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When Hamilton County calls 911, only the best will do . . . 'First' first responders shine

By **STU CLAMPITT**
ReadTheReporter.com

Between 9 a.m. on Friday, May 25 – just before the first call came in about the active shooter at Noblesville West Middle School – until 5 p.m. that afternoon, Hamilton County 911 dispatchers handled 364 calls, of which the incident that has become a national news story was only one.



Snowden

“While that incident was occurring, life in the rest of Hamilton County was still occurring as well,” Hamilton County Public Safety Communications Executive Director Michael Snowden told The Reporter. “We had two completed suicides, one attempted suicide, 27 traffic accidents, 18 suspicious circumstances, 11 traffic hazards, eight thefts – we were busy literally all day long. It is hard to say we were no longer busy because of the school incident at ‘X’ time, but we were really busy that entire day.”

Snowden had three employees call within minutes of the shooting to ask if



Reporter photo by **Stu Clampitt**

Communications Officer Ray Haney sits at one of the workstations where Hamilton County calls to 911 are received.

they needed to come in to the dispatch center to help. He accepted the offer from those first three off-duty volunteers. As other calls came in with similar offers, he

had to decline.

“We had so many people in our room

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And so, the healing begins

“Never daunted, we cannot falter, in the battle, we’re tried and true.”



From the Heart
JANET HART LEONARD

Noblesville High School students and graduates know those words as part of the school song.

After the events on Friday, May 25 at Noblesville West Middle School and Noblesville High School, they know what those words mean.

The big question last week was, “Where do we go from here?”

And so, the healing began.

We never thought a school shooting would happen in our community . . . but it did.

The schools had a plan and it was carried out well.

What happened then was amazing.

Our community responded over and over in unexpected ways.

Restaurants showed up with food, even days after the shooting. Individuals

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Sheridan remembers Hobbs' coaching era

The REPORTER

Most of the reunions held at the Sheridan Public Library in the Community Room are family or class related, but once in a while something unusual is encountered.

Last week was special because several of the Larry Hobbs basketball era (1948 to 1962) players gathered and celebrated another year of remembering their old coach and their (his) winning ways by having lunch and conversation at the library. A new twist this year was the addition of several of the cheerleaders from that era.

As can be seen from the pictures there are a lot of familiar names and faces of men and women who still reside in the community. There are also a few names long forgotten who have moved away but decided to come back for the get-together.

The guys have been getting together for a few years now, but this was the first year the cheerleaders were invited to join in the group. A grand time was had by all and old acquaintances were renewed.

One cannot help but wish Coach Hobbs was still here, but surely, looking down from basketball heaven, he must be smiling at his “boys” and their fine accomplishments in life. And the girls, too. Many of them spoke well of Coach Hobbs and how well he treated them as they worked hard to cheer on the many winning teams Coach Hobbs had during his tenure at Sheridan.



Photos provided

(Top) (Front row, from left) Fred Spencer, Harold Pitts, Robert Stephenson and Bob Bilby. (Second row, from left) Tom Moore, Mike Kercheval, Bob Seats, Jim Godby, Gail Godby, Melvin Mundy and Leroy McKinley. (Back row, from left) Charlie Price, Ronnie Pickett, Dave Elmore, Dave Sanders, Rex Pitts, Roland Wallace, Bill Collier and John Holmes. (Above) (Front row, from left) Elizabeth Collier, Betty (Godby) Ayers, Mary Helen (Fisher) Keeling, Jenny (Ottinger) Camp, Judy (Marcum) Orr and Sara (Linn) Cochard. (Back row, from left) Arnola (Boyer) Pickett, Roberta (Wallace) Huff, Marie (Stafford) Mosbaugh, Connie (Martin) Pearson, Bernetta (Law) Scott and Judy (Smith) Laidlaw.

By **FRED SWIFT**
ReadTheReporter.com

Indiana Landmarks Foundation has presented Hamilton County with their award for 'Historic Preservation for Continued Use,' naming the Courthouse as a best example of preserving a public building. The Courthouse is 140 years old this year. In the architectural style of French Second Empire, the structure was restored in 1994 with many original features retained. County Commissioner Mark Heirbrandt accepted the award Thursday.

Duane Brenton will be the Libertarian Party candidate for county sheriff in this fall's general election. The Fishers resident will oppose Dennis Quakenbush, the Republican nominee. No Democrat has filed. Brenton will apparently be the only Libertarian on the county ballot.

Property owners have until June 15 to appeal their recently updated real estate assessments. Notices of annual trending of assessments were sent last month. For property owners who got no notice, there will be no change in their assessment. Property taxes

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96th Street, Keystone Parkway project soon underway in Carmel

The REPORTER

Major changes are coming to 96th Street and Keystone Parkway on Monday, June 4, as the long-awaited transformation of this busy intersection into a free-flowing, roundabout interchange kicks off. Construction crews will begin building the ramps that will serve the future interchange and motorists will notice new traffic restrictions.

Workers on heavy machinery will begin doing much of the work on the edges of Keystone Parkway, prompting the need to close lanes. Traffic will continue to flow through the construction zone, but there will only be two lanes of traffic in either direction, northbound and southbound. Motorists who usually travel on Keystone Parkway have the option of using U.S. 31 as a detour around this project.

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Sheriff's Office encourages safe, responsible fireworks celebrations

The REPORTER

With summer fast approaching, more fireworks are being used throughout Hamilton County. Area residents are reminded that Indiana has several laws governing fireworks and many towns and cities have additional ordinances that citizens must follow.

In addition to laws, common courtesy when lighting fireworks goes a long way in avoiding neighborhood conflicts. Letting

neighbors know your plans is a great idea or, better yet, why not invite your neighbors to join in the fun? Remember, not all your neighbors, especially those with young children, pets, or different work hours, enjoy the loud noises produced by fireworks. Be mindful of veterans and those who may have been involved in recent events at Noblesville West Middle School who may easily be startled by loud noises.

The basic rule of thumb for fireworks

use by residents in unincorporated areas of Hamilton County is that fireworks may be ignited from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. on most nights with an extension on holidays, including Memorial Day. Fireworks may only be used on a person's own property or on the property of a person who has given permission. Lighting fireworks in a street or in a parking lot is not permitted. Juveniles

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96TH & KEYSTONE

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Artistic rendering provided

Keystone Avenue will be elevated over 96th Street, and roundabout-controlled ramps similar to those along U.S. 31 interchanges along 106th and 116th streets.

Traffic on 96th Street will be moved to the south lanes, from Keystone to just east of Priority Way, with one lane open in each direction through the corridor.

Work on the interchange is part of the City of Carmel's 96th Street Corridor Improvement Project which is transforming traffic flow and improving access to businesses along this busy corridor from White River to Keystone Parkway. Two roundabouts are already under construction along 96th Street.

Although 96th Street is shared by both the City of Carmel and the City of Indianapolis, state law requires

that cities on the north side of such common roadways handle all matters of construction, reconstruction, improvements and maintenance. An estimated average of 85,000 vehicles use 96th Street and Keystone Parkway each day with traffic studies indicating that number will increase over the next 5-10 years. Work on the interchange was delayed due to issues regarding property acquisition and utility work.

The cost of the corridor project is estimated to be approximately \$43 million, with \$8.5 million coming from federal exchange dollars administered through

the Indiana Department of Transportation, \$2 million from Hamilton County, \$1.9 million in federal Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality improvement program funds and the rest from local County Option Income Tax bonds.

Traffic lights at key intersections along 96th Street are being replaced with more efficient and safe roundabouts. Those intersections include:

- 96th Street and Hazel Dell Parkway
- 96th Street and Gray Road
- 96th Street and Delegates Row
- 96th Street and Priority Way

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- 96th Street and Keystone Parkway

The Keystone Parkway portion of the project will include construction of a major new interchange with grade separation – Keystone will be elevated over 96th Street – with roundabout-controlled ramps similar to U.S. 31 interchanges at 106th and 116th Streets. After preliminary work this year, the interchange will be largely completed in 2019, including a project that will improve the intersection of 96th Street and Haverstick Road, just west of Keystone.

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anonymously paid for whatever the restaurants did not cover.

Our people wanted to let the students, teachers, bus drivers, school administration, school resource officers and first responders know that they are valued.

Tri Kappa Sorority showed up on Tuesday morning at the bus barn with breakfast for the bus drivers.

Post-it notes with encouraging words were placed on every locker in the schools.

Mothers and dads and grandmothers and grandfathers showed up to chalk up the sidewalks outside the schools.

T & T Sales and Promotions could barely keep up with the orders coming in to raise funds for Ella Whisler and Mr. Seaman. Other t-shirt fundraisers were the

same. Everyone wants to help with healing.

We are a community of helpers. I've always said that we are a close and caring community. This week proved exactly that.

Teachers spoke on social media this week about the compassion and kindness of the students. There was a different atmosphere in the hallways.

They say that if you want to see a change in the world then you need to be the change. Noblesville has begun the change.

The focus has not been on the shooting. It has been about the healing. It has been about kindness and the generosity of the heart.

As the school song is sung the words say, "Noblesville, we're all for you." And so both the healing and the change has begun.

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for next year are based on assessed value of land and structures. Folks wishing to appeal may get further information from the County Assessor's office.

Officials report no decision has yet be made on countywide financing of 911 communication costs. The issue arose early this year when county officials asked towns and townships in northern Hamilton County to help pay for the increasingly expensive costs of

operating the vital communications center. At present the county along with Carmel, Noblesville, Fishers and Westfield pay the entire cost. Seven other units get calls answered and dispatched from the center at the county sheriff's office. A meeting with the northern units was held last month, but no resolution was reached and no further meeting has been set. County officials want a decision for 2019 operations, budgeting for which is made this summer.

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RESPONDERS SHINE

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at that point between the people who were working, the administrative staff that came in and those off-duty folks, we had six or seven who called in that we turned away," Snowden said. "We even had two people who no longer work for us who called and asked if we needed them to come in and help."

The May 25 incident was only the second time since Snowden has been in charge of the dispatch center that they needed to work at full capacity. The room holds a total of 18 stations and there are some additional training stations available in an adjacent room.

When asked how his staff performed that day, the two words he used were "outstanding" and "stupendous."

"I've been in this business 32 years," Snowden said. "You never know how a person – or a group of people – is going to react to a bad situation until it happens. You can hope, plan and train, but you just don't know. When that bad day happened to us, our staff performed very well. You could see the teamwork and the camaraderie in the room. We had people outside of our staff who walked into the room to see if we needed any help and every one of them remarked to me how calm it was in the room. That is a testament to the professionalism and the training of our folks."

Training and preparation

That level of calm in the midst of a storm of chaos does not happen without a great deal of training and preparation. Hamilton County 911 dispatchers work 12-hour shifts and a portion of nearly every shift is spent on continued training and education. In the dispatch center they say, "Every day is a training day."

"We do something nearly every day to account for training and it showed," Snowden told The Reporter. "It absolutely showed that day and I am so proud of them."

Local 911 dispatchers have had several active assailant trainings that are general. The "30,000-foot view" curriculum is meant to be nation-wide.

"We have had that training for quite a while now," Snowden explained. "Then we get into Hamilton County specific training. Our staff has been invited to attend SWAT

training at schools for a while now. We have had various members of our staff at schools observing and helping with that specific Hamilton County Training. Most recently a Fishers Police lieutenant and a Fishers firefighter put together a training for our staff that was extremely Hamilton County-centric."

That Fishers-sponsored local training was delivered to 911 staff the day before and three days before the May 25 incident.

"About half our staff were trained on Tuesday and the rest on Thursday," Snowden said. "The people that were working Friday morning had been trained on that newest information Thursday afternoon."

When asked if the school shooting will change anything about how Hamilton County 911 operates moving forward, Snowden said it has to.

"We had an operational debriefing [Thursday, May 31] with our staff who were on duty Friday and the folks who came in to help," Snowden said. "We got together yesterday and just talked about it from a departmental standpoint – from the perspective of what we can actually control, change and make better. We are constantly improving all our processes. This was another process that we need to learn from and improve."

Mental health of 911 dispatchers

One of the things that has come to the forefront for public safety is mental health of first responders: Police officers, firefighters and paramedics. But is more recent that such a focus has been given to the dispatchers who first deal emergencies every day of their professional lives.

"People understand the mental health issues that can occur for our first responders," Snowden said. "We have come a long way for recognizing that for dispatchers as well, but not publicly. Within our profession we have learned that mental health is an issue for dispatchers as well."

Last year Hamilton County brought in an expert from out of state to help teach local dispatchers resilience and self-care.

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– Michael Snowden

'First first responders'

Professional organizations for public safety communications APCO [Association of Public-safety Communication Officials] and NENA [National Emergency Number Association] are using the term 'first first responders' because they are giving life-saving information and scene safety information before any first responder is ever there.

"It may not be one call that bothers you," Snowden told The Reporter. "It may be after 5, 10 or 27 years of calls that the cumulative effect of the things that we deal with can really weigh on a person's mind. Not every person and not on a cycle that you can say, but that does take its toll. We have really been looking at the resilience and mental health of our dispatchers for almost two years now."

Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) debriefers were in the building the afternoon of the shooting. They were able to talk with all but two dispatchers who were working that day.

"Before they even left, they sat down with the CISM debriefers," Snowden said. "I was not privy to it, but they were able to just talk about whatever. The two who were not able to talk on Friday did talk to the debriefers on Saturday morning. They came back again Sunday and Thursday. They are peers. This is a police sergeant, a couple police officers and a psychologist who, of their own free will, stopped by to check on our folks and make sure they are OK. We are doing everything we can to ensure that our staff can process what happened that Friday."

Mental health resources for local dispatchers doesn't stop there. Cumulative effects of stress can show up at any time, and Snowden's staff will have help whenever they need.

"It may be six months before someone says, 'I'm really down and I think it was that call back in May that really triggered this,'" Snowden explained. "We will have the ability to refer them to someone or have those debriefers come back then because the mental health and the resilience of our dispatchers is extremely important to us."

Unfortunately, for a long time, that lev-

el of support did not exist for dispatchers, in part because of the way they are classified by the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL).

911 dispatcher classification

"The federal government still classifies emergency dispatchers as secretaries in the DOL," Snowden said. "We have been fighting that for years. They are emergency personnel. When that first call arrived here there were no first responders on that scene. Very quickly there were, but when that first call came in, we were the first first responders."

It doesn't have to be a school shooting. For any medical, fire or law enforcement event your 911 dispatchers are immediately on the scene mentally, if not physically.

"The instant 911 is answered we are on that scene giving life-saving instructions, giving safety instructions or whatever is needed," Snowden said. "To say 'these are just like secretaries picking up the phone and sending police officers to the scene' – that's not the case. It is so technical and precise now that it is just a whole different world. We are trying to get the rest of the world to catch up to what these dispatchers do every day."

The DOL does a study of every classification every 10 years. They recently did that study and 911 dispatchers came as close as they ever have to getting reclassified, but in the end the DOL decided to maintain the current secretarial classification instead of changing it to emergency services. There are implications regarding pay scale, pension, health insurance and other factors that would be impacted by a change in classification.

"I understand their reluctance, but I completely disagree with it," Snowden told The Reporter. "These folks are emergency service workers just like every police officer, firefighter and paramedic."

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Put some 'SPARK' in summer with Hamilton County 4-H

The REPORTER

Hamilton County 4-H will host four exciting SPARK clubs throughout the summer for all ages.

No More Boring Days

Girl Scouts of Central Indiana and Hamilton County 4-H are partnering to present a three-week 4-H SPARK Club program on healthy living, outdoor activities and STEM. Join for a fun and engaging program led by energetic Girl Scout staff. Participants will automatically be registered as a Girl Scout with Girl Scouts of Central Indiana and as a member of Hamilton County 4-H.

"No More Boring Days" will take place from 9 to 11 a.m. on June 11, 18 and 25 in the Exhibition Center Conference Room at the Hamilton County 4-H Fairgrounds, 2003 Pleasant St., Noblesville.

Cost to participate is \$50 (financial assistance available). Registration deadline is June 8.

For more information, contact Kelly Michaels at 317-776-0854 or extension.purdue.edu/Hamilton or Malinda Madden at 765-271-7757 or mmadden@girlscoutsindiana.org.

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Horticulture 101

Emma Mendez, a Boone County 4-H alumna, will lead a two-day floriculture design and succulent garden program for youth in grades 7-12. The program will be hosted by Purdue Extension Hamilton County to spark interest in horticulture in the youth of our community.

The "Horticulture 101" 4-H SPARK Club will take place from 1 to 4 p.m. on Monday, June 18 and Tuesday, June 19 at the Hamilton County 4-H Fairgrounds, 2003 Pleasant St., Noblesville. Cost to participate is \$35 for 4-H members and \$60 for non 4-H members. Registration deadline is June 13.

On day one, youth will learn how to properly

propagate succulents and how to create a succulent garden. On day two, they will focus on how to make live flower arrangements, which will be taught by Mendez and Purdue University horticulture student Courtney Tate. Mendez also will incorporate a global awareness lesson on where flowers are imported from around the world.

Mendez is a senior at Purdue University studying animal sciences with a minor in horticulture. She is also an ambassador for the college of Agriculture at Purdue in the International Program and a Purdue Extension Summer Intern in the Hamilton County Extension Office.

For more information, contact Purdue Extension at 317-776-0854 or extension.purdue.edu/Hamilton.

Help Wanted

Local 4-H alumna Anna Delph will lead a two-day resume and interview skills workshop for youth grades 7-12 as one of Purdue Extension Hamilton County's many educational summer programs. Through county fair competitions, clubs and community outreach, the Hamilton County 4-H program equips youth with skills related to agriculture, public health, communication and more. Delph's hands-on career 4-H "SPARK Club" furthers the program's youth development efforts by instructing students how to strategically customize a resume, cover letter and interview with confidence.

The "Help Wanted" 4-H SPARK Club will take place from 1 to 4 p.m. on Tuesday, June 19 and Thursday, June 21 at the Hamilton County 4-H Fairgrounds, 2003 Pleasant St., Noblesville. Cost for participation is \$5 for 4-H members and \$20 for non 4-H members. Registration deadline is June 15. Participants will spend two days learning the job application process by hypothetically applying for a realistic job opening. Students will sharpen their professional communication skills through group discussions, games, and hands-on activities.

Delph, an honors-performing Indiana University student and summer Hamilton County 4-H intern, is bringing her communication skills in both analytical and professional writing.

"The 'Help Wanted' 4-H SPARK Club will include college-level tips for persuasive communication in the job application process that I learned in my courses," Delph said, "It will be a fun way to encourage students to start thinking about how they can develop themselves professionally to stand out in a competitive job market."

For more information, contact Purdue Extension at 317-776-0854 or extension.purdue.edu/Hamilton.

Cupcake Bake Off

Courtney Tate, a local 4-H alumna, will lead a three-day cupcake baking and decorating workshop for youth grades 3-6. The workshop will be hosted by Purdue Extension Hamilton County to spark interest in 4-H.

The "Cupcake Bake Off" 4-H SPARK Club will take place from 2 to 4 p.m. Tuesday, June 19 through Thursday, June 21 at the Hamilton County 4-H Fairgrounds, 2003 Pleasant St., Noblesville. Cost to participate is \$15 for 4-H members and \$40 for non 4-H members. Registration deadline is June 13.

Day one will focus on helpful tips for baking the perfect cupcake using a simple recipe. On day two, participants will learn basic and advanced decorating techniques for their cupcakes. Day three will feature a Cupcake Bake Off for the youth to exercise their new skills. They will have a chance to present their creations to a panel of judges for feedback and helpful tips and tricks for future cupcake creations.

Tate is a senior agriculture education major at Purdue University, the Hamilton County 4-H Summer Assistant and a former 10-year member of the Hamilton County 4-H Cake Decorating project. Several current members of the project along with local bakers will be joining her to share their knowledge with participants.

"Cake baking and decorating is a valuable skill that is quickly becoming a thing of the past. Help us keep this delectable art form alive by joining us this summer!" said Tate.

For more information, contact Purdue Extension at 317-776-0854 or extension.purdue.edu/Hamilton.



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Community First Bank breaks ground on new Westfield location

The REPORTER

Community First Bank of Indiana is pleased to announce the official ground-breaking of their new branch location in Westfield on the corner of State Road 32 and Oak Ridge Road.

"We have been doing business in Central Indiana for over 15 years and are excited about our expansion into Hamilton County. It is our goal to bring the same vision and commitment to the Hamilton County community as we have in Howard Coun-

ty by hiring experienced and community minded staff for our new Westfield branch," said President and CEO Robb Blume.

Casey Arnold, Vice President of Commercial Loans, added, "We're excited to give the citizens of Westfield a locally owned, community bank that deeply cares and is deeply involved in the communities we serve. Today is the beginning of having a beautiful branch in a fantastic location for our current and future customers

to bank with us."

Community First Bank received its charter in 2003 and maintains total asset size of \$250 million. The core of the bank's mission is to remain actively involved in making our communities a better place to live and do business. Community First Bank has three locations in Kokomo, one location in Noblesville, and now the start of a new branch in Westfield due to open in the fourth quarter of 2018. Member FDIC.

FIREWORKS

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under the age of 18 must have an adult present to use or possess fireworks.

Towns and cities may have further restrictions on times or locations fireworks may be used so residents should seek advice from local agencies. If there are problems with neighbors and fireworks or noise, please call the non-emergency dispatch number at 317-773-1282.

Indiana State Law (IC 22-11-14-6)

Violations; offenses; time and dates of allowable usage of consumer fireworks

Sec. 6. (a) A person who recklessly, knowingly, or intentionally violates section 2(f), 4.5, 5(c), 5(d), 7, 8(a), 8(c), 8(d), 10, or 11(c) of this chapter commits a Class A misdemeanor.

(b) A person who ignites, discharges, or uses consumer fireworks at a site other than:

(1) a special discharge location;

(2) the property of the person; or

(3) the property of another who has given permission to use the consumer fireworks; commits a Class C infraction. However, if a person recklessly, knowingly, or intentionally takes an action described in this subsection with-

in five (5) years after the person previously took an action described in this subsection, whether or not there has been a judgment that the person committed an infraction in taking the previous action, the person commits a Class C misdemeanor.

(c) A person less than eighteen (18) years of age who possesses or uses a firework when an adult is not present and responsible at the location of the possession or use commits a Class C infraction. However, if a person possesses or uses a firework when an adult is not present and responsible at the location of the possession or use within five (5) years after a previous possession or use by the person as described in this subsection, whether or not there has been a judgment that the person committed an infraction in the previous possession or use, the person commits a delinquent act under IC 31-37.

(d) A person who ignites, discharges, or uses consumer fireworks:

(1) after 11 p.m. except on a holiday (as defined in IC 1-1-9-1(a)) or December 31, on which dates consumer fireworks may not be ignited, discharged, or used after midnight; or

(2) before 9 a.m.; commits a Class C infraction. However, if a person recklessly, knowingly, or intentionally takes an action described in this subsection within five (5) years after the person previously took an action described in this subsection, whether or not there has been a judgment that the person committed an infraction in taking the previous action, the person commits a Class C misdemeanor.

(e) A person who recklessly, knowingly, or intentionally uses consumer fireworks and the violation causes harm to the property of a person commits a Class A misdemeanor.

(f) A person who recklessly, knowingly, or intentionally uses consumer fireworks and the violation results in serious bodily injury to a person commits a Level 6 felony.

(g) A person who recklessly, knowingly, or intentionally uses consumer fireworks and the violation results in the death of a person commits a Level 5 felony.

(h) A person who knowingly or intentionally fails to collect or remit to the state the public safety fees due under section 12 of this chapter commits a

Level 6 felony.

City ordinances

Westfield

The Council does now prohibit the use of fireworks within the City of Westfield at all times and locations with the exception of the following dates and times:

(A) Between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and two (2) hours after sunset on June 29, June 30, July 1, July 2, July 3, July 5, July 6, July 7, July 8, and July 9;

(B) Between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 midnight on July 4; and

(C) Between the hours of 10:00 a.m. on December 31 and 1:00 a.m. on January 1.

(D) Any other time and location duly authorized by the City of Westfield by permit to be obtained prior to the scheduled event.

Fishers

It shall be unlawful to use or display or permit to be used or displayed within Fishers' municipal boundaries any type of consumer firework on any day or time other than the following:

(A) Between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and two hours after sunset on June 29, June 30, July 1, July 2, July 3, July 5, July 6, July 7, July 8, and July 9;

(B) Between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 midnight on July 4; and

(C) Between the hours of 10:00 a.m. on December 31 and 1:00 a.m. on January 1.

Noblesville

City of Noblesville Ordinance #50-10-09 states that consumer fireworks may only be used in the Noblesville city limits during the following days and times:

1. Between the hours of 5 p.m. and two hours after sunset on June 29, June 30, July 1, July 2, July 3, July 5, July 6, July 7, July 8, and July 9.

2. Between the hours of 10 a.m. and 12 midnight on July 4

3. Between the hours of 10 a.m. on December 31 and 1 a.m. on January 1.

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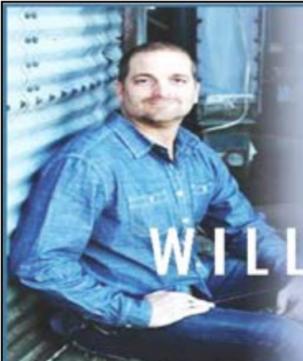
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Million Meal Movement helps State Police feed those in need

The REPORTER

Indiana State Troopers are now better equipped to provide assistance when dealing with people in need. Million Meal Movement recently provided more than 300 meal packets to the state police that contain enough nutrients to feed a family of four. The packets will be made available to troopers throughout the state to carry in their patrol car.

In 2007, Dan and Nancy Hintz began Million Meal Movement with a two-fold vision: Feeding the hungry and teaching the importance of volunteerism. As Million Meal Movement has grown, it has carried out this vision by empowering volunteers of all ages as it makes a tangible impact together.

"We founded the organization because we



Photo provided by Indiana State Police
Corporal Daniel Avitia Picking up meals for the Lowell District.

wanted to be able to offer a volunteer experience to children that their parents would enjoy just as much,"

said Nancy Hintz. To date, the movement has packaged more than 28,800,406 meals. To find

more information about this organization you can visit their website at millionmealmovement.org.

Riverview Health to host joint pain seminar

The REPORTER

Riverview Health will host a joint pain seminar from 6 to 7 p.m. on Wednesday, June 13.

Join Dr. Norman Mindrebo, a board-certified orthopedic surgeon, to learn about the newest techniques for joint pain and joint replacement. Topics include hip, knee and shoulder pain and the variety of treatments available for each condition.

The joint pain seminar will take place at the Renaissance Indianapolis North Hotel, 11925 N. Meridian St., Carmel. A light dinner will be served. The

program is free, but registration is required. Register at riverview.org/classes or call 317-776-7999.

About Riverview Health

Riverview Health is comprised of a full-service, 156-bed hospital and 23 primary, immediate and specialty care facilities located throughout Hamilton County. Together, they provide comprehensive healthcare services in 35 medical specialties and have frequently been recognized for their clinical and service excellence. For more information, visit riverview.org.



Mindrebo



Photo provided
Kristin Lamb, manager of Employer Clinics and Community Wellness at Riverview Health, presents traveling trophy to Hamilton County Commissioners Steve Dillinger and Mark Heirbrandt.

Riverview Health completes sixth annual weight-loss challenge

The REPORTER

Riverview Health, through its community wellness outreach program, recently completed its sixth annual "Waist Reduction" weight-loss challenge, which resulted in 419 pounds lost by all participants.

Beginning on Monday, April 9, employees from the City of Noblesville, City of Westfield, Hamilton County Government, Noblesville Schools, Riverview Health, Westfield Public Library and Westfield Washington Schools competed against

one another for five weeks in the spirit of health and wellness.

"We look forward to hosting this each year," said Kristin Lamb, manager of Employer Clinics and Community Wellness at Riverview Health. "Participation from the local entities is energizing as it builds a sense of community while promoting health and wellness. Riverview Health Rehab & Fitness provided a variety of weekly exercise classes to support the efforts of the participants."

With the highest aver-

age weight loss of 3.97 percent, the traveling trophy went to Hamilton County Government. Riverview Health provided \$100 gift cards to the male and female participants with the highest percentage of weight loss. This year's female winner was Barb Hull, employee of Hamilton County. Barb achieved an 8.9 percent weight reduction. The male winner was Sergeant Billy Adams, an officer with City of Westfield. Sergeant Adams achieved an impressive 9.6 percent weight reduction.

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Duke Energy supports Shepherd's Center

The REPORTER

Shepherd's Center of Hamilton County (SCHC) recently received a grant from the Duke Energy Foundation for their new Reaching Resources program. The grant, totaling \$9,975, will help the program's goal of changing the way people age in Hamilton County.

Reaching Resources links older adults with community resources to help them age in place safely. This program was launched in 2017 with support from the Legacy Fund's Community Leadership Initiative in Hamilton County. The Duke Energy Foundation's support furthers the mission of the initiative. "We want to help our senior citizens age in place, prevent isolation and maintain their independence," said Mark LaBarr, Duke Energy Indiana community relations manager for Hamilton County.

In AARP's Long-Term

Services and Supports State Scorecard, Indiana is currently one of the worst places to age in the United States. Coming in 51st, only before Kentucky, Indiana needs community-based services and supports to improve how people age. Reaching Resources is the first county-wide program to address these needs of Hamilton County's aging population.

"While Hamilton County has led the way as a thriving community focused on youth and families, we have an opportunity to lead the state in improving aging in our community," says Lauren Guynn, Executive Director for SCHC.

To learn more about SCHC and the Reaching Resources program, please visit shepherdscenterof-hamiltoncounty.org. To find out more about the Duke Energy Foundation's community support, please visit duke-energy.com/foundation.



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The grant given to the Shepherd's Center of Hamilton County will go towards the Reaching Resources program, which helps older adults get the resources they need to age in place safely.

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Noblesville author writes about bringing joy to work

The REPORTER

Are you one of the 48 percent of employees worldwide who don't like their jobs? Do you feel constantly stressed at the office? Or maybe you're just feeling "blah" about your job and want to bring some life back into your workplace.

If you talk to anyone about their careers or jobs these days, most of the time you won't hear positive stories or excitement. You'll probably hear words like "busy," "stressed," "exhausting" and "mind-numbing." And with the good old 40-hour work week becoming a distant memory for many, this reality is just plain sad.

Joy to You and Me (At Work!) by Noblesville author Amy Thornton Shankland helps turn these situations around by giving readers easy tips they can implement quickly to start making positive differences in the workplace. Being joyful isn't just a "fluffy-cutesy-nice" thing to do each day. It ac-

tually increases productivity and is good for any company or organization. The book helps anyone learn how to:

- Be a more joyful person
- Bring joy to co-workers
- Bring joy to customers
- Bring joy to networking

This fun, easy-to-read guide shows people of all ages and personalities how to make a difference immediately to make not only themselves happier, but to spread that happiness throughout the workplace and beyond. By sharing stories from the author's 25+ years of making a joyful difference in the workplace and examples from truly amazing companies, *Joy to You and Me (At Work!)* is a life changing, fun read for anyone who wants to improve their work life.

Shankland has been bringing joy to her work-



Shankland

places for over 25 years thanks to her innate enthusiasm and extensive training on how to spread it to others for the improvement of all. She was an instructor for the Dale Carnegie Human Relations Course for over a decade. She has won several awards for the enthusiasm she shares with both co-workers and customers. She has given local, regional and national workshops on various writing topics thanks to her 15+ years as a grant professional.

Shankland lives in Noblesville with her husband, two sons, two dogs and two cats. She enjoys volunteering for various local organizations, hoop dancing, reading and walking everywhere she possibly can.

Click here to watch the trailer for the book. Visit tell-talepublishing.com to learn more.

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Ivy Tech, Vincennes University announce new transfer partnership

The REPORTER

Ivy Tech Community College and Vincennes University are announcing a new partnership which will begin with the Fall 2018 semester. This collaboration will provide a seamless, cost-effective degree pathway for students in high-demand, high-value careers. It starts with students completing their first two years and earning an associate degree with Ivy Tech Community College, then culminates in earning a Vincennes University bachelor's degree in Homeland Security and Public Safety

two years following (for full-time students). Students accepted by Vincennes into the program will transfer with junior status.

"This pilot agreement represents a new era of cooperation between Ivy Tech and Vincennes to meet the workforce needs of Indiana in high-demand areas such as cybersecurity, said Dr. Sue Ellspermann, president of Ivy Tech. "Students will benefit from this collaboration by having a seamless pathway of coursework that takes students from admission to Ivy Tech straight through to completion of

the Vincennes baccalaureate degree without ever needing to leave the Indianapolis market."

"Students will benefit by making VU's highly-regarded bachelor's degree program in Homeland Security more accessible," added Vincennes president, Dr. Chuck Johnson. "Our faculty have worked together in recent months to articulate programs, giving Ivy Tech students a clear pathway to attaining their BS from VU. Through this additional joint effort, we will provide even more flexibility for stu-

dents, bringing some of the coursework and support services to them.

Ivy Tech associate degrees that will transfer seamlessly into the Homeland Security and Public Safety program at Vincennes are:

- Criminal Justice
- Homeland Security/Public Safety
- Legal Studies
- Cybersecurity/Information Assurance
- Information Technology Support
- Informatics

Students in these program areas will have the

opportunity to take a combination of face-to-face, synchronous video, hybrid and online courses for the Vincennes degree. Classroom and lab facilities at the Ivy Tech Indianapolis Lawrence campus will be utilized by Vincennes for instruction in the final two years of the program. Courses will initially be taught using Vincennes faculty, but future collaboration could include hiring Ivy Tech faculty to teach selected courses.

"Integrated advising will be a hallmark of this collaboration. In addition to

the Ivy Tech academic advisors, Vincennes advisors will be available on the Ivy Tech campus to ensure that students understand the requirements of the program and have a smooth transition from the associate degree to the baccalaureate completion," said Dr. Kathleen Lee, chancellor of Ivy Tech Indianapolis.

When students pursue the full-time track, they can complete both an Ivy Tech associate degree and a Vincennes bachelor's degree in four years at an Ivy Tech campus. Part-time options will be available as well.

Fishers road construction updates, week of June 4



The REPORTER

131st Street

Beginning Monday, June 4, the intersection of 131st Street and Cumberland Road will close for 45 days to construct a new roundabout. See the detour map [here](#).

Paving crews are working on 131st Street between Promise Road and Marilyn Road. Flaggers are present to help direct traffic.

Expect lane restrictions, weather permitting, along 131st Street between Allisonville Road and Lantern Road for the construction of the Conner Trail from Conner Prairie to the Municipal Complex. Lane restrictions will also take place on Lantern Road between 131st Street and Municipal Drive.

Brooks School Road

Starting on or after June 4, there will be temporary lane restrictions on Brooks School Road south of 116th Street while utility relocation work is performed. Flaggers will be in place to help direct traffic. Road closures will begin in July for the construction of a passing blister to improve visibility and enhance motorist safety.

Beginning on or after June 4, Milestone will close Brooks School Road between 126th Street and 136th Street to build a sidewalk to the east side of the bridge over I-69. Traffic will be detoured via 136th Street, Promise Road, and 126th Street to get around the closure. The road will reopen in early August. Questions can be directed to indot@indot.IN.gov.

Mollenkopf Road

Beginning on or after June 4, Mollenkopf Road between 96th and 106th street will have lane restrictions in place while paving work is being completed. Flaggers will be present to

direct traffic.

Allisonville Road

Lane restrictions will be in place, as weather permits, along Allisonville Road from 126th Street to 131st Street for the roadway expansion project. Restrictions will be in place between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. and flaggers will be on site directing traffic, as necessary. This will be an active construction site with reduced speed limits. For more info on this project, view the [Fact Sheet](#).

136th Street

136th Street is closed between Southeastern Parkway and Prairie Baptist Road for the construction of a new roundabout. See the [Detour Map](#).

Hoosier Road

Lane restrictions are in place on northbound Hoosier Road at 116th Street. Traffic control is in place.

Nickel Plate District

On Saturday between 6 a.m. and 1 p.m., road closures will take place along the east side of the Municipal Circle along Municipal Drive for the Fishers Farmers' Market. Access to Municipal Drive from North Street will also be closed during this time. Farmers' Market parking is available in The Depot and The Switch garages (see the [Parking Map](#) for more details).

The summer concert series begins June 5 with shows Tuesday and Friday evenings on Central Green. Municipal Drive in front of City Hall will be closed for stage construction beginning at noon on concert days. Also beginning at noon, North Street and Municipal Drive will become a right turn only, and Fishers Center Drive and Municipal Drive will become a

left turn only. Beginning at 5 p.m. on Tuesdays and 7 p.m. on Fridays, there will be road closures on Municipal Drive at 116th Street, on Municipal Drive at Fishers Center Drive (vehicles will still be able to turn left), and on Municipal Drive at North Street (vehicles will still be able to turn right). Roads will reopen at midnight. Street parking on Municipal Drive will be restricted from 2 p.m. until midnight on concert days. Guests can access the event from Fishers Center Drive, Municipal Drive (north), and North Street. Parking is available at The Switch garage, accessed from North Street.

The Board of Works has passed an ordinance for no parking in the Nickel Plate District between the hours of 3 a.m. and 6 a.m. See the [Parking Restrictions Map](#) for more information.

Geist Ridge Drive

Geist Ridge Drive at Florida Road is closed as Hamilton Southeastern Utilities has contracted Culy Contracting to perform sanitary sewer repairs in this area. Access into Valleys at Geist subdivision is available on Olio Road and 104th Street. Temporary lane restrictions on Florida Road may occur in this area due to construction traffic.

106th Street

106th Street is closed to through traffic from Eller Road to Allisonville Road and from Allisonville Road to Hague Road for the [106th Street Infrastructure Project](#). Closures for through traffic will also take place from Hague Road to the Crosspoint Boulevard/Lantern Road roundabout. For more info on this project, view the [Fact Sheet](#).

Eller Road

Eller Road is closed to through traffic south of

White Horse Lane for concrete work associated with the [106th Street Infrastructure Project](#).

Interstate 69

As part of a \$92 million design-build contract, Milestone has added a third lane in each direction to the median, repaired and resurfaced existing pavement, and rehabilitated bridges and drainage structures on 15 miles of I-69 in Hamilton and Madison counties. Construction of an additional auxiliary lane between the 116th Street entrance ramp to I-69 South and the I-69 South Exit 204 ramp to 106th Street will continue through next spring.

I-69 South will be temporarily reduced to two lanes to allow space for the State Road 37 and 116th Street entrance ramps to safely merge while construction continues on the southbound auxiliary lane between the 116th Street and 106th Street ramps.

Questions about this project should be directed to INDOT via email or at 1-855-463-6848.

State Road 37

A public meeting was held on Tuesday, May 15 at the [Delaware Township Trustee Office](#). The meeting presentation and updated information is available on the project's [new website](#). The State Road 37 improvement project is a \$124 million joint project between Fishers, Hamilton County, Noblesville, and INDOT. Questions or concerns may be directed to SR37@rqaw.com.

Outside of Fishers

From June 4 through Aug. 8, the City of Carmel will close 116th Street between Towne Road and Ditch Road, and between Clay Center Road and Spring Mill Road.

Who was Janet Scudder?

The REPORTER

1825 – Two men were hanged near Pendleton for the murder of nine Native Americans. A third man had his noose removed at the last minute as Governor James Brown Ray arrived with a pardon.

1865 – The 70th Indiana Regiment, led by Brigadier General Benjamin Harrison, mustered out of service in Washington, D.C. The men were welcomed home two days later at the Statehouse by Governor Oliver P. Morton.

1891 – Cole Porter was born in Peru, Ind. He became one of America's most popular composers for Broadway and motion pictures. "Night and Day," "Begin the Beguine," and "I Get a Kick Out of You" are just a few of the many cherished Cole Porter tunes in the American Songbook.

1922 – Herbert Hoover, United States Secretary of

Commerce, was a guest at the Diamond Jubilee Luncheon at Earlham College in Richmond. He explained the economic policies of President Warren G. Harding. Hoover would be elected President six years later.

1940 – Janet Scudder died in Massachusetts. Born in Terre Haute, she was a well-known sculptor who studied and worked in Paris. She was one of three women sculptors who created statues for the Indiana Building at the Columbian Exposition in Chicago in 1893.

1999 – Evangelist Billy Graham conducted a four-day crusade in the RCA Dome in Indianapolis. Nearly 200,000 people attended the events which had involved over 600 churches in the planning. This would be Graham's last crusade in Indianapolis.

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In that same hour said Jesus to the multitudes, Are ye come out as against a thief with swords and staves for to take me? I sat daily with you teaching in the temple, and ye laid no hold on me. But all this was done, that the scriptures of the prophets might be fulfilled. Then all the disciples forsook him, and fled.

Matthew 26:55-56 (KJV)

Ernest W. "Ernie" Russell Jr.

November 26, 1960 – May 30, 2018

Ernest W. "Ernie" Russell Jr., 57, Noblesville, passed away on Wednesday, May 30, 2018 at his home. He was born on November 26, 1960 to Ernest and Hazel (Brown) Russell in Noblesville.



For over 20 years, Ernie worked as a custodian at Carmel Elementary School. He liked to rabbit hunt and also enjoyed playing horseshoes where he won various awards. Most of all, Ernie loved being with his grandkids, and loved his dog, Cubbie.

He is survived by his daughter, Christy Russell (James Vijsma); two grandsons, Cory Russell and Justin Vijsma; brothers, Ricky Russell, Tommy Russell and Mark Russell; sisters, Lisa Bradfield, Kay Sells, Betty Wood and Becky McFall.

In addition to his parents, Ernie was preceded in death by his wife, Rosetta Russell, on July 28, 2014.

Services will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 5, 2018 at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan St., Noblesville, with visitation from 11:30 a.m. to the time of service. Burial will be at Brookside Cemetery in Lapel.

Condolences: randallroberts.com

Arrangements

Calling: 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., June 5
Service: 1:30 p.m., June 5
Location: Randall & Roberts Funeral Home
Condolences: randallroberts.com

Joy C. Price

December 18, 1930 – May 6, 2018

Joy C. Price, 87, Zionsville, passed away on Sunday, May 6, 2018. She was born on December 18, 1930 to Edward and Gretchen (Stephens) Good in Marion, Ind.



Joy was a deeply spiritual and kind woman. She was a former member of Fishers United Methodist Church and the Fall Creek Home Extension Club (Hamilton County Homemakers). Joy loved to sing and quilt, and was an artist, a writer and an excellent cook. One of her favorite pastimes was playing Scrabble and beating her opponents. Joy enjoyed nothing more than spending time with her family. Joy's warmth and sense of humor endeared her to all who were fortunate enough to know her throughout her life.

Joy is survived by her children, Lori Groves, Betty Jarrett, Susan Lee, Peggy Levine, Dale Price, David Price, Dean Price, Jack Price, Tom Price and Steve Sicinski; 27 grandchildren; and 26 great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her first husband, Ray Sicinski in 1968; second husband, Robert E. Price in 2001; son, Robert Price; and brother, Dan Good.

Services will be held at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, June 6, 2018 at Fishers United Methodist Church, 9691 E. 116th St., Fishers, with visitation from noon to the time of service. Rev. Jared Kendall will officiate. Burial will follow the service at Highland Cemetery in Fishers.

Joy's family has entrusted her care to Randall & Roberts Funeral Home.

Memorial contributions may be made to Fishers United Methodist Church, 9691 E. 116th St., Fishers, IN 46037.

Condolences: randallroberts.com

Arrangements

Calling: Noon to 1 p.m., June 6
Service: 1 p.m., June 6
Location: Fishers United Methodist Church
Condolences: randallroberts.com

Jacqueline Ann Balph

April 18, 1944 – May 30, 2018

Jacqueline Ann Balph, 74, Noblesville, passed away on Wednesday, May 30, 2018 at Riverview Health. She was born on April 18, 1944 to Everett and Jean (Burrous) Routt in Kokomo.



Jacqueline worked as an insurance claims secretary. She enjoyed gardening, reading, knitting and traveling. Most of all, Jacqueline was a good mother – her kids always came first!

She is survived by her husband, Albert Balph; mother, Jean Routt; sons, Scott Balph, Terry Hollis and Jeff Balph; daughters, Angela Hollis, Dawn Eagleman and Joanne Hall; 10 grandchildren, Elijah Balph, Kyrstin Balph, Danielle Balph, Brandon Hollis, Ty Eagleman, Chandler Eagleman, Robbie and Colby Hollis, and Mindy and Erik Balph; and several great-grandchildren. Jacqueline was preceded in death by her father, Everett Routt.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, June 6, 2018 at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville, with visitation from 11 a.m. to the time of service. Southport Police Chaplain Stephen Gossage will officiate. Burial will be at Riverside Cemetery in Noblesville.

Condolences: randallroberts.com

Arrangements

Calling: 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., June 6
Service: 2 p.m., June 6
Location: Randall & Roberts Funeral Center
Condolences: randallroberts.com

Luann Snyder

June 1, 2018

Luann Snyder, Noblesville, passed away on Friday, June 1, 2018 at home after a courageous 15-month battle with pancreatic cancer. She was 65.



Luann is survived by her husband of almost 45 years, Steve; daughter, Nicole and husband Michael Carnahan; and son-in-law, Tom Ott. "G," as she was so affectionately known, was a loving grandmother to grandson, Aaron Carnahan; and granddaughters, Katherine and Lauren Ott. She is also survived by a sister- and brother-in-law, Judy and Mike Rutter; as well as special nieces, nephews, cousins and uncles. Luann will always be remembered as a loving wife, mother, daughter, "G", sister, aunt and friend who liked nothing more than spending time with her family, being with her friends

and helping others.

Luann was preceded in death by her daughter, Megan S. Ott; her parents, Ira and Margaret Ellis; her brother, Alexander Ellis; and her father- and mother-in-law, Roy and Romaine Snyder.

Luann was born on September 5, 1952 in Mercer, Pa. She was a past Grand Worth Advisor for the International Order of the Rainbow Girls for the state of Pennsylvania, and a life-long member of Mercer Chapter 86 of the Pennsylvania Order of the Eastern Star. Luann was a graduate of Robert Morris University, where she met her husband Steve, whom she married on August 25, 1973. She retired in 2001 from GTE. Luann was a founding member of the board of directors of the Megan S. Ott Foundation. She attended Bethel Lutheran Church.

Calling hours will be from 4 to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, June 6, 2018 at Randall & Roberts Fishers Mortuary, 12010 Allisonville Road, Fishers. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. on Thursday, June 7, at Bethel Lutheran Church, 20650 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, with Pastor Doug Gast and Pastor Al Schoonover officiating. Interment will immediately follow at Oaklawn Memorial Cemetery in Indianapolis.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made to the Megan S. Ott Foundation, P.O. Box 1372, Noblesville, IN 46061, which provides critical assistance to breast cancer patients. It was founded by Luann's daughter, Megan, and her husband Tom, in March 2010, one month before Megan's death from breast cancer at the age of 34.

Condolences: randallroberts.com

Arrangements

Calling: 4 to 8 p.m., June 6
Location: Randall & Roberts Fishers Mortuary
Service: 10 a.m., June 7
Location: Bethel Lutheran Church
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Baseball regional championships



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The Fishers baseball team won its first ever regional championship on Saturday. The Tigers scored seven runs in the ninth inning to beat Fort Wayne Carroll 12-5, thus winning the Lafayette Jefferson regional at Loeb Stadium. Fishers plays Chesterton next Saturday in the Kokomo semi-state.

Tigers run away from Carroll in ninth inning

After getting past one tough game on Saturday morning, the Fishers baseball team found itself in another tough game Saturday night.

The evening game was the regional championship at Lafayette's Loeb Stadium. The Tigers were knotted at 5-5 with a pumped-up Fort Wayne Carroll team through eight innings. After having the bases loaded with one out in the top of the seventh and eighth but not scoring, Fishers was in that same situation in the top of the ninth.

That time, the Tigers came through, to the tune of seven runs. That powered

Fishers to a 12-5 Class 4A Lafayette Jefferson regional championship victory, the first ever regional crown for the program. The Tigers will now play Chesterton next Saturday in the 4A north semi-state at Kokomo. "It's awesome," said Fishers coach Matt Cherry. "We're not done yet, but excited for them to keep fighting, keep battling and finally coming through with the seven runs in the ninth."

While it was frustrating to leave the bases loaded so late, both times the Tigers quickly regrouped on defense. Fishers set down the Chargers 1-2-3 in the bottom of the seventh, forcing extra innings. The

Tigers again took care of Carroll three-up, three-down in the bottom of the eighth.

Fishers' offense tried again in the ninth. With one out, Jack Roudebush drew a walk, then Ben Burton was hit by a pitch. JJ Woolwine got on with a base hit, loading the bases again. Could the Tigers finally get one in?

They did and then some. Craig Yoho came up after Woolwine, and he sent a single into left field to score Jack Roudebush and Ben Burton. Next up was Grant Richardson, who smashed a single into center field to get Woolwine and Yoho in to score.

"That's what this team's done for the last two years," said Cherry. "As long as we don't run out of time, they have fight in them and they're going to find a way to get it done. And we didn't run out of time this time, we kept holding them defensively and on the mound and finally broke through there in the ninth."

After absorbing a strikeout, Fishers got another runner on when Matt Wolff got hit by a pitch, sending Richardson to second. That brought up Alex Jamieson, and he cracked a home run into left field. The 5-5 tie was now a 12-5 lead.

Carroll got a groundout for the third out, so all the Tigers had to do now was get three outs on defense, which they did easily. Matt Wolff, who relieved Richardson in the eighth inning, sandwiched two strikeouts in between a groundout to third baseman Kiel Brenzczewski.

Wolff is officially credited with the win, but Richardson deserves recognition as well. He threw seven and a third innings, striking out 12 and allowing seven hits. Richardson also went 4-for-6 at the plate; he, Yoho and Jamieson all batted in three runs.

Fishers scored one run each in the first three innings. Richardson hit a homer into center field in the first inning, Burton

singled in Nick Lukac in the second, and Brenzczewski hit a sacrifice fly to score Yoho in the third.

Carroll took a 5-3 lead through the fifth inning, but the Tigers tied it up in the top of the sixth on back-to-back sacrifice flies. Woolwine's right field fly ball sent Tristan Baker home and moved Burton to third base. Burton then scored after Yoho sent another fly ball into right field.

In the semi-final, Fishers came back to beat Zionsville 6-5. The Eagles had the Tigers down 4-1 midway through the third inning, but the Tigers rallied with four runs in the bottom of the third.

Brenzczewski got things started with a left field double that sent Woolwine and Yoho home. Richardson scored on a wild pitch to tie the game at 4-4. Jamieson then hit a sacrifice fly to score Collin Shelton and put Fishers in the lead.

Richardson hit a fourth-inning double that scored Yoho and put the Tigers up 6-4. Woolwine got Fishers on the board in the first inning with a solo home run; both he and Yoho had two hits.

Luke Albright went five innings for the win, striking out four. Wolff pitched the last two innings and got the save.

Fishers 6, Zionsville 5

Fishers	AB	R	H	RBI
JJ Woolwine	4	2	2	1
Craig Yoho	3	2	2	0
Grant Richardson	1	1	1	1
Kiel Brenzczewski	3	0	1	2
Matt Wolff	2	0	0	0
Alex Jamieson	2	0	1	1
Nick Lukac	3	0	0	0
Jack Roudebush	3	0	1	0
Ben Burton	3	0	0	0
Collin Shelton	0	1	0	0
Grant Whetsel	0	0	0	0
Totals	24	6	8	5

Score by innings

Zionsville	220	010	0-5	10 0
Fishers	104	100	x-6	8 0

HR: Woolwine. 2B: Brenzczewski, Jamieson, Richardson, Yoho. SB: Yoho. SAC: Jamieson. HBP: Yoho.

Fishers pitching	IP	R	ER	H
Luke Albright (W)	5	5	5	9
Wolff (S)	2	0	0	1

Strikeouts: Albright 4, Wolff 2. Walks: Albright 3.

Fishers 12, Fort Wayne Carroll 5 (9 innings)

Fishers	AB	R	H	RBI
JJ Woolwine	4	1	2	1
Craig Yoho	3	2	1	3
Grant Richardson	6	2	4	3
Kiel Brenzczewski	3	0	1	1
Matt Wolff	4	0	2	0
Alex Jamieson	6	1	1	3
Nick Lukac	5	1	0	0
Jack Roudebush	3	1	1	0
AJ Waltermann	0	0	0	0
Ben Burton	3	2	2	1
Grant Whetsel	0	0	0	0
Tristan Baker	0	1	0	0
Collin Shelton	0	0	0	0
Alex Klotz	0	1	0	0
Totals	37	12	14	12

Score by innings

Fishers	111	002	007	-12	14 0
Carroll	102	020	00B	-5	7 1

HR: Richardson, Jamieson. 2B: Roudebush. SAC: Yoho 2, Brenzczewski, Woolwine. HBP: Brenzczewski 2, Burton, Lukac, Wolff, Yoho. Fishers pitching IP R ER H Richardson 7.1 5 4 7 Wolff (W) 1.2 0 0 0 Strikeouts: Richardson 12, Wolff 3. Walks: Richardson 2.

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The University baseball team held off Hauser 3-0 to win its first ever regional championship Saturday at Morristown. Cade Carlson threw 18 strikeouts in the championship game. The Trailblazers will play Tecumseh next Saturday in the semi-state.

Carlson strikes out 18 in University's regional victory

MORRISTOWN - The University Trailblazers captured their first IHSAA regional baseball title with a 3-0 win over Hauser in the Regional 15 final at Morristown High School.

Cade Carlson was masterful on the mound, throwing a complete game one-hitter striking out a career high 18 batters. Garrett Hill laced a two run triple to left center in the top of the seventh to break a scoreless tie as Prep Baseball Report's top ranked team defeated PBR's third ranked team in a classic pitching duel to improve to 27-5 on the season and advance to the semi-state to play the 21-9 Tecumseh Braves.

Carlson carried a no-hitter in to the sixth inning before Hauser's Shawn Miller drove a double to left center. Carlson recorded a strike out before issuing an intentional walk to Trey Johnson. The Blazers right hander then recorded two more strikeouts to escape the jam.

Ben Westerkamm pinch hit to lead off the top of the seventh and drew an eight pitch walk after falling behind in the count 0-2. Ryan Williams beat out a bunt to put runners on first and second. Hauser made a pitching change, bringing in staff ace Sam Meek who had thrown 83 pitches in their semi-final win over Shakamak.

Blazers leadoff hitter Dawson Estep

battled Meek for 10 pitches before being called out on strikes. Hill then hit the first pitch he saw from Meek to the fence in left center, scoring Westerkamm and Williams. Hill then scored on a balk to round out the scoring.

Carlson struck out the side in the bottom of the seventh to secure the win. The last 13 outs Carlson recorded came via strikeout. Hauser put just four balls in play in the game. In addition to Martin's double, the Jets managed just a ground out to second, a bunt fielded by the catcher and a foul pop out bunt. After throwing a no-hitter in University's Sectional opener against Bethesda Christian, Carlson has allowed one hit in 14 innings of tournament play, striking out 34.

"Cade was super dominant tonight. He puts us on his back and we rode him like a borrowed mule. He has come in to his own" said University coach Chris Estep. "It was complete team effort. Dawson (Estep) and Garrett (Hill) hit the ball well. Kolton Stevens caught a great game today. He was absolutely phenomenal behind the plate. Ben Westerkamm had an outstanding at bat off the bench. We talk about staying prepared on the bench. Ben's at bat (the walk) was the game changer tonight."

University reached the final with a 9-4 win over Indianapolis Lutheran in the

morning game.

The Trailblazers got on the board in the third inning. Ryan Williams singled with one out, stole second and scored on Dawson Estep's single to center. Garrett Hill was intentionally walked before Brock Moore sacrificed the runners to second and third. Freshman Tyler Galyean drove a pitch to left field for a two run single and a 3-0 University lead.

The Saints answered in the top of the fourth, taking a 4-3 lead. University answered right back in the bottom of the fourth. Williams reached on a one out error and scored on a double to right center by Estep.

Freshman Ben Ewer led off the bottom of the fifth for University and tripled to right center on an eight pitch at bat after falling behind 0-2 in the count. Cade Carlson's single put University on top 5-4. Asher Thompson reached on a bunt single before Williams singled to score Carlson. Thompson scored on a wild pitch and Estep walked. Brock Moore doubled to right center to score Thompson and Estep for a 9-4 lead.

Hill worked the last three innings for the win, striking out nine and allowing no

runs on just two hits. Moore pitched the first four innings, striking out six.

Carlson was 3-4 while Estep and Williams had two hits and two runs each. Estep, Moore and Galyean each drove in two runs.

University 9, Indianapolis Lutheran 4

University	AB	R	H	RBI
Dawson Estep	3	2	2	2
Garrett Hill	1	2	1	0
Brock Moore	3	0	1	2
Tyler Galyean	3	0	1	2
Ben Ewer	3	1	1	0
Cade Carlson	4	1	3	1
Asher Thompson	4	1	1	0
Kolton Stevens	4	0	0	0
Ryan Williams	3	2	2	1
Totals	28	9	12	8

Score by innings

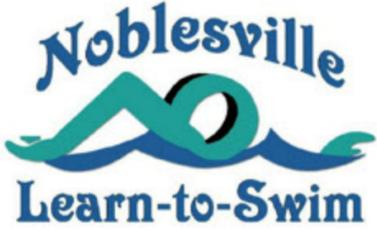
Lutheran	000	400	0-4	6-1
University	003	150	x-9	12-0

3B: Ewer. 2B: Estep, Hill, Moore. SB: Estep 2, Williams. SAC: Moore.

University pitching	IP	R	ER	H
Moore	4	4	4	4
Hill (W)	3	0	0	2

Strikeouts: Hill 9, Moore 6. Walks: Moore 4, Hill 2.

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Girls tennis



Reporter photos by Richie Hall

The Carmel girls tennis team toughed out a 3-2 win over Cathedral Saturday to win the state championship. It's the 10th state title for the Greyhounds' program.

Perfect 10 for Carmel after state championship win

By RICHIE HALL

It's never easy making history, but the Carmel girls tennis team keeps doing it.

The Greyhounds added another state championship to their trophy case on Saturday, beating Cathedral 3-2 in the final at North Central's Barbara Wynne Tennis Center. Carmel entered some rarified air with this win: It was the Greyhounds' 10th state championship. Only North Central, with 12, has more.

"We play as a team and we are a deep, great team of individuals, but individuals that work together," said Carmel coach Spencer Fields. "I really think that the tennis was tough this weekend, but these girls don't quit. They never want to give up. They play with a lot of pride for their school, their community. It's a really special group, a really talented group. Just a really fun and enjoyable group of people to be around." The Irish won at No. 1 doubles, but

Carmel soon went up 2-1 with victories from No. 3 singles Franny Werner (6-0, 6-0) and the No. 2 doubles team of Leila Antony and Apurva Manas (6-0, 6-2). That left the Nos. 1 and 2 singles matches left to decide the title.

The clincher would be No. 1 singles, with the Greyhounds' Lauren Lemonds holding off Maeve Koscielski 6-4, 6-4 in a match that was much tougher than the score indicates.

"It was definitely exciting," said Lemonds. "The other match finished right before me, it really came down to my match at the very end, so it was really exciting."

"I do think it's really fun, because everyone's cheering and it's just a really good atmosphere," said Lemonds. She called the season a "super fun season," because of how close the team got this year. "It was just a lot of fun making it to state together," she said.

Lemonds has committed to play tennis at Michigan State University.

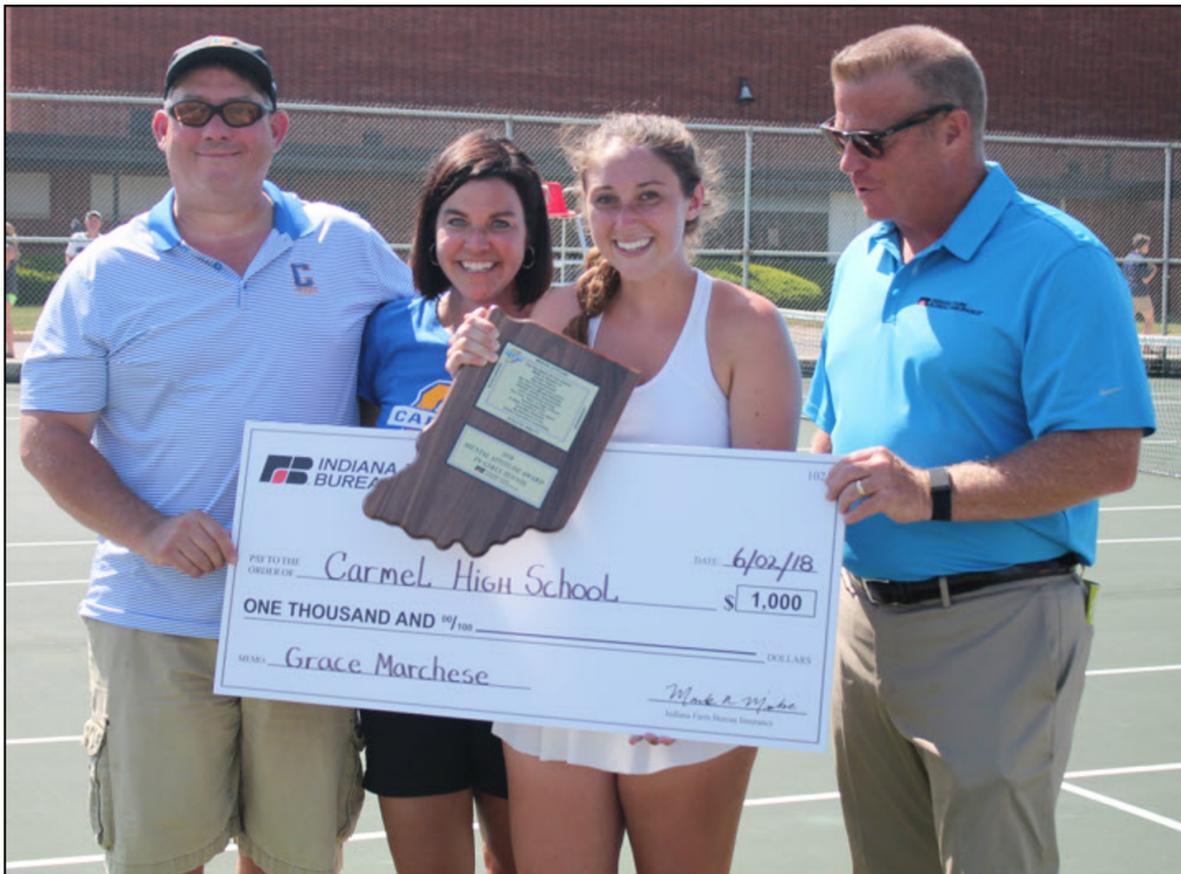
"I like the coaches, the team, the academics," said Lemonds of her college decision. "The final deciding factor was just how close I'll be to my family."

In the morning semi-finals, Carmel beat Brownsburg 5-0. That was another deceptive score, as two of the matches went three sets: Werner came from behind to win 3-6, 6-3, 6-3 at No. 3 singles, while the Greyhounds' No. 1 doubles team of Emma Brune and Grace Marchese also came back to win a tough one, 4-6, 6-4, 7-5.

Marchese won the Mental Attitude Award after the match. Marchese is the daughter of James and Erin Marchese, holds a 4.20 grade-point average while taking honors, Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate classes. She is heading to Clemson University to major in Nursing.

"I never thought that I would be somebody who would win it, but I'm very proud to accomplish it," said Marchese. "We do work, every single day, very hard. So to have all of that come to an end and know that all of our hard work every single day has paid off is just a wonderful feeling."

"That's really neat for her," said Fields. "She's put a lot of effort into Carmel High School. The Mental Attitude for tennis is special, but it really is a reflection of what she's put into the school and the community. It's way above average. She's a really special girl in terms of what she's done for the school."



Carmel's Grace Marchese won the Mental Attitude Award.

SEMI-FINALS

Carmel 5, Brownsburg 0

- No. 1 singles: Lauren Lemonds def. Kara Mehninger 6-0, 6-0
- No. 2 singles: Sydney Morris def. Hailey Blood 6-1, 6-0
- No. 3 singles: Franny Werner def. Ellie Hughes 3-6, 6-3, 6-3
- No. 1 doubles: Emma Brune and Grace Marchese def. Payton Haygood and Caitlin Preda 4-6, 6-4, 7-5
- No. 2 doubles: Leila Antony and Apurva Manas def. Lily House and Grace Sutier 6-0, 6-2

CHAMPIONSHIP

Carmel 3, Cathedral 2

- No. 1 singles: Lauren Lemonds def. Maeve Koscielski 6-4, 6-4
- No. 2 singles: Sydney Morris lost to Ellie Pittman 6-4, 6-4
- No. 3 singles: Franny Werner def. Cole Spau 6-0, 6-0
- No. 1 doubles: Emma Brune and Grace Marchese lost to Meg Coleman and Claire Koscielski 6-0, 6-1
- No. 2 doubles: Leila Antony and Apurva Manas def. Cassie Kronenberger and Bella Montefalco 6-0, 6-2

UNIVERSITY

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University 3, Hauser 0

University	AB	R	H	RBI
Dawson Estep	4	0	2	0
Garrett Hill	4	1	2	2
Brock Moore	3	0	0	0
Tyler Galyean	4	0	2	0
Ben Ewer	3	0	0	0
Cade Carlson	2	0	0	0
Asher Thompson	3	0	0	0
Kolton Stevens	2	0	0	0
Ben Westerkamm	0	1	0	0
Ryan Williams	3	1	2	0
Totals	28	3	8	2

Score by innings
 University 000 000 3-3 8 0
 Hauser 000 000 0-0 1 1
 3B: Estep, Hill. SB: Galyean 2. SAC: Carlson.
 University pitching IP R ER H
 Carlson 7 0 0 1
 Strikeouts: Carlson 18. Walks: Carlson 3.

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Softball

Millers beat Leo, fall to Lake Central at semi-state

By RICHIE HALL



Furiak

The Noblesville softball team's post-season run came to an end on Saturday, as the Millers were beaten by No. 2-ranked Lake Central 4-3 in the championship game of the Class 4A Harrison semi-state.

The Indians got the first two runs of the game in the top of the first inning, but Noblesville tied the game up in the bottom of the second. Ella White got on base with a center field hit, held there after a pop out to first base, then moved to second on a groundout.

That brought up Kyleigh Lowry, and she sent a single into left field to get White home. Lowry scored on the next at-bat: Abby Brown smacked a double into left field.

The score stayed 2-2 for most of the game before Lake Central scored twice in the top of the seventh. Gabriella Carra hit a single into right field that landed fair by inches and brought in two runs. The Millers

got a run back in the bottom of the seventh; Lowry was hit by a pitch, moved to second on a groundout, then scored on Olivia Stinson's center field hit. That got Noblesville within one, but a groundout finished the game.

"We were within one," said Noblesville coach Deke Bullard. "We had a couple of unfortunate hits go against us in the seventh that gave them their two runs. We unfortunately just couldn't get them both back.

Stinson and White both had two hits. Madison Taylor pitched a complete game, tossing four strikeouts.

"We're proud of the season they've had," said Noblesville coach Deke Bullard. "We're proud of the efforts they gave today. Today's a hard day. You play a game at 1 o'clock in the heat, and then you have to kind of shut everything down and try to eat, hydrate, cool off, rest and then come back out and play another game against one of the top five teams in the state. Lake Central's a great team, they're a great program."

In the morning semi-final, the Millers beat Leo 5-2 in eight innings, scoring three times in the eighth after the regulation seventh inning ended in a 2-2 tie.

White got on base with a left field hit, then moved to second after Taylor drew a walk. Abigail Harvey came in to run for Taylor, and both she and White advanced a base on a groundout.

Julia Furiak was next, and she cracked a double into center field to get both runners home. Shea Sterrett came in to run for Furiak, and she was scored by Lowry's single. Leo loaded the bases with one out in the bottom of the eighth, but a double play ended the game.

Furiak was 3-for-4 at the plate, while Lowry went 2-for-3. Taylor pitched all eight innings, striking out five.

The Millers finished their season with a 21-11 record.

Abigail Harvey	0	1	0	0
Shea Sterrett	0	2	0	0
Maggie Hampton	0	1	0	0
Totals	31	5	8	4

Score by innings

Noblesville	020	000	03	-5	8	1
Leo	001	010	00	-2	7	2

2B: Furiak 2, Smith. SB: Solomon. SAC: Tragesser. HBP: Lowry.

Noblesville pitching	IP	R	ER	H
Taylor	8	2	1	7

Strikeouts: Taylor 5. Walks: Taylor 2.

Lake Central 4, Noblesville 3

Noblesville	AB	R	H	RBI
Abby Brown	4	0	1	1
Olivia Stinson	4	0	2	1
Chloe Tragesser	4	0	0	0
Madison Taylor	3	0	1	0
Emily Minett	3	0	0	0
Ella White	3	1	2	0
Julia Furiak	3	0	1	0
Grace Smith	2	0	0	0
Maggie Hampton	0	0	0	0
Kyleigh Lowry	2	2	1	1
Shea Sterrett	0	0	0	0
Abigail Harvey	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	3	8	3

Score by innings

Lake Central	200	000	2	-4	7	1
Noblesville	020	000	1	-3	8	1

2B: Brown. SAC: Hampton. HBP: Lowry.

Noblesville pitching	IP	R	ER	H
Taylor	7	4	3	7

Strikeouts: Taylor 4. Walks: Taylor 2.

Noblesville 5, Leo 2 (8 innings)

Noblesville	AB	R	H	RBI
Abby Brown	5	0	0	0
Olivia Stinson	3	0	1	0
Chloe Tragesser	2	0	0	0
Alyssa Solomon	0	0	0	0
Ella White	4	1	1	0
Madison Taylor	3	0	0	0
Emily Minett	3	0	0	0
Julia Furiak	4	0	3	2
Grace Smith	4	0	1	1
Kyleigh Lowry	3	0	2	1

Boys track and field

HSE's Norris, Fishers 4x400 are state champions

Three Hamilton County teams finished in the top 10 and won two individual events at the IHSAA boys state track and field meet, which took place Saturday at Indiana University.

Hamilton Southeastern finished third with 44 points, behind only Avon's 66 points and North Central's 47. Madison Norris led the way for the Royals, winning the state championship in the 110 hurdles in a time of 14.02 seconds.

Norris later joined Jack Boyd, Noah Malone and Chase Maxey to place second in the 4x100 relay. Malone won two more medals by taking fourth in both the 100 and 200 dashes. Gabe Fendel placed fourth in the 1600 run, Nathan Smith was fourth in the 300 hurdles and HSE's 4x400 relay team of Chaz Birchfield, Nick Bostock, Nick Bowman and Jackson Sweeney took eighth in that event.

Carmel finished in eighth place, scoring 26 points. Spencer Gudgel placed third in the 400 dash, then finished the meet by teaming with Alex Brown-Baez, Eli Konow and Trey Harris for a sixth-place finish in the 4x400.

Ben Miller took third in the 3200 run. The Greyhounds also got a fifth-place result from Harris, Konow, Gudgel and Jimmy Snyder in the 4x800 relay. Isiah Baxter finished seventh in the 200 dash.

Fishers tied for 10th with 16 points, but finished the meet with an event victory. The 4x400 relay team of Nicholas Carrithers, Henry Lewis II, DiSean Graham and Benjamin Norton clocked in at 3:15.80 to place first. Earlier, Lewis, Carrithers and Norton joined Jason Lassic to take fifth in the 4x100 relay. The Tigers' 4x800 relay team of Dylan Arive, Samuel Kuhn, Ethan Meyer and Drew Smith placed ninth.

Westfield's Peyton Haack placed eighth in the pole vault.

Team scores (Top 10 and all county): 1. Avon 66, 2. North Central 47, 3. Hamilton Southeastern 44, T4. Fort Wayne Northrop 36; Pike 36, T6. Zionsville 31; Fort Wayne Carroll 31, 8. Carmel 26, 9. Evansville Memorial 18, T10. Fishers 16; Chesterton 16, T61. Westfield 2.

4x800 relay: 1. North Central 7:44.07, 5. Carmel (Trey Harris, Eli Konow, Spencer Gudgel, Jimmy Snyder) 7:49.20, 9. Fishers



Reporter photos by Kent Graham

Hamilton Southeastern's Madison Norris had a great day at the IHSAA's boys state track and field meet Saturday at Indiana University. Norris won the 110 high hurdles state championship and was part of the Royals' second-place 4x100 relay.

(Dylan Arive, Samuel Kuhn, Ethan Meyer, Drew Smith) 7:52.40, 10. Westfield (Nicholas Leahy, David Mannella, Jacob Mears, Charlie Miller) 7:52.78, 24. Noblesville (Zachary Freeman, Andrew Anderson, Jack Commeville, Bryce Gatewood) 8:11.10.

110 hurdles: 1. Madison Norris (HSE) 14.02. Preliminaries - 13. Jakob Pearson (Car) 14.78.

100 dash: 1. Isaac Guerendo (A) 10.51, 4. Noah Malone (HSE) 10.70. Preliminaries - 13. Benjamin Norton (F) 11.08, 14. Henry Lewis II (F) 11.10.

1600 run: 1. Matthew Schadler (EM) 4:07.83, 4. Gabe Fendel (HSE) 4:14.07, 16. Meyer (F) 4:21.95.

4x100 relay: 1. Avon 41.28, 2. Southeastern

(Jack Boyd, Norris, Malone, Chase Maxey) 41.59, 5. Fishers (Jason Lassic, Lewis, Nicholas Carrithers, Norton) 42.18.

400 dash: 1. Braden Corzan (Ches) 47.41, 3. Gudgel (Car) 48.53.

300 hurdles: 1. Shaton Vaughn (FWN) 37.52, 4. Nathan Smith (HSE) 38.39, 13. Jakob Pearson (Car) 39.31.

800 run: 1. Keith Abramson (A) 1:54.62, 15. Harris (Car) 1:56.93.

200 dash: 1. Justin Becker (FWC) 21.50, 4. Malone (HSE) 21.71, 7. Isiah Baxter (C) 21.99.

3200 run: 1. Skylar Stidam (Christian Academy) 9:13.34, 3. Ben Miller (C) 9:14.90, 10. Keelan Grant (C) 9:19.84.

4x400 relay: 1. Fishers (Carrithers, Lewis,

DiSean Graham, Norton) 3:15.80, 6. Carmel (Alex Brown-Baez, Konow, Gudgel, Harris) 3:19.53, 8. Southeastern (Chaz Birchfield, Nick Bostock, Nick Bowman, Jackson Sweeney) 3:20.00.

High jump: 1. Nate Patterson (Plymouth) 7-4, new state record, T14. Andrew Herman (Nob) 6-4.

Pole vault: 1. Colton Crum (Frankfort) 17-6.25, new state record, 8. Peyton Haack (Wf) 14-6.

Long jump: 1. Nick Ryan (Crown Point) 23-5.5.

Shot put: 1. George Karlaftis (West Lafayette) 60-0.5, 13. Vance Roudebush (Car) 53-2.75.

Discus: 1. Tyler Gilbert (Western) 177-3.



Fishers' Ben Norton was part of the Tigers' state champion 4x400 relay team.

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MLB standings

Saturday's scores	
Milwaukee 5, Chicago White Sox 0	Boston 5, Houston 4
Kansas City 5, Oakland 4	Chicago Cubs 7, N.Y. Mets 1, 14 innings
St. Louis 3, Pittsburgh 2	L.A. Dodgers 12, Colorado 4
N.Y. Yankees 8, Baltimore 5	San Diego 8, Cincinnati 2
Minnesota 7, Cleveland 1	Texas 3, L.A. Angels 2, 10 innings
Detroit 7, Toronto 4	San Francisco 2, Philadelphia 0
Washington 5, Atlanta 3, 14 innings	Arizona 6, Miami 2
	Seattle 3, Tampa Bay 1

American League

East	W	L	PCT.	GB
N.Y. Yankees	37	17	.685	0.5
Boston	40	19	.678	-
Tampa Bay	28	29	.491	11.0
Toronto	25	33	.431	14.5
Baltimore	17	41	.293	22.5
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
Cleveland	30	27	.526	-
Detroit	28	30	.483	2.5
Minnesota	24	30	.444	4.5
Kansas City	21	37	.362	9.5
Chi. White Sox	17	38	.309	12.0
West	W	L	PCT.	GB
Seattle	36	22	.621	-
Houston	37	23	.617	-
L.A. Angels	31	28	.525	5.5
Oakland	30	29	.508	6.5
Texas	25	36	.410	12.5

National League

East	W	L	PCT.	GB
Atlanta	34	24	.586	-
Washington	33	24	.579	0.5
Philadelphia	31	25	.554	2.0
N.Y. Mets	27	29	.482	6.0
Miami	20	38	.345	14.0
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
Milwaukee	37	22	.627	-
Chi. Cubs	32	23	.582	3.0
St. Louis	31	25	.554	4.5
Pittsburgh	30	28	.517	6.5
Cincinnati	21	38	.356	16.0
West	W	L	PCT.	GB
Arizona	30	27	.526	-
Colorado	30	28	.517	0.5
L.A. Dodgers	28	30	.483	2.5
San Francisco	28	30	.483	2.5
San Diego	26	34	.433	5.5

Carmel places 5th, Fishers ties for 7th at Unified track meet

Two Hamilton County schools participated in the IHSAA's Unified track and field state meet Saturday at Indiana University.

Carmel finished in fifth place and Fishers tied for seventh. The Tigers' Ariana Wills finished first in Flight 3 of the long jump, while the Greyhounds' Jack Frey was first in Flight 1 of the shot put. Carmel's Sky Simpson placed first in Flight 5 of the shot put.

Team scores: Elkhart Memorial 104, Merrillville 101, Columbus North 94, Warren Central 92,

Carmel 91, Griffith 89, Fishers 88, Floyd Central 88, Bedford North Lawrence 79, Perry Meridian 74.

100 dash

Section 1: 3. Joe Wede (C) 11.91.

Section 2: 4. Marcos Maldonado (F) 13.28, 7. Evan Barker (F) 14.02.

Section 3: 3. Bridget Dunn (C) 14.90, 7. Savanna Childress (F) 15.43.

Section 4: 3. Matt Kiffmeyer (F) 16.42, 7. John Joest (C) 19.41.

Section 5: 8. Kyle Butterworth (C) 32.54.

400 dash

Section 1: 3. Michael Conway (C) 55.13, 5. Joe Blake (C) 58.16.

Section 2: 8. Nick Taulman (F) 1:06.60.

Section 4: 2. Lauren Grater (F) 1:16.25, 3. Safina Beaty (F) 1:17.16, 4. Kellen Bridgeforth (F) 1:17.56.

Section 5: 3. Naveed Malek (C) 1:25.21, 4. Hannah Young (C) 1:31.26.

4x100 relay

Section 1: 3. Carmel "B" (Whitney Lam, Liz Piha, Megan Daggett, Anisha Katayayan) 1:04.20, 4. Fishers "B" (Lindsay Dale, Laua Godleski, Ariana Wills, Libby Maahs) 1:05.94.

Section 3: 2. Fishers "A" (Josh Ibey, Timothy Jackson, Alex Rosario-Crespo, Jack Smith) 50.43.

Section 4: 4. Carmel "A" (Michael Herod, Malek, Wede, Michael Conway) 58.72.

Long jump

Flight 1: 3. Blake (C) 19-11.25, 4. Jackson (F) 19-9.25.

Flight 2: 4. Rosario-Crespo (F) 15-0, 6. Lauren Johnson (C) 13-1.75.

Flight 3: 1. Ariana Wills (F) 14-6.25.

Flight 4: 5. Lam (C) 8-1.75.

Flight 5: 2. Colin Schooley (F) 7-4.5, 7. Mavkenzie Wilt (C) 6-3.25.

Shot put

Flight 1: Jack Frey (C) 49-4.25, 4. Tim Holden (C) 41-11.25, 5. Lam (C) 41-10.5.

Flight 2: Smith (F) 29-6.75.

Flight 3: 5. Jason Froeming (C) 25-6.25, 8. Chloe White (F) 22-5.75.

Flight 5: 1. Sky Simpson (C) 23-0, 3. Zach Conwell (F) 16-11.75.

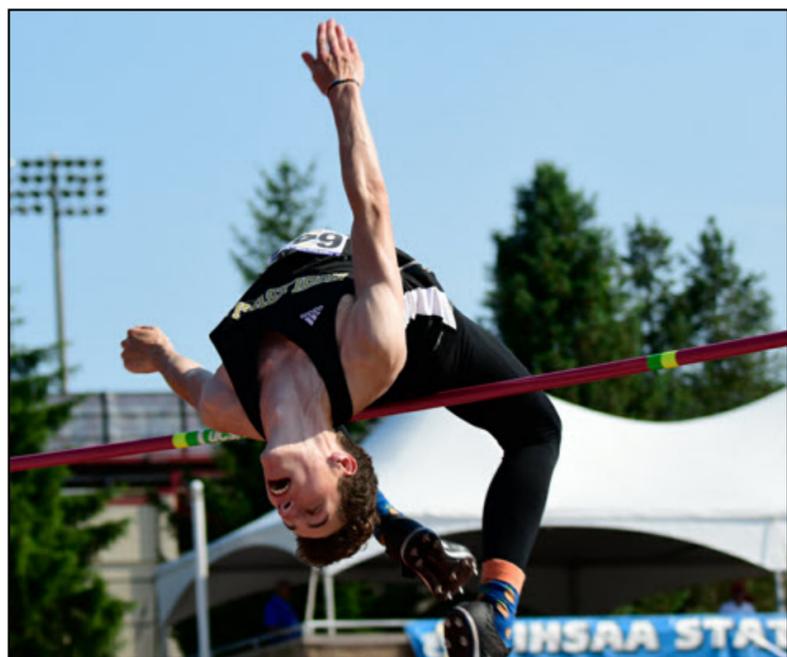


Reporter photos by Kent Graham

LEFT: Carmel's Spencer Gudgel (174) finished third in the 400 dash.

BELOW LEFT: Westfield's Peyton Haack placed eighth in the pole vault.

BELOW: Noblesville's Andrew Herman tied for 14th in the high jump.



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