

Concord, 59, Elkhart Memorial, 50

Corydon Central, 73, Scottsburg, 72, OT

Covington, 78, Turkey Run, 54

Cowan, 80, Tri, 62

Crown Point, 53, Munster, 38

Eastern (Greentown), 66, Sheridan, 51

Eastside, 42, Lakeland, 39

Edgewood, 54, North Putnam, 27

Elwood, 53, Blackford, 42

Evansville Mater Dei, 57, North Posey, 48

Evansville Memorial, 109, Mount Vernon (Posey), 76

Evansville Reitz, 70, Castle, 60

Fairfield, 59, Hamilton, 31

Fort Wayne Blackhawk, 64, Fort Wayne Canterbury, 54

Fort Wayne Concordia, 60, Fort Wayne Dwenger, 45 Fort Wayne Snider, 52, Fort Wayne North, 50

Fort Wayne South, 81, Fort Wayne Northrop, 78 Franklin Central, 70, Perry Meridian, 40

Frankton, 59, Oak Hill, 41

Gibson Southern, 66, South Spencer, 58

Greenfield-Central, 62, Yorktown, 30

Greensburg, 66, Jennings County, 46

Griffith, 69, Highland, 30

Hagerstown, 46, Centerville, 31

Hamilton Heights, 45, Western, 42

Hamilton Southeastern, 66, Fishers, 58

Hammond, 66, Hammond Gavit, 45

Hammond Morton, 70, Hammond Clark, 63

Hauser, 66, Edinburgh, 35

Homestead, 71, Fort Wayne Luers, 59

Indianapolis Attucks, 98, Indianapolis International, 50 Indianapolis Broad Ripple, 75, Northpoint Christian, 18 Indianapolis Cathedral, 101, Indianapolis Chatard, 54 Indianapolis Lutheran, 61, Southwestern (Shelbyville),

47

Indianapolis Ritter, 49, Heritage Christian, 45

Indianapolis Tech, 63, Richmond, 49

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Jay County, 33, Delta, 26

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Bethesda Christian, 40, Horizon Christian, 21

Blackford, 67, Elwood, 43

Bloomington Lighthouse, 43, Indianapolis Wildcats, 27

Brown County, 53, Cloverdale, 49 Cascade, 53, Owen Valley, 46

Central Noble, 47, West Noble, 46, OT

Churubusco, 51, Prairie Heights, 24

Culver Academy, 51, Gary Roosevelt, 39

Eastbrook, 56, Alexandria, 42

Eastern Hancock, 74, Knightstown, 44

Edgewood, 33, North Putnam, 29

Fort Wayne Blackhawk, 61, Fort Wayne Canterbury, 58

Fort Wayne Dwenger, 50, Fort Wayne Concordia, 40

Fort Wayne Snider, 77, Fort Wayne North, 28

Fort Wayne South, 64, Fort Wayne Northrop, 51 Fort Wayne Wayne, 59, Carroll (Fort Wayne), 50

Garrett, 58, Lakewood Park, 35

Gibson Southern, 65, South Spencer, 31

Greencastle, 56, Sullivan, 22

Greenwood, 80, Franklin, 69

Greenwood Christian, 54, Central Christian, 39

Hagerstown, 39, Centerville, 17

Hamilton Southeastern, 61, Fishers, 52

Hammond Morton, 76, Hammond Clark, 29

Hammond Noll, 41, Wheeler, 38

Homestead, 89, Fort Wayne Luers, 57

Indianapolis Attucks, 65, Indianapolis International, 41

Indianapolis Herron, 28, Providence Cristo Rey, 15 Indianapolis Roncalli, 55, Brebeuf Jesuit, 32

Indianapolis Tindley, 89, Seton Catholic, 31

Indianapolis Trailblazers, 69, Indianapolis Broad Ripple, 26

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Manchester, 38, Southwood, 32

Marion, 68, Kokomo, 52

Marquette Catholic, 51, Seton Academy (III.), 46

McCutcheon, 46, Harrison (West Lafayette), 44, 2OT Merrillville, 60, Michigan City, 34

Mishawaka, 55, Bremen, 45 Mooresville, 71, Decatur Central, 37

Muncie Central, 65, Anderson, 45

North Central (Indianapolis), 67, Carmel, 49 North Montgomery, 41, Crawfordsville, 28

North Newton, 60, Whiting, 31

Northridge, 54, Goshen, 34

Northview, 61, South Vermillion, 34 Oregon-Davis, 98, South Central (Union Mills), 54

Penn, 65, South Bend Washington, 43

Plainfield, 57, Martinsville, 54

Randolph Southern, 51, Northeastern, 23

Rensselaer Central, 44, South Newton, 30 Richmond, 47, Indianapolis Tech, 39

River Forest, 54, Lake Station, 34

South Bend Adams, 57, Jimtown, 41

South Bend Clay, 71, New Prairie, 48 South Central (Elizabeth), 48, Christian Academy, 44

South Dearborn, 44, Connersville, 34

Southridge, 62, Crawford County, 17

Southwestern (Shelbyville), 55, Indianapolis Lutheran,

49, OT Tipton, 64, Triton Central, 39

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#### **Eastern Conference**

W	L	PCT.	GB
17	11	.607	-
14	13	.519	2.5
13	14	.481	3.5
7	19	.269	9.0
1	27	.036	16.0
W	L	PCT.	GB
17	7	.708	-
16	9	.640	1.5
15	9	.625	2.0
16	12	.571	3.0
10	18	.357	9.0
W	L	PCT.	GB
15	10	.600	-
15	10	.600	-
15	11	.577	0.5
16	12	.571	0.5
10	14	.417	4.5
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VV	este	rn Con	iterenc	e
Northwest	W	L	PCT.	GB
Oklahoma City	17	9	.654	-
Utah	11	14	.440	5.5
Denver	11	15	.423	6.0
Portland	11	17	.393	7.0
Minnesota	10	16	.385	7.0
Pacific	W	L	PCT.	GB
Golden State	26	1	.963	-
L.A. Clippers	16	11	.593	10.0
Phoenix	12	16	.429	14.5
Sacramento	10	16	.385	15.5
L.A. Lakers	4	22	.154	21.5
Southwest	W	L	PCT.	GB
San Antonio	23	5	.821	-
Dallas	15	12	.556	7.5
Memphis	14	14	.500	9.0
Houston	13	14	.481	9.5

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Finishing homestand 3-0...

## Pacers pull away from Nets, 104-97

**New Orleans** 

By WHEAT HOTCHKISS

Courtesy www.nba.com/pacers

It was perhaps a little tougher than expected, but the Pacers (16-9) dominated the fourth quarter to beat the Brooklyn Nets (7-19) on Friday night at Bankers Life Fieldhouse, 104-97. The win capped a 3-0 homestand for the Blue & Gold, who are now set to embark on a twogame road trip to Memphis and San Antonio.

Friday's game was a tightly contested affair for much of the night. Neither team led by double digits until the final minutes of the contest, which featured six ties and 14 lead changes through the first three quarters.

Though the Nets entered the night with the secondworst record in the Eastern Conference and were playing just their second road game since Nov. 28, Brooklyn had a five-point lead heading into the fourth quarter.

"The flow of the game was a little nasty," Pacers forward C.J. Miles said after the victory. "It just felt like we couldn't get it moving right on either end. It was just finding a way to buckle down in the fourth quarter. There's going to be a lot of games like that during a long season."

The visitors stretched their advantage to as many as Nets forward Bojan Bogdanovic that gave Indiana its first seven points before the Pacers mounted a rally. Spearheaded by a lineup that paired starters George Hill and Paul George with reserves Rodney Stuckey, Lavoy Allen, and Jordan Hill, Indiana reeled off nine consecutive points, taking an 83-81 lead on George Hill's 3-pointer with 7:44 to play.

on the next possession, but George found Allen open on the right baseline for a jumper 16 seconds later, which once again put Indiana back in front.

They would not trail again. George and Jordan Hill combined for the Blue & Gold's next 17 points down the stretch as the Pacers gradually pulled away for their fourth win in their last five contests.

George led the way, recording his seventh double-double of the season, finishing with 23 points and 10 rebounds. Jordan Hill also finished with a double-double (his fifth of the year), scoring 10 of his 14 points in the fourth quarter and grabbing 11 boards (five on the offensive glass).

Hill even threw down a vicious dunk that effectively second half of a back-to-back. put an exclamation mark on the win, a one-handed jam on

double-digit lead with 2:36 to play.

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"Jordan's been a monster, he's been great," Miles said, before joking: "He's even been dunking the ball. We've been trying to get him to dunk for like six months and the last two weeks he decided the rim was 10 feet, not 18."

Stuckey had another strong outing coming off the Brook Lopez tied the game once again with a hook shot bench for Indiana. The Pacers' sixth man scored in double figures for the fourth straight game, finishing with 15 points and seven rebounds.

"I'm going to continue to be aggressive," Stuckey said. "...Any time I see a lane and I can drive the ball and attack the rim, I'm definitely going to do it."

Nets point guard Jarrett Jack led all scorers with 26 points and also tallied nine rebounds and six assists, though he managed just two points on 1-of-4 shooting in the fourth quarter. Brook Lopez added 18 points, while Thaddeus Young had 14 points and 14 rebounds in the loss.

The Pacers now head to Memphis, where they'll take on Mike Conley and the Grizzlies on Saturday night in the

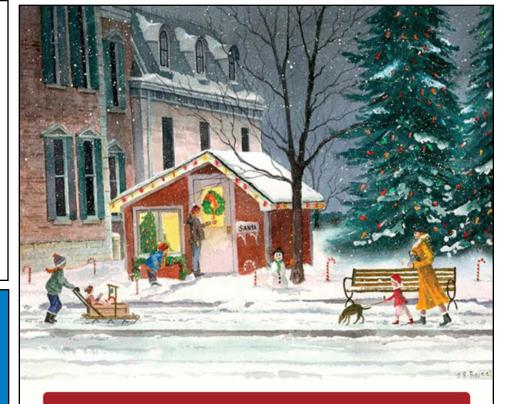
### IceMen take down Fuel

The Evansville IceMen scored twice in the third period to defeat the Indy Fuel 2-1 at Ford Center on Friday night in the first half of a back-to-back set between the two

Alex Wideman tied the game up just 1:08 into the third period for Evansville (10-13-2-0) before Jordan Sims notched the game-winning goal at 11:28. The comeback effort derailed a 20-save effort from Shane Owen, many in spectacular fashion.

Kyle Stroh opened the scoring just 4:54 into the game with a wrist shot that beat Scott Greenham (28 saves) over the right shoulder to put the Fuel up. Garett Bembridge and Alex Lavoie picked up the assists on the goal, and for Lavoie he now has four points (2-2-4) in his last four games.

The same two teams go right back at it Saturday night at 8:15 ET in Evansville. The Morellis Cleaners Pre-game Show starts 15 minutes before every puck drop on CBS Sports 1430.











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