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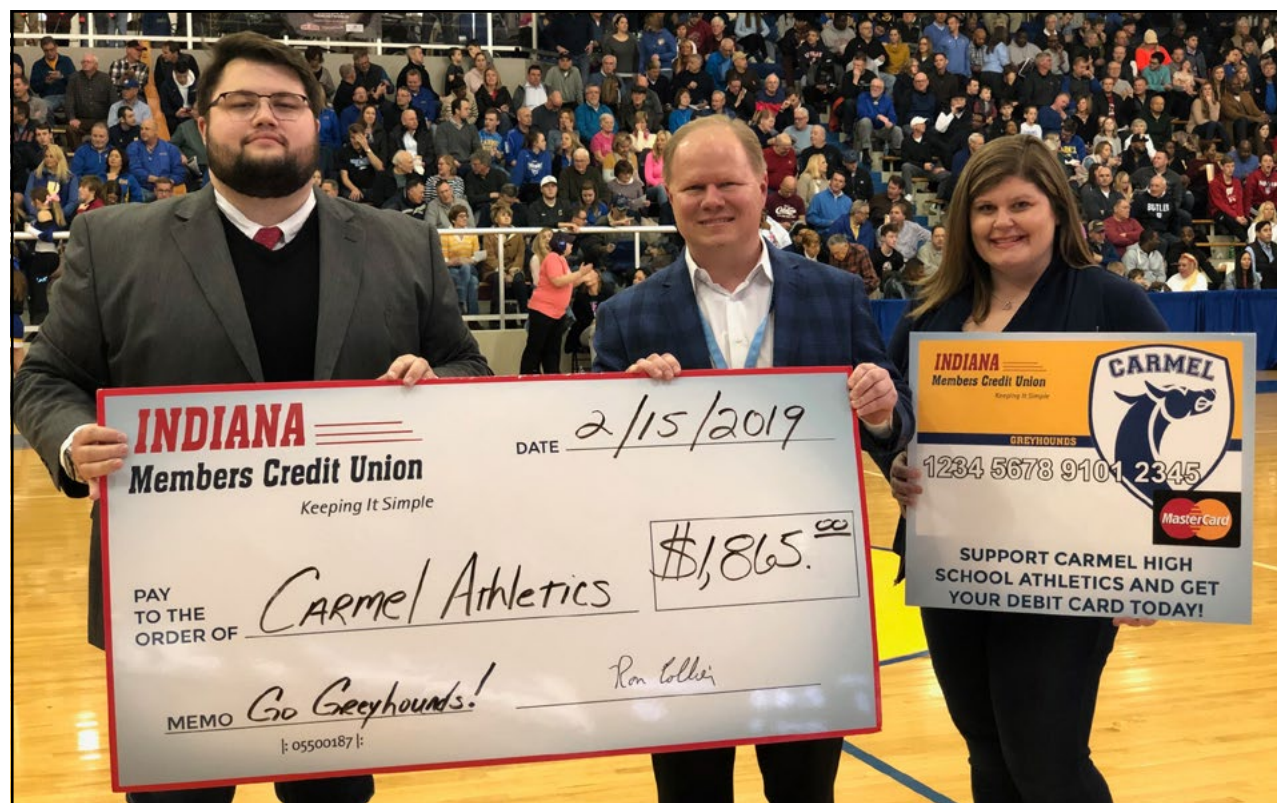


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(From left) IMCU Carmel Branch Account Service Representative Aaron Baker, Carmel High School Athletic Director Jim Inskeep and IMCU Old Meridian Branch Manager Stephanie Roesner.

# IMCU contributes \$1,865 to Carmel High School

**The REPORTER**

Indiana Members Credit Union (IMCU) recently presented a check for \$1,865 to Carmel High School as part of an ongoing school spirit debit card program.

The partnership allows Carmel fans the opportunity to show their school spirit and support the athletic program by signing up for a Carmel Greyhounds themed debit card. Every time the card is used as a signature based transaction, Carmel athletics benefits. The more cards that are in use, the larger the contribution. Since beginning the program in 2013, IMCU has donated \$8,412.

IMCU Old Meridian Branch Manager Stephanie Roesner, and IMCU

Carmel Branch Account Service Representative Aaron Baker presented the check to Carmel High School Athletic Director Jim Inskeep at the boys' varsity basketball game on Feb. 15.

The card is available for issue to members at the IMCU Carmel Branch, 4790 E. 96th St., and at the IMCU Old Meridian Branch, 12725 Old Meridian St., as well as IMCU's other 25 Central Indiana locations. The IMCU Carmel Greyhounds debit card is free to members with IMCU's free checking account and can be issued immediately through IMCU's Instant Issue program, which allows members to receive their debit card on the spot.

Help support Carmel High School

and visit the IMCU Carmel or Old Meridian Branches or [imcu.com](http://imcu.com) for details.

**About Indiana Members Credit Union**

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# A letter to myself

Dear Janet,  
At 63 you would think you would have it all together ... but you don't. And that's okay.

You have come a long way but still have a ways to go. Keep going. Don't let anyone or anything discourage you. Your mind is the greatest big bad wolf.

Never use your age as an excuse. Okay, use it as an excuse when you do not want to do something. Like hot yoga or running a marathon. Or bungee jumping.

Understand that it is okay not to be okay.

You can cry ugly tears, just buy lots of mascara. Your heart has become more tender with age. Allow it to feel more joy as well as sorrow. Tenderness tips over the "comfort and joy" bucket as well as the "I've had enough" bucket. Both produce tears. Let them flow.

If you are angry or hurt, figure out the reasons why. What can be done? What can you control? What can you change? Who can you avoid or delete from your life?

Walk away. You don't need drama in your life. Don't accept the invitation to the circus if it does not involve your monkeys.

If it involves your monkeys, you must decide whether to become part of the three-ring circus and attempt to become the ringmaster ... or just stay in the audience and avoid the chaos. Choose wisely ... after



JANET HART LEONARD  
From the Heart

much prayer. And speaking of prayer. Pray more. And if you want to hear from God, read His words. Can you really ever get too much of the Psalms? What about the 34th and 37th chapters? Aren't those your go-to chapters when life gets messy and you are overwhelmed?

Do not try to figure everything out. It will work out. It may not be how you plan it or expect it ... but it will be okay. Remember you history with God.

You spend too much time worrying. Read that again. Worry is a waste of time, energy and the joy of the moment. Aren't you the one always telling others that God has got this? Hello!

There are things that are out of your control. You can't gather the seeds of a dandelion any more than you can gather the opinions of others to your liking. In other words, let them go. Let them land where they may. They will be revealed in the fruit or the weeds they produce.

Live in the moment. If you look ahead with fear and trepidation you will miss so much beauty in the day. The sign you are seeing in your mind may say 72 miles until the road ends but look at the scenery before you get there. Who knows, you may find a beautiful detour.

You don't have to keep

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# Singh offers to donate his council salary, if elected

By LARRY LANNAN  
[LarryInFishers.com](http://LarryInFishers.com)

At Large City Council candidate Gurinder Singh has announced a pledge: He is making a commitment to donate his city council salary, if elected, to charities benefiting police and fire department workers.

In a news release issued by his campaign, Singh says half his council salary would go to the Indiana Fishers Fire Foundation and half to the Central Indiana



Singh

Police Foundation, which provides gunshot trauma kits and other resources.

Based on the 2019 city salary ordinance, Fishers City Council members are paid just over \$20,000 per year.

Singh is running in the Republican primary against the three incumbents currently holding at large city council seats – Cecilia

Coble, Rich Block and Todd Zimmerman. The primary election is set for Tuesday, May 7.

# Key Bank to close downtown location

By FRED SWIFT  
[ReadTheReporter.com](http://ReadTheReporter.com)

Key Bank is leaving downtown Noblesville. In a surprise announcement, bank officials revealed they will close their Courthouse Square location by May 31. The building at 110 N. 9th St. has been home to a banking institution for more than 100 years.

The closing is one of 16 Key Bank locations that will be closing in central Indiana. Another Key branch on Pebblebrook Drive will also be leaving Noblesville. The sudden announcement of the closings is brought about by a change in customers' banking habits, with more favoring online banking.

With the departure of Key from downtown, First Merchants Bank at 830 Logan St. will be the only bank on the Square.

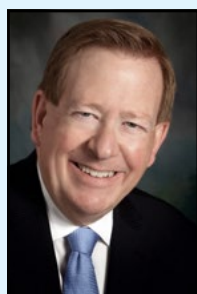
The real estate at 110 N. 9th is owned by Keybank National Association, which lists Albany, N.Y. as its business address. There was no immediate indication of what will become of the building. It was built as a bank about 1910, and home to American National Bank, a locally owned firm, for decades prior to the wave of bank mergers that began in the 1980s.

Key branches at 480 Sheridan Road and in Hamilton Town Center will remain open as well as several other locations in Hamilton County.

# Carmel's District Tax Rate fifth lowest in state of Indiana

**The REPORTER**

New data from the State of Indiana shows that Carmel continues to be one of best cities in Indiana to live when it comes to paying property taxes. Carmel's District Tax Rate, which combines the City rate with other taxing units – including the school district, library, township, county and solid waste – adds up to \$2.0354 per \$100 assessed valuation – a rate that is the fifth lowest in the State of Indiana



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out of 118 cities. "Previously, we received information that Carmel had the 11th lowest city-only tax rate in Indiana and that was excellent news for our residential property owners," said Mayor Jim Brainard. "Now we have even better news to celebrate, thanks to our strategy of focusing on a high quality of life in order to attract corporate and commercial investment dollars that help keep our property taxes low."

## Taxes assessed on home value in Hamilton County's four cities

Market Value of home	Carmel	Westfield	Fishers	Noblesville
\$200,000 home	\$1,990	\$2,357	\$2,269	\$2,517
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## LETTER

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score in what you achieve on a daily basis. If you do nothing but be kind to someone during the day you have made a difference. That is the total game changer.

Judge not. It's that simple. You don't know the battle someone is fighting. You don't know where their shoes have been. And mostly, you don't know their heart.

So much energy and time are wasted on what you cannot control. Let go! Take your hands as well as your heart off of it!

If someone does not like you it is their loss. You don't have to prove your worth to anyone. Always remember you are enough!

If someone asks your opinion you do not have to give it. Silence is not only golden but in your best interest at times.

It's okay just to sit and ponder. It's not just okay, but you need to do it more often.

You can't be everything to everyone. Trying to do so is like juggling, walking a tightrope and swinging on a

trapeze, all at the same time. It does not work out well in the long run. You don't always have a safety net.

I have much more to say to you but that will be another time, another day.

I have some pondering to do. I have some people who need to be shown a bit of kindness. I have a bit of quiet to enjoy.

So my friend and dear self, just know you are loved. And that will always be enough.

Sincerely,  
Janet

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**Applications are available at the Arcadia Town Hall**  
208 West Main Street Arcadia, Indiana 46030.  
Applications will be accepted at the Clerk's Office until 4:30 p.m. on Monday, April 1, 2019.

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I was born and raised right here in Noblesville. I grew up in a home without domestic violence or assault - it wasn't something I saw, or even heard about.

But when I was introduced to Prevail of Central Indiana, I was shocked by the number of individuals who are affected by domestic violence. In 2018 alone, Prevail helped more than 4,000 clients in Hamilton County. (Nearly 80 percent of clients are women and children.)

Prevail is strictly confidential, and since their core values include integrity and respect, they provide their services at no charge. Domestic violence and abuse are hard topics to discuss, so you don't often hear about them. But at Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville, we're breaking the taboo and raising awareness for Prevail, an organization that helps families in Hamilton County.

- Mike Bragg, GM of Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville

**To help Hamilton County families affected by domestic violence and sexual abuse, you can donate the following items:**

- Art supplies (for children to journal and express their emotions)
- Bottled water (8 oz. bottles, preferably)
- Individually packaged snacks
- Gas cards (many women have no access to funds after fleeing their abuser)

You can drop off items at Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville, located at 14701 Tom Wood Way. You can also donate directly to Prevail of Central Indiana by visiting [Prevailinc.org](http://Prevailinc.org).

Forty stories celebrating 40 years . . .



Photo provided by Krista Lawson with American StructurePoint  
(From left) Chef Brett, Seth Johnson, Christy Bowser, Rusty Gasper and Sam McNew.

## Cooking up delicious recipes in the Janus Chef's Table program

### The REPORTER

The Janus Doorways program provides specialized classes that focus on acquiring important life skills. Many community businesses have reached out to see how they can assist Janus by providing special opportunities and experiences for our participants. Here is one special story:

Clients participating in the Doorways, Chef's Table program were very excited to work with a pro-

fessional chef to increase their cooking skills. Chef Brett Lewis from the 502 East Event Centre graciously volunteered his time to share his expertise with one of the Chef's Table cooking groups.

Chef Brett and a group of Janus clients prepared bacon-wrapped dates stuffed with almonds and Italian sabayon with berries. The food was delicious and everyone was in awe of Chef Brett's skills

and talents.

The Chef's Table group learned about the proper measuring of ingredients, how to separate an egg, baking secrets and so much more. Chef Brett selected dishes that were easy for clients to duplicate at home and even provided recipes.

If you would like more information on how you or your company can volunteer at Janus, call Debbie Laird at 317-773-8781, ext. 100.

## Two more teams needed for Noblesville Lions dodgeball tournament

### The REPORTER

Want to know how you can contribute to charities while also having fun? Well, if you are between ages 17 and 40, you qualify.

All you need to do is have little athletic ability, at least seven friends . . . and sign up for the Noblesville Lions Club dodgeball tournament.

Last year, the tournament raised \$5,000 for charities, and it is on track to raising \$7,000 this year. Of the 31 charities the Noblesville Lions support, the main emphasis is on vision health and scholarships.

Only two more teams are needed to compete in the competitive league.

Entries need to be submitted by March 8.

For more information, contact Rollin Cutter by calling 317-773-5363 or by emailing [rmcutter2@gmail.com](mailto:rmcutter2@gmail.com). You can also contact Mark Roberts by texting or calling 317-694-5768 or by emailing [mark-roberts40@gmail.com](mailto:mark-roberts40@gmail.com).

## Open house for Vietnam, Korean veterans on March 23

### The REPORTER

To recognize military service men and women who served during the Vietnam era, as well as those who served in Korea, the Horseshoe Prairie Chapter of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution invites you to attend an open house from 9 to 11 a.m. on Saturday, March 23 at the Noblesville Township Community Center, 372 S. 8th St., in Noblesville.

Coffee, juice and dough-

nuts donated by The Farmers Bank will be served by members of the Horseshoe Prairie Chapter, as well as Boy Scout Troop 101.

Most states celebrate "Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day" on the anniversary of the final withdrawal of U.S. troops from Vietnam. The day commemorates the sacrifices of Vietnam veterans and is part of a national effort to recognize the men and women who were denied a proper welcome upon returning home

more than 40 years ago.

The United States Congress has designated March 29 of each year to be recognized as National Vietnam War Veterans Day.

The Horseshoe Prairie Chapter recognizes and thanks all our military veterans for their service and dedication to this country. Ancestors of the Daughters of the American Revolution fought to establish a country free from tyranny and provide the independence everyone enjoys today.

## Fishers road construction updates

### The REPORTER

**Allisonville Road & 131st Street**  
131st Street at the Allisonville Road intersection will be closed from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Tuesday, March 12 and Wednesday, March 13 for storm sewer crossing work, weather permitting. Fawnsbrook Drive and 126th Street will be open to east/west traffic during the

restrictions.

**Allisonville Road**  
Southbound and northbound traffic on Allisonville Road has moved onto the newly constructed pavement as part of Phase 3 of the project. This will be the traffic configuration moving into the spring of 2019. The posted speed limit will remain 30 mph. For more info on this project, view

the **Fact Sheet**.

**State Road 37**  
Drainage work for State Road 37 is in progress. Construction vehicles will be using the construction entrance on Lantern Road, between 126th and 131st streets, and may cause some short delays. There are no scheduled lane restrictions or closures along SR 37 at this time.

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## Children are the future

*Editor's Note: The Sheridan Student Column is brought to readers by Sheridan High School's 10th grade English class, taught by Abigayle Williams.*



CARTER BRAZZELL  
Sheridan High School Student

The fate of the world lies in the hands of today's children. This is true for every generation: The children will grow up and be responsible for everything in the world. They will grow up and essentially become the world, in the future. They'll be responsible to fix their parents' and grandparents' mistakes, to get past previous generations' shortcomings, and to be simply better than those who came before them. Knowing this, isn't it important to teach them everything we can, to educate them as much as we can, so they'll be able to make the right decisions?

Here's the thing about children: They have nearly unlimited potential while they're still children; they have the ability to do anything, to become anything. That's because while people are children, they can easily be shaped into anything, because nothing is certain for them yet. This is why it is important not to force anything upon children. If someone forces his beliefs and opinions upon a child, that child will grow up to be just like that person, instead of forming his own beliefs and becoming his own person. We can't force our views on children, or else they'll just be a repeat of previous generations, when in reality what we need is a new generation.

When I say we need to avoid forcing views on children, I'm not trying to tell you how to raise a child. As a 16-year-old kid in high school, I don't have any experience raising a

child. All I'm trying to say is that today's children are the most important people in the world, and we need to be helping them as much as we can to reach their full potential. When someone forces beliefs on a child, that puts a restriction on his potential, because he just lost the chance to think for himself. This is why when we educate the children of the future, we must remain as unbiased as we can. We shouldn't always tell them what's right and wrong, because that is for them to decide. If we educate them and remain unbiased, they will make the right choices on what is right and what is wrong. And when they make the right choices for themselves, it just increases their potential in the future.

When people grow up, they often somewhat lose the ability to change. They become certain, they finish becoming a person, and who they are solidifies. And while they can still change, it becomes much harder the older people get. This is why children are the most important. If we do everything we can to help them, to teach them, to guide them, they will grow up to be the best people that they can be.

Today's children are responsible for taking care of the world in the future. They'll be making the big decisions – the important decisions – that will shape the world forever. With such a weight on their shoulders, our job is to support them in every way possible. We must educate them, so they will make the right choices in the future. We must do everything we can to help guide them. The fate of the world is in their hands, after all.

## GOP women meet with executive coach Starla West



Photo provided by Denise Moe

The Hamilton County Republican Women's Club held an event Thursday evening at Another Broken Egg Café, 8626 E. 116th St. #175, Fishers. Starla West, an executive coach, spoke to the group about setting life priorities. Donations were collected for the Right Now campaign that provides necessary items for Hamilton County families in need. Describing the Right Now campaign, West said, "Actions speak louder than words." (Back row, from left) Emily Pearson, Jennifer Templeton, Kim Good, Suzanne Heinzmann, Jennifer Wright-Kehl, Sue Finkham and Starla West. (Front row, from left) Victoria Spartz, Danielle Carey Tolan, Paula Hughel, Megan Wiles and Cecilia Coble.

## Police officer visits Sheridan Rotary

### The REPORTER

Sheridan Rotary had the pleasure of hosting a very nice and rather unique guest speaker recently: Sheridan's first full-time female police officer, Lidia Fairchok. Having joined the Sheridan Police Department a few months ago, Lidia has the distinction of being the top graduate from her Indiana Law Enforcement Academy class.

Officer Fairchok related her interesting history to the gathered Rotarians. A farm girl, her family migrated from Pennsylvania to Ohio and finally settled in the Westfield area. Lidia was homeschooled and never imagined herself in a law

enforcement career.

As luck would have it, her public safety career began by working in the Hamilton County Public Safety Communications Center (the 911 Center) in Noblesville. This stressful but rewarding job requires a true multi-tasking individual who is dedicated to doing the job correctly, completely and quickly – all great skills for a police officer. After three years as a dispatcher, Lidia decided a career as a police officer was what she wanted. Lidia was living in Sheridan and an opening on the local police force became available. She applied and was accepted. Within a few weeks Lidia was on her way to the Indiana Law Enforcement Academy in Plainfield where she graduated at the top of her class.

Lidia came to the Rotary meeting with a PowerPoint chock full of Academy pictures and a memory filled with interesting and entertaining stories, much to the delight of the Rotarians. This well-spoken and remarkable young woman is an asset to the Sheridan Police Department and the Sheridan community. Lidia is quick-witted, and her smile and affable personality light up the room. You get the feeling that she is a no-nonsense police officer



Photo provided

Sheridan Police Officer Lidia Fairchok visited with Sheridan Rotarians at their recent meeting.

fully capable of enforcing the law. A great addition to the community, the Rotarians are pleased and blessed Lidia has chosen to start her law enforcement career working in Sheridan.

### About Sheridan Rotary

Sheridan Rotary is a community service organization with direct ties to Rotary International. As such the club does multiple local projects and partners with other clubs to accomplish

regional and international projects. The Sheridan club has formal meetings with a meal and special program at 6:15 p.m. on the first and third Tuesdays of each month in the Community Room of the Sheridan Public Library. The public is encouraged to attend. The other Tuesdays are reserved for club business meetings and special community projects. For further club information, please contact any Sheridan Rotary member.

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# Protecting children from radon in Indiana schools

By **DAVID WILLIAMS**  
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A measure approved by the Indiana Senate would help public schools make sure their environments are safe from radon.

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency says the extremely toxic radioactive gas causes lung cancer. The EPA also says you can't see the gas, smell it or taste it.



Rice

Hamilton Southeastern Schools actively tracks the gas in its facilities.

Bob Rice, who is the energy manager for Hamilton Southeastern Schools, said Friday, "It comes from the ground and it can infiltrate buildings. It's the second-leading cause of lung cancer after smoking."

Rice is in charge of testing all HSE schools for radon every five years.

"Most of our schools are on slabs. But, the radon gas can still come in. Since we have brick walls, it can actually build up in our schools," Rice said. "So, it's one of those issues where we're bringing in enough fresh air so we're pumping the radon out and getting fresh clean air in so we're not exposing our kids to radioactive elements."

Cumberland Elementary School was remodeled and tested a couple years ago. The cost to test that school was about \$1,200. Rice said it costs more to

test its high schools, Fishers and Hamilton Southeastern, which are larger than the elementary schools.

"We've never had a school reach over 4 picocuries, which is kind of the baseline," Rice said. "Most of ours are around 1.3, 1.8, which is the average of Indiana."

Under a bill from state Sen. Eric Bassler, the state's Health Department every three years would have to give each public school district a "best practices" manual for indoor air-quality management and radon testing recommendations.

"It will get radon on people's radar screens," said the Republican from Washington, Ind. "So, they will be able to start being aware of it. They can then make a decision on how often they would test for it. I believe the EPA recommends a school test every five years."

The senator said less than roughly 5 percent of Indiana public schools have tested for radon in the last five to 10 years.

"If we ever got to the point where we were going to require schools to do that testing," Bassler said, "I'd want to provide them with funding to help to the testing."

Bassler's bill was referred to the House on Wednesday for consideration.

# Carmel Clay Parks & Recreation celebrates inclusion for Disability Awareness Month

## The REPORTER

Focusing on inclusion is in line with Carmel Clay Parks & Recreation's (CCPR) core value of including all ages, levels and abilities in everything they do.

CCPR promotes inclusion year-round, but this month the organization spotlights the topic to further raise awareness and promote independence, integration and inclusion of all people in the community. CCPR hosts a variety of adaptive recreation programs for all ages through-

out the year and is committed to hiring individuals with disabilities.

CCPR will host its second annual barrier-free theatre performance on March 23 and 24. Barrier-free theatre is a form of drama therapy in which participants write and act in their own production. For this year's performance, *Colors of Unity*, participants chose to focus on the theme of family. This theme is reflected in the cast's original music and script. Barrier-free empowers participants, in-

creases self-confidence and improves self-awareness. It also creates a positive, inclusive and creative environment.

"This year, creating our theatre production has been extremely thrilling because we have seen so much growth and understanding of self and our community," said Michelle Yadon, inclusion program supervisor for Carmel Clay Parks & Recreation. "The cast believes that all people should be shown hope, peace, joy and love."

Tickets are now on sale

for *Colors of Unity*. Individuals of all ages and abilities are welcome to attend. Show times are 6 p.m. on Saturday, March 23 and 2 p.m. on Sunday, March 24. An American Sign Language interpreter will be at the Saturday performance. Tickets are \$5 and can be purchased at the **Monon Community Center** or online at [carmelclayparks.com](http://carmelclayparks.com).

For more information about barrier-free theatre or adaptive programming, contact Michelle Yadon at [myadon@carmelclayparks.com](mailto:myadon@carmelclayparks.com).

# California-based CEO explains why Carmel is so desirable for property investors

## The REPORTER

The CEO of stREITwise, a California-based investment firm, has explained why the purchase of a Carmel Midtown corporate building makes sense for his firm and to local investors.

Eliot Bencuya, in a new Q&A, shared his thoughts on the newest acquisition – the Allied Solutions Building in Carmel – and how it will improve the stREITwise offering for investors and what to look out for in the future.

"What's special about Carmel, and Midtown Carmel in particular, is that it illustrates the transformative power of cohesive mixed-use redevelopments in suburban settings," said Bencuya. "People love to talk about how the trend of the decade is the 'move to the city,' particularly among Millennials, but the reali-

ty is much more nuanced. Suburbs are a fundamental part of the American fabric, especially in non-gateway markets, and it's evident that it's possible, and in many cases preferable and cheaper, to move 'downtowns' to where people already live rather than move people to 'downtowns!'"

stREITwise recently added Allied Solutions' new headquarters in Carmel's growing Midtown as the newest asset in its growing portfolio. stREITwise pur-

chased the building for \$32 million from Ambrose Property Group.

Bencuya called the Allied Solutions building the

"centerpiece" of the new hub of redevelopment and growth in Carmel.

[Click here](#) to read the entire Q&A.

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*But he said unto them, Give ye them to eat. And they said, We have no more but five loaves and two fishes; except we should go and buy meat for all this people. For they were about five thousand men. And he said to his disciples, Make them sit down by fifties in a company. And they did so, and made them all sit down. Then he took the five loaves and the two fishes, and looking up to heaven, he blessed them, and brake, and gave to the disciples to set before the multitude. And they did eat, and were all filled: and there was taken up of fragments that remained to them twelve baskets.*

Luke 9:13-17 (KJV)

# What Indiana governor made the cover of Time Magazine?

## The REPORTER

This coming week in Indiana's history ...

**1821** – The United States Congress approved the construction of roads in Indiana. Routes would connect Indianapolis to Brookville, Brownstown, Vernon, Richmond and Connersville. Other new roads were proposed from Lawrenceburg to Aurora and from Hanover to Rising Sun and Versailles.

**1905** – Indiana began the first statewide registration of motor vehicles. For a fee of \$1, the owner was given a two-inch diameter disc with registration number to be hung on the dashboard of the vehicle.

**1931** – The tulip tree was adopted as the official state tree of Indiana. Also known as the yellow poplar, the tree is tall and



straight and can grow to over 100 feet. Its soft white wood has many uses. The tree was a favorite among Hoosier pioneers. The distinctive tulip-shaped leaf decorates the border of the Indiana State Seal.

**1933** – Virginia Jenckes from Terre Haute became the first woman from Indiana to serve in the United States House of Representatives. She was an energetic advocate for women and strongly supported flood-control legislation and the repeal of prohibition. After serving three terms, she remained in Washington to work for the Red Cross, where she helped create the nation's

first blood bank.

**1955** – Indiana Governor George Craig made the cover of Time Magazine. He was described as the "swift-footed, swashbuckling lawyer politician at the Crossroads of America." His administration initiated an extensive highway program which widened highways and replaced many narrow bridges.

**1996** – Hermine "Miep" Gies was the special guest of the Indianapolis Children's Museum. She was one of the Dutch citizens who hid Anne Frank and her family from the Nazis during World War II. It was Miep who retrieved the scattered pages of Anne's diary. They were later assembled into a book which has become a classic of world literature.

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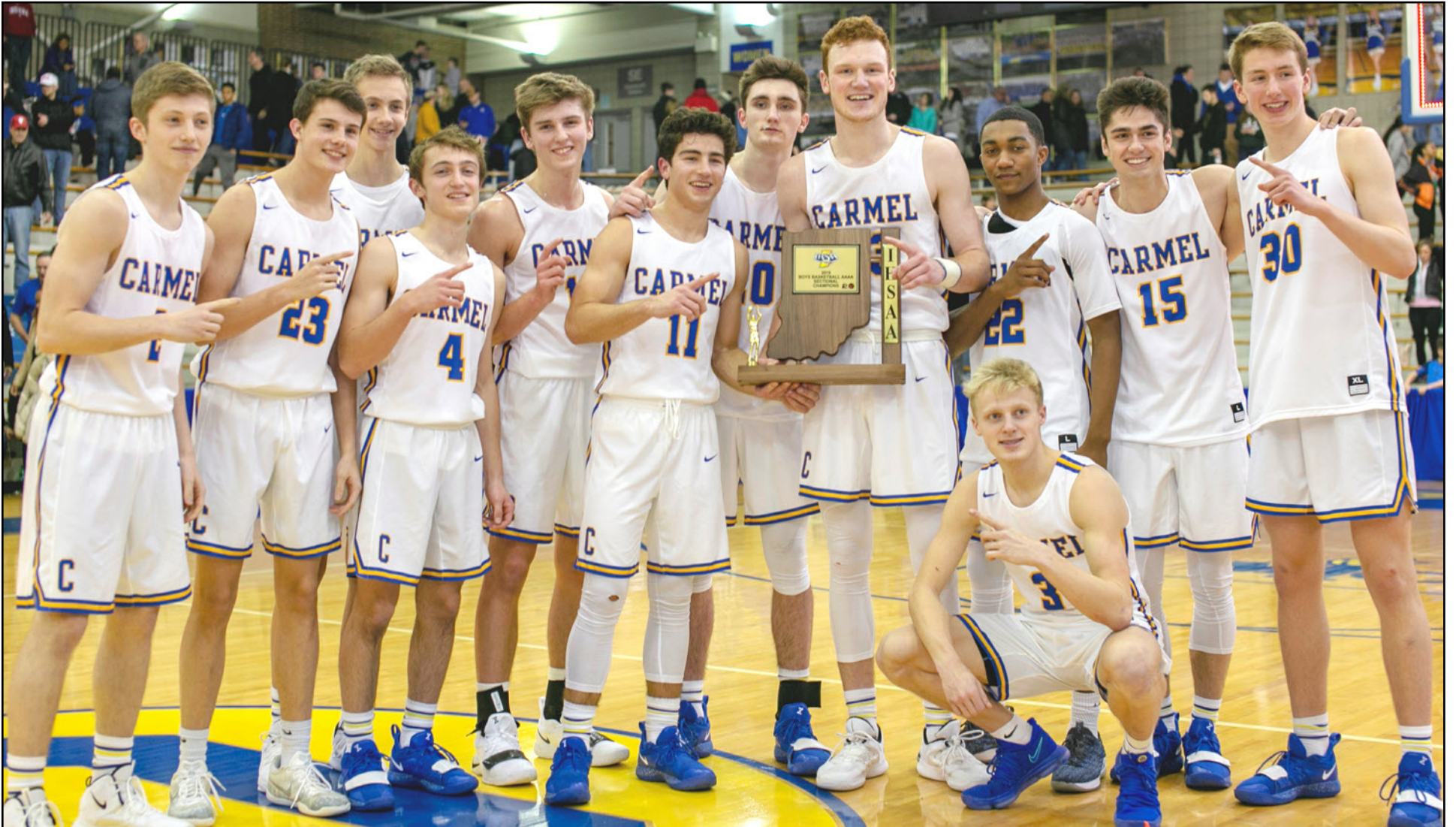
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## Boys basketball sectionals



Reporter photo by Kirk Green

The Carmel boys basketball team won its fifth consecutive sectional championship Saturday at the Eric Clark Activity Center. The No. 1-ranked Greyhounds held off Hamilton Southeastern 45-39 for the title, and will next play at the Logansport regional next Saturday.

## 'Hounds hold off Royals for fifth straight championship

CARMEL - Winning a boys basketball sectional championship is never as easy as it looks.

Just ask Carmel, which successfully defended its home gym Saturday night by winning the Class 4A Sectional 8 title at the Eric Clark Activity Center. The No. 1-ranked Greyhounds had to fight for the entire game against old rival Hamilton Southeastern, but found a way to a 45-39 victory. This is the fifth straight sectional

championship for Carmel and qualifies the 'Hounds for the Logansport regional, where they will play Fort Wayne Northrop in the first game, at 10 a.m. next Saturday.

"We knew it wasn't going to be easy, and you got to give those guys credit," said Carmel coach Ryan Osborn. "They fought. It was one of the most back-and-forth games that I've been a part of. I was happy the most with our guys responding. It's not like they got punched in the mouth and they took it,

they sat back and took it. They came back and they battled. I thought they were tough."

The Greyhounds never trailed in the game, and were only tied once: Carmel's Andrew Owens opened the contest with a 3-pointer, but the Royals' Vinny Buccilla answered that with a three-point play.

Karsten Windlan's jumper got the 'Hounds ahead 5-3. Seconds later, Windlan and Owens made back-to-back 3s, putting Carmel up 11-4.

The Greyhounds led 13-9 after the first quarter, and quickly extended the lead to 15-9 after John Michael Mulloy made a layin and Windlan converted two free throws. Southeastern's Kole Hornbuckle nearly brought the Royals all the way back, draining a 3, then scoring off a steal. Mulloy got the lead back to five with a layin, but Chris Grubbs nailed a triple, and got HSE within 19-17.

The Royals were without injured starting guard Noah Smith, so several players stepped up for Southeastern. Osborn praised the Royals on their effort after the game, calling them "a good, talented team."

"They're really good as far as keeping guys off the boards and limiting extra possessions," said Osborn. "Against a team like that, they go 7-2, 6-7, 6-6, 6-6 to start the game. And they're flying in there. I think the first seven possessions they get five offensive rebounds.

"Our guys battled. Andrew comes out with a lip cut and bleeding everywhere, and he gets it fixed and he's right back in there, and he battles for the rest of the game."

Grubbs would later make 3 of 4 foul shots with under 12 seconds left in the second quarter (on separate fouls), cutting Carmel's lead to 21-20. But Greyhounds freshman Pete Suder put in a layin with time

running out in the half, giving Carmel a 23-20 halftime lead.

"Before the game, we always tell each other, 'There's going to be some runs, but we got to stick together and play as a team,'" said Windlan. "We really bought into that."

The third quarter was a defensive one, as both teams scored eight points. Southeastern got within one point twice, including at 27-26 when Landon Morris hit a jump shot. Mulloy made two foul shots, then Suder scored again to get the lead back to 31-26.

The Royals had the last word of the period, as Aaron Etherington's floater kept the Royals within 31-28. But Carmel got going in the fourth, beginning the quarter with an 8-0 run. Windlan started the run with a free throw, Suder made a layin, then Mulloy converted a three-point play to give the 'Hounds their biggest lead, 37-28. Windlan scored soon after, and Carmel was up 39-28.

"The great thing is, we can say we've been here before," said Mulloy. "And it was awesome just to know that we were able to focus in on things. We have a freshman (Suder) starting. He's learning and it's a great time to lead and just show the younger kids what to do and to step up and that's what they're doing."

Southeastern made one last push with under two minutes left: Grubbs drained two free throws, then Etherington dunked a rebound, keeping HSE within 41-36 with 1:17 left. But the clock was on Carmel's side by now. Owens made a layin with under a minute to go, then Mulloy made two free throws with 15 seconds left.

Mulloy scored 19 points and Windlan added 10; both collected eight rebounds.

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Hamilton Southeastern's Mabor Majak goes up to the basket during the Sectional 8 championship game Saturday night. The Royals gave Carmel a tough battle before falling 45-39, finishing their season with a 16-9 record.



Reporter photo by Kent Graham

Hamilton Southeastern's Chris Grubbs (right) scored 12 points for the Royals. At left is Carmel's Andrew Owens, who scored 10 for the Greyhounds.



Reporter photo by Kirk Green

Carmel's John Michael Mulloy holds off five fingers, celebrating the Greyhounds' fifth consecutive sectional championship.

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Owens also scored 10 points. Grubbs scored 12 points and pulled seven rebounds for Southeastern, which finished the season 16-9. Morris and Mabor Majak each grabbed six rebounds, and Etherington dished out four assists.

Carmel's win marked the boys basketball program's 29th sectional championship, and the third time that the Greyhounds have won five in a row. Carmel won nine consecutive titles between 1966 and 1974, then collected five straight championships between 1976 and 1980.

Bradley Beemon 0-1 0-0 0 0  
 Elliott Robinson 1-1 0-0 3 1  
 Brandon Miller 0-0 0-0 0 0  
**Totals 13-38 9-15 39 15**  
 Southeastern 3-point shooting (4-14) Buccilla 1-4, Grubbs 1-3, Hornbuckle 1-1, Robinson 1-1, Etherington 0-3, Beemon 0-1, Morris 0-1.  
 Southeastern rebounds (27) Grubbs 7, Morris 6, Majak 6, Etherington 2, Hornbuckle 2, Beemon 1, Buccilla 1, team 2.

**Carmel 45, Hamilton Southeastern 39**

	FG	FT	TP	PF
Southeastern	2-10	0-0	4	3
Aaron Etherington	2-10	0-0	4	3
Chris Grubbs	3-7	5-6	12	1
Vinny Buccilla	2-9	1-1	6	0
Landon Morris	2-6	1-3	5	4
Mabor Majak	1-2	2-5	4	4
Kole Hornbuckle	2-2	0-0	5	2

	FG	FT	TP	PF
Carmel	3-10	3-4	10	3
Karsten Windlan	3-4	0-0	6	3
Pete Suder	0-3	0-1	0	3
Luke Heady	4-9	0-1	10	1
Andrew Owens	3-6	13-13	19	4
John Michael Mulloy	0-1	0-0	0	1
Robert Fry	0-1	0-0	0	0
Ben Frische	0-0	0-0	0	1
Conner Gioia	13-34	16-19	45	16

Carmel 3-point shooting (3-16) Owens 2-6, Windlan 1-6, Heady 0-2, Suder 0-1, Owens 0-1. Carmel rebounds (27) Windlan 8, Mulloy 8, Owens 4, Frische 3, Heady 2, Gioia 1, Suder 1.

**Score by Quarters**

Southeastern	9	11	8	11	39
Carmel	13	10	8	14	45

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Miami 117, Brooklyn 88	Golden State 120, Philadelphia 117	Phoenix 118, L.A. Lakers 109	Utah 115, Milwaukee 111

## Eastern Conference

Atlantic	W	L	PCT.	GB
Toronto	46	17	.730	-
Philadelphia	40	23	.635	6.0
Boston	38	25	.603	8.0
Brooklyn	32	33	.492	15.0
New York	13	49	.210	32.5
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
x - Milwaukee	48	15	.762	-
Indiana	41	23	.641	7.5
Detroit	30	31	.492	17.0
Chicago	18	45	.286	30.5
Cleveland	15	48	.238	33.0
Southeast	W	L	PCT.	GB
Orlando	30	34	.469	-
Charlotte	29	33	.468	-
Miami	28	34	.452	1.0
Washington	25	37	.403	4.0
Atlanta	21	42	.333	8.5

x - Clinched playoff berth

## Western Conference

Northwest	W	L	PCT.	GB
Denver	42	20	.677	-
Oklahoma City	38	24	.613	4.0
Portland	38	24	.613	4.0
Utah	36	26	.581	6.0
Minnesota	29	33	.468	13.0
Pacific	W	L	PCT.	GB
Golden State	44	19	.698	-
L.A. Clippers	35	29	.547	9.5
Sacramento	31	31	.500	12.5
L.A. Lakers	30	33	.476	14.0
Phoenix	13	51	.203	31.5
Southwest	W	L	PCT.	GB
Houston	37	25	.597	-
San Antonio	35	29	.547	3.0
New Orleans	29	36	.446	9.5
Dallas	27	35	.435	10.0
Memphis	25	39	.391	13.0

## Trailblazers fall to Metropolitan in Sectional 58 championship

The Indianapolis Metropolitan Pumas used a dominating second quarter to gain control of the game and go on to a 39-33 win over University in the Sectional 58 championship game.

University jumped out to a 9-4 lead after the first quarter behind five points from Joe Martin. The 9-4 lead on a rebound basket by Jacob Sager turned out to be the largest University lead of the game.

The Pumas held University to just two points in the second quarter, a Joe Martin layup midway through the period. Metropolitan scored 11 points in the period and took a 15-11 halftime lead.

University kept closing the margin in the third quarter, pulling within one on a Sager basket with one second left.

The Blazers regained the lead at 24-23 on the first possession of the fourth quarter but the Pumas answered with a Joseph Matticx jumper to gain a lead they never relinquished.

University had one last run to get within 31-29 with 3:02 left when Sam Mervis scored off a steal. However Noah Jordan made a free throw and Derek Anderson made a basket and the Pumas maintained at least a two possession lead the rest of the game.

"Congratulations to Metro. They deserved to win tonight," said University coach Brandon Lafferman. "Met made timely shots and played good defense. They made a few more plays than we did. Met has a good chance to win at regional next week."

University ends the season with a 21-5 record, the Blazers third 20-win season in the last four.

Joe Martin	4-12	0-0	9	4
Camden Brown	3-4	2-3	8	2
Sam Mervis	2-8	0-0	5	3
Max Greenamoyer	1-7	0-0	2	2
Eric Major	0-1	0-1	0	1
Nate Shatkowski	0-5	0-0	0	1
Quinn Steiner	0-1	0-0	0	1
Korey Ash-Simpson	0-0	0-0	0	0
Eyal Friedman	0-0	0-0	0	0
Totals	14-43	3-9	33	18

Score by Quarters					
University	9	2	11	11	33
Metropolitan	4	11	8	16	39
University 3-point shooting (2-16) Martin 1-3, Mervis 1-2, Greenamoyer 0-5, Shatkowski 0-3, Brown 0-1, Major 0-1, Steiner 0-1.					
University rebounds (27) Martin 6, Brown 4, Shatkowski 4, Sager 3, Mervis 3, Greenamoyer 3, Major 3, Ash-Simpson 1.					

### Metropolitan 39, University 33

	FG	FT	TP	PF
University	4-5	1-5	9	4
Jacob Sager				

# Orlando rallies past Pacers, 117-112

By WHEAT HOTCHKISS  
Courtesy nba.com/pacers

The Indiana Pacers went 9-3 in the month of February, but they began March the same way they ended January — with a loss to the Orlando Magic.

Orlando (30-34) rallied from a 10-point halftime deficit to beat the Pacers (42-22) on Saturday night at Bankers Life Fieldhouse, 117-112.

"This hurts me to say, but they wanted it more," Pacers point guard Darren Collison said after the loss. "It just seemed like they got all the 50-50 balls... They out-physiced us down the stretch. It's just unacceptable on our part."

Terrence Ross, who went off for what was then a season-high 30 points in the Magic's Jan. 31 win over Indiana in Orlando, scored 16 points in the fourth quarter on Saturday to lead Orlando to victory and back into playoff position in the Eastern Conference.

The Pacers, meanwhile, temporarily fell percentage points behind Philadelphia for third place in the East, but moved back a half-game in front of the Sixers later on Saturday when Philadelphia lost to Golden State.

"They played like they're trying to get a playoff spot and we didn't play up to (the level) where we usually play," co-captain

Thaddeus Young said.

The Pacers fell into an early hole on Saturday. Jonathan Isaac hit two 3-pointers as Orlando opened the contest with 10 unanswered points and an Evan Fournier three shortly thereafter gave the visitors a 13-2 lead.

But the Pacers quickly clawed their way back, with Myles Turner leading the way. Just two days after battling early foul trouble and managing just three points in a win over Minnesota, the 6-11 center racked up eight points in the first seven minutes on Saturday, capped off by one of the plays of the year.

After catching a pass from Collison in the pick-and-roll at the free throw line, Turner took a step into the middle of the lane and rose up for an ambitious dunk attempt. He somehow delivered, rising up over Isaac and literally throwing the ball through the rim with his right hand.

Indiana tied the game at 19 on Bojan Bogdanovic's 3-pointer with 4:26 left in the opening frame and took its first lead at the 2:56 mark on a pair of free throws from Collison. The game headed into the second quarter tied at 27.

The score remained tied at 42 before the Pacers went off on a 13-5 run, capped by a Collison 3-pointer, to take an eight-point lead, and took a 60-55 advantage into the break.

Bogdanovic scored 10 points in the third

quarter, helping the Blue & Gold extend their lead to as many as 10. Orlando slowly chipped away that margin, trimming its deficit to 87-83 heading into the fourth quarter.

The Magic opened the final frame with an 8-3 run, thanks in large part to two Terrence Ross 3-pointers, the latter of which gave the visitors a one-point lead with 10:36 remaining.

"We've had this conversation probably three out of the last five games," Pacers head coach Nate McMillan said. "We've got to get back to calm in big situations, especially the fourth quarter where emotions are high. You've got to be able to calm yourself down and be clear about what it is you need to do out there."

The two teams traded the lead four times over the next four minutes, with Orlando eventually using a 7-1 run to take a 104-99 lead with 5:46 to play.

A Bogdanovic triple got the hosts back within two, but a Nikola Vucevic free throw and back-to-back buckets from Ross extended the margin to seven.

Indiana cut the margin to four after Wesley Matthews was fouled on a 3-pointer and hit all three shots with 1:54 remaining, only for Ross to match him on the opposite end.

The game appeared to be over, but Collison buried a 3-pointer with 35.4

seconds left and then Young stole the ensuing inbounds and dished to Matthews for a quick bucket that made it a 114-112 game with 29.7 seconds remaining.

The sellout crowd at The Fieldhouse rose to its feet, only to have their newfound hope quickly dashed as Evan Fournier buried a game-sealing three with 8.4 seconds to play.

"I think we could have defended it a little bit better," Young said about the fateful play. "We should have switched the screen-and-roll, but we didn't for whatever reason and he got a shot off."

Bogdanovic had a team-high 25 points in the loss, while Collison added 23 points on 8-of-12 shooting and 10 assists.

Fellow starters Young (13 points, six rebounds, and five assists), Matthews (12 points, five rebounds, and four assists), and Turner (10 points, six rebounds, and four blocks) all reached double figures, as did Cory Joseph, who scored 14 points off the bench.

Vucevic led Orlando with 27 points on 11-of-19 shooting and eight rebounds. Ross finished with 23 points, while Fournier added 19 points, five boards, and eight assists.

The Pacers will conclude a three-game homestand on Tuesday against Chicago before hitting the road for eight of their next 11 contests.

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