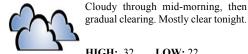
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Hamillton County Reporter

House gives overwhelming support to Cook's...

'Workplace' Spanish bill



Cook

The House of Representatives newly created workplace functional Spanish, emphasizing common grammar usage. Upon successful completion of the classes, students will qualify for credit and special scripts.

voted 95-1 in support of State Rep. nearly 23 million people of Hispanic or Latino ethnicity Tony Cook's (R-Cicero) bill to pro-represented 15 percent of the U.S. labor force in 2011. By vide high school students classes in 2020, Latinos are expected to comprise 19 percent of the U.S. labor force.

Spanish vocabulary and acceptable growing," Cook said. "Being fluent in Spanish will help an individual distinguish themselves from other potential job candidates and give them a leg up in the job market."

Students could start taking elective Workplace Spanish language notations on their tran- classes that will count for credit and notation on their high school transcript as soon as the 2017-2018 school year. The Indiana Department of Education is charged with the task

According to the United States Department of Labor, of providing a course description and outline of acceptable units of study. Cook said the distinction would benefit both high school students and potential employers.

"This is a great opportunity for a high school student who is on the workforce readiness diploma track to show "Statistics show the Spanish-speaking workforce is potential employers that they went above and beyond in their studies by becoming vocabulary functional in a language that helps them communicate more efficiently once in the workforce," Cook said. "This program will also help promote knowledge and diversity and may encourage students to take more language course work.'

Cook's bill can now be considered by the Senate.

Noblesville Boys and Girls Club selected for...

Youth Bowling Grant

The Boys & Girls Club of Noblesville was selected as the recipient of the International Bowling Campus Youth Development Bowler's Ed grant program for 2016. The Bowler's Ed grants, in the form of mobile bowling kits, include six carpeted bowling lanes, rubberized balls and pins, and instructional DVDs to assist staff in introducing and instructing the game of bowling. The kits, valued at \$2,200 each, are expected to appeal to Club members who are not involved in other sports.

"With these kits, our members will be introduced to bowling not just as a recreational activity but as a sport. Members will learn the ins and outs of bowling through daily instruction, practice and competitions with a particular focus on sportsmanship and teamwork." says Abby Rinehart, Unit Director of the Boys & Girls Club of Noblesville. She goes on to say "To align with our priority outcomes, we will utilize the equipment and resources to also instill academics, healthy lifestyles and good character within the program."

Utilized by schools and other youth based organizations across the nation, the Bowler's Ed mobile bowling kits introduce children to the lifetime sport of bowling. The curriculum includes bowling fundamentals, fun fitness activities and academic lesson plans that reinforce science, spelling, math and more.



Reporter photo by Brian Reddick

Hamilton Heights coach Omega Tandy talks with her team during the Huskies' Wednesday sectional game with Marion at the Husky Dome. Heights lost a tense battle with the Giants, 48-43.

Heights edged by Marion...

County teams gone at Heights

Hamilton County took a double blow in the only girls sectional action involving local teams Wednesday evening.

In the 3A sectional at Hamilton Heights, Guerin Catholic was drilled 86-36 by Heritage Christian in the opener and then the host Lady Huskies were edged 48-43 by Marion in the second game.

Both Hamilton County teams went down playing strong opponents. Marion has a 21-3 record. Heritage Christian, 20-4, won the Class 2A state championship the last two seasons before moving up to 3A in this year's tourney. Heritage Christian is ranked No. 5, including all classes, in the state.

The Huskies, playing in the first season with Omega Tandy as coach, finished the year with an 11-12 record. Coach Scott Miller's Guerin Catholic Golden Eagles finished with a 14-11 record.

Local basketball action in Hamilton County will flip to the Lapel and Frankton. boys side tonight. Girls sectionals will continue with semi-final rounds on Friday and then championship games on Saturday.

Hamilton County will have teams in three of the four sectionals. Only at Hamilton Heights will a county team not be represented on Friday.

At Hamilton Heights, Tipton will play Yorktown and Heritage Christian will take on Marion.

With Anderson's first round elimination by Noblesville, Hamilton County is certain to crown a champion at the loaded Class 4A Sectional being played at Westfield. Friday, Fishers will play Carmel in the opener and Noblesville and Westfield will collide in the nightcap.

Sheridan will carry Hamilton County's colors into the Class 2A sectional at Frankton. On Friday, it will be the Blackhawks against Muncie Burris in the opening game, followed by a contest between

University still is alive in the Class 1A tourney being hosted by the Lady Trailblazers. In semi-final action, University will face Tindley and Bethesda Christian will meet International.



2 News

Fishers to get new brewery...

Four Day Ray Brewing moves forward with Lantern Road location

brewery to open soon in Fishers.

brewery, has broken ground and started has been active on that social media site according

Plans are moving forward for a new Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, and now has its Federal Brewers Permit. Four Day Four Day Ray Brewing, a Fishers-based Ray is now looking to get a State Permit.

Four Day Ray has already been active in construction on its planned building at Fishers, as it made available its Track 11671 Lantern Road, according to a Mon- Jumper IPA brew during the Nickel Plate day evening Facebook post. The brewery District's AMP After Dark Concert Series, to lately, announcing on Wednesday that it www.fourdayray.com. The brewery also received approval from the Alcohol and has another brew, the Laplander Blonde Ale.

500 pound of marijuana found...

Truck driver arrested at Fishers Walmart

The Walmart at Fishers, 8300 E. 96th St., became the site of a drug investigation early Tuesday morning.

Fishers Police found 500 pounds of marijuana in a delivery truck that was in the superstore's parking lot. The truck was hauling food from Mexico to the Nestle plant in Anderson, but had more than just food in there.

A policeman noticed unusual activity around the truck at about 4 a.m. Tuesday morning. He spoke with the two men at the truck, then had a K-9 officer sniff the vehicle, which resulted in the discovery of the drugs.

The driver, identified as Isaac Roberto Aristiga Bojorquez, 25, of Mexico, was arrested and taken to the Hamilton County Jail. He faces charges of intent to deliver marijuana over five pounds.

Valentine's Day-themed 5K...

Melt the Trail returns to **Grand Park**

A winter fun run returns to Westfield this weekend when participants race their way through the second annual Melt the Trail 5K at Grand Park.

"Our Valentine's Day-themed 5K is a great way for folks to get their heart pumping and have some fun at the same time," Parks Director Melody Jones said.

"Whether you are a serious runner or just want to show off your Valentine'sthemed costume and enjoy some hot chocolate, we would love for you to join us!"

The race starts at 9 a.m. this Saturday and includes a finisher's ceremony at 10 a.m., complete with sweet treats and prizes. More information can be found at www.enjoywestfieldevents.com/melt

Photos from last year's event can be found here: http://on.fb.me/lnRJp1C

Noblesville building permits

\$275,000.

Remodel

LTB Construction, Trilogy-Noblesville Health Care, 9730 Prairie Lakes Blvd.

Swimming Pool Flats at 146, 15201 Flats Drive, \$114,000.

Tenant Finish Buildout Specialists, Town & Country, 16978 Clover Road.

Design Forum Architects, Town & Country, 16978 Clover Road, \$308,925. Fence

Deer Path, 12414 Cold Stream Road. Lochaven at Noble West, 15418

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Sundollar Restoration, Twin Oaks, 16004 Bounds Court.

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Single Family New Construction

CalAtlantic Homes, Brighton Knoll, 10595 Cordiff Court, \$134,446. CalAtlantic Homes, Brighton Knoll, 10592 Cordiff Court, \$142,623. Pyatt Builders, Carrigan at the Levee, 20942 Waters Edge Court, \$290,000. Silverthorne Homes, Essex Noblesville, 16387 Anderson Way,

Pulte Homes, Lake Forest of Noblesville, 16167 Sundrew Drive, \$264,000. Wellington Northeast, 129 Stony Creek Pulte Homes, Lake Forest of Noblesville, 16163 Sundrew Drive, \$251,000. Beazer Homes, Lochaven at Noble West, 15506 Slateford Road, \$397,700. Beazer Homes, Lochaven at Noble West, 6238 Ederline Lane, \$406,000. Gollner Homes, Roudebush Acres, 8194

E. 211st Street, \$330,000. CalAtlantic Homes, Twin Oaks, 15735 Myland Drive, \$228,059.

Arbor Homes, Waterman Farms, 15228 Silver Charm Drive, \$152,000. Arbor Homes, Waterman Farms, 15163 Silver Charm Drive, \$122,000.

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Between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m...

US 31 restrictions under 126th Street/Carmel **Drive start today**

Between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. today, crews plan to restrict various lanes of northbound and southbound US 31 under 126th Street/Carmel Drive while contractors pour concrete light pedestals on the bridge.

Varying lane restrictions are expected to resume in this area from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 5, and Monday, Feb. 8.

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Margaret Lane Brown Guttman Wagoner

July 3, 1938 - February 1, 2016

Margaret Lane Brown Guttman Wagoner, age 77, of Sheridan, passed away on Monday afternoon, February 1, 2016, at her home surrounded by her loving family. Lane was born on July 3, 1938 in Salem, Indiana to the late Charles and Kathleen (Colglazier) Brown. After graduating from Salem H.S. with the Class of 1956, she continued forward with her education, earning a degree in Elementary Education from DePauw University in 1960. Lane was the co-owner and administrator of the Sheridan Healthcare Center from 1977-1989. She was a very active member of the Sheridan First United Methodist Church. She loved cooking meals for different church functions. It didn't matter what the occasion, if food was needed at the church, Lane was always glad to make whatever was needed. She was also a member of the Phi Beta Psi Sorority. Lane loved traveling and working around the house. There was one thing however, that she enjoyed above anything else, and that was spending time with her family. Especially her grandchildren. Family was very important to Lane, and she felt blessed for every moment she got to

Lane is survived by her husband, Norman O. Wagoner. She and Norm were married on February 8, 1992. She is also survived by her 4 daughters, Debbie Carlisle (Kevin) of Sheridan, Kathy Smart (Tony) of Carmel, Mindy Durbin of Sheridan and Jennifer Guttman of Sheridan; 2 step sons, Russell Wagoner (Kristin) of Noblesville and David Wagoner of Atlanta, Indiana; 14 grandchildren, Kristy Perrine (John), Justin Carlisle, Drew Carlisle (Lauren), Tyler Smart, Ryan Smart, Brandon Smart, P.J. Smart, Kendra Durbin, Emily Guttman, Eliza Guttman, Aaron Wagoner, Noah Wagoner, Maya Wagoner and Tara Wagoner; 3 great grandchildren, Baylen Perrine, Bowen Perrine and Hadleigh Carlisle; and one brother, Terry McKillip (Gina) of Lafayette.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her step father, Arthur McKillip; and her brother, Larry Brown.

Services will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, February 6, 2016, at the Sheridan First United Methodist Church, 207 E. 2nd Street, Sheridan, Indiana 46069. Burial will follow at Crown View Cemetery in Sheridan. Reverend Byron Fritz will be officiating. Visitation will be held from 4:00-8:00 PM on Friday, February 5, 2016, at the Sheridan First United Methodist Church.

Memorial contributions in Lane's memory may be made to either the Sheridan Public Library or to the Lunch Club program, c/o the Sheridan First United Methodist Church. Arrangements have been entrusted to Kercheval Funeral Home, Sheridan, Indiana.

Rosaline M. Davis December 15, 1926 - February 3, 2016

Rosaline M. Davis, 89, of Noblesville, passed away on Wednesday, February 3, 2016 at her home. She was born on December 15, 1926 to Alonzo



and Lucille (Hattery) Walton in Hamilton County, Indiana. Rosaline was a 1944 graduate of Carmel High School, and worked for 30 years as an office secretary for Noblesville Schools. She was a member of Noblesville First United Methodist Church and Delta Theta Tau Sorority. Rosaline was also a 50+ year member of Radiant Chapter #200, Order of the Eastern Star.

She is survived by her daughter, Deborah (David) Bastin; and grandchildren, Megan Bastin, Bradley (Suzanne) Bastin, and Scott Davis.

In addition to her parents, Rosaline was preceded in death in 2007 by her husband, Jack L. Davis; and son, Michael A. Davis in 2014.

Services will be held at 12:00 Noon on Saturday, February 6, 2016, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan Street, in Noblesville, with visitation from 11:00 am to the time of service. Burial will be at Crownland Cemetery in

The family would like to thank Shirley Walker and Cindy Redick for all their care and compassion.

Memorial contributions may be made to Noblesville First United Methodist Church, 51 Monument Street, Noblesville, IN 46060; or Humane Society for Hamilton County 1721 Pleasant Street, Suite B, Noblesville, IN 46060.

Condolences: www.randallroberts.com.

An additional obituary appears on Page 4

DAILY BIBLE VERSE

And Jesus answering said unto him, Suffer it to be so now: for thus it becometh us to fulfil all righteousness. Then he suffered him.

- **Matthew 3:15**

50 Years Ago

February 4, 1966

News: "Hamilton Rest Home of Noblesville ordered to close January 31st by the Division of Health Facilities of the State Board Health, has been granted a continuance to operate. Vance Koonce, Director of Indiana's Division of Health Facilities Council, said attorneys representing Mrs. Mary McKinley, owner and operator, filed a petition last week with the health council."

Sports: "Noblesville High's freshmen won two and lost one and the junior high Miller Miles captured a pair in reserve basketball action this week. The freshmen were blasted 57-40, by a strong Westlane team, but came back to win the B-team game, 38-32 in play Tuesday evening." **Ad:** The Diana Theatre, playing "The Cincinatti Kid".



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Wilma Kathleen Heiny March 16, 1940 - February 2, 2016

Wilma Kathleen Heiny, 75, of Noblesville, passed away on the afternoon of Tuesday, February 2, 2016 at Community Hospital East in Indianapolis. She was born on March 16, 1940 to Willis and Geneva (Swinford) King in Noblesville.



Wilma retired in 2005 as transportation coordinator for Noblesville Schools, where she had worked for over 20 years, beginning her career there as a bus driver. She was a member of Refuge Christian Church in Noblesville for over 50 years. She enjoyed being around people and loved spending time with her family and friends. She had also been a part-time limousine driver for TLC.

She is survived by two daughters, Laura (Brett) Hopkins and Jill Heiny; sister, Nancy Atterson; grandsons, Jeremy (Stephanie) Hopkins and Joshua (Cassandra) Hopkins; great-grandchildren, Braydon, Ryker & Vivian Hopkins; and several nieces & nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by husband, Donald James Heiny who passed away in 1997; and a nephew, Christopher Atterson.

Services will be held at 11:00 am on Saturday, February 6, 2016, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road in Noblesville, with Rev. Stanley R. Sutton officiating. Visitation will be Friday, February 5, 2016 from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm at the funeral home. Burial will be at Crownland Cemetery in Noblesville.

Memorial contributions may be made to Elysian Foundation, 103 Boulder Drive, Noblesville, IN 46060.

Condolences: www.randallroberts.com.

Hamilton County Traffic Safety Partnership says...

Celebrate Super Bowl Sunday responsibly

enforcement,

The Hamilton County Traffic Safety Partnership, a consortium of law enforce- forts on impaired driving prevention and ment agencies throughout Hamilton County, in partnership with the Governor's http://www.in.gov/cji/2354.htm. Council on Impaired & Dangerous Driving and the Indiana Criminal Justice Institute (ICJI), would like to remind all Indiana motorists to celebrate this year's Super Bowl responsibly by driving sober and safe.

"With increased celebration comes an even greater responsibility to do so safely," said Hamilton County Sheriff Mark Bowen. "We want to remind motorists during this Super Bowl weekend that drinking and driving don't mix. We expect our area residents to celebrate responsibly and help keep our Indiana roadways safe. As always, we will be on patrol actively looking for impaired drivers."

During the 2015 Super Bowl weekend (6:00 p.m. Jan 30 through 5:59 a.m. Feb. 2), there were nearly 740 traffic collisions in Indiana. Of those, 45 were alcohol-related, with 60 percent involving a driver with a blood alcohol content of 0.08 or greater. In total, there were 14 injuries and 0 deaths as a result of alcohol-related accidents.

"Accidents involving impaired drivers something we can all prevent," said Council Chairman, Todd Meyer. "Together, we can work to keep each and every motorist safe during Super Bowl weekend."

The Hamilton County Traffic Safety Partnership, the Governor's Council, and ICJI would like to remind motorists that accidents and deaths resulting from impaired driving can be prevented with the following precautions:

• Before the celebration begins, plan a safe way home

• Do not drive impaired

• If you do drink, use a taxi, public transportation, ridesharing service or designate a sober friend or family member, and give them your keys

• If you see a drunk driver on the road. call 911

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Heritage overwhelms GC, Marion edges Huskies...

Tough games at Heights

By RICHIE HALL

Reporter Sports Editor

The outcome for both games at the Hamilton Heights girls basketball sectional was the same: Tough losses for both county teams.

The games took different paths, however. In the first game, Guerin Catholic ran into a buzzsaw named Heritage Christian. The Eagles, two-time defending Class 2A state champions that moved up to 3A this year due to the success factor, put the game out of reach right away, eventually flying to an 86-36 victory over Guerin's Golden Eagles.

The nightcap featured the host Huskies against a 20win Marion team. This one was close all the way, but the Giants scored the game's last six points to hand a young Heights team a 48-43 defeat.

"You only get game experience from playing games," said Heights coach Omega Tandy. "And they're playing basketball games the right way right now, and we were up against a very veteran basketball team, and we had them on their heels. And that is what those girls will remember. And then next year they'll be the veteran basketball team."

Heritage and Marion play each other in Friday's second semi-final, which starts at approximately 7:30 p.m. That follows a 6 p.m. first semi-final, featuring Yorktown and

The Huskies came close to getting into the semi-finals, leading the majority of the game. They scored the game's first seven points, with Ana Collar scoring six of them. Collar's two free throws made the Huskies lead 7-0 with 3:32 remaining in the first period.

Marion came back to lead 9-7 at the end of the first period, then Heights scored six points in a row to get back on top 13-11, with Kayla Kirtley hit a 3-pointer. The Huskies held the lead at halftime, 16-15.

led 32-26 with 1:37 left in the third quarter, and were still up 37-34 early in the fourth period after Kirtley hit another 3-pointer.

The Giants scored four in a row to get ahead 38-37, then Kirtley made both foul shots in a 1-and-1 one situation to move Heights back up 39-38.

Marion responded with two more baskets to take a 42-39 lead. The Huskies called a timeout, then made two baskets of their own to jump ahead 43-42. Kirtley scored off a putback, and Collar made a layin to get her team up

Heights then drew a charge, but Marion got the ball back and took the lead on a basket by Andrea Persinger. That got the Giants ahead 44-43 with 48.7 seconds left. The Huskies tried valiantly to rush down to their basket, but Marion's defense forced Heights into several turnovers during the last minute. Four points from the Giants' Vironnica Drake sealed the win.

"I'm proud of our girls," said Tandy. "They executed the game plan 100 percent. Inexperienced mistakes down the stretch against an experienced team, and that's how that's going to turn out.

"But I am so proud of this team. From where we started to where we are now, this basketball team proved to themselves - not to anybody else - but to themselves, that when they work hard, they can do a lot of things. And I'm very excited about what they'll do in the future."

The sophomore Collar scored 18 points and 13 rebounds to get another double-double. Kirtley, a sophomore, added 12 points while freshman Sydney Griffey grabbed seven rebounds. Still another sophomore, Lexi Branham, dished out four assists.

Those four girls made up all but one of Heights' starting line-up. The fifth was senior Bri Henson, one of three seniors on the team, along with Logan Wiley and Amy

"We asked our seniors to do some very selfless things, all three of them, because all three of them have been in this program longer than anyone else, coaches included," said Tandy. "It's going to be tough to replace those kids, their leadership, their positive attitudes, their humor."

The Huskies ended their season 11-12, but this was after going 2-9 during the first half of the season. In the second half, Heights was 9-3, including a remarkable seven-game win streak.

Meanwhile, the Golden Eagles were frustrated from the beginning, as Heritage Christian flew through the first guarter 21-0. The halftime score was 42-5.

But Guerin Catholic dug in, and played a solid second half against the Eagles. Leading the way in the third quarter was senior Sarah Yount, who drained three 3-pointers. She finished the game with 14 points. Yount made history last week by becoming Guerin's first girls basketball player to reach the 1000-point mark. She finished her outstanding career with 1031 points, and a school record 1963-pointers.

"I think it speaks to the character of our kids that they didn't quit," said Guerin coach Scott Miller. "And they finally said, 'Hey, we don't to leave the game with only five or 10 points. We at least want to show them we were on the floor tonight."

Abbigail Wampler added 13 points for GC, including a

nice 9-of-9 effort from the free throw line.

"They are a tremendous team, maybe the best team in the state," said Miller of Heritage. "Our plan was, we



Reporter photo by Brian Reddick

Hamilton Heights' Bri Henson directs a play during the Huskies' sectional game with Marion Wednesday at the Husky Dome. Heights fell to the Giants 48-43.

wanted to limit the number of possessions, and we just turned the ball over way too many times in that first half.

"Our kids never gave up. They played hard, even when they were down by a lot of points. In the last seconds of the game, you know they're at least trying and had a nice steal there at the end and got to the free throw line. So I was

proud of our girls." Guerin Catholic finished its season with a 14-11 record.

Heritage Christian 86, Guarin Catholic 36

Guerin	Cau	IOIIC	JO	
Guerin	FG	FT	TP	PF
Danielle Mason	1-1	0-0	2	4
Erin Fuller	0-1	0-0	0	0
Sydney Geis	0-1	1-2	1	1
Tori Sullivan	0-4	0-0	0	0
Becca Fillip	0-0	0-0	0	1
Grace Demas	0-2	1-2	1	0
Abbigail Wampler	2-8	9-9	13	2
Annamarie Augustinovicz	1-6	0-1	2	0
Kate Anderson	1-4	0-1	2	3
Maura Murphy	0-0	1-2	1	0
Sarah Yount	4-14	3-5	14	2
Totals	9-41	15-22	36	13
Score by Quarters				
Guerin 0	5	17	14 - 36	3
Heritage 21	21	23	21 - 86	3
Guerin Catholic 3-point shooting (3-17) Yount 3-10, Augustinovicz				

0-3, Wampler 0-2, Geis 0-1, Sullivan 0-1. Guerin Catholic rebounds (17) Anderson 4, Mason 3, Demas 3,

Yount 3, Fuller 1, Geis 1, Wampler 1, Augustinovicz 1.

Marion 48, Hamilton

Heights 43 Heights Lexi Branham Bri Henson Ashton Runner Ana Collar Sydney Griffev Kavla Kirtlev AireAnna Stretch Lauryn Wiley Totals Score by Quarters 17 16 - 48 Heights Marion Heights 3-point shooting (2-6) Kirtley 2-3, Branham 0-2, Runner

Heights rebounds (37) Collar 13, Griffey 7, Branham 5, Runner 4, Kirtley 3, Wiley 2, Henson 2, Stretch 1.

Turn to pages 6 and 7 to see more pictures from Wednesday's sectional action

Reporter photos by Brian Reddick

RIGHT AND BELOW: Abbigail Wampler, one of four seniors on the Guerin Catholic girls basketball team this year, scored 13 points, including a 9-of-9 effort from the free throw line, in the Golden Eagles' game with Heritage Christian.

The Golden Eagles' other seniors are Sarah Young, Tori Sullivan and Annamarie Augustinovicz.



Reporter photos by Brian Reddick

RIGHT: Sydney Geis drives the ball for Guerin Catholic.

BELOW: Junior Grace Demas sets up for a good shot.

BELOW RIGHT: Tori Sullivan looks for an opening.













Reporter photos by Brian Reddick

ABOVE LEFT AND RIGHT: No matter which side she was on, Hamilton Heights' Ashton Runner was strong to the basket.

RIGHT: Kayla Kirtley battled her way to 12 points.



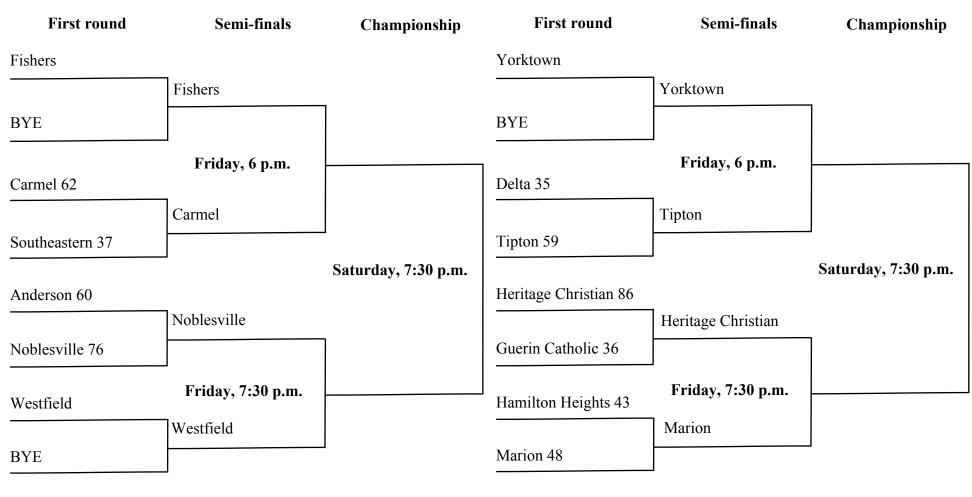




Local sectional brackets

Sectional 8 - At Westfield

Sectional 24 - At Hamilton Heights

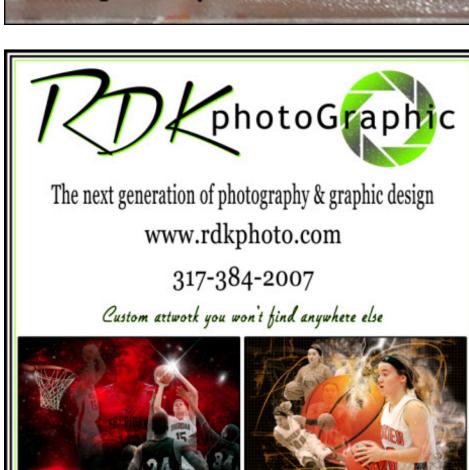


Sectional 40 - At Frankton

Sectional 58 - At University







Wednesday sectional scores

Courtesy John Harrell's Website www.johnharrell.net

CLASS 4A Lowell

East Chicago Central, 61, Highland, CLASS 2A

Lake Central, 72, Lowell, 19

Valparaiso

Portage, 48, Chesterton, 33 Merrillville, 62, Kankakee Valley, 49

South Bend Clay

Michigan City, 64, South Bend

Riley, 39 South Bend Clay, 53, Plymouth, 49

Goshen

Penn, 58, Elkhart Memorial, 24 Northridge, 25, Goshen, 18

Center Grove

Greenwood, 59, Franklin Central,

Whiteland, 47, New Palestine, 37

CLASS 3A

Garrett

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Sheridan beaten by Gophers

Sheridan for most of the game hung with an opponent which has lost only three times this season before host Clinton Prairie pulled out a 57-48 victory over the Blackhawks.

The score was tied at 13-13 after one quarter. Clinton Prairie led 30-26 at halftime and 44-39 after three periods.

Chris Roberts had an outstanding game for Coach Chris Schrank's Sheridan team by scoring 18 points. He also led Sheridan with 6 rebounds.

The Blackhawks hit 18-of-44 shots and were a strong 7-of-18 from 3-point range. Roberts hit 4-of-7 tries from 3-point territory.

Sheridan now is 6-13 on the season. The Blackhawks will make another road trip on Saturday, traveling to North Miami.

Clinton Prairie 57, Sheridan 48

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Sheridan	FG	FT	ΤP	PF
Jake Chesney	2-8	4-6	9	2
Taylor Ly	4-6	0-0	9	2
Sean Weitzel	0-0	0-0	0	0
Drake Delph	1-4	0-0	2	2
Weston Burtron	1-1	0-0	2	1
Tommy Glidden	0-3	0-0	0	1
Jack Waitt	1-4	0-0	3	0
Aidan Roaten	0-0	0-0	0	0
Patrick Weitzel	2-4	1-2	5	2
Chris Roberts	7-14	5-8	18	4
Totals	18-44	5-8	48	14
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Score by Quarters: Prairie 13 17 14 13 - 57

Weitzel 0-1, Roberts 4-7

13 13 13 9 – 48 Sheridan Sheridan 3-Pointers (7-18): Chesney 1-1, Ly 1-3, Glidden 0-3, Waitt 1-3, P.

P. Weitzel 2. Roberts 6.



Brian Reddick/File photo

Sheridan Rebounds (16): Chesney 2, Ly 1, Delph 3, Burtron 1, Glidden 1, Sheridan's Chris Roberts scored 18 points for the Blackhawks in their Wednesday game with Clinton Prairie.

Don't rule out Noblesville as a

Conference contender

By DON JELLISON **Reporter Editor**

If you're a pure fan of the Hoosier Crossroads

Flinchum

Zionsville.

Conference, you're probably enjoying the three-school race among Hamilton Southeastern (4-1), Fishers (3-1) and Zionsville (3-1).

Hello, Noblesville. Have we

missed the Millers? Noblesville is 2-2 in the HCC.

climb into this race for the championship.

Lots of things would have to go have lost five straight. Noblesville's way. Like, for example, Brownsburg would have to upset Southeastern. Fishers would have to fall to Westfield. Then, Fishers would need to beat

a home game, won't be played until Feb. 19.

Coach Brian McCauley's Millers certainly seem capable to doing their part. Noblesville is 9-6 overall and has won three straight and four of five.

Inside the conference, Noblesville has beaten Westfield 48-37 and Southeastern 67-54 and lost to Fishers 58-54 and to Zionsville 61-59 in two overtimes. The Millers also have defeated Avon, 53-39, in a non-conference game.

But, first things first and first up is the trip to It could happen. Noblesville could Brownsburg tonight. Then on Saturday Noblesville has a McCauley. "They have great athleticism, skill and tough act against Mt. Vernon in Fortville.

Brownsburg is struggling. The Bulldogs are 3-13 and

The Millers have won three straight and four of five.

"Winning on the road in the HCC is always very difficult, and Brownsburg presents a lot of challenges for us," said McCauley.

And, of course, the Millers would need to knock off minded. Their schedule reveals how competitive and Mertens at 9.9. defensive minded their team is. In addition, they have

Brownsburg, a road game, is coming up tonight. Avon, balanced scoring with four players averaging between 7-11 points per game. We will have to play at our very best in order to be successful on the road," the coach added.

> Noblesville's bigger problem, although not a conference game, could be Saturday when the Millers travel to Mt. Vernon. The Marauders are 14-2, having lost only to Decatur Central 57-48 and to New Castle 55-54. They have won six straight times since the New Castle game, including a 59-51 victory over Hamilton Southeastern.

> "Mt. Vernon is having an outstanding season," said experience. They are led by Ertel, who averages 17 points and 4 assists a game. Beside Ertel, they have four starters who average between 8-14 points a game.

> "It will be a very challenging road game against one of the top teams in Central Indiana.'

Mt. Vernon faces some problems of its own, including John Kiser, who is averaging 21.9 points a game for the "They are very athletic, strong and very defensive Millers. Max Flinchum is scoring at an 11.5 clip and Corby

Key conference game

Westfield at Fishers

By DON JELLISON

Reporter Editor

Heading into a home Hoosier Crossroads Conference game tonight with Westfield, Fishers is smack in the middle of the conference championship race, thanks to Noblesville's win over Hamilton Southeastern last weekend.

Southeastern still leads the way with a 4-1 mark. Fishers now has a chance, standing at 3-1. Also at 3-1 is Zionsville.

That's the good news, for Coach Joe Leonard and the Tigers.

The not-so-good news, or perhaps, better put, the challenging news, is that tonight the Westfield team coming to Fishers is one of snapped by Lawrence North, 69-55, one



Charlie Warner Westfield

the hottest over the last two or three weeks. Coach Shane

Sumpter's Shamrocks are 7-9. They had a four-game winning streak snapped by Lebanon, 49-46, last time out. Fishers, of course,

is pretty hot, itself. The Tigers are 8-8 and had a four-game winning

Cam Wolter **Fishers**

Lawrence Central, 64-

playing well and happy to get a split vs. two very good Lawrence teams," said Leonard, who needs one more victory to reach the

100-win mark coach at Fishers.

"We are excited to be back in the race, game after beating but we also realize we have a lot of work to do vs. a tough Westfield team and then later against a good Zionsville team on the road," "We feel we are the Fishers coach added.

> Anything could happen in this threeteam HCC race.

> *Fishers has two conference games remaining and arguably the tougher HCC card down the home stretch. After the game with Westfield tonight, Fishers still has a Feb. 19 tilt remaining with Zionsville.

> *Zionsville has a trip to Avon tonight before thinking about Fishers.

> *Southeastern has just one conference game remaining, at home against Brownsburg. The Royals have been struggling with illness and injuries to a point Coach Brian Satterfield went into Game Day today hoping to piece together a starting lineup. The Southeastern-Brownsburg game is not until Feb. 19.

> "Westfield shoots the ball very well, so we will have to defend and work very hard," Leonard talked about Fishers' game tonight.

> The Shamrocks are led by the 1-2 scoring punch of Charlie Warner (16.3) and Ian Kristensen (9.1)

> Fishers has a pair of solid double digit scorers in Lance Dollison and Cam Wolter.

> "Our team has continued to play well as of late," said Sumpter of his Shamrocks. "We will have a big challenge tonight against a tough conference opponent. We will need to do a good job of controlling the tempo of the game and limiting Fishers in transition. It will be important for us to not turn the ball over and be sure to not give up offensive rebounds.

> 'We look forward to the challenge and the opportunity to get better as we near the end of the regular season," Sumpter added.

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Eastern Conference

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Toronto	33	16	.673	-
Boston	29	22	.569	5.0
New York	23	28	.451	11.0
Brooklyn	12	38	.240	21.5
Philadelphia	7	42	.143	26.0
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
Cleveland	35	13	.729	-
Chicago	27	21	.563	8.0
Indiana	26	23	.531	9.5
Detroit	26	24	.520	10.0
Milwaukee	20	31	.392	16.5
Southeast	W	L	PCT.	GB
Atlanta	29	22	.569	-
Miami	28	22	.560	0.5
Charlotte	24	25	.490	4.0
Washington	21	26	.447	6.0
Orlando	21	27	.438	6.5

Miles scores 27 points...

Wednesday's scores Charlotte 106, Cleveland 97 Atlanta 124, Philadelphia 86 Boston 102, Detroit 95 Indiana 114, Brooklyn 100 Golden State 134, Washington 121 Oklahoma City 117, Orlando 114 Miami 93, Dallas 90 San Antonio 110, New Orleans 97

Utah 85, Denver 81 Chicago 107, Sacramento 102 Minnesota 108, L.A. Clippers 102 Thursday's games New York at Detroit, 7 p.m. Houston at Phoenix, 9 p.m. L.A. Lakers at New Orleans, 9:30 p.m. Toronto at Portland, 10 p.m.

Western Conference

Western Somerence					
Northwest	W	L	PCT.	GB	
Oklahoma City	38	13	.745	-	
Portland	24	26	.480	13.5	
Utah	23	25	.479	13.5	
Denver	19	31	.380	18.5	
Minnesota	15	36	.294	23.0	
Pacific	W	L	PCT.	GB	
Golden State	45	4	.918	-	
L.A. Clippers	32	17	.653	13.0	
Sacramento	21	28	.429	24.0	
Phoenix	14	36	.280	31.5	
L.A. Lakers	10	41	.196	36.0	
Southwest	W	L	PCT.	GB	
San Antonio	41	8	.837	-	
Memphis	29	20	.592	12.0	
Dallas	28	24	.538	14.5	
Houston	26	25	.510	16.0	
New Orleans	18	30	.375	22.5	

Pacers cruise past Brooklyn, 114-100

By WHEAT HOTCHKISS

Courtesy nba.com/pacers

C.J. Miles broke out of his shooting slump in a big way on Wednesday night, leading the Pacers (26-23) to a 114-100 road win over the Brooklyn Nets (12-38).

Miles, who hadn't scored in double figures for seven straight games entering Wednesday's contest, exploded for 27 points against the Nets. His red-hot second quarter helped Indiana open up a sizeable lead that they really never relinquished.

The Pacers found their shooting stroke in the first half of Wednesday's game in Brooklyn, burying 8-of-11 attempts from 3-point range over the first two quarters. Starters Paul George, George Hill, and Monta Ellis set the tone early, all knocking down a triple in the opening minutes.

But it was Indiana's bench that really points over the final two quarters. The Blue allowed the visitors to create separation. The Pacers scored the first 10 points of the second quarter to open up a double digit lead. All told, Indiana's reserves accounted for 33 points in the first half.

scored 15 points in the second quarter. The backup forward had struggled to find a rhythm offensively in recent weeks, but he finally found his shooting stroke on Wednesday, going 6-for-8 from the field and 3-for-4 from 3-point range in the period.

"I played within what we were doing," Miles told FOX Sports Indiana's Jeremiah Johnson after the win. "We played with pace in the second unit. I got some good looks, got off screens...I was able to get to the basket and mix it up."

Indiana led by 19 at the half and never allowed Brooklyn to creep closer than nine

& Gold had plenty of offense on this particular night, particularly from its bench, which combined for 58 points, four shy of the team's season high.

"If we can come in and provide a punch No player was better than Miles, who like that, play with energy, not be a drop off — either make leads higher or keep them steady — and keep (the starters) rested, that's always great," Miles said.

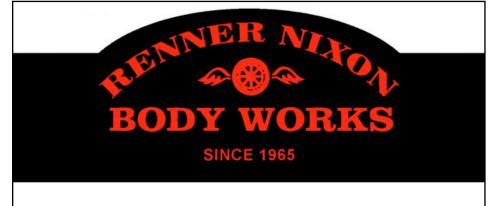
> Dec. 3. The veteran swingman knocked down 10-of-15 shots overall and went 4for-7 on the night from beyond the 3-point

> "It's great," Pacers head coach Frank "That's who he is, he goes in and out. He slumps at times, but it usually comes back around and when he gets going, he's pretty unstoppable. He had a great performance.'

Four players joined Miles in double figures on the evening. George went just 6-for-18 from the field, but still managed 17 points, four rebounds, six assists, and five steals. Hill knocked down a pair of 3-pointers en route to 13 points, while Lavoy Allen chipped in 12 points and eight rebounds off the bench. Ellis added 11 points, six boards, and five assists.

Center Brook Lopez led Brooklyn with Miles' 27 points were his most since 21 points and eight rebounds. Joe Johnson added 20 points and nine assists, while Thaddeus Young (16 points and 14 rebounds) recorded a double-double in the

After picking up their third win in their Vogel said of Miles' breakout performance. last four games, the Pacers will now travel to Atlanta for a nationally televised meeting with the Hawks on Friday night at 7:00 PM



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