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## TODAY'S WEATHER



Today: Mostly cloudy, breezy,  
and a stray shower is possible.

Tonight: Scattered showers.



HIGH: 61 LOW: 50



Photo provided

Hamilton Heights Middle School students Vincent Harley and Sydni Zebrauskas are pictured alongside Zebrauskas's work. One of Zebrauskas's works of art featured a portrait of her friend, Vincent.

## Heights artists' works on display at Hamilton North Public Library

### The REPORTER

Hamilton North Public Library is featuring a diverse array of artwork from students at Hamilton Heights Middle and High schools now through April 12.

A special exhibition and reception earlier in the month did no less than impress with bright colors, eclectic designs and creativity with two- and three-dimensional artwork from some of Heights' best young artists.

Erin Goodman and Taylor Myers, art teachers at Hamilton Heights Middle and High schools, in cooperation with the Hamilton North Public Library, helped create the displays featured at the library to highlight the breadth and scope of Heights'

young artists.

The second annual artist reception, held earlier to celebrate Youth Art Month, offered families and members of the community the chance to enjoy exceptional artwork and mingle with artists and the talented and inspirational art teachers who lead their art programs.

"There is nothing a teacher loves more than the opportunity to showcase student successes," said Erin Goodman, Hamilton Heights Middle School art teacher. "We are so appreciative of the Hamilton North Public Library for allowing us to use their wonderful exhibit space."

Jeanann Dodson, a parent who attended the show, said she loved seeing

this exhibit and the proud faces of our students. "With so many art forms represented, it proves there is a place in art for everyone," she pointed out. "What a powerful message for our students and our community!"

"Having a place in the community to call home for our students' artwork and ideas is such a blessing," added Taylor Myers, Hamilton Heights High School art teacher. "I am so thankful for the Hamilton North Public Library allowing us to exhibit all year and on a larger scale in the month of March."

Over 100 students from the middle and high schools submitted entries for this year's display.

## Dulin named to Carmel Bond Bank

### The REPORTER

The City of Carmel Local Public Improvement Bond Bank has announced the appointment of its newest board member, Jimmy Dulin.



Dulin

Dulin is a visionary owner of a successful RE/MAX real estate brokerage in Indiana, along with many related business ventures that assist RE/MAX agents in their development and growth. He holds several real estate certifications and has received a number of awards.

## Carmel Learning Center student found with gun

### The REPORTER

Carmel Police School Resource Officers responded to the Carmel Learning Center, 515 E. Main St., in reference to a tip that a student was in possession of a loaded handgun.



Bickel

Officers located the juvenile student and confiscated the handgun without incident. The 17-year-old male juvenile was arrested and taken into custody. The juvenile was later transported to the Hamilton County Juvenile Detention Center on the following charges:

- Possession of Firearms on School Property – Level 6 Felony
- Theft, Receiving Stolen Property – Level 6 Felony

• Carrying a Handgun without a License – Class A misdemeanor

The Learning Center is located across the street from Carmel High School.

Carmel Police Department's Lt. Joe Bickel said, "We would like to thank the person who quickly notified Carmel Clay School Administration and the swift action taken by school personnel. This solidifies the saying 'If you see something, say something.' As a collaborative effort, safety and security in our schools is a top priority and concern."

## Downtown Fishers 116th Street road-widening plans move forward

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

When the Town of Fishers last widened 116th Street, it was 1997. Twenty-two years later, with major development set for construction in the downtown area, the Board of Works and Public Safety gave city engineers the go-ahead to move forward on the widening, which will create left-turn lanes between Municipal Drive and Commercial Drive.

The city and the contractor, A&F Engineering, will continue with the widening plans, with the blessing of the Board of Works. Construction on the 116th Street turn lanes is not expected to begin until fall of this year at the earliest.

[Click here](#) to view the engineer's drawing on where the left-turn lanes would be located.

In other actions taken at the Monday board meeting, all the following items were approved:

• A four-way stop at Traymoore Drive and Luxor Chase

## Noblesville residents reminded to keep signs out of rights-of-way

### The REPORTER

As primary elections approach, the City of Noblesville reminds residents that all temporary and opinion (campaign) signs are prohibited from city right-of-way through the Noblesville Unified Development Ordinance.

To enforce the code, any illegal signs will be collected and there will be a 10 business day window for candidates to reclaim them before they are destroyed.

Noblesville does not restrict the number of opinion signs placed on private property. Areas that should remain sign-free include rights-of-way, medians and vision corner clearance (signs close to the roadway that create a sight obstruction). City owned property and right-of-way restrictions are as follows:

• Signs are not allowed on city-owned property, nor within the city's right-of-way or on utility poles.

• Generally, a sign is not in the right-of-

way if it is behind the line of utility poles and/or one foot behind a sidewalk, whichever is farther. These areas are typically private property and permission should be obtained from the property owner before placing the signs.

• Landscaped medians at the entrance of subdivisions may be part of the right-of-way, or within a vehicle vision clearance area, and typically should not be used to display signs.

• Subdivision entrances are typically private property common areas and permission should be obtained from the homeowners association before placing signs.

INDOT also is conducting sign sweeps in state rights-of-way. INDOT personnel are required by Indiana Code 9-21-4-6 to remove all unauthorized signs within the state right-of-way. Noblesville has permission to assist the state in removing

See Noblesville Signs ... Page 2

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### Six Points Road to close in northern Hamilton County

Effective on or after Monday, April 1, Six Points Road between 276th and 286th streets will be closed for the rehabilitation of Bridge No. 4 (over Prairie Creek).

The road is scheduled to be closed to all thru traffic for 120 calendar days, tentatively opening back up to traffic on or before Tuesday, July 30.

During the closure, motorists should utilize the signed detour route of 276th Street, Ditch Road and 286th Street. Property owners will have access to their properties through the construction area.

## NOBLESVILLE SIGNS

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unauthorized signs on state routes, which include State Roads 19, 32, 37 and 38.

Noblesville Planning

Department representatives did a sweep of half the city on March 24 and collected 219 illegally placed signs – including 20 opinion signs – that were in

the right-of-way. The other half of the city will be reviewed this coming weekend.

Removed signs will be taken to Noblesville Planning Department in City Hall, 16 S. 10th St., Suite 150. Signs may be claimed by the owner during normal

business hours, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. At this time, there is no cost to reclaim signs.

For questions about sign placement or to report illegal signs, contact Justin Hubbard at 317-776-6325 or email [jhubbard@noblesville.in.us](mailto:jhubbard@noblesville.in.us).

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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)

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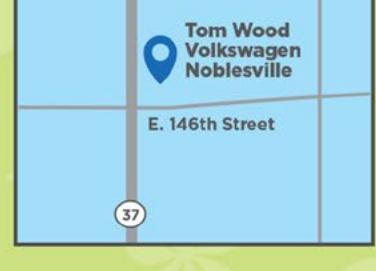
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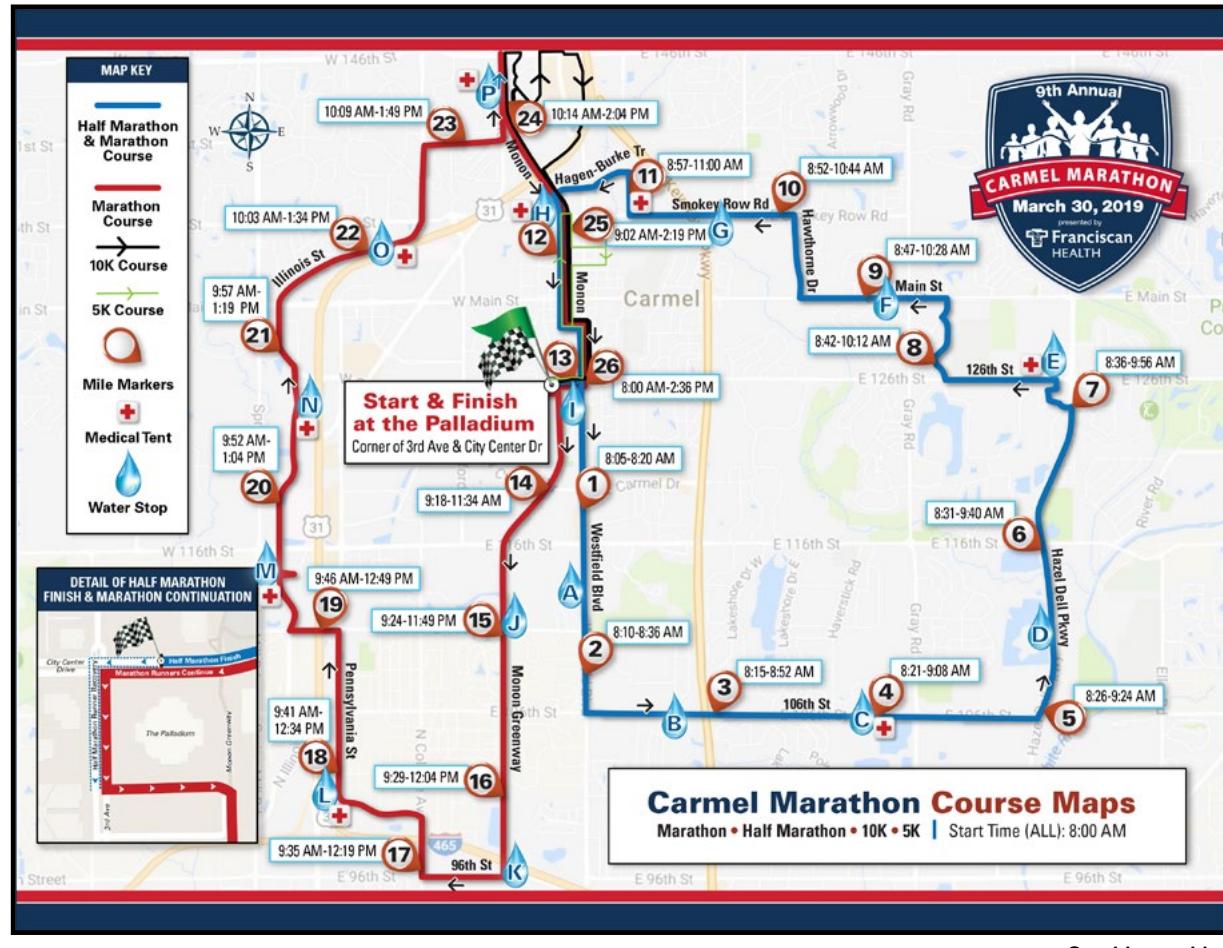
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Prevail: Susan Ferguson (Executive Director), Esther Lakes (President of the Board), Michelle Corrao (Assistant Director); Tom Wood Noblesville: Mike Bragg (General Manager)

# Get ready to race through Carmel



Graphic provided  
There will be a 26.2-mile race through the streets of Carmel from 7 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, March 30. The marathon will start and finish at the Carmel Palladium, 3rd Ave. S.W. and City Center Drive. Approximately 4,000 runners and walkers will participate. After the event, a post-race party will take place at the start/finish line. Motorists should expect traffic delays throughout the course. For more information, visit [carmelmarathon.com/course-maps](http://carmelmarathon.com/course-maps).

## DAR welcomes Vietnam Vets in Noblesville

### The REPORTER

Throughout this year, and especially on National Vietnam War Veterans Day on March 29, a special focus is spent on reaching Vietnam veterans in private or public senior care facilities; specifically, those who may be challenged to attend public events honoring their service. The positive impact of seeking out and honoring these men and women and their families has proven immeasurable for those reached thus far.

National Vietnam War Veterans Day joins six other military-centric national observances codified in Title 4 §6 of the United States Code, among them Memorial Day, Independence Day

and Veterans Day. You can find out more by visiting [vietnamwar50th.com](http://vietnamwar50th.com).

Women's History Month provides the perfect backdrop to highlight the dedication of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution to the mission of national Vietnam War Commemoration. Of more than 11,000 official Commemorative Partners, DAR Chapters and their affiliates account for 1,958. Since 2012, the Chapters have collectively engaged in at least 4,672 commemorative events, thanking and honoring thousands of Vietnam veterans and their families.

On March 23, the Horseshoe Prairie Chapter welcomed area Vietnam veter-



Photo provided  
Noblesville resident Jim Castor, World War II veteran, talks to members of local Scout Troop 101 and fellow veterans.

ans to the annual Vietnam Veterans Open House at the Noblesville Township Community Building. The event honored all military veterans including those of the Korean War and World War II. The Chapter wishes to thank all local sponsors of the event and especially our local heroes who served their country.

CEDIA building in Fishers earns Indianapolis architect firm Best in Show award

### The RPEORTER

American Structurepoint's Architecture + Interiors team received the Best in Show Award at the 2019 IIDA Indiana Interior Design Excellence Awards (IDEA) for the CEDIA headquarters building in Fishers. CEDIA's headquarters also received the first-place award in the competition's Corporate/Commercial New Construction category.

A real show stopper of the space is a 10-foot tall wire chandelier above an open staircase that depicts the overall interior design concept blending residential design with a flair of technology. The building's design also maximizes the use of natural lighting to meet the client's request that every office space have access to natural light.

"We are extremely proud and honored to be recognized by our peers in the interior design community," said American Structurepoint Director of Interior Design Erica Irvin, IIDA, NCIDQ, RID, LEED AP. "Our collaboration and design with CEDIA's staff created an amazing headquarters that embodies CEDIA's mission, vision and passion for smart technology."

American Structurepoint staff, along with their design-build partners from Meyer Najem Construction, will be among those attending an invitation-only grand opening event that CEDIA is hosting today for its board members and member companies.

### HELP WANTED

The Carmel Dads' Club is seeking full time and seasonal facility maintenance positions. Candidates should contact Facility Superintendent Josh Blackmore, at 846-1663 ext. 315 to set up applications/interviews. Full time candidates must have clean driving record and no physical limitations. Seasonal candidates must also have no physical limitations. Both positions require manually work in all weather conditions. Sports Field Maintenance, landscaping and/or equipment maintenance experience a plus.

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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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## Letter to the Editor

## Shaver: What exactly did Pedcor "guarantee"?

Dear Editor:

The following is a response from Carmel resident Mike Shaver to the members of the Carmel City Council, including Council President Jeff Worrell.

Dear Mr. Worrell & Members of the Carmel City Council:

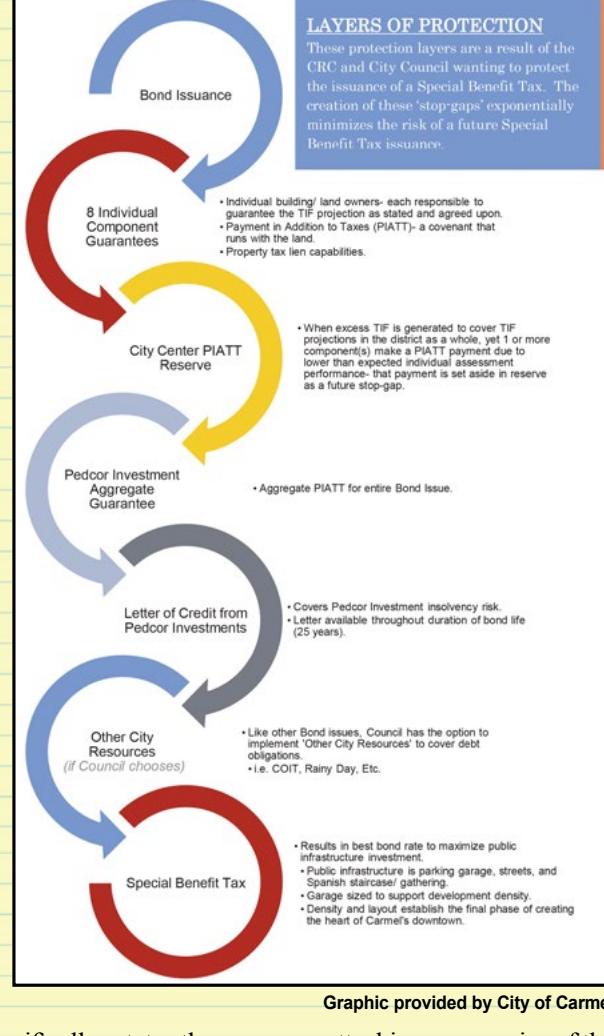
Thank you for responding to my inquiry regarding the "Developer Guarantees" for City Center, and for including The Reporter. Mr. Worrell, I appreciate your good work on Carmel Fest, and respect you as a Councilor. Transparency is critical to democracy.

I appreciate your acknowledgement that the construction is substantially behind schedule, and affirmation that "Developer Guarantees" exist. I would like to clarify exactly how those 'developer guarantees' function.

Your response stated, "...the Developer is paying the bonds as required..." and provided actual amounts of PIATT (Payments in Addition to Taxes) payments, as shown in the table below, which summarizes the bond payments shown in the Bond Official Statement, page B-19, as well.

As anyone can see, your figures show that the Developer PIATT is far less than the amount of the bond payments. So, what, EXACTLY, has been 'guaranteed'? The Council promised that the taxpayers were "completely protected" (IBJ, October 2014) by the Developer Guarantees. The facts you offered do not support that promise.

Bond documents spe-



Graphic provided by City of Carmel

specifically state the expectation that bond payments would come from tax increment, and it is clear that non-existent buildings do not pay tax increment. On top of that, the 'Developer Guarantees'/PIATT that you cite appear to be paying only a tiny fraction of the bond payments.

Unless the Developer Guarantees actually cover the full bond payment, the taxpayers would appear to be left "on the hook." With genuine respect to you and your peers, your answers provide little alleviation of taxpayer concerns.

Respectfully, it is time for the transparency which has been promised. I am

attaching new copies of the Public Record Requests that were filed on March 18 to this email. Each member of the Council now has a copy. I look forward to seeing the actual 'guarantee' documents from at least one Councilor.

In closing, I respectfully offer a suggestion with regard to the graphic portrayal of the "Layers of Protection," which you provided. The portrayal literally depicts a downward spiral with the taxpayers at the bottom. Is that really the message which the Council intended?

Respectfully,  
Mike Shaver  
Carmel

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Summary of Bond Payments						
Year	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Payment Due	\$611,146	\$611,146	\$994,846	\$1,163,070	\$1,281,833	\$1,283,063
Developer PIATT	\$31,979	\$31,797				\$1,277,618

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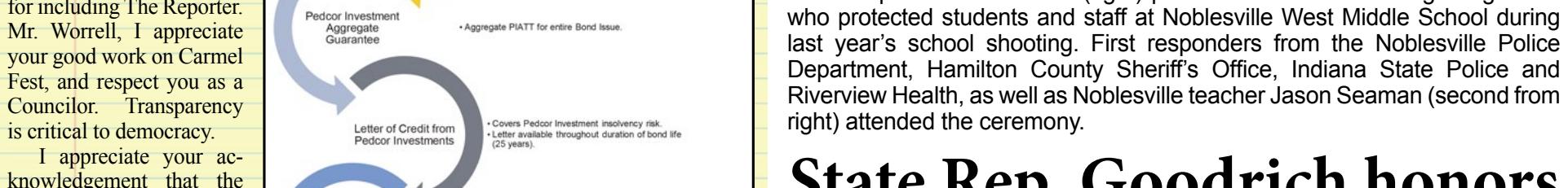
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State Rep. Chuck Goodrich (right) presents a resolution recognizing those who protected students and staff at Noblesville West Middle School during last year's school shooting. First responders from the Noblesville Police Department, Hamilton County Sheriff's Office, Indiana State Police and Riverview Health, as well as Noblesville teacher Jason Seaman (second from right) attended the ceremony.

## State Rep. Goodrich honors local heroes for response to Noblesville school shooting

### The REPORTER

On Tuesday, State Rep. Chuck Goodrich (R-Noblesville) honored those who protected students and staff at Noblesville West Middle School during the school shooting in May 2018.

First responders from the Noblesville Police Department, Hamilton County Sheriff's Office, Indiana State Police and Riverview Health, as well as Noblesville teacher Jason Seaman, were presented a resolution recognizing their heroic efforts.

During the shooting, Seaman disarmed and sub-

dued the shooter, ignoring his own personal safety for that of his students and taking three bullets in the process.

"We owe a great debt to Jason for his bravery and our first responders for their courage and commitment to help others," Goodrich said.

"Their quick actions to defend the students of Noblesville West Middle School saved the life of a wounded girl, as well as countless others that day."

Goodrich commended the school's advanced safety planning. The leadership of Noblesville West Middle School Principal Stacey

Swan, Noblesville Schools Superintendent Beth Niedermeyer and Noblesville Mayor John Ditslear guided the community as it healed.

"I'm very humbled for your continued support to put our children first," said Seaman, while addressing the House. "Really, to my co-workers who got children out of the building, or hid them in their classroom, and all the first responders who came and, no matter how big or small someone's injury was, made sure they were taken care of – thank you."

For more information on **Senate Concurrent Resolution 43**, visit [iga.in.gov](http://iga.in.gov).

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## Reader upset by treatment from multiple organizations

*Editor's note: The Reporter has chosen to replace the names of individuals in this letter with initials.*

Dear Editor:

While all of us like to believe we have the fortitude to stand by our own convictions during any situation, most tend to follow the behaviors of others. But what's particularly strange is that when enough people get together, they end up doing some really bizarre, nonsensical and downright violent things that we'd never consider on our own.

Psychologists refer to this phenomenon as herd or mob mentality. This is what happened to me after moving to Noblesville.

### Zoning Commission

My daughter had recently died, and I wanted to do something for others in her name. I opened Evonne's Sharing House in a lovely brick colonial on Conner Street across from the American Legion. This was a not-for-profit bed and breakfast, with the B&B being an end to a means. Noblesville Old Town went crazy. I was being harassed all hours of the night and the slander and craziness spread across NextDoor.com. One of the last accusations was that I was turning my third floor into a sweat shop for "wayward girls!" The whole situation was brutal, and I ended up moving.

### The American Legion

I joined the Legion and proposed bringing my festival connections to town as a non-profit fund raiser for both entities. I am a single woman in my sixties. After pushing out four children into this world, I am also pretty sure I am a female. I always dress and behave professionally as I have been a member of multiple not-for-profits and CEOs of businesses. I didn't see the lack of professionalism or the mob mentality coming ... until it smacked me in the face!

Someone at the Legion started a rumor that I was a man. Others jumped on that train and there was betting and pools, jokes and games about the question of my gender. I became friends with another member. We went to dinner a couple of times. It was from him that I learned of the vicious lies being spread around about me. Mr. R. was being harassed by other members due to his association with me.

I was mortified! The entire place seemed to think I was a man and I had no knowledge of this! I started getting flak from the bartenders. A bartender named J. would throw her hands up in the air while shouting, "I don't care if you're a guy!" over and over and with a full bar. She soon refused to cook for me or serve me a cold drink because she said she felt "uncomfortable" doing so.

Her insults and bad behavior continued until I threatened to sue her if she did not quit screaming slanderous remarks about me. J. came over and offered up the names of the people (other bartenders, commander, members, etc.) if I left her out of my lawsuit. This act was mildly humorous but nevertheless, the ideal still lingered in my brain that it was right to be there.

Two gentlemen from Costa Rica came to the U.S. for an engineering seminar and stayed at my B&B. I made a bad decision by taking them to lunch at the American Legion. We simply walked across the street. While our lunch was being prepared, the members at the bar kept looking at them with disgust and it was not long before the "n" word started to circulate. The men and I looked at each other and all agreed we would get the meal to go.

I took the powers-that-be a copy of their own bylaws, explaining how members should be treated and dropped them off. The next time I went there, J. the bartender handed me the phone before I had found a seat. The head bartender, R., was on the other end. She said I was being refused service because of the papers I had dropped off.

"Copies of your own bylaws?" I asked and she said, "Yes." Just then I heard Z., the Commander shout across the bar for J., the bartender to call the police because I refused to leave. I could have walked across the street before the police came, but perhaps I was selfishly taking my stand about my rights once again. I was then escorted out by two officers. Such an innocent act ... such a

violent response, it seemed.

Months later, I was speaking to the Women's Auxiliary President of the American Legion, M. K., who said, "Mona, I think it was horrible the way they treated you. You never did anything but act like a perfect lady in that place." She advised me to go speak to the new Commander.

I did speak to J. G., the new commander, who said I was welcome there ANY time. "You can start out with a clean slate," he said. He then laughed and said, "Hell, I have been thrown out of here twice, including the day I was elected!" It seemed to me that if a man got thrown out, it was a funny and they could come right back in no matter their offence. I pointed out to J. that I never had a "dirty" slate.

I decided to test his offer and went in the very next afternoon. He motioned me over to a table he was sitting at and told me he was sorry, but I would have to leave. According to him, the men met the night before and voted me out. I told him I knew the men did not meet that night and he admitted that it was the treasurer, J. M., who had decided my fate. He said I must leave or again be escorted out by police.

VFW

My daughter encouraged me to join the Veterans of Foreign Wars. She had fond memories of her grandparents taking her and her sister to the one in Fort Wayne on certain nights for dinner, playing pool and joining in events for children. They also hosted the memorial for my father-in-law.

I joined my friends there one evening and met the Commander. He was very nice, introduced me to his wife, who was the women's auxiliary president. She happened to be Native American. I am a writer and an artist who has written extensively about Native Americans, which is also part of my own heritage. I offered to share these writings with her and asked if she had an email. She looked at me and said, "I don't know you," and never gave me the email.

My sister was on life support at Riverview hospital and I went to the VFW after visiting her. (Sometimes one would rather be around others that do not know your pain than those who do.) I was signed in by a woman I had met before. I tried to ask the bartender – who had been so friendly when taking a donation from me for a free weekend at my B&B – was ice cold in her behavior.

There were only two people there, and I was looking around for a coffee pot. I saw J. M. from the American Legion coming out of an office at the VFW! I followed him and kept saying his name until he finally turned around. I asked him why it was his call to bar me from the Legion. He vehemently, spat out the words, "Because you have cost us \$2,500 from suing us!" "What," I asked, "who is suing you?" The Civil Rights Commission for the State of Indiana!" he blurted.

I really had no idea. Once I reported their behavior, I had moved and had not heard anything more from them. "Well good for them," I said. "I want you to know, I am picking up an application to join the VFW today." J. looked at me and replied, "That will NEVER happen." "Why not?" I asked. "The Commander has said they would love to have me." "I find that extremely hard to believe," said J. "Are you calling me a liar now?" I asked. He simply told me that it would never happen again, and he would see to it.

### The Eagles

I tried joining the Eagles after befriending a few women members there. I was signed in by another member and pretty much sat by myself in silence. Finally, I spoke to a member of the women's group who was next to me. I told her that my experience there was tantamount to going to church alone. "No one knows you and no one wants to know you," I said. She turned and put her flat hand in my face and said, "I'm good." She then turned back around. I later found out that the women had voted that I could not join their little club.

Seemingly, the rumors had spread like wildfire through the tight-knit clubs of Noblesville.

**The Moose**

I decided to join the Moose Lodge as my friends were members. My friend S. recommended me, and it was not long before the women voted me in. I started going to the weekly women's fundraiser meeting for the children's home, Moosehart.

What I did not know was that the guy who runs this club, D. G., went to two women's Moose officers and told them not to vote me in. They told him that is was too late, the women had already voted me in. He then told these women to make sure that I went to the women's restroom since there were questions about my gender.

I immediately saw the repercussions of accidentally being voted in. The bartender, C. S., harassed, ignored and refused me service every time I went into the Moose. I told my friends that she would be the instrument by which I was removed from their club. True enough, it was a nightmare every time I showed up. She refused me service when she knew I was a member yet refused to look at the receipt I had for paying for said membership.

I have to say, she must have worked a lot because every time I went in there except for once, she was there harassing me. I drive for Uber to supplement my income, therefore I do not carry cash with me. Whenever I used my credit card, since the bill had to be over \$10, I just added a tip so the bill would come to or over the required minimum.

My son died on Feb. 11 of this year. A couple days later, I went into the Moose to talk to D. G. about having a memorial for him at the Moose. The women of the Moose had told me that I must speak to him about, well ... everything.

I was getting ready to leave when C. came in. I asked her for D. G.'s phone number and she refused to give it to me. I tried to pay my bill and because it equaled \$7.50 instead of \$10, she started screaming at me about the \$10 minimum. I told her I wanted to leave the bartender who had served me a tip, which would bring it up to \$10. She continued ranting.

I asked her why she gave me such a horrible time every time I was there. I said I was only there to talk to D. G. because my son, David, had just died and I wished to talk to him about a memorial. Before I could even elaborate, C. screamed, "I don't care!" She then told me to leave because she was calling the police. I told her I was leaving and there was no need to call anyone. After I got outside, the car I had just purchased would not start. I went back in and asked R., a member, to help me jump it. He came outside to assist

me but was swearing and yelling about how wrong it was (the way C. treated me.)

C. then came out and started shaking her finger in my face telling me D. G. barred me via the phone that according to her she had no knowledge of the number.

The men of the Moose wrote me a letter. Stating that I was barred for inappropriate language and not following the Moose's rules for credit cards. Funny, because I do not allow the language they accused me of in my home, and would never say such a thing in public! They gave me a time to go for my "public stoning" of March 20.

They put in the letter that I could bring my own witnesses, but I could not cross examine those against me. That was easy, as none of them were there! Furthermore, they stated that I could not have representation of any kind in their kangaroo court! Has anyone there read the Constitution? Since five officers are necessary for the kangaroo court, I am pretty sure they do not follow their bylaws either!

I took two witnesses whom the men never questioned. I also had numerous witnesses who evidently did not wish to get involved. They knew what had happened and thought it horrible, but somehow ended up on C.'s list of witnesses. I have not yet received the official letter of banning, although I cannot call such a thing official since it was just the chauvinistic attitudes and egos of three officers and not the required five.

One of the things that has driven me mad about these not-for-profit entities is that they seem to make-up, bend and stretch the very limits of their own bylaws to exclude and discriminate.

How does this happen differently between men and women? Many studies have suggested that males tend to be more physically and verbally aggressive than females.

According to a new study, to be published in *Psychological Science*, a journal of the Association for Psychological Science, it may not be the case that women are less competitive than men – they may just be using a different strategy to come out ahead. Specifically, women may rely more on indirect forms of aggression, such as social exclusion. Either way, it is horrible and ugly, and I am pretty sure it does fare well for the recipient or the victim.

I lived in Carmel for 26 years and found the people to be welcoming and friendly. What a difference a few miles make in the mindsets of people.

Mona Whitfield  
Noblesville

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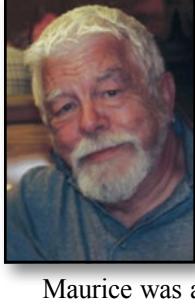
## TODAY'S BIBLE READING

*When a strong man armed keepeth his palace, his goods are in peace: But when a stronger than he shall come upon him, and overcome him, he taketh from him all his armour wherein he trusted, and divideth his spoils. He that is not with me is against me: and he that gathereth not with me scattereth. When the unclean spirit is gone out of a man, he walketh through dry places, seeking rest; and finding none, he saith, I will return unto my house whence I came out. And when he cometh, he findeth it swept and garnished. Then goeth he, and taketh to him seven other spirits more wicked than himself; and they enter in, and dwell there: and the last state of that man is worse than the first.*

Luke 11:21-26 (KJV)

Maurice J. Turcotte

February 3, 1935 – March 25, 2019



Maurice J. Turcotte, 84, Noblesville, passed away on Monday, March 25, 2019. He was born on February 3, 1935 to Edmond and Lillian (Pontbriand) Turcotte in Central Falls, R.I.

Maurice is survived by his wife of 60 years, Barbara H. Turcotte; son, Robert Turcotte of Rhode Island; daughter, Anne-Marie Harrington of Indiana; daughter, Beth Newman of Iowa; sister, Elaine St. Laurent and her husband, Wilfred of Rhode Island; sister-in-law, Carol Lizotte of Indiana; eight grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, Maurice was preceded in death by his loving daughter, Robin-Ann Turcotte.

Maurice was a member of Northview Church Carmel and was a former member of Christ the Savior Lutheran Church. He worked as a graphic artist, taught art in his studio and exhibited his work throughout New England and in local Indiana galleries. He was a Charter Member of the Gaspee Day Committee and served as president of the Warwick, R.I., Arts Foundation. Maurice served as a docent for the Indianapolis Museum of Art.

A private burial will be at Quidnessett Memorial Cemetery in Rhode Island.

Please join the family for a gathering, celebrating Maurice's life to be held from 2 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, March 31 at his daughter's home at 14849 Windsor Lane, Noblesville.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Premier Hospice Carmel, 11550 N. Meridian St., Suite 375, Carmel, IN 46032.

The Turcotte family has entrusted Randall & Roberts Funeral Homes of Noblesville with arrangements.

Condolences: randallroberts.com

### Arrangements

Celebration of Life: 2 to 4 p.m., March 31  
Location: His daughter's home in Noblesville  
Condolences: randallroberts.com

Maurine Kathryne (Stump) Anderson

May 7, 1936 – March 26, 2019



Maurine Kathryne (Stump) Anderson loved and served God in her everyday life. She was a strong positive lady who lived life to the fullest, laughed often, gave to others and loved her family unconditionally.

Maurine devoted her life to serving others and giving back to the community through several years of volunteer services. She was recognized with Honors for 30 Years delivering Meals on Wheels. Maurine was a loyal active member of the First Christian Church, teaching Women's Bible Study groups for over 30 years and an active member of the Hamilton County Homemakers. As a loyal lifelong member of the Alpha Chi Omega Sorority, Maurine founded the Maurine Stump Anderson Sister Assistance Fund to financially assist daughters of single mothers within Alpha Chi Omega. For Maurine and Bob Anderson's lifetime dedication and service within the Noblesville community, they were presented the Community Service Award. Maurine loved being involved in giving to others, but most of all she cherished being a wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother.

Maurine was born on May 7, 1936 in Lafayette to Mary Kathryne (Page) Stump. After attending Purdue University, she married her childhood friend and college sweetheart, Robert "Bob" E. Anderson. They met at a Sunday night church youth group; their Christian faith was the foundation for their marriage and life together. Bob and Maurine married on June 7, 1952 and gratefully celebrated 66 years together. Maurine was the solid rock in the family to encourage, support and praise her husband and children.

Maurine passed away on March 26, 2019 at 86 years old. She left a legacy of giving here on earth that will continue to touch lives for many years. We take great comfort knowing we will see Maurine again in Heaven, as her last words were, "I'll be waiting at the gate for you." As she would say after a meal, "Keep your fork for dessert, the best is yet to come." She is now holding the fork – the best is yet to come.

Maurine Kathryne Anderson is survived by her loving husband and lifelong partner, Robert "Bob" E. Anderson; and three daughters, Sara Kathryne Anderson, Modoc, Ind., Gretchen Perigo (Dann), The Villages, Fla., and Charlotte Carr (Gary), Wabash, Ind. Maurine was blessed with six grandchildren, Ben Davis, Luke Gunn, Mary Kathryne "Kate" Skelley, Levi Perigo, Kevin Carr and Dustin Carr; and six great-grandchildren, Jackson and Audrey Davis, Cambry and Josie Perigo, and Archer and Eleanor Carr.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, April 1, 2019 at First Christian Church of Noblesville, 16377 Herriman Blvd., Noblesville, with visitation from 9:30 a.m. to the time of service. Dr. Richard Bailey and Rev. Cheryl Russell will officiate. Burial will be at Tippecanoe Memory Gardens in West Lafayette.

Randall & Roberts Funeral Homes of Noblesville has been entrusted with Maurine's care.

In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Prevail Inc., 1100 S. 9th St., Suite 100 Noblesville, IN 46060.

Condolences: randallroberts.com

### Arrangements

Calling: 9:30 to 11 a.m., April 1  
Service: 11 a.m., April 1  
Location: First Christian Church of Noblesville  
Condolences: randallroberts.com

### Meeting Notice

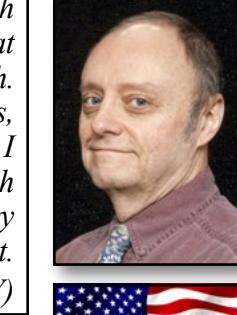
The Westfield Washington Advisory Plan Commission will meet at 7 p.m. on Monday, April 1, 2019, in the Assembly Room of Westfield City Hall, 130 Penn St., Westfield.

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**Michael D. Jackson**  
December 13, 1946 – March 24, 2019

Michael D. Jackson, 72, Noblesville, formerly of Tipton, died at 1:55 a.m. on Sunday, March 24, 2019 at Five Star Senior Living. Michael was born on December 13, 1946 in Elwood to Raymond Clyde and Jean Ann (Hicks) Jackson. Michael was never married.

He retired after many years of service with the U.S. Postal System. Michael was a member of the West Street Christian Church in Tipton. He served in the U.S. Army from 1966 to 1969.

Michael is survived by his brothers and sisters, Terry Hancher, Indianapolis, Rick Hancher, Kokomo, Dick Jackson of Missouri, Rhonda Jackson of Honduras, Kathy Scott of Georgia and Diana Hinds, West Palm Beach, Fla. He also has many cousins, nieces and nephews. Michael was preceded in death by two sisters, Dana O'Neal and Sherry Stewart.

Graveside services for Michael will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, April 1 at Arcadia Church of the Brethren Cemetery with Rev. Linda McKiernan-Allen presiding. Young-Nichols Funeral Home

has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Memorial donations in Michael's honor may be made to the Humane Society for Hamilton County, 1721 Pleasant St., Noblesville, IN 46060.

### Arrangements

Service: 11 a.m., April 1  
Location: Arcadia Church of the Brethren Cemetery  
Condolences: young-nichols.com

**Lisco Leonard, Jr.**  
September 28, 1924 – March 16, 2019

Lisco Leonard, Jr., 94, Whitestown, passed away March 16, 2019 at St. Vincent Hospice at Indianapolis.

He was born on September 28, 1924 in Castleton, Ind., to Lisco and Jessie May (Beaver) Leonard.

He was a graduate of Fishers High School with the Class of 1943.

Lisco was a life-long farmer who cared for the land. He was a very social person and his family related that he never met a stranger. He was a member of the Sheridan Lions Club, the Fishers Masonic Lodge No. 533, and the Murat Shrine and the Scottish Rite, both in Indianapolis. He enjoyed watching college basketball and football games and interacting with his great-grandchildren.

He married Martha Jeanette (Clark) Leonard on March 7, 1948. She survives him. Also surviving are three daughters, Donna Leonard, Anderson, Betty Jo Buck, Sheridan, and Sara Moore, Whitestown; three grandchildren, Doug Kolb, Sheridan, Amy Theobald, Union City, Tenn., and Aaron Buck, Fishers; and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, March 19, 2019 at Hartley Funeral Homes Cicero Chapel, 209 W. Jackson St., Cicero, with burial following at Cicero Cemetery. Visitation was held prior to time of the services.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Sheridan Fire Department, 506 S. Main St., Sheridan, IN 46069, or to the Sheridan Lions Club, P.O. Box 24, Sheridan, IN 46069.

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## Baseball

### Blackhawks dominate Herron for five-inning win

By RICHIE HALL

**SHERIDAN** - Sheridan scored a 12-2, five-inning victory over Herron in a Wednesday home game.

The Blackhawks scored in each inning. After the Achaeans scored one run in the top of the first, Sheridan poured in five runs in the bottom of the inning. Steve Smith took the first pitch of the game for a triple, then scored right away when Jake O'Hara singled him in.

O'Hara moved to third base after Cameron Hovey hit a double, then both Blackhawks were sent home by Sean Speck's double. Speck moved to third on a passed ball while Jacob Vita was drawing a walk, then Speck scored on another passed ball. Vita would also move around the bases, then stole home to put Sheridan up 5-1.

"We had a good game," said 'Hawks coach Adam Spencer. "Sean Speck played really well, two really nice hits. Kyle Archer came out and pitched very well, threw a lot of strikes. So overall, great team effort, for sure."

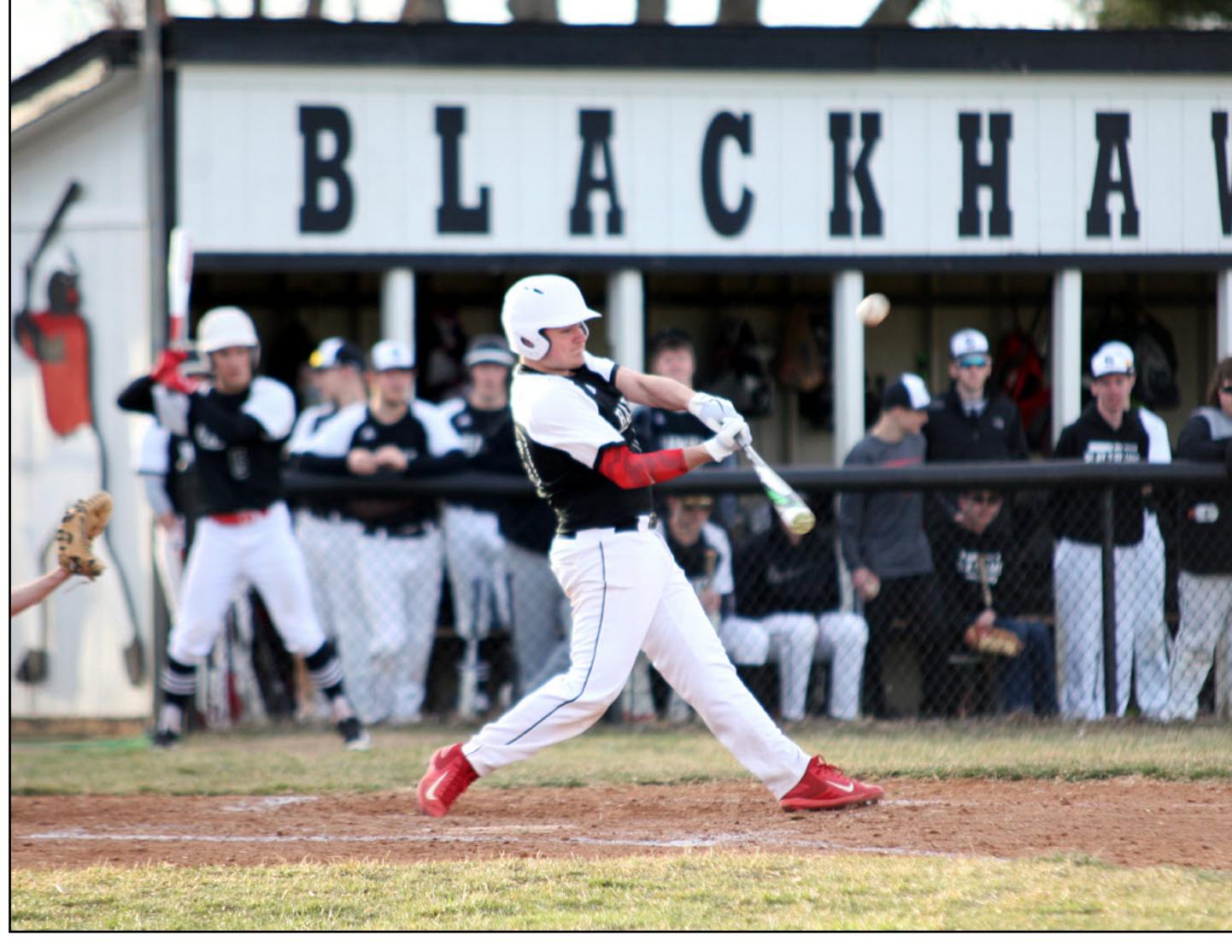
Speck was responsible for both of the Blackhawks' second-inning runs, as his double sent Smith (who got on base with his second double of the game) and Hovey home. The 'Hawks added three more runs in the third, with Caine Spencer scoring on a passed ball, then O'Hara and Hovey got home after Silas DeVane reached on error.

Cameron Murray added another run for Sheridan in the fourth inning when he scored on a passed ball, making the score 11-1. Herron cut the lead to 11-2 after a triple brought home a run. But the Blackhawks ended the game on the run rule after Luke Chesney scored on a passed ball.

Speck totaled four RBIs for the game; both he and Smith had two hits. Hovey, Vita and Murray all stole two bases.

Kyle Archer pitched three innings for the win, striking out four. Sheridan only allowed the Achaeans one hit in the game.

The Blackhawks are 2-1 heading into Spring Break, and will return to action on Tuesday, April 9 at Tindley.



Reporter photos by Kirk Green

Sheridan's Luke Chesney scored the final run of the game for the Blackhawks in their 12-2 victory over Herron on Wednesday. Sheridan scored in each of the contest's five innings.

#### Sheridan 12, Herron 2

(5 innings)

	AB	R	H	RBI
Steve Smith	4	2	2	0
Jake O'Hara	3	2	1	1
Dakota Doty	0	0	0	0
Cameron Hovey	2	3	1	0
Bryce Brown	1	0	0	0
Sean Speck	2	1	2	4
Luke Chesney	1	1	0	0
Jacob Vita	0	1	0	0

Silas DeVane	1	0	0	0
Corbin Murray	0	1	0	0
Kyle Archer	1	0	0	0
Cole Bales	1	0	1	0
Walker Casler	0	0	0	0
Gavin Reners	2	0	0	0
Drake Delph	1	0	0	0
Zack Oberle	2	0	0	0
Zach Snider	1	0	1	0
Caine Spencer	2	1	1	0
Totals	24	12	9	5

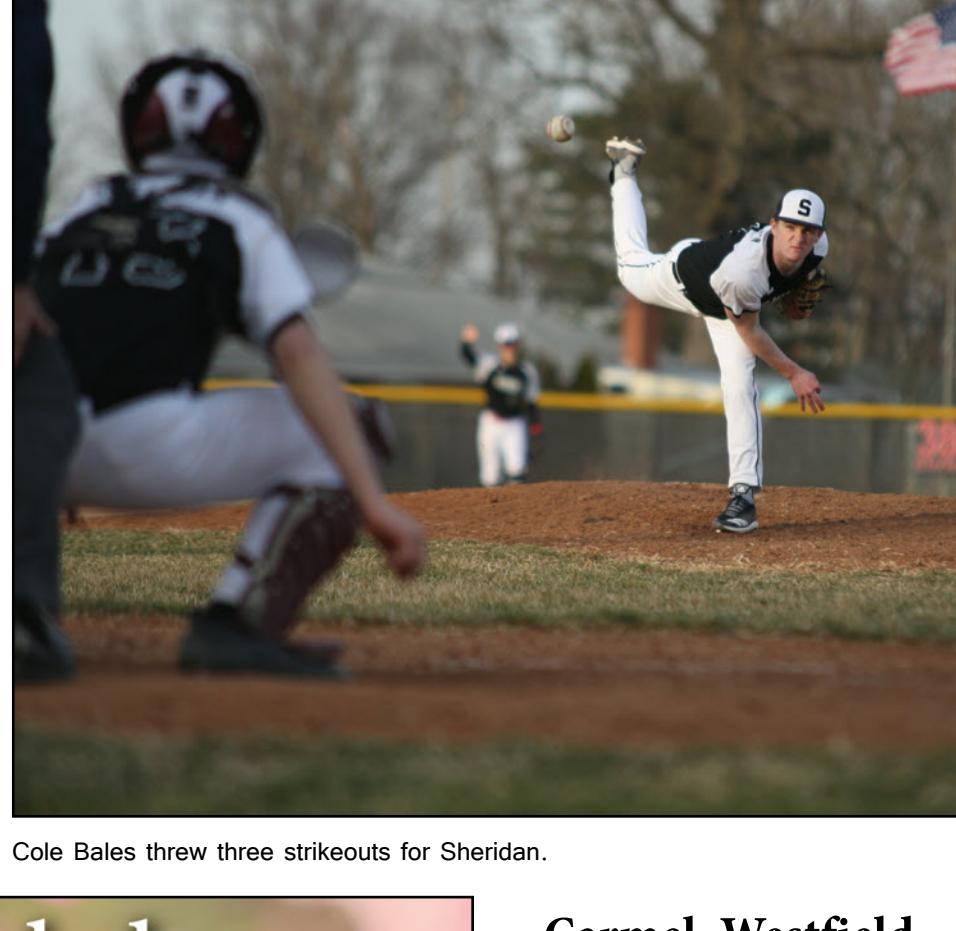
Score by innings				
Herron	100	01	-	214
Sheridan	523	11	-	1292
3B: Smith. 2B: Speck 2, Smith, Hovey. SB: Hovey 2, Vita 2, Murray 2, Chesney, Bales.				
Sheridan pitching IP R ER H				
Archer (W) 3 1 1 0				
Bales 1 0 0 0				
Casler 1 1 1 1				
Strikeouts: Archer 4, Bales 3, Casler 2. Walks: Archer 4, Bales 1, Casler 1.				

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### Carmel, Westfield open boys golf season

The Westfield boys golf team opened its season by taking on defending state champion Carmel on Wednesday.

The Greyhounds won the meet 156-158. Sophomore Timmy Leonard and freshmen Isaac Lutz led the Shamrocks with 39. Other scoring members of the team were junior Luke Snyder with 40 and sophomore Colin Nixon with 40. Westfield will be off for a week before teeing up on Tuesday April 9th in a three-way match with Hamilton Southeastern and Carmel.

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**Baseball**

# Shamrocks dominate Flashes in HCC opener

Westfield bounced back from a tough Tuesday loss by dominating its Hoosier Crossroads Conference opener on Wednesday.

The Shamrocks beat Franklin Central 12-1 in a five-inning game at Grand Park. The Flashes scored one run in the top of the first, but it was all Westfield after that.

Tyler Smitherman batted in the first runs for the 'Rocks, on a two-RBI single that scored Trey Anderson (who doubled) and Bryce Dorton. Kyle Pepiot was up next, and he doubled in Smitherman, making the score 3-1.

Westfield would have to wait until the bottom of the fifth to score again, but it would be worth it. Dorton started everything with a double to get Luke Hutson and Payton Tamm in. Zach Collins then cracked a double into left field to score Anderson. That brought up Smitherman, and his center field triple got Dorton and Jack Lawrence (running for Collins) home.

Pepiot singled Smitherman in to put the 'Rocks up 9-1. Westfield eventually loaded the bases, and Anderson finished the game with a three-run double, his second of the game. Pepiot, Austin Wessel and Tamm all scored.

"We rebounded well from a disappointing day yesterday," said Shamrocks coach Ryan Bunnell. "We cleaned up some of the little things that hurt us against Castle. So that progress was nice to see. We are a work in progress, we will get a little better each day as we learn how to execute the little things that win games

better. There is potential in this team, we just have to progress daily. It's a good group of kids, so I have a lot of faith in their ability to develop like they will need to. Parker Bard has a nice outing for us today. Trey Anderson had a big day, as did Bryce Dorton, Tyler Smitherman and Kyle Pepiot."

Anderson was 3-for-3 at the plate, batting in three runs. Smitherman also drove in three runs; he, Dorton and Pepiot all had two hits. Parker Bard pitched all five innings, striking out six.

Westfield is 1-1 and will play at Franklin Central this afternoon to complete the HCC series.

## Westfield 12, Franklin Central 1

(5 innings)

Westfield	AB	R	H	RBI
Payton Tamm	3	2	0	0
Trey Anderson	3	2	3	3
Bryce Dorton	3	2	2	2
Zach Collins	3	0	1	1
Tyler Smitherman	3	2	2	3
Kyle Pepiot	3	1	2	2
Eli Patchett	3	0	0	0
Quentin Markle	2	0	0	0
Austin Wessel	0	1	0	0
Luke Hutson	3	1	1	0
Jack Lawrence	0	1	0	0
Totals	26	12	11	11
Score by innings				
Franklin Central	100	00	- 1	4 1
Westfield	300	09	- 12	11 1
3B: Smitherman. 2B: Anderson 2, Collins, Dorton, Pepiot. SB: Anderson, Dorton, Pepiot.				
Westfield pitching	IP	R	ER	H
Parker Bard	5	1	1	4
Strikeouts: Bard 6. Walks: Bard 3.				

**Girls lacrosse**

## HSE, Fishers get Wednesday wins

The Fishers and Hamilton Southeastern girls lacrosse teams each got wins on Wednesday.

The Tigers beat Westfield 15-9 in an all-county and Hoosier Crossroads Conference game. Mac Miller tallied seven goals, followed by a four-goal effort from Skylar Fulton. Nina Dillard and Renata Garcia continued their scoring streak as Fishers rebounded from a tough overtime loss on Tuesday.

The Tigers will travel to top ranked Cathedral tomorrow for a 7:30 p.m. game.

Meanwhile, Hamilton Southeastern defeated Brebeuf Jesuit 9-7. In a first half with turnovers on both sides of the field, the Lady Royals hit their stride and a strong defensive effort with a balanced attack put them on top.

The Royals snapped a three-game losing streak after opening the season with a 23-0 rout of Northridge. Adjustments on attack and transitions, along with strong draw controls gave the Royals the edge.

Megan Merryman scored a goal with 1:43 left to put the Royals ahead 8-7. Merryman scored again with 46 seconds left - her third goal of the game. Rachel Harris added two goals and three assists, Chloe Szot had two goals, Sam Borgert tallied a goal and an assist, and Jenna Jenkins added a goal.

Twenty ground balls, 10 forced turnovers, and an interception made it tough for Brebeuf to get good looks at the goal. Solid defense from Kayla Sundling, Ashlynn Green, Ella Zingraf, Olivia Schenck, and Olivia Castor led the charge. Goalie Chloe Maddox had five saves for the Royals.

Southeastern will host Roncalli on April 9.



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**Softball**

## Westfield falls to Arabians

Westfield started off strong against Pendleton Heights on Wednesday, but the Arabians ran away from the Shamrocks in the third inning, eventually winning 11-2 at the Pendleton field.

Westfield scored both of its runs in the first inning, with Lexi Martin hitting a two-run home run.

Emily Revercomb had earlier got on base with a single. But the Arabians scored six runs in the third inning and cruised from there. The 'Rocks had some big hits in the later innings, including a fifth-inning triple from Avery Parker and a sixth-inning triple from Brooklyn Carey, but couldn't get another run in.

Parker finished the game 2-for-3 at the plate.

Westfield is 1-4 and will next play Tuesday, April 6 when it hosts Brownsburg.

### Pendleton Heights 11, Westfield 2

Westfield	AB	R	H	RBI
Avery Parker	3	0	2	0
Emily Revercomb	3	1	1	0
Sara Harmeyer	1	0	0	0
Brooklyn Carey	2	0	1	0
Lexi Martin	2	1	1	2
Natalie Deck	3	0	0	0
Savannah Arvin	3	0	0	0
Alexis McClure	3	0	0	0
Caroline Maymon	3	0	0	0
Reghan Oland	2	0	0	0
Avery Wagner	0	0	0	0
Totals	25	2	5	2
Score by innings				
Westfield	200	000	0 - 2	5 1
Pendleton Heights	006	041	x - 11	13 0
HR: Martin. 3B: Parker. 2B: Carey. SB: Parker. HBP: Martin, Oland.				
Westfield pitching	IP	R	ER	H
Wagner	4.1	10	8	9
McClure	1.2	1	1	4
Strikeouts: Wagner 1. Walks: Wagner 3, McClure 1.				

The Greyhounds are 1-3 and will next play on April 9, hosting Center Grove.

## Carmel's comeback falls just short

Carmel nearly made a comeback at Lebanon on Wednesday, but the Tigers were able to hold off the Greyhounds by a score of 4-3.

Lebanon scored two runs each in the bottom of the first and fifth innings. Carmel scored all of its runs in the sixth inning. Stormy Kotzelnick got on base with a double, then moved to

third on a single by Megan Nichols. Caroline Roop sent a double into right field to score both runners, then was sent home herself by a double from Sarah Goddard. That cut the Tigers' lead to one run, but they were able to hold on for the win.

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## Carmel coach Osborn among

### Bob King Coaches of the Year

Carmel coach Ryan Osborn is among six Indiana high school boys basketball coaches have been chosen as 2019 Bob King Coaches of the Year by their peers in the Indiana Basketball Coaches Association, it was announced Wednesday.

Ryan Eakins of East Noble, Craig Teagle of Huntington North, Mark Detweiler of Delta, Brandon Hoffman of Silver Creek and J.R. Holmes of Bloomington South were also selected as honorees for the 2018-19 season through voting that occurred from late January through early March, IBCA executive director Steve Witty said.

Honors are awarded according to IHSAA district boundaries, and two coaches from each district are recipients – Eakins and Teagle in District 1; Detweiler and Osborn in District 2; and Hoffman and Holmes in District 3.

Osborn led Carmel to a 26-1 season that included the Class 4A state championship. That followed the Greyhounds claiming titles in the Metropolitan Interscholastic Conference, Carmel Sectional, Logansport Regional and Lafayette Semi-State. He has a two-year varsity record of 47-9 with one MIC, two sectional, two regional and two semi-state crowns in addition to the on state title. Osborn previously was an assistant coach at Avon for five seasons and Carmel for six seasons. He is a 1999 graduate of Logansport High School and a 2004 gradu-

ate of IUPUI, where he played on the Jaguars' team that made the NCAA Tournament in 2003. Osborne has been named an assistant coach for the 2019 Indiana Junior All-Stars.

Here is information about the other Coach of the Year honorees.

- Eakins led East Noble to a 21-4 season that included championships in the Elkhart Central Holiday Tournament and the Northeast 8 Conference. Eakins is 54-18 in three seasons with the Knights with two Northeast 8 crowns, and he has an 80-80 overall record in seven seasons as a boys' basketball varsity coach. Previously, Eakins coached four seasons as head coach at Bremen. He also assisted for one year each at Grace College, Mount Vernon Nazarene University in Ohio and Columbus North High School. Eakins is a 2006 graduate of Seymour High School and a 2010 graduate of Grace College. He will be an assistant coach for the 2019 Indiana Junior All-Stars.

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# NBA standings

## Eastern Conference

	<b>W</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>PCT.</b>	<b>GB</b>
Atlantic				
x - Toronto	52	23	.693	-
x - Philadelphia	47	27	.635	4.5
x - Boston	44	31	.587	8.0
Brooklyn	38	37	.507	14.0
New York	14	60	.189	37.5
Central				
y - Milwaukee	56	19	.747	-
x - Indiana	45	30	.600	11.0
Detroit	37	37	.500	18.5
Chicago	21	55	.276	35.5
Cleveland	19	56	.253	37.0
Southeast				
Orlando	37	38	.493	-
Miami	36	38	.486	0.5
Charlotte	35	39	.473	1.5
Washington	31	45	.408	6.5
Atlanta	27	48	.360	10.0

x - Clinched playoff berth

Wednesday scores				
Portland	118	Chicago	98	
Golden State	118	Memphis	103	
Oklahoma City	107	Indiana	99	
Washington	124	Phoenix	121	
Utah	115	L.A. Lakers	100	

## Western Conference

	<b>W</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>PCT.</b>	<b>GB</b>
Northwest				
x - Denver	50	23	.685	-
x - Portland	47	27	.635	3.5
Utah	45	30	.600	6.0
Oklahoma City	44	31	.587	7.0
Minnesota	33	41	.446	17.5
Pacific				
x - Golden State	51	23	.689	-
x - L.A. Clippers	45	30	.600	6.5
Sacramento	37	37	.500	14.0
L.A. Lakers	33	42	.440	18.5
Phoenix	17	59	.224	35.0
Southwest				
Houston	47	28	.627	-
San Antonio	43	32	.573	4.0
New Orleans	31	45	.408	16.5
Memphis	30	45	.400	17.0
Dallas	29	45	.392	17.5

y - Clinched division

## Pacers falter in third quarter, drop road game to Oklahoma City

By KYLE GRAND

Courtesy nba.com/pacers

The Pacers' road woes continued Wednesday night as the Blue & Gold fell to the Thunder, 107-99, in Oklahoma City. After a great first half, Indiana faltered in the third and wasn't able to recover.

The Pacers started the third quarter with a 54-45 advantage, but to put it simply, the third quarter belonged to the Thunder. After growing their lead to 10, 58-48, the Pacers went cold, and the home team took advantage. At one point the visitors missed 12 consecutive shots, and Oklahoma City went on a 24-0 run to lead 72-58 at the 4:11 mark.

At the end of the third, the Thunder had outscored the Pacers 31-15 to lead 76-69 going into the final quarter.

"That was basically the game," Pacers head coach Nate McMillan said of the run. "Offensively, we just didn't get

organized. We had some turnovers in that stretch, and they made their run and were able to get the momentum to just really take control of the game."

Indiana hung around in the fourth, but each time it made a charge, Oklahoma City responded and got the lead back to double digits. The Pacers' final push came in the last minute and a half. A Bojan Bogdanovic triple made the score 100-95 with 1:26 to go giving the Pacers a glimmer of hope, but on the next possession, Jerami Grant nailed a 3-pointer of his own to push the lead back to eight.

Outside of the third quarter, tonight's game was tough and competitive. The Thunder opened up a 14-8 lead with 6:50 to go in the opening quarter, but the Pacers used a 17-7 run to regain control, 25-21, at the 2:18 mark. But when the period came to a close, the home team was back on top, 31-29.

In the second, the contest remained close. The Pacers gained a slight advantage courtesy of back-to-back 3-

pointers from Myles Turner and Wesley Matthews. The triples gave Indiana a 43-38 lead with 5:02 to go in the first half.

From there, Indiana outscored OKC 11-7 over the rest of the quarter to take a 54-45 lead into the locker room. But despite the great first half, the third quarter was the key in tonight's game, and now the Pacers will look to Friday as an extremely important contest with the Celtics looms.

"We've just got to come out with more of a sense of urgency," McMillan said. "That second half, you and that team are supposed to come out with that sense of urgency right from the start."

Bogdanovic led the Pacers with 28 points on 11-of-20 shooting. Domas Sabonis had another double-double off the bench, finishing with 18 points and 10 rebounds.

For the Thunder, Paul George finished with 31 points. Russell Westbrook had a triple-double, putting together a stat line of 17 points, 11 rebounds and 12 assists.

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## OSBORN

at Caston, Knox and Jay County and has a 400-219 overall ledger in 27 seasons with seven sectional trophies, one regional title and one semi-state crown. He was an assistant at Blackford and North Judson before becoming a head coach. Teagle is a 1981 graduate of Blackford High School and a 1986 graduate of Ball State. He previously was an IBCA District 2 Coach of the Year in 2009. He also served as head coach of the Indiana Junior All-Stars in 2009 and as head coach of the Indiana All-Stars in 2012.

- Detweiler guided Delta to a 27-1 season that included titles in the Hoosier Heritage Conference and the New Castle Sectional, completing the regular season as Indiana's only undefeated team. In 21 seasons as a varsity coach, Detweiler's teams have a 280-201 record with four sectional championships. That includes a 28-38 mark in three seasons at Randolph Southern, a 207-155 slate in 16 seasons at Union County and a 45-8 record in two seasons at Delta. He previously was an assistant coach at Cowan, Blue River, Daleville and Randolph Southern. Detweiler is a 1988 graduate of Northeastern High School. He played one season of basketball at Palm Beach Atlantic University in Florida, then transferred to Ball State and graduated in 1992. Detweiler has been named head coach of the 2019 Indiana Junior All-Stars.

- Hoffman guided Silver Creek to a 25-3 record that included the Class 3A state championship. Along the way, Hoffman's team won the Charlestown Sectional, Southridge Regional and Seymour Semi-State. In nine seasons, Hoffman has led the Dragons to a 151-67 ledger with three Mid-Southern Conference crowns, five sectional trophies, one regional title, one semi-state crown and one state championship. Hoffman is a 1998 graduate of Silver Creek. He also is a 2002 graduate of Hanover College, where he was a four-year player for the Panthers. Hoffman was an assistant coach at Silver Creek for seven years before being named the program's head coach in 2010. He previously was an IBCA District 3 Coach of the Year in 2015. He also served as an assistant coach for the Indiana Junior All-Stars in 2015.

- Holmes directed Bloomington South to a 24-4 season that included championships of Conference Indiana and the Columbus North Sectional -- and also a season in which he became the state's all-time winningest coach with 810 career victories and just the second Indiana high school basketball coach to reach 800 wins. In 49 seasons as a varsity coach, Holmes has an 810-339 record with 17 conference titles, 20 sectional trophies, seven regional

crowns, two semi-state titles and Class 4A state championships in 2009 and 2011. His numbers include a 30-14 mark in two seasons at Tunnelton, a 113-104 slate in 10 seasons at Mitchell and a 667-221 ledger in 37 seasons at Bloomington South. Holmes is a 1965 graduate of Needmore High School and a 1969 graduate of Indiana State. He previously was an IBCA District Coach of the Year in 1999 and 2008. Holmes was head coach of the Indiana All-Star team in 2001, and he was USA Today National Coach of the Year in 2009. Holmes was inducted into the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame and the Monroe County Sports Hall of Fame, both in 2012.

These six coaches will receive plaques as an IBCA District Coach of the Year during the 2019 IBCA Clinic on April 26-27 at Lawrence North High School in Indianapolis. For more information about the IBCA Clinic, go to [www.ibcacoches.com](http://www.ibcacoches.com).

The Coach of the Year award is named for the late Bob King, the IBCA executive director from 1984-94. King was a Lebanon native who coached at Sacred Heart and Shortridge high schools in Indianapolis before serving as an assistant basketball coach at Purdue and later an assistant and associate athletic director at Purdue.

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