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TODAY'S WEATHER



Today: Partly sunny. Isolated shower or storm possible.

Tonight: Partly cloudy. Spotty showers and storms.

HIGH: 86 **LOW:** 69



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Community First Bank gives \$2,500 check to Noblesville Elks

The REPORTER

The 35th annual Steve Renner Golf Outing for Cancer Research could not be held due to current public safety guidelines and health concerns of members and participants.

However, Community First Bank of Indiana still remained committed to the Noblesville Elks Lodge by presenting a \$2,500 check on Thursday in support of the Elks and its dedication to the Noblesville community for cancer research.

The Elks' State Major Project fights the various dreaded cancer diseases. Indiana has two major cancer research facilities, with one located at Purdue University's Center for Cancer Research and the other at IU's Simon Cancer Center. The Noblesville Elks is always at the top of Indiana Elksdom's fundraising efforts due to the contributions of the Renner Golf Outing.



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(From left) Elks PER and Golf Committee Co-Chair Randy King, CFB Board of Directors Pete Smith and Monica Peck, bank officer Janelle Campbell, CFB Executive VP Scott Hammersley, Elks Exalted Ruler Cliff Decker, Pebblebrook Branch Manager Josh Faudree, and Elks State Director and Lodge Secretary Geoff Robinson.

Noblesville police officer Ben Lugar named Prevail Inc.'s July 2020 Hero

Submitted

Prevail, Inc. is proud to honor Officer Ben Lugar of the Noblesville Police Department as Prevail's hero of the month for July.

Officer Lugar helped start NobleACT, a mental health crisis and substance abuse response program that both the Noblesville Police Department and Noblesville Fire Departments created. He can respond to the scene in these situations and focus on connecting people with services, while directing them away from the criminal justice system and unnecessary hospitalizations. He does not respond in a uniform in an effort to connect with people and to



Photo provided
set him apart from patrol officers that may respond. Prevail recently reached out to Officer Lugar when one of Prevail's clients had hesitations about calling law enforcement after previously interacting with them. The client

felt more comfortable with this interaction. Officer Lugar responded promptly and was happy to help in any way he could. His response was timely, informed, and supportive to the client's goals.

With Officer Lugar's help, the client was able to safely leave an abusive relationship and retrieve important belongings. Prevail is grateful for Officer Lugar's willingness to assist clients and for his compassion and responsiveness.

Prevails looks forward to working closely with NobleACT in the future and to continue to utilize Officer Lugar as a valuable connection for clients. Thank you, Officer Lugar!

Just my opinion

COLUMNIST



JANET HART LEONARD
From the Heart

"I hope you don't take this personally." Well how else am I supposed to take it?

Most people do not intend to hurt us.

With that being said, there are those who seem to have a knack for telling us what they think and not in a good way.

It's like they should be saying, "I'm not sorry for telling you this. You need to know ... blah blah blah." Then they proceed to leave a not-so-nice plate of doo doo in our lap. They then walk away feeling like they have done their duty. Malarky.

How do we deal with it?

In the past I would mostly smile and say, "Oh it's OK." But it wasn't.

I would try my best to fully explain my feelings and why I thought I was right in doing what I was doing. Then I realized they were not ever going to listen to what I had to say. They just wanted to give me their opinion.

There was never any way to justify to them that I was right in my decisions. The facts could not be seen from their perspective ... only mine.

Just because someone has an opinion does not mean that it needs to be voiced. Just because someone gives me their opinion does not mean that I have to let it sink in to my already overwhelmed mind and heart.

People often mean well, but until they have walked in my shoes with my exact circumstances, they will never understand.

Some people are all too willing to give their opinion ... all too willing. If you stand back and look at their life you might just see what their opinion has done for them and their relationships.

If someone resents our not taking their advice what does that say about the relationship?

Time well spent and showing up and just sitting with someone says more about

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GOP breakfast a kickoff for election campaign?

All Republican candidates for Hamilton County Council and the Board of Commissioners in this year's election will be appearing at this month's GOP Breakfast Club on Wednesday, Aug. 19.

In what may be considered a kickoff of the fall campaign locally, the candidates will likely be speaking about the competition in November, something that Republican candidates have not had to think much about in the past.

Council candidates Steve Nation, Sue Maki and incumbent Brad Beaver will be present along with commissioner candidates Steve Dillinger and Mark Heirbrandt, both running for re-election.

GOP candidates are expected to tout the record of accomplishments in local government and their belief that they are best able to keep making progress without increasing taxes.

They are, however, being challenged this year by a slate of Democrats offering new faces, but thus far no specific plans for the way in which they would operate local government services and institutions.

Democrats have not mounted a serious challenge at the county level since the 1950s, but recent elections show the party gaining ground.

The Breakfast Club 7:30 a.m. meeting will be held at Matteo's restaurant, 40 N. 9th St., Noblesville. It is open to the public, but seating is limited and reservations are required through county GOP headquarters.



The show must go . . . online!

First production in new Westfield Playhouse will stage both in-person and via livestream

By **STU CLAMPITT**
ReadTheReporter.com

If you are planning to stage community theater performance in 2020, you must think about both safety and accessibility. Main Street Productions (MSP) has spent a great deal of time and effort putting safety first as they planned their first show at the new Westfield Playhouse, 220 N. Union St., Westfield.

"The Monologue Show" is going to be a different kind of production than either cast, crew or patrons have experienced before at MSP. Of course, it will be entertaining, but it will also be as safe as possible for everyone involved.

Director Brandi Davis told The Reporter MSP picked this show not only because they were able to license the script for both in-person and livestream performances, but also because the play lends itself to social distancing for the cast.

"It is a series of monologues that a theater class has put together for their annual produc-



Photo provided by MSP
(From left) Charlie Haas, Rosie Allenson, Jadin Payton, Sam Vrtismarsh and Selia Crouch get in a few last rehearsals before opening night this weekend.

tion," Davis said. "The premise is that the students have created their own monologues. You have the disheartened, underpaid teacher who is just kind of over it and trying to lead them all to put on a production even though some of the students are really into it and some of them are just not."

This is not a traditional

show. Patrons will not see a solid beginning, middle and end or a solid plotline because each character is telling their own story.

"You have one student who is talking about how he wants to be a brain surgeon," Davis said. "Another one talks about how he went to an interview at McDonald's and it went hor-

ribly wrong. Another student talks about a night of stealing garden gnomes."

From the beginning, this production was planned with a great deal of flexibility built-in because all of the pandemic variables could – and did – force MSP to make changes

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Peterson Architecture hires Zupin as Community Engagement Liaison

The REPORTER

Peterson Architecture has announced the hiring of Dagny Zupin as Community Engagement Liaison.

Peterson Architecture is a full service architectural and planning firm located in downtown Noblesville. The firm is licensed in 48 states, Guam and Puerto Rico, serving the commercial, healthcare,

restaurant, retail and religious sectors.

"Dagny will serve an important role at our company," said Peterson Architecture President Darren Peterson. Now, more than ever, it's important for our company to be engaged in a new way. Fostering relationships with our clients and community brings a long-term commitment to the best and most inno-

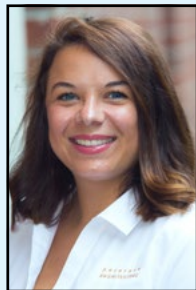
vative solutions."

Zupin told the Reporter, "I am thrilled to join such a community-oriented company. I look forward to working with Darren and his team as they develop creative and innovative spaces for clients to live, work and enjoy."

Zupin, a native of Winamac, Ind., and resident of Cicero, also serves as the executive director of

Nickel Plate Express in Noblesville. Zupin attended Ball State University, where she graduated cum laude with a bachelor's degree in public relations. Zupin is an active member of the Cicero community and serves as a board member on the Our Town Cicero Main Street Association.

To learn more about Peterson Architecture, visit peterson-architecture.com.



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along the way.

“When we did auditions, we did them completely virtually with one exception: that was my son, because he lives in my house,” Davis said. “All the actors recorded audition videos and emails the videos with their audition forms. I went through all them in my living room. That’s how I selected my cast.”

Davis was working with her young actors knowing that this play would go forward, but not how it would be presented to the public. MSP was hoping to be able to stage the production entirely in-person, but they also knew they may have had to do the whole show virtually.

One of the variables was whether or not MSP would get the keys to their new playhouse in time for the show. That and the pandemic led to the possibility that each actor would film their final monologue at home and that all of those individual pieces would have been edited together to an online-only production. Another option was having each actor film at the playhouse if they had taken possession of it and it the pandemic had made it

Get Your Tickets

When: In-person on Aug. 14-15 at 7:30 p.m. and Aug. 16 at 2:30 p.m.
Online on Aug. 15 at 7:30 p.m. and Aug. 16 at 2:30 p.m.

Where: The new Westfield Playhouse, 220 N. Union St., or the computer of your choice.

In-Person Cost: \$14 for adults 18 and older, \$12 for seniors 62 and older, \$12 for students with ID, and free for active military personnel and veterans with ID.

Livestream Cost: By donation, with a suggested donation of \$10, though you can make a larger, tax-deductible donation to Main Street Productions, a 501(c)(3) non-profit.

The live stream is LIVE, so you will need to be in front of your computer at showtime to watch: 7:30 p.m. on Aug. 15, and 2:30 p.m. on Aug. 16. The show will be broadcast on YouTube. A link to the live stream will be sent by email on Thursday, Aug. 13 to everyone who has made a donation to view the performance online.

Where to buy: Go to westfieldplayhouse.org/showstickets or call (317) 402-3341 for tickets.

Safety Guidelines: In order to keep all patrons safe, MSP has a COVID-19 policy that includes only seating 25 percent capacity, mask requirements, taking your temperature upon entering the theater and other measure details online at westfieldplayhouse.org/showstickets.

impossible to do any kind of in-person production.

In the end, MSP does have possession of their new playhouse in downtown Westfield and the COVID-19 guidelines from the CDC as well as the state and county health departments do allow for limited seating at live events. MSP is only allowing 25 percent seating capacity and opening night on Friday will be in-person only, but Saturday night and Sunday afternoon’s productions will give people the option for in-person or livestream viewing.

Davis explains that the

new stage is abundantly large and the play is structured in a way that allows for actors to be safely social distancing during the show.

“The reason I chose this particular script is because the author gives a lot of leeway to theaters,” David said. “He allows some of the monologues to be cut if you don’t want to use them all. If one of my actors gets ill at the last minute, we could remove their stuff without affecting the overall script because it is not a continuous story. Because it is a very flexible casting, I could have one person play



Photo provided by MSP
Tatyana Hobbs is one of many cast members getting ready to perform this out-of-the-box comedy.

three different characters or three actors playing those characters. That allows a lot of flexibility.”

MSP will stage “The Monologue Show” for one weekend only, Aug. 14-16. Go to westfieldplayhouse.org or call (317) 402-3341 for tickets. In-person seat-

ing will be limited to 25 percent capacity and there are several safety guidelines to follow. Those guidelines are available on our website at this link and at westfield-playhouse.org/showstickets. There is no limit on the number of people who can enjoy the livestream.

OPINION

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a relationship than anything else. Quiet reassurance speaks volumes.

While everyone is entitled to their opinion, they are not necessarily entitled to give it. Read that again.

The value of an opinion is greater when we see how they have lived their life, how wise have been their decisions and how much time they have invested in our life.

You see, until I know how much you care about me, your opinion will not carry much weight. Oh, it took a long time to get to this place.

So now, whenever someone says to me, "Don't take this personally," I can say, "Oh, I won't ... and I won't."

Meeting Notices

The Noblesville Board of Public Works will meet at 9 a.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 11, 2020, at Noblesville City Hall, 16 S. 10th St., Noblesville.

The Noblesville Common Council will meet to discuss the 2021 budget from 4 to 6 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 11, 2020, in Room A213 at Noblesville City Hall, 16 S. 10th St., Noblesville.

The Noblesville Common Council will meet at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 11, 2020, in Room A213 of Noblesville City Hall, 16 S. 10th St., Noblesville.



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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.) 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.





What's new for 2020?

The Atlas Cross Sport.



All **Atlas Cross Sport** models come with a touchscreen infotainment display with both Apple CarPlay and Android Auto integration. Navigation is optional, as is a reconfigurable digital gauge display and SiriusXM satellite radio. The Volkswagen Car-Net connectivity app allows for remote starting and analytics while a 4G LTE Wi-Fi hotspot allows occupants to remain connected to the internet with their smart devices while on the go.

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Carmel Police grateful for community support



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The Carmel Police Department sends its thanks to Chad Blake at WC Signs of Lapel for this great sign. It was donated as part of a luncheon that was presented by Carmel PD SOS. Carmel PD SOS is a group of spouses and significant others of officers who come together to support the department in meaningful ways. From everyone at Carmel PD, thanks for the support, a great meal, and an inspiring sign.



Photo courtesy IMMI
The IMMI and SynTec leadership teams are shown here following the announcement of IMMI's acquisition of SynTec.

Westfield's IMMI acquires SynTec Seating Solutions

WISH-TV | wishtv.com

Westfield-based IMMI, which manufactures safety restraints, belts and seating, has acquired SynTec Seating Solutions in North Carolina. The company says the SynTec product line will continue to be available and will transition to IMMI's SafeGuard brand.

IMMI acquired the company from its former parent, Michigan-based Joyson Safety Systems. The acquisition was completed

July 31.

"Today marks the start of an exciting new chapter for IMMI," said IMMI President Tom Anthony. "Our team has worked hard to design the safest, highest quality seat on the market to protect our children. This acquisition helps to get us one step closer to the day that every child on every school bus will have a lap-shoulder belt when they're traveling on our highways."

IMMI says it will con-

tinue to manufacture SynTec's current product line while integrating SafeGuard seats.

"We look forward to bringing together the best that both of our teams have to offer the market," added IMMI CEO Larry Gray. "SafeGuard seats are already engineered for Thomas Built Buses, so we expect a smooth transition with this integration."

Financial details of the deal were not disclosed.

How can you prepare for the "new retirement"?

A generation or so ago, people didn't just retire from work — many of them also withdrew from a whole range of social and communal activities. But now, it's different: The large Baby Boomer cohort, and no doubt future ones, are insisting on an active lifestyle and continued involvement in their communities and world. So, what should you know about this "new retirement"? And how can you prepare for it?

For starters, consider what it means to be a retiree today. The 2020 Edward Jones/Age Wave Four Pillars of the New Retirement study has identified these four interrelated, key ingre-



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dients, along with the connected statistics, for living well in the new retirement:

• Health

While physical health may decline with age, emotional intelligence — the ability to use emotions in positive ways — actually improves, according to a well-known study from the University of California, among others. However, not surprisingly, retirees fear Alzheimer's and other types of dementia more than any physical ailment, including cancer or infectious diseases, according to the "Four Pillars" study.

• **Family** — Retirees get their greatest emotional nourishment from family relationships — and they'll do

anything it takes to help support those family members, even if it means sacrificing their own financial security. Conversely, retirees lacking close connections with family and friends are at risk for all the negative consequences resulting from physical and social isolation.

• **Purpose** — Nearly 90 percent of Americans feel that there should be more ways for retirees to use their talents and knowledge for the benefit of their communities and society at large. Retirees want to spend their time in useful, rewarding ways — and they're well capable of doing so, given their decades of life experience. Retirees with a strong sense of purpose have happier, healthier lives and report

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Noblesville, Fishers police arrest three for check fraud

The REPORTER

At 4:36 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 5, officers from the Noblesville Police Department (NPD) were dispatched to Star Financial Bank, 9480 E. 146th St., in reference to a report of a possible fraud in progress.

Officers from the Fishers Police Department (FPD) arrived on the scene first and were able to locate the alleged suspects in a 2020 Chevrolet Tahoe with Florida registration plates. NPD officers arrived a short time later and began to investigate.

Earlier in the day, NPD and FPD officers began receiving a number of complaints of potential fraud occurring in both Noblesville and Fishers. It was reported that several checks had been cashed at local banks after the recipient's name and dollar amount had been altered. Officers worked with area banks and an informational bulletin was disseminated throughout the area warning of the suspicious activity. Alert employees of Star Financial Bank became suspicious when the alleged suspects came to their location and attempted to make a transaction. Bank officials



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responded by contacting the police.

The United States Postal Inspection Services is also a part of this ongoing investigation.

Investigators are encouraging citizens to be attentive to their bank records, especially transactions that occurred over the past couple of days. If you notice any inconsistencies with your records, please contact Detective David Barnes at (317) 776-6371.

Based on information collected and as a result of this investigation, preliminary charges have been filed. The suspects in the case were booked at the Hamilton County Jail on the following preliminary charges:

Warren S. Tillery, 44, Atlanta, Ga., was charged with: Possession of False Government Issued Iden-

tification, I.C. 35-43-5-2.5 (Class A Misdemeanor); and False Identity Statement, I.C. 35-44-1-2-4(a) (Class A Misdemeanor).

Sherri M. Bordeaux, 28, Atlanta, Ga., was charged with: Possession of False Government Issued Identification, I.C. 35-43-5-2.5 (Class A Misdemeanor); False Identity Statement, I.C. 35-44-1-2-4(a) (Class A Misdemeanor); and Identify Deception, I.C. 35-43-5-3.5(a) (Class A Misdemeanor).

Samuel D. Hackney, 48, Atlanta, Ga., was charged with: Synthetic Identity Deception, I.C. 35-43-5-3.8(a) (Level 6 Felony); Possession of False Government Issued Identification, I.C. 35-43-5-2.5 (Class A Misdemeanor); and False Identity Statement, I.C. 35-44-1-2-4(a) (Class A Misdemeanor).

Bike Village Loop this month in Carmel

The REPORTER

Bike Carmel: Slow Roll Ride, Conquer the CAB (Carmel Access Bikeway) presented by IU Health North Hospital looks a little different than in past years.

In 2020, riders were all set to Conquer the CAB routes in Carmel by riding them together. But, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, event organizers have changed the ride to make it a self-guided event that can be done with family members and friends while observing safe physical distancing.

There are five CAB routes of varying distances. So far, riders have completed the City Center



Loop (6.8 miles) in May, the White River Loop (7.2 miles) in June and the West Loop (9.7 miles) in July. This month, the distance will be bumped a bit and riders will conquer the Village Loop at 12.5 miles.

Now through Sunday, Aug. 16, you can explore the Village Loop and take a photo at any of the various routing signs and post it to the Facebook event.

One rider selected from

the pictures posted will be awarded a \$50 gift card to a local Carmel business selected from those pictures posted. [Click here](#) to see links to each of the five CAB routes, along with printable maps and queue sheets.

The City of Carmel, Bike Carmel and IU Health North Hospital are looking forward to another exciting year of bicycling in the community. More information can be found on the Bike Carmel Facebook page or by emailing bikecarmel@carmel.in.gov. Remember to keep safe physical distancing in mind, wear a mask when appropriate and keep the rubber side down.

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Get to know Prevail’s latest ‘Spotlight’ . . .

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Danielle Noonan serves as an Adult Advocate at Prevail Inc., and she’s in the Team Member Spotlight for the month of August. Read below to get to know her.
How long have you been at Prevail and what is your position?
I am an Adult Advocate, and I am in my first year with Prevail.

What do you like most about working for Prevail?
I love that Prevail strives to be inclusive and pushes to better define what that means every day. For marginalized and underserved communities, an organization that has services designed for inclusion can really positively impact a person’s journey toward post-traumatic growth.

Who is your hero?
I feel like I’m supposed to have a really profound historical figure or icon for this question. In truth, I have many heroes, some fictional and some real. At the end of the day, my heroes tend to be writers – specifically comedy writers. The ability to accurately depict what it means to be alive, to challenge your audience to question their beliefs and invite them into stories they may never know, and to find any element of humor in it all...



well, that’s some of the bravest work you’ll ever see. Heroic work.
What is your favorite quote?
“If you stay ready, then you ain’t got to get ready.” – James Brown
What would you sing at karaoke night?
I wouldn’t. I would spend the entire night identifying songs for other people and cheering them on if they nailed it or buying them some French fries and slinging some humor their way if they bombed. I might also sing personalized jingles for them into my fork.
What motivates you the most to serve others?
Knowledge is power, and power should be shared. The road to empowerment is a sequence of learning, unlearning, and relearning. When I serve others and can educate or provide knowledge, I am empowering my community to be safer, healthier, and stronger as a whole. None of us are in this alone. We were never meant to be.

If you could only eat one meal for the rest of your life, what would it be?
Chili with cornbread and a mason jar of Southern sweet tea.
What is your proudest accomplishment?
I’ve spent a lot of years trying to earn awards and credentials and accolades and milestones, and it’s funny, none of them seem to come to mind as especially important or stirring up feelings of pride. Some of the more long-lasting accomplishments of my life are actually quite mundane: learning how to cut an onion without crying, finishing a book that wasn’t on a syllabus, finding the right hair products for my multicultural blend, or officiating a wedding. The weird, random parts of my life seem to fill me with greater satisfaction than any major milestone. We’ll see if that ever changes.
What animal do you most identify with, and why?
The mongoose. Mongooses are playful and silly, but lethal when the situation calls for it. I’d love to live as a playful mongoose, but I like knowing that if needed, I have my own strength to call upon.
Favorite Prevail memory?
I’m still making memories. Stay tuned...
Favorite self-care practice?
Saying “No.” Knowing and setting your personal boundaries proactively is the greatest gift of time.

Notice
The Hamilton County Plan Commission is trying to be as responsible as possible during this pandemic episode and still move forward with updating our comprehensive plan. The next series of Hamilton County Plan Commission Comprehensive Plan Update public meetings will be a drive-through process. Our office will be doing a mass mailing to residents in our jurisdictional areas of Hamilton County next week. Please plan to drive through our site locations to complete the entire survey and/or drop off your own written comments regarding the types of growth and development you want and don't want to see.

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7:00 p.m.

White River Township
Tuesday, August 25, 2020
Walnut Grove Community Center
12695 East 256th Street
Cicero, IN 46034
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Noblesville/Wayne Townships
Thursday, August 27, 2020
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Fishers road construction updates

The REPORTER State Road 37

126th Street east of SR 37 is currently closed and is anticipated to reopen in November. During this time, cross access will be restricted, with only right in and right out. Northbound SR 37 traffic will not have access to 126th Street and will shift to the southbound lanes. Two lanes will remain in each direction. Local access to businesses will remain open. Detour route markers and advance warning signs will be in place prior to the closure. View the detour map [here](#).

Please drive with caution through this area. To learn more about the State Road 37 Improvement Project and sign up to receive text updates, visit [37Thrives.com](#).

126th Street & Ford Drive / Nickel Plate Trail Crossing

Beginning on Monday, Aug. 10, 126th Street from the Nickel Plate Trail crossing to Ford Drive will be closed and is anticipated to reopen in late September. During this time, the construction of speed tables at the Nickel Plate Trail crossing and the first phase of the Ford Drive roundabout will be completed. During this phase, residents and businesses on and east of Ford/Windsor Drive will be accessible from southbound SR 37 only. View the detour map [here](#).

96th Street

96th Street east of the Sargent Road roundabout to Cumberland Road is currently closed and is anticipated to reopen in early November. During this time, the bridge over Mud Creek will be replaced with a widened structure and additional travel lanes will be added. The official detour route will direct drivers to use Lantern Road or Cumberland Road to 106th Street. View the detour map [here](#).

Currently, the center lanes on eastbound and westbound 96th Street between the future Nick-

el Plate Trail and Lantern Road are closed to begin resurfacing and reconstruction of a median island. Beginning on Thursday, Aug. 13, a new traffic pattern will be in place for eastbound traffic west of Interstate 69. Check out the project [fact sheet](#) to learn more.

Beginning on Monday, Aug. 10, 96th Street from Georgia Road to Pica Drive will have lane restrictions in place through Wednesday, Aug. 12 for asphalt patching. Please drive with caution through this area.

106th Street

Beginning on or after Friday, Aug. 14, 106th Street at the Nickel Plate Trail crossing will be closed for approximately nine days for the construction of speed tables. View the detour map [here](#).

Hamilton County Project: The intersection of 106th Street and Mollenkopf Road is under construction for an intersection improvement project. These improvements should tentatively wrap up on or before Thursday, Aug. 20. Temporary lane restrictions may be in place with flaggers directing traffic. Please use caution while driving through this area.

Frances Street

Frances Street between Meadows Drive and Lantern Road is currently closed for approximately 30 days.

Spy Glass Hill Subdivision

Road resurfacing is taking place and is anticipated to be completed in August.

Sandstone Subdivision

Road resurfacing is taking place and is anticipated to be completed by September.

Neighborhood Parking Update

The City of Fishers’ objective is to create a safe and inviting community by improving infrastructure, reducing congestion, increase mobility options, and manage parking in the city, which is experiencing constant growth. The City is committed to providing

accessible and adequate parking options for all residents, guests and visitors, and the goal is to educate the community about parking regulations to reduce the chances of violations. Find info about neighborhood parking ordinances and how to file a complaint [here](#).

5K Closures

• Shot in the Dark: 5K road closures will be in place from 8 to 9:05 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 12 for the Shot in the Dark 5K. Closures will begin at 8 p.m. from Exit 5 Parkway and the Top Golf entrance, along Exit 5 Parkway, and continue on 121st Street to Aspen Drive. Officers will be placed at Cumberland Road and 121st Street and will allow northbound and southbound traffic through the intersection when there are gaps in runners.

• Honor the Brave 5K: On Saturday, Aug. 15, road restrictions will take place from 7:30 to 10 a.m. for the Honor the Brave 5K. Rolling closures will start at the Fishers Police Department on Municipal Drive, around Municipal Drive to Lantern Road, north to Sunblest Boulevard to Ellipse Parkway, and southwest around Ellipse Parkway to Saksons Boulevard. Closures will continue north on Saksons Boulevard, east on 126th Street, and south on Lantern Road to North Street. North Street will have rolling closures through Municipal Drive and continue north on Municipal Drive to the Police Station. See route [here](#).

While this list encompasses numerous project updates, it does not list all DPW projects throughout the city. The most recent projects are detailed; however, please keep in mind that all construction activities are weather permitting. The city appreciates motorists’ patience and caution while driving through construction sites. Plan for extra travel time in construction zones and drive distraction free.

Who was “Bobbie the Wonder Dog”?

The REPORTER This week in Indiana’s history ...

1889 – Zerna Sharp was born in Clinton County. Beginning as an elementary teacher in Hillisburg, Kirklin, and La Porte, she went on to become a textbook consultant. In the 1930s, she created the Dick and Jane series of readers which gained major use in schools across the nation. The books helped millions of children learn how to read, as they followed the adventures of the two main characters, their sister Sally, and their dog Spot.

1920 – The Allen County School Board announced the new teacher salary scale. "Class A" teachers with 12 weeks of Normal School training and no experience would earn \$100 a month. "Class B" teachers with 24 weeks of training and some experience would receive \$120 per month. Teachers with three-year licenses would qualify for "Class C" wages of \$135 each month. The top tier, "Class D," would include those who have three-year licenses and at least two years' experience. At the top of the scale, they would earn \$150 per month.

1923 – A family from Oregon was visiting relatives in Wolcott, Ind., when their dog Bobbie was scared by other dogs and



ran away. After searching for him for several days, the family was forced to move on. Six months later, Bobbie showed up at their home in Oregon, showing signs of having walked the entire 2,500 miles. The two-year-old Collie mix was mangy and scrawny with toenails completely worn down. He recovered and became a nationwide sensation, featured in newspapers everywhere. Known as "Bobbie the Wonder Dog," he played himself as the star of the silent movie, "The Call of the West." He lived until 1927 when he was buried with honors by the Oregon Humane Society. The German Shepherd film star Rin Tin Tin placed a wreath at his grave.

1949 – A Greyhound bus burst into flames when it slammed into a bridge abutment on Indiana Highway 37 four miles south of Bloomington. Of the 29 passengers on board, 16 were killed and 11 injured. At the time, it was called the worst highway accident in Indiana history.

1973 – The Howard County Historical Society opened the Seiberling Mansion for public tours. The 1891 home is a blend of Neo-Jacobean (Queen Anne) and Romanesque Revival architecture. There are eight rooms on the first floor and seven on the second, with a grand ballroom on the third floor. Ornate woodwork was created from a variety of native woods, including walnut, maple, cherry, mahogany and butternut. A magnificent porch overlooks the grounds.

2008 – Sandy Allen died in Shelbyville at the age of 53. At 7'7", she was listed in the Guinness Record Book as the tallest woman in the world. Active in community affairs and public service, she often spoke to school groups on the theme, "It's OK to be different." She was featured in numerous newspaper and magazine articles and appeared on a wide variety of television shows. Her life story is told in the book entitled *Cast a Giant Shadow*.

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• Finances – Retirees are less interested in accumulating more wealth than they are in having sufficient resources to achieve the freedom to live their lives as they choose. Yet, retirees frequently find that managing money in retirement can be even more challenging than saving for it. And the “unknowns” can be scary: Almost 70 percent of those who plan to retire in the next 10 years say they have no idea what their healthcare and long-term care costs will be in retirement.

So, if you’re getting close to retirement, and you’re considering these factors, how can you best integrate them into a fulfilling, meaningful way of life? You’ll want to take a “holistic” approach by asking yourself some key questions: What do you want to be able to do with your time and money? Are you building the resources necessary to enjoy the lifestyle you’ve envisioned? Are you prepared for the increasing costs of health care as you age? Have you taken the steps to maintain your financial independence,

and avoid burdening your family, in case you need some type of long-term care? Have you created the estate plans necessary to leave the type of legacy you desire?

By addressing these and other issues, possibly with the help of a financial professional, you can set yourself on the path toward the type of retirement that’s not really a retirement at all – but rather a new, invigorating chapter of your life.

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Zionsville man named president of Indiana Mortgage Bankers Association

The REPORTER

Michael E. Schrage, CEO and Chairman of Centier Bank, has announced the recent appointment of Bryan Traylor to Board President of the Indiana Mortgage Bankers Association.

Traylor, Senior Vice President of Residential Lending at Centier, has been a board member of IMBA for four years. Traylor joined Centier Bank in 2013, serving as the Vice President, Mortgage Sales Manager, before his current role, which he has been in since 2016.

"I'm humbled and honored to serve as the Board President for the IMBA for the next 12 months, during this unusual business time," Traylor said. "I am grateful to lead in an industry that has not only been able to survive a pandemic, but to help others as well. We have an opportunity as an industry to be a leader in pulling our economy, both local and national, out of this pandemic in the coming months and years."

Traylor resides in Zions-

ville with his wife Lindsay, and their children. He has served as Vice President on the Zionsville Town Council, the Zionsville Safety Board, and the Zionsville Police Commission.

The association serves as a resource and advocate, representing real estate lending in Indiana. Its purpose is to serve the mutual interests of its members to preserve, enhance, and advance the mortgage banking and real estate finance business in the State of Indiana. Traylor said he looks forward to representing Centier Bank in his role at the IMBA.

"Bryan's leadership in our mortgage division has truly been impactful and has led the team in a remarkable direction," Schrage said. "I am very proud of his accomplishments, and I am confident the IMBA will thrive with Bryan as President."

For more information about the Indiana Mortgage Bankers Association, go to imba.org. For more information about Centier Bank, go to centier.com.



Traylor

Brenda Lee Klingerman June 8, 1949 – August 6, 2020

Brenda Lee Klingerman, 71, Noblesville, passed away August 6, 2020. She was born June 8, 1949 in Indianapolis, daughter of Carl and Rhea (Wilson) Lake.



Survivors include her husband, Jeff; children, Michael (Lisa), Amy and Jason (Sarah); seven grandchildren; brother, Dennis (Vivian); and sister, Debra (Charles).

Family and friends will gather at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, August 11, 2020 at Trinity Baptist Church, of which Brenda was a faithful member, and where her funeral service will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Please visit bussellfamilyfunerals.com where you can read Brenda's complete obituary and share a memory.

Bussell Family Funerals, Carmel-Westfield is privileged to assist the family in arrangements.

Keith Johnson Pickett September 21, 1924 – July 20, 2020

Keith Johnson Pickett, 95, Sarasota, Fla., formerly of Carmel, passed away peacefully July 20, 2020. He was born September 21, 1924 in Cicero, son of John LuRay and Weltha (Johnson) Pickett.



Keith attended Boxley, Sheridan and Cicero schools. As an athlete, Keith played basketball and football at Sheridan High School and Cicero High School and pitched softball on a local Cicero team. In 1952, he received his BS in Business Administration from Butler University. Before retiring, Keith was employed as an Accountant with Herff Jones Corporation in Indianapolis as well as Hughey Construction Company in Carmel.

In June 1949, Keith married "Dotty" in Red Bank, N.J. They lived in Sheridan until 1954 when they moved to Carmel, where they raised their children. They enjoyed "snow birding" in Sarasota for several years, relocating there in 2012.

Keith was a member of Sheridan United Methodist Church before becoming a charter member of Carmel United Methodist Church in 1957. After moving to Sarasota, he and Dotty became members of Sarasota First Congregational United Church of Christ.

Survivors include his loving wife of 71 years, Dorothy "Dotty" Pickett; daughter, Pamela Pickett Romei; son, Chris Pickett; grandson, Michael Keith (Erin) Romei; great-granddaughter, Everly Romei; and brother, Thomas (Barbara) Pickett.

A private family burial will take place in Cicero Cemetery.

Please visit bussellfamilyfunerals.com to read Keith's complete obituary.

Bussell Family Funerals, Carmel-Westfield is privileged to assist the family in arrangements.

TODAY'S BIBLE READING

And he drave them from the judgment seat. Then all the Greeks took Sosthenes, the chief ruler of the synagogue, and beat him before the judgment seat. And Gallio cared for none of those things. And Paul after this tarried there yet a good while, and then took his leave of the brethren, and sailed thence into Syria, and with him Priscilla and Aquila; having shorn his head in Cenchrea: for he had a vow.

Acts 18:16-18 (KJV)

Clara Jane Irion

December 25, 1924 – August 7, 2020

Clara Jane Irion, 95, Noblesville, passed away on Friday, August 7, 2020 at Miller's Merry Manor in Tipton. She was born on December 25, 1924 to Elmer and Mary Gunn in Cicero.



Jane worked as a cook at Walnut Grove School and later at Horizon Nursing Home. She was a member of Cicero American Legion Post 787.

Jane is survived by her daughter, Lyndia Irion; son, Kevin Irion; sisters, Kaye Friro and Joan Clark; grandchildren, Chris House, Carly House, Tanner Irion, Allison Irion and Katie Irion; and great-grandchildren, Eli and Tylor House.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sons, Rex Irion and Stanley Irion.

A celebration of life will be held at a later date. Jane's family has entrusted Randall & Roberts Funeral Home with her care.

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Girls golf . . .

Carmel wins State Preview for third tournament victory in a row

A consistent performance gave the Carmel girls golf team a victory in the prestigious State Preview meet, which took place Saturday at the Greyhounds' home course, Prairie View Golf Club.

Carmel was ranked No. 3 in the pre-season coaches poll, but will likely move up after this win. The 'Hounds carded a 306, besting runner-up and top-ranked Evansville North by five shots. Fourth-ranked Westfield placed third with a 315, and second-ranked Homestead finished fourth with a 320.

It marked the third tournament victory in a row for the Greyhounds.

"This team is really something special," said Carmel coach Kelly Kluesner. "We love playing in the tournament, under state conditions, with the best teams in the state. It's a great event to be a part of."

Sydney Longstreth led the Greyhounds with a 74, which gave her second place individually. Longstreth began the meet with three consecutive birdies and finished the front nine with a 31.

Katie Kuc and Ava Hedrick were part of a large tie for third place, as each carded 75.

"Both players took advantage when the opportunity presented itself but also knew when to play it safe," said Kluesner. "They were so focused and positive throughout their rounds today and it shined through in their score."

Freshmen Michaela Headlee scored 82 and Claire Swathwood carded 85 to round out the Carmel scores.

"It was a great experience for them and we are proud of how they played in their first State Preview," said Kluesner. We have no doubt that these two will master this course over the course of the season."

Westfield also had a consistent day, which led to the Shamrocks' fourth-place finish. Freshman Sam Brown was part of the third-place tie with a 75, while Allie Hildebrand added a 78 and Brette Hanavan scored a 79.

Noblesville, playing in its first meet of the season, finished in sixth place by scoring 329. Sarah Brenneman was the low scorer for the Millers with a 78.

Hamilton Southeastern took seventh place, with a total of 340. Yanah Rolston tied for ninth place individually with her score of 77. Marissa Spreitzer added a 79.

Guerin Catholic finished in 13th place with a 384. Christina Pfefferkorn was part of the third-place tie with a score of 75.

Team scores: Carmel 306, Evansville North 311, Westfield 315, Homestead 320, Center Grove 321, Noblesville 329, Hamilton Southeastern 340, Columbus North 343, Franklin Community 349, Zionsville 360, Penn 373, Western 374, Guerin Catholic 384, NorthWood 393, Tipton 398, Lapel 403, Crown Point 405, Gibson Southern 455.

Medalist: Chloe Johnson (Evansville North) 71.



Reporter photo by Richie Hall

Noblesville's Sarah Brenneman was the low scorer for the Millers during the State Preview Meet, which took place Saturday at Prairie View Golf Club in Carmel. Brenneman scored a 78; it was Noblesville's first event of the season.

Carmel scores: Sydney Longstreth 74, Katie Kuc 75, Ava Hedrick 75, Michaela Headlee 82, Claire Swathwood 85.

Westfield scores: Sam Brown 75, Allie Hildebrand 78, Brette Hanavan 79, Sophie McGinnis 83, Cate Jensen 83, Mallory Mortl 94.

Noblesville scores: Sarah Brenneman 78, Ellie Karst 80, Caroline Whallon 85, Taylor Caldwell 86, Bella Deibel 87.

Hamilton Southeastern: Yanah Rolston 77, Marissa Spreitzer 79, Amber Luttrell 90, Ashley Marcinko 94, Grace Dubec 97.

Guerin Catholic: Christina Pfefferkorn 75, Audrey Kuncze 96, Isabella Pinion 106, Jenny Zerla 107, Mia Thompson 129.

Westfield and Noblesville sent teams up to the Wildkat Invitational Saturday at Chippendale Golf Club in Russiaville.

The Shamrocks were the meet runners-up, scoring a 336. Brownsburg won with a 328. Westfield's Allie McKeown finished as the individual runner-up by scoring a 78. Other scorers were Claire Thompson 87, Sam Lemieux 91, Larkyn Bedusek 93 and Serena Lee 98.

The Millers finished third with a 344. Jordan Adam led the Millers with an 82, followed by Erin Burt 87, Rylee Kendall 97, Bergan Zebrasukas 99, Audrey Ratcliffe 101.

Team scores: Brownsburg 328, Westfield 336, Noblesville 344, Maconaquah 357, Logansport 376, Goshen 413, Kokomo 421, Logansport JV 425, Eastern 434, Taylor 517.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday

Noblesville vs. Guerin Catholic, 4:30 p.m. at Pebble Brook

Wednesday

Carmel vs. Noblesville, 4:30 p.m. at Harbour Trees

Thursday

Carmel vs. Southeastern, 4 p.m. at Stony Creek
North Central vs. Fishers, 4 p.m. at Grey Eagle
Tipton vs. Heights, 4:30 p.m. at Bear Slide
Westfield vs. Noblesville, 4 p.m. at Harbour Trees
University at Crawfordsville, 5 p.m.



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T.J. Warren takes over, powers Pacers to win over Lakers

By WHEAT HOTCHKISS
Courtesy nba.com/pacers

T.J. Warren might never leave Orlando. The Pacers' leading scorer continued his sizzling play in the bubble on Saturday night, scoring seven straight points in the final 1:25 to lift Indiana (43-27) to a 116-111 win over the Los Angeles Lakers (51-18).

The national spotlight was on the Blue & Gold on Saturday, as they played in their first nationally televised game in the bubble against LeBron James and the Lakers. That didn't phase Warren, who scored 18 points in the first quarter and finished with a game-high 39, going 15-

for-22 from the field and 5-for-8 from 3-point range.

"I know what I can bring to the table on a consistent basis," Warren said after his latest star turn. "It's not a surprise to see the success. I know the time and effort I've put in."

Malcolm Brogdon (24 points, five rebounds, and six assists) and Victor Oladipo (22 points, seven boards, and five dimes) also had strong performances as the Pacers swept the season series with the Lakers, who have clinched the best record in the Western Conference.

The Pacers led by six entering the fourth quarter, but the Lakers quickly ral-

lied in the final frame, tying the game at 90 on Dwight Howard's dunk with 9:07 to play and moving in front on James' layup 43 seconds later.

Indiana surged back in front shortly thereafter with seven unanswered points, tying the game at 97 on Warren's layup with 6:37 remaining and moving in front on his fourth 3-pointer of the night at 6:12.

Quinn Cook and Brogdon traded threes before the Lakers reeled off six unanswered. Two Brogdon free throws trimmed the deficit to 106-105 with 2:39 remaining.

After Anthony Davis missed a

3-pointer from the left corner, Oladipo knocked down a floater to put the Pacers in front with 2:08 to play.

On the other end, James airballed a jumper but Davis corralled the rebound and put it up and in to give the Lakers the lead.

Warren then converted one-handed runner with 1:25 left to retake the lead and then, after Davis missed another trey, added a jumper off a dish from Brogdon with 50.6 seconds remaining to make it a three-point game.

"I just stayed aggressive down the

See Pacers . . . Page 8

A classic love story with a Colts connection

By JESS VERMEULEN
WISH-TV

It's a classic love story, but with a Colts connection. Two people fall in love, on a football field (Lucas Oil Stadium), and they pick a preacher only fit for a member of the Horseshoe.

Parks Frazier was hired by the Indianapolis Colts in 2018 to serve as an assistant to the head coach.

"I was actually going to training camp two years ago and I think it was the opening and I think it was the opening interview," said Frazier. "I was standing in the back, and Caroline was too."

Caroline Cann is the former reporter for Colts.com, which is how she met current Colts offensive assistant and her

other half, Parks.

The two got engaged during this past NFL season and planned their wedding for this crazy offseason.

"So, we did have to pivot and make some changes but I think the thing him and I both focused on from the very beginning was this is about us getting married," Caroline said. "So, as long as him and myself and Frank could be there, then we are going to have the day."

Frank, as in Colts Head Coach Frank Reich. He's an important piece of this love story, because he's the one that actually tied the knot for the Fraziers.

"As an ordained minister, one of the greatest privileges is performing a wedding. It's just so fun to see two people

coming together. It was especially, especially meaningful for when you know them both. And then on top of that, when you know them like they're family," said Reich.

He added, "For the two of them to ask me to perform the wedding, I was blown away. It was a great privilege and it was a lot of fun. It was a special day. It was a special day. There are a great couple and really, I was privileged to be part of that ceremony."

Caroline said, "I have had a couple of fans reach out to me and say that's so cool that coach Reich married you. I'm thinking that is cool but who married us was Frank Reich."

Reich has only performed a couple of wedding ceremonies before, but he has given plenty of pre-game and halftime speeches.

"When you're performing a ceremony of people that you know and love, what makes it special is to add the personal connection. So, as I was preparing that, I was like, what am I going to say to these two?," he said. "And it was only appropriate that I said, 'you want to know what the great foundation for a marriage is?' And it just happened to be the three T's that we talked about as a football team."

Reich first shared this quote two years ago when he was hired as the leader of the Colts. His first message to his new team was "to build a culture with three

'T's': trust, toughness and teamwork."

So, naturally that was the foundation for Reich's sermon at the Frazier wedding.

Parks explained, "Oddly enough only in Frank Reich fashion, his message was specifically revolved around trust, toughness and team."

"To be standing there in a wedding dress and his tux and we are getting married and he's telling us trust, toughness and team," Caroline said. "We did, we all shared a laugh because you know this is going to be easy for us to remember that this is how you build a strong foundation in a marriage."

Parks added that Frank Reich and his wife Linda are two of his biggest role models in life, saying, "Who they are and how they have gone about both his playing career and now his coaching career and how they have navigated that. No matter who you talk to in this business, they have the utmost respect for them."

Caroline echoed that. She said, "I think as we go throughout his career in coaching and us beginning this new life together that's who I want to model this after. I want to make sure we are treating people correctly, approaching this job and the building and the culture of the Colts or you know any team. The way they have."

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Detroit 11, Pittsburgh 5		Colorado 5, Seattle 0
Oakland 3, Houston 1		Arizona 3, San Diego 2
Baltimore 5, Washington 3		San Francisco 5, L.A. Dodgers 4
Philadelphia 5, Atlanta 0		Tampa Bay 5, N.Y. Yankees 3
Texas 2, L.A. Angels 0		Chicago Cubs at St. Louis, postponed
Kansas City 9, Minnesota 6		

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East	W	L	PCT.	GB
N.Y. Yankees	10	5	.667	-
Baltimore	7	7	.500	2.5
Tampa Bay	7	8	.467	3.0
Toronto	5	7	.417	3.5
Boston	5	9	.357	4.5
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
Minnesota	10	5	.667	-
Detroit	7	5	.583	1.5
Cleveland	9	7	.563	1.5
Chi. White Sox	8	7	.533	2.0
Kansas City	6	10	.375	4.5
West	W	L	PCT.	GB
Oakland	11	4	.733	-
Houston	6	8	.429	4.5
Texas	5	8	.385	5.0
L.A. Angels	5	10	.333	6.0
Seattle	5	11	.313	6.5

National League				
East	W	L	PCT.	GB
Miami	7	2	.778	-
Atlanta	9	6	.600	1.0
Philadelphia	4	4	.500	2.5
N.Y. Mets	6	9	.400	4.0
Washington	4	7	.364	4.0
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
Chi. Cubs	10	3	.769	-
Cincinnati	7	8	.467	4.0
Milwaukee	5	7	.417	4.5
St. Louis	2	3	.400	4.0
Pittsburgh	3	12	.200	8.0
West	W	L	PCT.	GB
Colorado	11	3	.786	-
L.A. Dodgers	10	5	.667	1.5
San Diego	8	7	.533	3.5
San Francisco	7	9	.438	5.0
Arizona	6	9	.400	5.5

WNBA standings

Saturday's games		Dallas 85, Atlanta 75
Seattle 74, Phoenix 68		
Chicago 100, Connecticut 93		

Eastern Conference				
Team	W	L	PCT.	GB
Chicago	5	2	.714	-
Washington	3	3	.500	1.5
Indiana	2	4	.333	2.5
Atlanta	2	5	.286	3.0
New York	1	5	.167	3.5
Connecticut	1	5	.143	4.0

Western Conference				
Team	W	L	PCT.	GB
Seattle	6	1	.857	-
Minnesota	5	1	.833	0.5
Las Vegas	4	2	.667	1.5
Phoenix	4	3	.571	2.0
Los Angeles	3	3	.500	2.5
Dallas	3	4	.429	3.0

NBA standings

Saturday's games		L.A. Clippers 122, Portland 117
Denver 134, Utah 132, 2OT		Phoenix 119, Miami 112
Indiana 116, L.A. Lakers 111		Dallas 136, Milwaukee 132, OT

Eastern Conference				
Team	W	L	PCT.	GB
e-Milwaukee	55	15	.786	-
x-Toronto	49	19	.721	5.0
x-Boston	46	23	.667	8.5
x-Miami	43	27	.614	12.0
x-Indiana	43	27	.614	12.0
x-Philadelphia	42	27	.609	12.5
Brooklyn	33	36	.478	21.5
Orlando	32	38	.457	23.0
Out of playoff contention				
Washington	24	45	.348	30.5
Charlotte	23	42	.354	29.5
Chicago	22	43	.338	30.5
New York	21	45	.318	32.0
Detroit	20	46	.303	33.0
Atlanta	20	47	.299	33.5
Cleveland	19	46	.292	33.5
e - Clinched Eastern Conference w - Clinched Western Conference				

Western Conference				
Team	W	L	PCT.	GB
w-L.A. Lakers	51	18	.739	-
x-L.A. Clippers	47	22	.681	4.0
x-Denver	46	24	.657	5.5
x-Houston	43	25	.632	7.5
x-Oklahoma City	42	26	.618	8.5
x-Utah	43	27	.618	8.5
x-Dallas	42	30	.583	10.5
Memphis	33	37	.471	18.5
Portland	32	39	.451	20.0
Phoenix	31	39	.443	20.5
San Antonio	30	38	.441	20.5
New Orleans	30	39	.435	21.0
Sacramento	29	40	.420	22.0
Out of playoff contention				
Minnesota	19	45	.297	29.5
Golden State	15	50	.231	34.0
x - Clinched playoff berth				

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stretch," Warren said. "My guards did a great job of setting me up...scoring the ball is what I do."

After a timeout, Cook missed a 3-pointer and Myles Turner wrangled the rebound. With an eight-second differential between the shot clock and game clock, Oladipo let the seconds tick away before dishing to Warren. The hottest player in Orlando delivered, burying a deep 3-pointer from the left wing with 10.6 seconds remaining to seal the win.

"At the end of the day, I could have made a play and did something, but you've got to feed the hot hand," Oladipo said of the moment. "This is basketball. The guy is playing well, give him the ball...let him know I have the trust in him to make a play."

The Pacers attacked the basket early on Saturday, getting to the rim for their

first five field goals while jumping out to an early 10-4 lead. The Lakers answered with nine straight points to surge in front, before Warren took over once again.

Just like he's done for stretches in seemingly every game in the bubble, Warren caught fire and scored 16 points in a 22-4 Pacers run. After a layup and a dunk, the 6-8 forward converted three-point plays at 4:55 and 3:59, then knocked down 3-pointers at 3:38 and 3:02.

Warren finally missed a three with 1:30 left, but JaKarr Sampson was there to follow with a ferocious one-handed dunk. Then after a Cook miss, Doug McDermott hoisted a three that missed, but once again Sampson was there for the putback, this time using two hands to throw down.

The Lakers called timeout after Sampson's second slam and James reen-

tered the game, sparking a 7-0 Lakers run before Brogdon's layup just before the first quarter buzzer gave Indiana a 34-24 advantage after one.

"We did a good job of getting stops and getting out and trying to take advantage of our speed," Pacers head coach Nate McMillan said about the strong start.

Los Angeles moved back in front midway through the second quarter, as Cook scored eight points — including back-to-back 3-pointers — during an 18-2 run.

Oladipo provided a spark before half-time, scoring six points and dishing out an assist in the final 3:38, but the Lakers remained in front heading into the break, 59-54.

The third quarter was a back-and-forth affair, featuring three ties and seven

lead changes. The Blue & Gold eventually opened up a seven-point lead as Warren scored the last six points of an 8-0 run.

Oladipo scored eight points in the third quarter, including a pair of 3-pointers, and Indiana took an 87-81 lead into the fourth.

James led the Lakers with 31 points, eight rebounds, and seven assists in the loss. Cook added 21 off the bench, going 5-for-9 from beyond the arc.

The Pacers have three seeding games left before beginning the playoffs, and two of those games are against the Miami Heat, who would be Indiana's opponent in the first round if the season ended today. The Pacers and Heat meet at 8 p.m. on Monday. Indiana then takes on Houston on Wednesday before facing Miami again on Friday.

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