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OneZone luncheon honors top businesses, individuals

Awards bestowed upon entities in Carmel, Fishers

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Merchants Bank of Indiana and Four Day Ray shared the honor of being named Business of the Year at OneZone's awards luncheon on Wednesday at the Ritz Charles in Carmel. Business of the Year awards were given to recognize a small- to medium-sized business and a large business.

Awards were also presented for young professional of the year, volunteer of the year, new construction, renovation, and green awards. There was also the Harold Kaiser Lifetime Achievement Award and the Difference Maker Award.

Business of the Year

Business of the Year is presented to businesses based on their success in growth and stability, commitment to quality, creative and unique solutions to challenges, entrepreneurial spirit and overall contribution to the community

The Business of the



Incoming Carmel City Councilor and owner of Donatello's Italian Restaurant, Adam Aasen (center), was awarded Volunteer of the Year at OneZone's Wednesday luncheon. Aasen was welcomed during a video introduction by Rich Taylor (left) and Peter Beering (right).

medium-sized was presented to Four Day community and making Ray. Four Day Ray is a lo- Fishers a world class city. cal craft brewery in Fishers,

Merchants Bank of In-Year award for a small- to which opened its doors in diana was honored with the

business 2016 with the focus on the Business of the Year award for a large business. Founded in 1990, Merchants

See OneZone...Page 2 far exceeded expectations

NewPro Containers expanding in Westfield

The REPORTER

Containers nounced the company will expand its Westfield operations, adding 10,000 square feet and three new employees.

NewPro Containers relocated to Westfield in 2018 and current-

51,000 square-foot facility on Southpark Drive. It is a family owned and operated manufacturer, importer and wholesale distributor of commercial-grade plant containers and supplies.

"I am excited to see Westfield," said Cook. "It is my hope that they will continue to grow in our community. NewPro a strong company with a smart growth strategy. The company is investing in its people and in our community while continuing to increase its market share. This announcement is a 'win' for our city."

"NewPro's growth has

since making the move to On Monday, Westfield Westfield from Zionsville, Mayor Andy Cook and requiring we invest further executives with NewPro in expansion," said Jeremy

> Dearringer, CEO/ Owner of New-Pro Containers. "The amenities Westfield offers also play a major role in attracting/ retaining talent, hosting business partners and entertaining prospects, such as the

ly employs 21 people in its growing list of restaurants, the Monon Trail, Colts Training Camp at Grand Park and excitement around Grand Junction."

About NewPro Containers

George Dearringer founded NewPro Containers in 1989. The company NewPro expanding in is a family owned and operated manufacturer, importer and wholesale distributor of commercial grade plant containers and supplies. NewPro provides wholesale containers to both interior and exterior landscaping professionals, nationally and internationally, while maintaining a wide variety of products with a large instock inventory to ensure the products are available and shipped to you, on time.

Heirbrandt to run for re-election

Hamilton County Commissioner Mark Heirbrandt has announced his campaign for re-election in 2020. He has served as commissioner since 2013.

During his term, he has been recognized with four Association of Indiana Counties Awards and the Indiana Association of County Commissioners "Outstanding Team of Commissioners Award."

His accomplishments in office include



Heirbrandt

helping to secure \$100 million in funding to improve traffic along the State Road 37 corridor, helping to open Lowe's Way as an alternative route to access Keystone Parkway, participating as part of a team to bring Ivy Tech Community College to Hamilton County, helping with the expansion of the county jail, and bringing the historic 1868 Bell Ford Covered

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Maple Glen's Langenkamp named **Indiana School Nurse of the Year**



Photo provided

Jeannie Langenkamp, the school nurse at Westfield's Maple Glen Elementary, was recently awarded the Indiana School Nurse of the Year Award by the Indiana Association of School Nurses. She was honored at a recent Westfield Washington School Board meeting. (From left) Dr. Joe Montalone, former Maple Glen principal and current director of operations for Westfield Washington Schools; Teresa Layton, BSN RN, WWS Corporation Nurse Coordinator; Jeannie Langenkamp, Maple Glen Elementary School Nurse; Dr. Sherry Grate, WWS Superintendent.

Carmel to swear-in new elected officials

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The city of Carmel will conduct a swearing-in ceremony for newly-elected officials at 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 18 in Multipurpose Room A/B/C at the Monon Community Center, 1235 Central Park Drive East.

Indiana Lt. Gov. Suzanne Crouch will be in attendance to administer the oaths of offices. A reception with light refreshments will follow the ceremony and take place in Multipurpose Room C. Jan. 1, 2020.

The event will conclude by 6:30 p.m.

After each city election, the city of Carmel hosts an official inauguration ceremony for newly elected and returning public officials. This year, because Carmel has become a 2nd Class City, there will be two new seats on the Carmel City Council. Candidates will take their oath of office during this ceremony and be sworn in as they prepare to take their positions as elected officials on

Senior Citizens Organization swears in new 2020 officers



Reporter photo by Jeff Jellison

The Hamilton County Senior Citizens Organization conducted a swearing-in ceremony on Wednesday for the organization's 2020 office holders. Noblesville City Councilman Greg O'Connor administered the oath of office to the newly elected members. (From left) Greg O'Connor, Ray Ade, Jim Gorby, Sue Huffman, Myrna Nagel and Al Nagel.

25 Days of Odle



Odle shows off his Raise the Bar swag! Raise the Bar Indiana is a statewide program that works to empower communities and alcohol serving establishments to create safer spaces for all. Books & Brews Noblesville is the first establishment in

Hamilton County to partner with Prevail in creating safer spaces. Stop by and give them a huge thank you for the work they're doing to make our community safer! If you or someone you know may be interested in partnering with Prevail on this Primary Prevention Initiative, please contact Kelly Growden at (317) 773-6942 or kgrowden@prevailinc.org.

ONEZONE

Bancorp is a diversified bank holding company headquartered in Carmel operating multiple lines of business, including Federal Housing Administration ("FHA") multi-family housing and healthcare facility financing and servicing, mortgage warehouse financing, retail and correspondent residential mortgage banking, agricultural lending and traditional community banking.

Young Professional of the Year

The Young Professional of the Year Award recognizes a business person between the ages of 21 and 40 who has demonstrated leadership and passion for making a difference in his community based on leadership, mentorship, community involvement and entrepreneurship.

Erik Braden, Braden Business Systems, received the Young Professional of the Year award. He spent much of his early career on Wall Street, specializing in mergers and acquisitions and working in a competitive and challenging environment. It was there that he cut his teeth in the business atmosphere and returned to his home in Central Indiana. He joined Braden Business Systems four years ago. During his time at Braden he successfully led the project to build the new headquarters in Fishers, led four acquisi-

and revenue, while expanding the organization's footprint further into the Midwest, and is involved with a local Young Presidents Organization.

Volunteer of the Year

The Volunteer of the Year award was established to celebrate and recognize outstanding volunteer contributions by individuals who also work full time.

This year's recipient is Adam Aasen, owner of Donatello's Italian Restaurant in downtown Carmel. He has been an active volunteer for organizations including, Carmel Rotary Club, Humane Society of Hamilton County, Chaucie's Place, the Carmel Education Foundation, and he helps organize the Hamilton County Young Republicans annual Toy Drive.

New Construction Award

Nominees for new construction and renovation were judged on the quality of work, appropriateness of the construction to its surroundings and the contribution of the project to the overall look of the community.

This year's winner of the New Construction Award is KAR Global. Headquartered in Carmel, KAR has more than 15,000 employees and maintains business units across the United States, Canada, Mexico, the UK and Europe. The

square-foot office building features an open floorplan and broad collaborative workspaces. The building was designed to reflect both the company's rich auto auction history and their international and technology-driven growth. Contributing to the project were RATIO Architects, Shiel Sexton, Gaylor Electric, Ice Miller, Ginovus, CBRE Group, PURE Development and US Realty.

Renovation Award

This year's winner of the Renovation Award is The Bluffs at Conner Prairie. In April 2019, Conner Prairie reopened the restored Chinese House with two important additions: the Lilly Legacy and The Bluffs at Conner Prairie. The new Lilly Legacy Room reflects Mr. Lilly's passion of preservation and his blending of Western and Eastern cultures to create a place of harmony that has had a lasting impact on Conner Prairie. The Bluffs at Conner Prairie is a 275-seat banquet facility that expands the Lilly legacy of Conner Prairie as a special gathering place. Contributing to the project include RATIO Architects, Brandt Construction and Ritz Charles.

Green Award

The Green Award recognizes an organization, company or association that is solving environmental challenges using innovative and

tions to increase headcount 13-acre site with a 250,000 green practices or by setting er was named Carmel Clay up creative partnerships to Parks and Recreation Dienhance the environment.

> This year's award was presented to Hamilton Southeastern Schools. HSE installed 4,800 solar panels in 2019. These arrays have an annual predicted production of 2,385,600 kilowatt hours. This will power Landing Park, Founders three of the 23 schools in Park and West Park. During the district. The solar arrays his time as director the Carare projected to help save mel Clay Parks achieve 100 the district over \$7 million dollars over 20 years. The incorporation of solar arrays will also help HSE avoid releasing 1,318 metric tons of carbon dioxide yearly. The arrays are also being utilized in the curriculum. HSE's Energy Manager has spoken to over 2,000 students this year about the opportunities the solar arrays have provided for the school.

Lifetime Achievement and Difference Maker Awards

The Harold Kaiser Lifetime Achievement Award is presented to an individual from Carmel and the Difference Maker these communities.

The Harold Kaiser Lifetime Achievement Award, given to an individual from pact and more opportunities Carmel, was presented to more efficiently. Learn more Mark Westermeier, former at Director of Parks at the com or follow along on City of Carmel. Westermei- Facebook and Twitter.

rector in 2004. During his 15 years at Parks Director he has been a part of the Extended School Enrichment at Carmel Clay Schools; helped open the Monon Community Center and added Central Park, Hazel percent cost recovery.

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Mike Reuter was presented the Difference Maker Award for Fishers. Reuter has been the Chief Financial Officer for HSE Schools since 1994. During his time at HSE he has seen the school district grow to be the fourth largest in the state of Indiana. A valued expert on school funding, Reuter has played instrumental roles in the district's referendum success.

About OneZone

OneZone, a Hamilton County chamber of commerce, serves the Central Indiana business community as a commerce connector, strong voice, significant presence and business ad-Award is presented to an vocate in an ever-changing individual from Fishers in marketplace. With Onerecognition of their com- Zone, businesses get an mitment to business in organization that reaches across municipal boundaries – just the way business does – to deliver more imonezonecommerce.

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Bridge to Hamilton County.

According to Heirbrandt, by making sound fiscal decisions for taxpayers, Hamilton County is managed with a balanced budget and strong cash reserves. The county now has a taxpayer savings of \$25 million over 25 years in new energy efficiency initiatives and currently maintains 600 miles of roads and 300 bridges.

According to Heirbrandt, many of these accomplishments are rooted in thousands of conversations with various community members.

"I've always communicated consistently and honestly with residents. When people come together with new ideas and new solutions, we have a greater impact," Heirbrandt said.

Moving forward, Heirbrandt says he will continue to focus on providing top-notch resources for public safety, improving road conditions and mitigating traffic, and finding new taxpayer savings.

"In order for our community to succeed, we need to be proactive about providing the best resources while maintaining fiscal responsibility," Heirbrandt said.

Heirbrandt and his wife, Gina, have lived in Hamilton County for almost 30 years. They are the proud parents to Blake, and twins, Ethan and Evan. Mark is active in the Catholic community and is a member of Saint Maria Goretti Catholic Parish in Westfield. For more information, visit markheirbrandt.com.



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.) 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)

Drop off items at Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville, 14701 Tom Wood Way.













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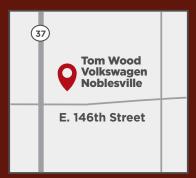


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Cicero Print & Design officially opens its doors

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The Northern Hamilton County Chamber of Commerce (NHCCC) held a special ribbon-cutting celebration last week to welcome northern Hamilton County's newest business, Cicero Print & Design.

"We are super excited about being here and looking forward to building a long relationship with the community," said Mary Cremoni of the new venture.

"We are extremely grateful to all who have helped us along the way and especially to Brett Morrow, who went above and beyond in helping us finish out and transition this space into the new home of Cicero Print & Design," added Jerry Cremoni, who says he is in for the long haul.

"It speaks volumes that this civic-minded couple has taken a milestone step to invest in our community with their new business," said NHCCC President Wade Wiley. "Dan Strong, also representing the Chamber and a former business owner, shares in the excitement of the Cremoni's new business. Their multitude of products, services, and



Cicero Print & Design, 1180 S. Peru St., is officially open for business. (From left) Dan Strong of NHCCC, Bill Turner, owners Mary and Jerry Cremoni, and NHCCC President Wade Wiley.

Having a local web design motion. service is just fantastic!"

convenience will benefit the advantage of store specials, and printing services. Hours greater Northern Hamilton and enter to win during a are 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Mon-County area and beyond. special grand opening pro-

The business is a one-The public is invited to stop shop for office supplies, stop by to learn more about self-serve copy service, tion can be found online at Cicero Print & Design, take graphic art and web design ciceroprintdesign.com.

day through Friday and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturdays. The business is closed on Sundays. More informa-

Letter to the Editor-

Student calls for mold clean up regulations

Dear Editor,

I have come across some concerns in Hamilton County when it comes to mold in houses, schools, local shops, rental properties and workplaces alike.

It concerns me because according to Hamilton County's own website, it states, "Currently there are no regulations or standards that require mold to be cleaned up or address how much mold you can be exposed to."

If the state and county do not have clear standards or regulations, how we going to improve our air quality and lower risk of mold-related infections? Mold can be anywhere and without standards, it can be growing in our workplaces, our homes and even the stores we go to shop.

The other piece of information that concerns me and the general population is about rent properties with a landlord. My old house in Noblesville was rented and our landlord did and still is not required to disclose high concentrations of mold in rental properties to prospective tenants according to Nolo, an organization that helps consumers and small businesses find answers to their everyday legal and business questions.

Why don't we strive for a better community that has fewer risks of being exposed to mold? Those with asthma and allergy-related issues such as myself can be at serious risk.

According to the CDC about mold, "Some people are sensitive to molds. For these people, exposure to molds can lead to symptoms such as stuffy nose, wheezing, and red or itchy eyes, or skin. Some people, such as those with allergies to molds or with asthma, may have more intense reactions. Severe reactions may occur among workers exposed to large amounts of molds in occupational settings, such as farmers working around moldy hay. Severe reactions may include fever and shortness of breath."

Starting the solution with clear standards and regulations will help bring high rates of mold down. We already have companies that will come and help clean up mold but what we need are clear guidelines to how rental properties, houses, schools, shops and workplaces are investigated for mold.

Allison Edge

A public health advocate, concerned citizen and student at Ball State University

Applications are now available for State Senate page program

The REPORTER

now accepting applications on the Senate Floor." for the 2020 Senate Page Program.

Through the full-day program, students in grades six through 12 can tour Indiana's Statehouse, listen to debates and help staff with age-appropriate tasks. Students

ty to meet with their state

"I encourage all eligible students to register for the Senate Page Program," State Sen. Victoria Spartz (R-Noblesville) said. "Pages learn so much about the or to apply, visit Indilegislative process and state anaSenateRepublicans. government, aligning what

they learn in the classroom The Indiana Senate is with firsthand experience The Senate Page Pro-

> gram will begin in January and run through early March. Positions fill quickly, so it is important to apply early. Pages are scheduled for Mondays, Tuesdays

and Thursdays Spartz during the legisalso have the opportuni- lative session. They begin their day at 8:30 a.m. and are dismissed at 3:30 p.m. Groups serve together on Wednesdays. Serving as a page is considered an ex-

> cused absence from school. For more information com/page-program.

Thanks for reading!

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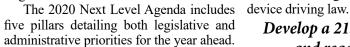
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Indiana Governor Eric Holcomb announces 2020 Next Level Agenda

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Indiana Governor Eric J. Holcomb has announced his 2020 Next Level Agenda, which focuses on improving the lives of Hoosiers with better health, improved career opportunities and a better place to live.

"Because of the hard work of Hoosiers, Indiana has become a destination of certainty and stability, but we can't stop there," Holcomb said. "As I travel the state, I hear people concerned about rising health care costs, the increase in youth vaping and our education system. My goal is to listen to their concerns and find solutions to build a bolder, brighter future."



Cultivate a strong and diverse economy

To continue strengthening our economy, Holcomb's 2020 agenda focuses on transforming how we tell Indiana's story by elevating Indiana's profile within and outside the state with joint branding and promotion efforts with the private sector and the new Indiana Destination Development Corporation with the goal of attracting more jobs and more people. The state will also build a 21st century defense inno-

vation ecosystem to triple federal defense investment in Indiana by 2025.

Maintain and build the state's infrastructure

The 2020 agenda is designed to connect

Hoosiers with reliable infrastructure. To accomplish this goal, Holcomb's \$1 billion Next Level Connections program expands broadband service to unserved areas in Indiana, grows the state's systems of trails and creates more nonstop international flights. The 2020 agenda also focuses on preserving our highways and decreasing distracted driving by enacting a hands-free

Develop a 21st century skilled and ready workforce

Holcomb will continue to make finding long-term sustainable solutions to improve teacher compensation a top priority by supporting the Next Level Teacher Compensation Commission. The 2020 agenda also includes identifying unfunded mandates and unnecessary requirements in K-12 education for elimination in 2021, holding schools harmless for ILEARN scores, changing career-related teacher professional growth points from required to optional, and redesigning the state's prison educa-

State Reps. Huston, Schaibley endorse Governor's 2020 agenda

The REPORTER

On Tuesday, State Representatives Todd Huston (R-Fishers) and Donna Schaibley (R-Carmel) issued statements following the announcements of Governor Eric Holcomb's 2020 Next Level

"Governor Holcomb's Next Level agenda highlights many of our shared legislative priorities, and we will work together to tackle the issues important to Hoosiers," said Huston. "From investing cash reserves in one-time capital projects with the potential to save the state more than \$120 million in interest, to addressing rising health care costs, we have a busy session ahead. Legislators are preparing to hit the ground running, and I'm confident we will deliver on our goals and continue the state's positive momentum."





Huston

Schaibley

"The governor's agenda hits on major issues that matter to Hoosiers the most, including rising health care costs," said Schaibley. "Consumers deserve to know how much a procedure will cost up front to avoid getting hit with unexpected and costly bills. I look forward to working on legislation that aims to tackle these issues in the 2020 session."

tion system to better prepare Department workers by providing more workplace acof Correction offenders to re-enter society. commodations.

Public health and the drug epidemic

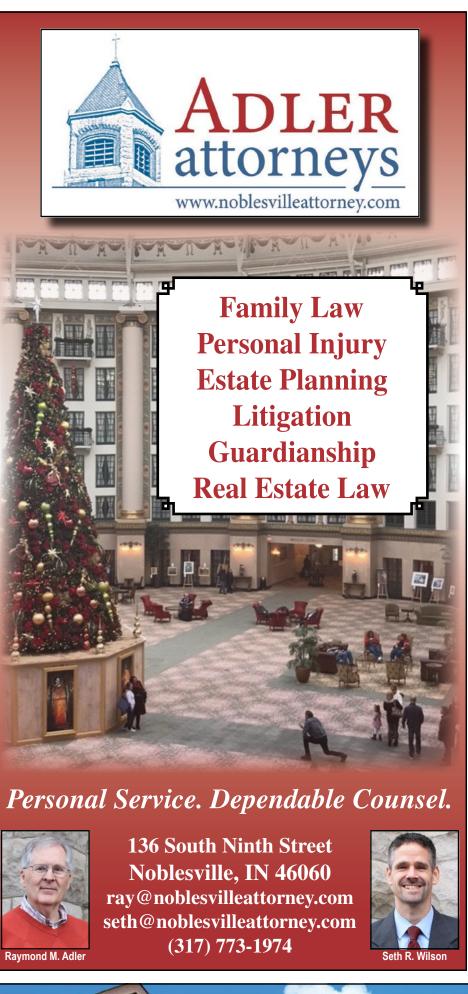
Holcomb is calling for raising the age to purchase tobacco and e-cigarettes from 18 to 21 and enhancing enforcement to prevent underage buyers. The 2020 agenda also includes providing healthcare price transparency for consumers via an "All-Payer Claims Database," protecting consumers from surprise medical bills, improving mental health services at schools and hospitals, and incentivizing more community paramedicine programs. In the fight against the drug epidemic, the Governor wants to add more recovery housing for Hoosiers coping with substance use disorder. The state will continue to work toward becoming the best state in the Midwest for infant mortality by 2024 by protecting pregnant 2020 Next Level Agenda at in.gov/gov.

Deliver great government service

The 2020 agenda saves Hoosiers more than \$125 million in borrowing costs by using \$300 million in cash now to fund capital projects. Additionally, Holcomb will simplify how Hoosiers reach out for health and human services assistance by integrating the 2-1-1 helpline into FSSA call centers.

"These aren't just lofty goals – they are solutions to improve the lives of Hoosiers around Indiana," Holcomb said. "We are charting a bold course for our state to become the absolute best place in America to grow as an individual, a family, a business and as a community."

Learn more about Gov. Holcomb's







Fishers Arts Council announces 2020 exhibits

The REPORTER

The Fishers Arts Council (FAC) presents its 2020 Exhibit Season of art at The Art Gallery at City Hall beginning on Jan. perimentalist 2. The 2020 season features 16 exhibits by artists from Fishers and the surrounding area, including a High School Senior Artists' Association Showcase in April.

Each exhibit will feature a free evening reception during which the public has the opportunity to interact with the artists. This season looks to expand the viewing hours

The 2020 season offers the works of Artist local artists such as James Anderson, Greg Beall, Bryce Culverhouse, Britton Farrand, Michael Janosky, Jeannette Pomeroy Parssi, Gale Sturm and Paula Wright.

Additionally, there will be a special exhibit in February (Black History) featuring Fishers High School and Fall Creek Junior High School Students. In March, as part of Disabilities Awareness Month, FAC will offer the work of artists with disabilities. In July, FAC will celebrate the fine art from the Hamilton County Artists' Association.

Exhibits

- January: Dreaming in Color Jean- emailing FishersArtsCouncil@gmail.com.
- Performing Art

- March: Disabilities Awareness Art
- April: Senior Showcase
- May: I am Story: B Farrand, the Ex-
- June: The Art of Michael Janosky • July: Fine Art by Hamilton County
- August: The Art of James Anderson
- **September**: The Art of Illustration & Caricatures
- October: First Annual Juried Exhibi-
- November: The Art of the Graphic
- **December**: The Emerging Artist

Of the 16 exhibits, four will be held in the new exhibit area, The Alcove. Those exhibits will be on display for three months each. The Alcove exhibits will feature Gale Sturm (first quarter), Bryce Culverhouse (second quarter); Greg Beall (third quarter)

and Paula Wright (fourth quarter). The exhibits are open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday (excluding holidays) at The Art Gallery at City Hall and every Saturday from 10 a.m. to noon during Fishers Summer Farmers Market.

Most artwork is available for sale by

For questions or information, email • February: Black History: Visual & FishersArtsCouncil@gmail.com or visit

Four ways to protect yourself from ID theft this holiday season

StatePoint

holiday shopping. When shopping account. That making purchases online, way, if someone steals of identity theft – it's more able to go on a shopping common than you may spree at other sites, too. think.

of personal information, any suspicious activity. thieves can open new If you don't recognize a counts and file fraudulent credit card company or tax returns. The Federal bank right away. Trade Commission says tity theft reported in 2018, with 167,000 people sayaccount or used to open a in emails as they may and take years to correct.

Below are four tips to make a purchase. help prevent identity theft:

be sure to protect yourself your information on one from becoming a victim account, they won't be

2. Track transactions: With just a few pieces Check your statements for

3. Beware of scams: credit card fraud was the Watch out for phishing number one type of iden- scams in which fraudsters send emails that look like they're from a reputaing their information was ble company, but aren't. misused on an existing Avoid clicking on links new credit card account. download malware that No matter what form it can give thieves access takes, identity theft can to your personal inforcost thousands of dollars mation. Always visit a retailer's website directly to

4. Get identify theft 1. Vary passwords: insurance: Some insur-

Use a different username ance companies offer cov-'Tis the season for and password for each erage to make the process of undoing the damage from identity theft easier and less costly. For example, Erie Insurance has Identity Theft Recovery Coverage, an affordable option that can easily be added to a homeowners or renters insurance policy.

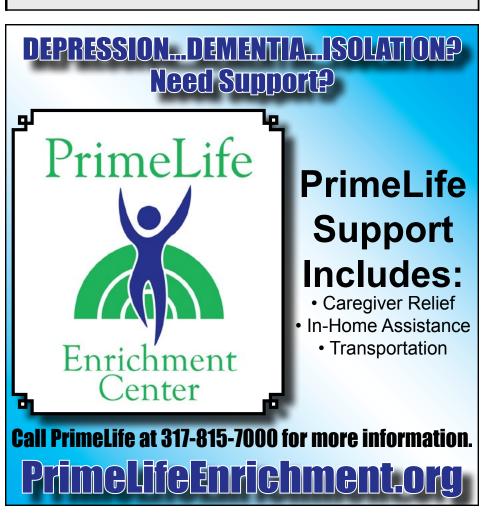
"When someone uses credit lines, drain bank actransaction, contact your information about you without your permission, it takes time and money to straighten things out," said Robert Buckel, vice president of product management at Erie Insurance. "This coverage offers peace of mind to help you restore your credit and make the process - and your life – a little easier."

> Protecting your identity may not be top-of-mind during the holiday shopping season, but with just a few safeguards in place, your online security can be greatly enhanced.









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withdrawal may be subject to penalty. Fees may reduce earnings on the account

Obituary 6







TODAY'S BIBLE READING

Then the band and the captain and officers of the Jews took Jesus, and bound him, And led him away to Annas first; for he was father in law to Caiaphas, which was the high priest that same year. Now Caiaphas was he, which gave counsel to the Jews, that it was expedient that one man should die for the people. And Simon Peter followed Jesus, and so did another disciple: that disciple was known unto the high priest, and went in with Jesus into the palace of the high priest. But Peter stood at the door without. Then went out that other disciple, which was known unto the high priest, and spake unto her that kept the door, and brought in Peter. Then saith the damsel that kept the door unto Peter, Art not thou also one of this man's disciples? He saith, I am not. And the servants and officers stood there, who had made a fire of coals; for it was cold: and they warmed themselves: and Peter stood with them, and warmed himself. The high priest then asked Jesus of his disciples, and of his doctrine. Jesus answered him, I spake openly to the world; I ever taught in the synagogue, and in the temple, whither the Jews always resort; and in secret have I said nothing. Why askest thou me? ask them which heard me, what I have said unto them: behold, they know what I said.

John 18:12-21 (KJV)

Max Gene Starrett August 23, 1932 – December 4, 2019

Max Gene Starrett, 87, Arcadia, passed away December 4, 2019 at Miller's Merry Manor in Tipton. He was born August 23, 1932 in Ekin, Ind., to Malcom Everett and Melba Florence (Pickard) Starrett.

He was a graduate of Sheridan High School with the Class of 1950. Max was employed for many years at Dow Chemical Company in Indianapolis where he worked in the research and testing

He was a longtime member of Arcadia Christian Church and the Tipton American Legion. He enjoyed camping, fishing and all sporting events, especially Hamilton Heights football games and all sporting events in which his children and grandchildren were involved. His family attested to him being a great dad and grandfather. After retiring he and his wife

enjoyed spending winter months in Florida. He married Marilyn Alice (Peltier) Starrett on June 10, 1951. She preceded him in death May 25, 2019. In addition to his wife and parents, he was also preceded in death by

a brother, Bobby Starrett, and sisters, Betty Pickard and Janet Tharp. Surviving him is a daughter,: Robin Sue (Jerry) Eckart, Cicero; sons, Gene "Smoke" (Colleen) Starrett, Cicero, and Donald Max Starrett, Noblesville; a brother, Larry Starrett, Sebring, Fla.; five grandchildren, Chad and Andy Starrett, Amanda Billman, Hilary Kilfoil and Ross Eckart; and several great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 7 p.m. on December 16, 2019 at Hartley Funeral Home Cicero Chapel, 209 W. Jackson St., Cicero, with Pastor J.R. Moffatt officiating. Burial will occur at Arcadia Cemetery. Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. prior to the services.

Memorial contributions may be made to Angels Attic, P.O. Box 544, Arcadia, IN 46030.

<u>Arrangements</u>

Calling: 4 to 7 p.m., Dec. 16 Service: 7 p.m., Dec. 16 Location: Hartley Funeral Home Cicero Chapel Condolences: hartleyfuneralhomes.com

Meeting Notices

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Wrestling

Carmel dominates dual with Fishers

The Carmel wrestling team dominated an all-county dual meet with Fishers Wednesday at the Eric Clark Activity Center.

The No. 6-ranked Greyhounds beat the No. 20 Tigers 62-9. Carmel won 12 of the 14 matches, eight of them by fall.

"Their program's getting better," said 'Hounds coach Ed Pendoski. "They've got some kids that have been wrestling for a while. The matchups were really in our favor today. I think they're still missing some guys and so are we. We still had two in our lineup that aren't there yet."

Still, Carmel quickly took control of the meet, winning the first eight bouts. That included pins from Nate Powell, Jake Shafer, Gabe Davin and Garrett Sharp. Paul Grella took the 152-pound match in a major decision, with Joey Langeman, TJ Barrett and Jackson Mitchell winning by decision.

Fishers' JD Farrell received a forfeit at 195 pounds to get the Tigers on the board. But the Greyhounds took the next four matches by fall; Haakon Van Beynen, Jonathan Williams, Suhas Chundi and Brac Hooper were the winners of those bouts.

Fishers' PJ Prtichett won the last match of the evening, in an 8-5 decision. Tigers coach Frank Ingalls called the match "a learning experience."

"We're looking at it as a practice match to get ready for the end of the season, state series," said Ingalls. "I thought our guys fought pretty hard tonight. We got a lot of young guys and we had a lot of back-ups in tonight. Almost half our team is back-ups. We got a lot of injuries right now and we just got to heal up."

CARMEL 62, FISHERS 9 Meet started at 126 pounds

126: Joey Langeman (C) def. Zachary Strueder (F) by decision, 14-9 132: Nate Powell (C) def. Luu Ngyuen (F) by fall, 2:32

138: TJ Barrett (C) def. Josh Thompson (F) by decision, 4-2

145: Jake Shafer (C) def. Ben Jones

(F) by fall, 3:03



Reporter photo by Richie Hall

Carmel's TJ Barrett (blue) and Fishers' Josh Thompson had a tough battle in the 138-pound match of the Greyhounds-Tigers dual meet Wednesday at Carmel's Eric Clark Activity Center.

152: Paul Grella (C) def. Zachary Wil- (C) by decision, 8-5 lard (F) by major decision, 13-5 160: Jackson Mitchell (C) def. Miro Bruvold (F) by decision, 8-2

170: Gabe Davin (C) def. James Carroll (F) by fall, 2:56 182: Garrett Sharp (C) def. Spencer

Riebe (F) by fall, 0:13 195: JD Farrell (F) won by forfeit 220: Haakon Van Beynen (C) def. Wyatt Halley (F) by fall, 3:20

285: Jon Williams (C) def. Max Kohn (F) by fall, 5:42

106: Suhas Chundi (C) def. Anthony Riley (F) by fall, 0:45

113: Brac Hooper (C) def. Griffin Ingalls (F) by fall, 1:58

120: PJ Pritchett (F) def. Luke Farling

Westfield also scored an overwhelm- fall, 3:32 ing win on Wednesday, beating Lebanon 113: Dylan Driver won by forfeit 56-13.

The Shamrocks took 11 of the 14 1:52 matches, including six by fall. Westfield 126: Brady Drlik def. Baldwin by fall, wrestlers getting pins were Braxton Vest, Carson Eldred, Brady Drlik, Ian Watson, Gabe Arvin and Dakota Arvin. Seth Martin was a winner by technical fall, while Kevin Dotse, Alec McLaren and Mike Platonov all picked up decision victories. Dylan Driver won by forfeit.

WESTFIELD 56, LEBANON 13 Meet started at 195 pounds

195: Gabe Arvin def. Wilson by fall, 1:12

220: Dakota Arvin def. Mills by fall,

285: Mike Platonov def. Morgan by fall, 16-1

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3:59

132: Jason Roony lost to Toole by fall, 3:03

138: Ian Watson def. Michael by fall, 0:59

145: Kevin Dotse def. Smith by decision, 8-5

152: Alec McLaren def. Getch by decision, 8-3

160: Austin McClure lost to Fox by decision, 8-4

170: Jackson Anderson lost to Williamson by major decision, 16-6 182: Seth Martin def. Stillwell by tech

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Fishers at Noblesville Girls Basketball - 7:30 pm



Avon at Hamilton Southeastern Girls Basketball - 7:30 pm



Shenandoah at Fishers Boys Basketball - 7:30 pm



Chatard at Heritage Christian Boys Basketball - 7:45 pm

County well-represented in IndianaMat.com rankings

tlers ranked in the IndianaMat.com indi- mel. vidual rankings. Here's a list for the week of Dec. 9.

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106: 6. Brac Hooper, Carmel. 113: 2. Suhas Chundi, Carmel.

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182: 9. Garrett Sharp, Carmel.

195: 5. JD Farrell, Fishers; 15. Zach White, Carmel.

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NBA standings

Eastern Conference

Atlantic	W	L	PCT.	GB
Boston	17	6	.739	-
Philadelphia	18	7	.720	-
Toronto	16	8	.667	1.5
Brooklyn	13	11	.542	4.5
New York	5	20	.200	13.0
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
Milwaukee	22	3	.880	-
Indiana	16	9	.640	6.0
Detroit	10	14	.417	11.5
Chicago	9	17	.346	13.5
Cleveland	5	19	.208	16.5
Southeast	W	L	PCT.	GB
Miami	18	6	.750	-
Orlando	11	13	.458	7.0
Charlotte	11	16	.407	8.5
Washington	7	16	.304	10.5
Atlanta	6	19	.240	12.5

Wednesday scores Houston 116, Cleveland 110 Indiana 122, Boston 117 L.A. Lakers 96, Orlando 87 L.A. Clippers 112, Toronto 92 Charlotte 113, Brooklyn 108

Chicago 136, Atlanta 102 Utah 127, Minnesota 116 Memphis 115, Phoenix 108 Milwaukee 127, New Orleans 112 Sacramento 94, Oklahoma City 93 New York 124. Golden State 122. OT

Western Conference

Northwest	W	L	PCT.	GB
Denver	14	8	.636	-
Utah	14	11	.560	1.5
Oklahoma City	11	13	.458	4.0
Minnesota	10	14	.417	5.0
Portland	10	15	.400	5.5
Pacific	W	L	PCT.	GB
L.A. Lakers	22	3	.880	-
L.A. Clippers	19	7	.731	3.5
Phoenix	11	13	.458	10.5
Sacramento	11	13	.458	10.5
Golden State	5	21	.192	17.5
Southwest	W	L	PCT.	GB
Dallas	16	7	.696	-
Houston	16	8	.667	0.5
San Antonio	9	14	.391	7.0
Memphis	8	16	.333	8.5
New Orleans	6	19	.240	11.0

Pacers bounce back, win over

By BRENDAN ROURKE

Courtesy nba.com/pacers

After falling to the L.A. Clippers two nights ago, the Pacers bounced back on Wednesday night in a huge way against the Eastern Conference's second-best team, the Boston Celtics.

Despite 44 points from Boston newcomer Kemba Walker, Indiana (16-9) emerged with the hard-earned 122-117 victory behind the Holiday brothers' impressive fourth quarter.

"You know, it's fun as a team, finally playing against some top teams," Domantas Sabonis said of what the team learned after these two tough games. "It's good to see where we are, you know? And getting one win out of these two is good for us."

After a 15-point performance in the first quarter from the Beantown's biggest offseason signee, Walker, the Celtics (17-6) emerged from the first quarter with a slim 32-30 lead over Indiana. However, the Pacers' defense responded in a big way early in the second quarter. Nate McMillan's squad held Boston to just one field goal in a 4:13 span, and the offense used an 11-2 run to grab a 53-44 lead over the Celtics with 4:00 left to play in the first half. Indiana then held Boston off down the stretch to take a 61-57 lead into halftime.

After a 37-point third quarter — including 15 from Walker — it appeared as if Boston was going to run away with the game. But, the Holiday brothers had

for 20 of Indiana's 38 fourth-quarter points, and Malcolm Brogdon iced the game late at the free throw line, connecting on four consecutive free throws with under a minute to play.

"I think we were really really calm," Justin Holiday said of Indiana's fourth quarter. "[We] took our time, hit the guys that were open, and everybody just made plays."

With Boston in possession, Walker quarter. collected the ball and threw up a desper-

The man who had been on fire all night missed wide left, hitting nothing but air. The Pacers would then ice the game with two more free throws from Brogdon.

Brogdon led all Pacers scorers with 29 points and went a perfect 15-of-15 from the free-throw line while Aaron and Justin Holiday added 18 and 17 apiece, as Indiana emerged from the bout victorious. Domantas Sabonis notched his 20th double-double of the season by halftime. He finished the game with 15 points, 14 boards, and fell just two assists shy of a triple-double.

After starting just 3-of-14 from the field two nights ago, the Blue & Gold connected on five of their first seven shots of the game, including back-to-back threes from T.J. Warren and Brogdon to grab an early 15-12 lead at the 7:33 mark of the

However, the Celtics regained the lead a few minutes later thanks to a quick 14-3 run, including nine from Walker. His finger-roll layup in the paint gave Boston a 30-21 lead with 3:21 left to play in the opening frame, and his 15th point of the quarter. But the Pacers began to combat the onslaught with their reserves.

Indiana outscored the Celtics 9-2 down the final stretch of the period, including four points from the always-energetic T.J. McConnell, to trim the deficit to just two points (32-30) as time expired in the quarter. McConnell's tough right-handed running layup with 31.6 Aaron and Justin Holiday combined seconds remaining provided the final points of the first quarter.

> Out of the break, Boston used four quick points, including a 3-pointer from the former Purdue Boilermaker Carsen Edwards, to open a 36-30 lead on the Pacers. On both his entrance into the game and his ensuing three, Edwards received a nice ovation from the Indiana crowd.

But his field goal would be the only Boston basket for the next 4:13 of the

Justin Holiday's layup on a fast break

pushed the Pacers back in front 37-36.

Boston later regained a 42-39 lead on Gordon Hayward's fadeaway jumper with 6:05 remaining, but Sabonis responded on the other end with a tough three-point play to knot things up once more at 42 apiece.

The play appeared to spark the Pacers, as they sprinted out on an 11-2 run over a span of 1:38 to take a 53-44 lead and force Celtics head coach Brad Stevens to call a timeout with 4:00 left to play in the half. The run was highlighted by one of Myles Turner's signature rainbow 3-pointers from the left wing that brought the crowd to its feet

Out of the timeout, the Blue & Gold manage to stretch their lead to 13, 57-44, with 2:33 left in the half. However, a 109-109 tie with a pair of free throws to Walker almost single-handedly brought Boston back into the game.

the Celtics' last seven points, including a er from the right baseline to give Indiana three-point play with 3.2 seconds left, to cut Indiana's lead to just four as the first half ended.

The halftime break didn't halt Walker's momentum one bit, as he scored 10 of the Celtics first 18 points of the frame to grab a 75-72 Boston lead with 6:06 left to play in the quarter.

Later in the period, Walker would wow the crowd with a no-look pass that 3:56 left in the third.

back. The Blue & Gold scored the game's next five points in the next 33 seconds to quickly pull within one.

he left off. The former Charlotte Hornet scored the game's next five points to extend Boston's lead to 87-82 with 2:01 left

As he headed to the bench, Boston ones you have to make." continued to find success in the third. The Celtics closed the quarter on a 7-2 run that gave Boston a 94-84 lead, and

ation three in an attempt to tie the game. at the 8:18 mark of the quarter soon the momentum, heading into the fourth

But the Holiday brothers began lighting up the house.

The duo combined for eight points of an early 10-2 fourth-quarter Pacers run. Justin Holiday's emphatic one-handed slam trimmed the deficit to just two, 96-94, with 9:13 left in the game.

Over the next few minutes, they were able to respond to several Boston buckets. Despite their best effort, the Celtics couldn't earn more than a four point lead.

Aaron Holiday's tough layup from the right lane with 5:27 left to play cut the Celtics lead to 102-100. A pair of Doug McDermott free throws then tied the ball game at 102.

With 1:59 left to play, Brogdon broke give Indiana a slim two-point lead. After what seemed like a rare miss from Walk-The former UConn star scored six of er, Justin Holiday drilled a clutch 3-pointa 114-109 lead with 1:25 remaining...

> After a Celtics timeout, Indiana could not put the game away. Back-toback Boston visits to the free-throw line trimmed Indiana's lead to 114-113 with 48.6 seconds left to play. But with time winding down, the Pacers knew just the man who could put the game away.

And he did.

Just as he's done his entire career, led to an easy Jaylen Brown bucket that Brogdon remained razor sharp from the extended the Celtics' lead to 82-76 with charity stripe. His two free throws with 2.0 seconds left gave the Pacers their Indiana appeared willing to fight much needed first signature win of the season.

"Ever since high school, there are days when I get in the gym and try to But Walker then picked up right where make the best out of 100 [free throws]," Brogdon said. "If I don't get 95 or better, I try to shoot them again. I've been like that since college. I think free throws are the easiest shot in the game. So those are the

Hamilton Heights-Northwestern girls basketball boxscore NORTHWESTERN 59.

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Heights	FG	FT	TP	PF					
Jillian Osswald	6-13	3-3	18	2					
Bayleigh Runner	1-8	2-2	4	2					
Payton Dissett	1-5	0-0	3	5					
Chloe Henderson	0-1	0-0	0	1					
Sydney Runyan	0-4	0-0	0	3					
Hailey Champion	0-0	0-0	0	0					
MyKayla Moran	1-4	3-3	5	4					
Totals	9-35	8-8	30	17					

Score by Quarters Heights 20 20 12 - 59 Northwestern Heights 3-point shooting (4-18) Osswald 3-6, Dissett 1-5, Runner 0-5, Henderson 0-1, Runyan 0-1. Heights rebounds (18) Osswald 7, Runner

4, Dissett 3, Runyan 2, Moran 2. Runner 4 assists.





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